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ing this thriving town it is a little
discouraging to have our contem-
porary refer to the Vice school man-
agement of Snyder as being at the
head of a valuable "corps" of
teachers. - Coming West.

RECENT investigations in the
Land Office show that land certifi-
cates to the amount of 64,000 acres
have been duplicated and issued to
the T. P. Ry. Co. whereby the state
has been defrauded out of that
amount of land.
SHERIFF W. B. Anthony says
that he heard considerable talk dur-
ing his visit to Waco to the effect
that the Texas Central would be
extended to Haskell. The officers of
the road have made several trips to
Albany on a tour of inspection
with a view of extending same.

When it is considered that there
are only 17,869 male members of
the farmers alliance in Texas. It
makes the average reader smile
when the sub treasury humbugs
threaten to disrupt the democratic
party. Nine out of ten Texas
farmers are democratic will vote the
democratic ticket and will bury Mc
Cure and his henchmen so deep in
political obscurity that it will take
a special proclamation of the Mer-
cury to find them. - Kaufman Re-
view.

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there are a few people who are on
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IT HAS LEAVEN IN IT.
Judge Beckham on the New People's
Party Platform.
FORT WORTH, TEX. May 21. -
Judge R. E. Beckham of the seven-
teenth judicial district, in conver-
sation with a reporter this
morning referring to the
result of the Cincinnati convention
as published in the morning papers,
said that the formation of the peo-
ple's party was a more important
event than some people saw prop-
er to regard it and that the move-
ment would assume larger propor-
tions than many thought it would.
"The platform put out by the
convention," said he, "is shrewdly
put together and contains much
that is popular, and which will gain
friends to the new party. While I
do not predict the ultimate success
of the movement I must confess
that it looks dangerous to the
democratic party, which may be as
much affected by it as the republi-
can party in the north will be.
There is going to be many startling
developments in the political world
in the future, and it is possible that
this movement will throw the elec-
tion of the next president into con-
gress.
The leaders of democracy should
not regard this people's party too

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THE CENTRAL TO BE EX-
TENDED.
ALBANY TEX. May 21. - Col.
Hammon of New York, agent for
the stockholders who recently pur-
chased the central road; D. Ripley,
general freight agent; C. Dillingham
receiver, and D. Allen, division su-
perintendent, came in on a special
this evening on a tour of inspection.
They express themselves well
pleased with the condition of the
road, and in a private conversation
Mr. Ripley said in his opinion the
road would soon be extended to the
west.
THE FREE PRESS is in receipt of
a letter from the owners of the T.
C. R. R. wherein there is some very
encouraging news to Haskell.
The letter is of such a nature we
deem it best not to publish it or
we would give it to the public.

lightly. There is no telling now
what it may accomplish. Look
will you, at the strong fight it made
in Tarrant county under the leader-
ship of Dr. Broiles. Our majority
was cut down from 3000 to about
100 and we barely saved the count-
to the democrats. Who would have
thought in the beginning of that
movement that Dr. Broiles could
have accomplished as much as he
did. That was a hard movement,
but it was an enthusiastic one, and
the same enthusiasm will character-
ize the national one.
"The platform of the people's
party has much in it that will con-
mend itself to the masses. More
money is what the people want,
and without thinking of what the
result of free coinage of silver and
the immense expansion of the circu-
lating medium demanded would
have upon the value of gold, there
are thousands who will be caught
by the first plank in the new par-
ty's platform. The plank relating
to the ownership of lands by aliens
will be popular, as will that de-
manding a graduated tax on in-
come. That plank which refers to
the control and supervision of the
means of public communications
and transportation is a shrewd
handling of the subject. It does
not demand out right that the gov-
ernment shall own the railroads
and telegraph lines, but it says if
they cannot be controlled by the
government then it is time for the
government to own them.
"The action of the convention in
defeating a prohibition plank was
another that is going to give
strength to this party. The fact of
the matter is," said the judge, "we
have a fight before us, and the
democratic party will have to put
itself on record as favoring what is
democratic. Our party is the party
of the people, or it should be, the
time-honored principles of which
are enunciated in this new par-
ty's platform, i. e., equal rights to
all and special privileges to none
and that all revenues, national,
state or county shall be limited to
the necessary expenses of the gov-
ernment economically administer-
ed - the reforms which the people
are clamoring for and what democ-
racy is pledged to, while republi-
canism is just the reverse. The
working of our party machine,
however, does not suit many people
and they have been disgusted with
the same old promises made year
after year and never carried out."
Judge Beckham talked to the
reporter quite a while on this sub-
ject and it was plain to be seen that
he fears this new movement would
cut quite a figure in politics in the
south as well as in the western
states. He stated that Wall street
would fight it, but doubted if it
could be downed.

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The present school building is too small. Tuition is free. It does seem to us that the patrons of the school would furnish a suitable building in which to educate their children.

The First National Bank has moved into their new building. The new office is supplied with the best oak furniture that will rival that of the banks of more pretentious cities. It makes one feel like he is in a city to enter their office and see such fine furniture.

The monthly publication issued by the Texas Western shows that a man has hold of the lever who is going to place Jones county in the front rank of the columns of progress.

Go it McEachin three cheers for you and success to your efforts. Your people should stand by you.

Social.

On last Monday night, the spacious parlors of Mr. and Mrs. Frost were opened to the young friends of their daughter Miss Etie and quite a number of the elite accepted an invitation. Those present were, L. S. Long and Miss Annie Cather, J. J. Loux and Miss Lizzie Critch, Will Person and Miss Minnie Thomson, H. B. Martin and Miss Mollie Dewberry, S. E. Frost and Miss Carrie Rogers, R. E. Martin and Miss Minnie Ellis, J. E. Glover and Miss Josie Andrews, A. L. Kirby and Miss Gillie Rike.

The music furnished by the young ladies of the company was a special feature of the entertainment. At a late hour the company dispersed to their homes after having spent a most pleasant evening.

HASKELL TO HAVE A ROLLER MILL.

Another Victory Scored.

On last Wednesday a mass meeting of the citizens was held at this place to organize a stock company to build a roller mill. B. H. Dodson was elected chairman and H. G. McConnell, Secretary. F. L. McGregor, J. S. Rike, and F. G. Alexander were appointed to solicit subscription to stock. Stock to be issued in shares of \$100 each to the amount of \$10,000 which amount is estimated will be necessary to build and equip the mill. The list was circulated and our citizens have taken hold of the matter and the

necessary subscription has been obtained. Now we would urge prompt organization and that the work be pushed. The farmers will need the money on the crop, just as soon as it is possible to get it in marketable condition.

Picnic.

On last Tuesday morning twelve buggies freighted with the lovely belles and handsome beaux of Haskell left for Elm Grove on Miller creek to spend a day in the open air. Baskets were provided and laden with cakes, nuts, and in fact every thing necessary to make a picnic dinner complete. The party arrived at the ground at 11 o'clock. A. M. Beautiful lawns were found upon which to play tennis and croquet. The sighing zephyrs in the trees the crack of the rilles the merry laughter and titter titter at the croquet and tennis grounds, commingling with the songs of the birds sent a thrill of delight through each member of the party no soon to be forgotten. At about 1 o'clock p. m. dinner was spread upon the ground and the party gathered around one common table to appease their sharpened appetites. The chicken, ham, cakes, fruits and nuts were dispensed with a relish that became the dignity of the dispensers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones who were in charge of the party had very thoughtfully provided coffee for those who love the beverage, and they were the subject of great praise for this thoughtful providence. After dinner the sports were resumed and the evening spent in innocent amusement.

The party ate supper about 5 o'clock p. m. and then returned to the city.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jones, S. E. Frost and Miss Annie Cather, R. E. Martin and Miss Lizzie Killough, R. E. Martin and Miss Gillie Rike, F. J. Long and Miss Josie Andrews, Oscar Martin and Miss Annie Thomson, J. E. Glover and Miss Carrie Rogers, Will Person and Miss Minnie Thomson, W. E. Johnson and Miss Etie Frost, Will Dickerson and Miss Mollie Dewberry, A. L. Kirby, H. B. Martin, Theo. Gibson and Cyde Asbury.

WHAT THEY THINK.

Hon. W. H. Crane, Secretary Post-r and Chandler on the People's Party Platform.

Washington, May 22.—Referring to the birth of the People's party in Cincinnati yesterday, Secretary of the Treasury Foster said this afternoon: "I have much more faith in good

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crops and good prices produced by honest labor, than I have in any of the so-called means of relief proposed by the ladies and gentlemen now in session at Cincinnati. Provisions are giving a good crop and the McKinley bill will give us good prices. This means that President Harrison will be re-elected and that the republican party will be triumphant at the next election and the third party will be all right by that time. The prosperity of its membership in common with all other inhabitants of this country, will be such that I doubt not that thousands of them will visit Washington on the occasion of President Harrison's inauguration. They will be heartily welcomed."

"I do not look unkindly on this third party movement," said Senator William B. Chandler this afternoon.

"It is a movement of reason. There is no money to back it, and therefore there is nothing threatening in the forces which it follows. They are here put in operation. They appeal to the intelligence of the people from a platform and through the press and the press is entitled to report. Their platform, which I gathered over rather hastily, struck me as being rather in keeping with the possible explanation of the plank in relation to the government control of railroads, and the first part of that resolution has a good deal of sound sense in it. Taking out

this railroad plank there is nothing to which any considerable portion of the American people will subscribe."

"Yes, I was aware of the fact that there is a third party," said representative Crane of Texas.

"It will help the Democrats and hurt the Republicans. Only that and nothing more."

Admiral Gherardi, who has just returned from Hayti had a lengthy interview with the secretary of navy, relative to a coaling station at Mole Saint Nicolas. One result of the admiral's mission is the probable recall of Minister Douglas, whom the Haytians regard very unfavorably, desiring a white minister from the United States. Negotiations caused this same of affairs to exist. While Minister Douglas remains at Port au Prince the United States must look elsewhere for a coaling station.

It is stated upon what appears to be good authority that the civil service commission has made a report not only to the secretary of the interior but to the attorney general in the case of Green B. Rana, Jr., and others alleged to have been concerned in the recent appointment of Manager Smith to a place in the pension office, in which they express their belief that all have violated the civil service law.

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New style ruffling for summer neck wear, per yard, 5c.
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Ladies' slippers, 2 to 8; Misses slippers, sizes 11 to 2; Children's slippers, sizes 6 to 10 infants' slippers, sizes 1 to 5; at any price to suit; all new goods.
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CLOTHING.

200 children's suits, 4 to 13, at 85c.

150 suits, 4 to 13, cheap at \$2.00; we offer for \$1.35.
500 pairs children's knee pants at 18c.
Boys' waists at 18c.
A consignment of \$5,000 worth of spring clothing received this week from a large manufacturing house in the east to be sold for what they will bring, and following are some of the leaders:
LOT 1050. All wool black cheviot men's suits in all sizes; cost to manufacture \$8.37 1/2, to be sold at \$5.45 a suit.
LOT 1049. All wool blue serge suits, cost to manufacture \$8.87 1/2 to be sacrificed at \$5.45 a suit.
LOT 6406. Fancy worsted, imported, elegant designs; actual cost to manufacture \$9.52 1/2, offering at \$6.40 a suit.
We carry a stock of clothing to-day on our hands of over \$20,000. All kinds, cheap and fine, light and dark; all sizes, small and large, lean and fat. They must go at 33 per cent reduction of former low price

STRAW HATS.

Straw Hats from 15c apiece up.
As we have marked our entire stock down to far below actual cost WE WILL CHARGE NO GOODS during this OVER STOCKED SPOT CASH SALE.

Respectfully,

S. LAPOWSKI & BRO.

ABILENE, TEXAS.

S. L. ROBERTSON.

J. H. NICHOLS

large Stock can be for

Bass Bros, Prices

The Haskell Free Pr

Friday, May.. 29, 1891

LOCAL DOTS

Clocks cheap at Giver's... Ladies silk shirts at R. S. DeLong & Co's... J. E. Maxwell was in the city yesterday... Sorghum Seed at Crag and I see no...

BLOODY BATTLE.

of a Fight Between the Boys and the Troops... I. T., May 21... Marshal Cal Craft has just from the Sac and Fox res... Why, where he, with nine...

place. Two of the outlaws received severe wounds, and the whole party was nearly exhausted from want of food and water.

State of Texas. This to certify Haskell county. To all to whom these presents shall come, that we whose names are hereto subscribed, to wit: F. J. Long, J. M. Hall, and R. M. Dickenson all of the county of Haskell, State of Texas and Geo. Mason & Co., S. G. Jackson & C. D. Long, Dickenson Bros., Draper & Baldwin, J. W. Becknell, Haskell Lumber Co., R. E. Martin, Allen Neathery, C. B. Banks, G. R. Couch, Hagard & Kirby, D. R. Gass, Dodson & Croley, F. G. Alexander, Lee Pierson, Johnson Bros., J. L. Jones, J. M. Hall, Long Bros & Frost, Springer & Lomax, W. B. Anthony, Agnew & Gibson, Hills & Springer, McConnell & Smith, Lomax & Jones, Misses Thomson & Cather, J. G. Simmons, Lomax & Springer, W. D. Koonce, Bogart & Tandy, Long & Jackson of the county of Haskell, State of Texas have entered into a limited partnership for the purpose of buying a lot in the town of Haskell said county and State and erecting thereon a building to be used for a public hall or skating rink or such other purposes as the parties hereto may deem proper under and by virtue of the Revised Statutes, Title 68 relating to limited partnership upon the terms, conditions and liabilities herein after set forth, to wit:

1st. The said partnership is to be conducted under the name firm and style of The Haskell Opera House Co. 2nd. The general nature of the business intended to be transacted by the said firm or partnership is the purchase of the necessary ground and the erection thereon of a Public Hall, to be rented to the public for and opera house, skating rink or such other purposes as the public needs demand. 3rd. The general partners in said firm are F. J. Long, J. M. Hall and R. M. Dickenson, aforesaid, all of whom reside in Haskell county Texas and the special partners are Geo Mason & Co., Jackson & Long, Dickenson Bros., Draper & Baldwin, J. W. Becknell, Haskell Lumber Co., R. E. Martin, Allen Neathery, C. B. Banks, G. R. Couch Hagard & Kirby, D. R. Gass, Dodson & Croley, F. G. Alexander, Lee Pierson, Johnson Bros., J. L. Jones, J. M. Hall, Long Bros & Frost, Springer & Lomax, W. B. Anthony, Agnew & Gibson, Hills & Springer, McConnell & Smith, Lomax & Jones, Misses Thomson & Cather, Long & Jackson, J. G. Simmons, Lomax & Springer, W. D. Koonce, Bogart & Tandy, aforesaid all of whom reside in said Haskell county.

4th. The said special partners have contributed to the common stock of the said firm the sum of five dollars in cash, and actually paid in, and are each to contribute the further sum of forty-five dollars each, to be paid in monthly installments of five dollars each, said installments to be paid the first day of each month next following the date hereof until each subscriber hereto has paid the full sum of forty-five dollars as aforesaid. 5th. The said partnership to commence immediately at and after the making of this certificate and is to terminate on the first day of May 1892. Made and severally signed by the said partners at the city of Haskell the 14th day of April 1891.

Dodson & Croley per B. H. Dodson, Allen Neathery, W. B. Anthony, C. B. Banks, Hagard & Kirby, by A. Lee Kirby, Springer & Lomax by A. W. Springer, J. M. Hall, Hills & Springer by Will Hills, Jackson & Long by S. G. Jackson, Dickenson Bros. by R. M. Dickenson, J. L. Jones, Draper & Baldwin per W. F. Draper, J. W. Becknell, J. G. Simmons R. E. Martin, Lomax & Springer by A. W. Springer, Agnew & Gibson by R. T. Gibson, D. R. Gass, G. R. Couch, Haskell Lumber Co. by H. N. Frost, McConnell & Smith by Howell E. Smith, Long Bros. & Frost by F. J. Long, Johnson Bros. by W. E. Johnson, Geo. Mason & Co. by Geo. Mason, F. G. Alexander Lee Pierson, Long & Jackson by S. G. Jackson, W. D. Koonce, Bogart & Tandy per Howell E. Smith, Misses Thomson & Cather by Anna Cather, Lomax & Jones by J. L. Jones.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. FOR SALE BY A. P. McLEMORE



HAGARD & KIRBY, DRUGGISTS

have exclusive sale of these celebrated glasses in Haskell Texas. Faulkner Kellam & Moore. The only manufacturing Opticians in the South Atlanta, Ga. Peddlers are not supplied with these famous glasses.

Ed. S. Hughes & Co.

Have a large Stock of

BARB WIRE.

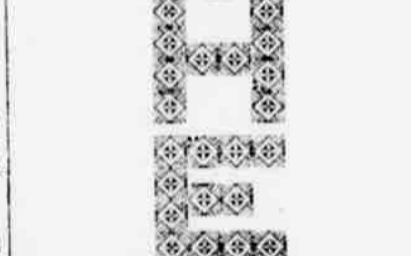
THEY ARE AGENTS

FOR THE

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Excellence of these

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the cheapest.

We are anxious to sell you.

N. Porter,

SADDLERY

Wholesale and Retail

Harness and Collar Factory,

No. 25, Pine St. Abilene Texas

No. 42 Saddle for 12.50

No. 48 Saddle for 15.00

No. 57 Saddle for 18.00

No. 63 Saddle for 20.00

No. 78 Saddle for 25.00

No. 86 Saddle for 28.00

No. 93 Saddle for 30.00

No. 108 Saddle for 35.00

No. 67 Cart Harness with Collar and hame 9.00

No. 10 x c trimmed Cart Harness with collar and hame 12.00

No. 15 Cart Harness nickel trimmed with collar and hame 16.50

Any of the above goods can be ordered through your dealer. N. PORTER. Abilene Texas.

HASKELL GROCERY CO.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CASH DEALERS.

Will always keep the best stock of Groceries, Confections, Feed etc and selling strictly for cash will enable us to make Lower prices than any credit house can possibly afford.

Look for our sign when you come to town, and give us a trial, we will treat you right and save you money.

HASKELL GROCERY CO.,

West Side of Square, HASKELL TEXAS

R. S. DeLong & Co.

DEALERS IN-

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, NOTIONS ETC. An unequalled line of

FANCY DRESS AND MILLINERY GOODS, STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES.

We carry the largest Stock of any house off of the Rail Road and consequently our sales are the largest, and at the lowest prices.

"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Our Stock is all new and of the latest style, selected in eastern markets.

We solicit your Patronage.

RESPECTFULLY,

R. S. DeLong & Co.

Southwest corner of Sq. HASKELL, TEXAS.

Printer Boy

Will Stand The Season

Of 1891 at my Ranch

Stable.

PEDIGREE. PRINTER BOY is a bay horse, 16 hands high weight 1300 pounds, is a good traveler, has good Style and a Gentle disposition.

He was Bred by A. P. Price, of Berrian county, Michigan. First Dam by Robuck, of Lafayette, Indiana; Grand Dam by Gomes Bachus, of Ohio. Sire, Printer Boy by Printer, he by Old Snip Printer.

TERMS:-TEN DOLLARS by the Season, due and payable at the end of the season, July 1, '91. Fifteen Dollars to insure. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Will Furnish pasture if desired free of charge.

C. P. KILLOUGH, OWNER.

WHEAT, OATS, CORN AND COTTON!

Is What the Farmers of the Abilene Country are Growing this Year, AND THE PROSPECT WERE NEVER BETTER. WE ARE HAPPY AND THE "COW-MEN THROWN IN." AND YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO BE WHEN YOU THINK OF THE HARVEST.

But don't Forget to buy Your Groceries of J. M. RADFORD, who carries the Largest Stock and Makes the Lowest Prices of any house in Abilene.

Yours Truly,

J. M. RADFORD,

UNION BLOCK,

ABILENE, TEXAS.

BANKRUPT SALE!

The J. W. RED & Co's. Stock of Dry Goods of Abilene Texas was sold April 23rd 1891 by the trustee, D. J. Red to the highest bidder for cash. THE ABILENE DRY GOODS Co. were the purchasers, and on Wednesday April 29th, they put this stock of some \$15,000.00 on the market at

75^{cts.} ON THE DOLLAR 75^{cts.}

of original cost, and many of them will go at

50^{cts.} On The Dollar. 50^{cts.}

We intend to Make this the grandest Bargain sale ever in the City of Abilene.

Just think of it 50 and 75 cents on the Dollar of New York Cost.

The Stock will be found at Store of the
Abilene Dry Goods Co.

Ed. S. HUGHES & CO.

WE HOPE THAT EVERY FARMER IN HASKELL COUNTY

Will Raise such a Large crop this year that he will feel justified in

BUYING A NEW WAGON TO HANDLE IT.

We hope he will post himself thoroughly as to which wagon is the Best, and which next Best. We hope he will call on us and see them if he does not know their names.

If you need a new COOK STOVE, Buy early so that you will have it to use during threshing time.

Ed. S. Hughes & Co.,

ABILENE TEXAS.

Large Stock can be found at the Drug Store of
Bass Bros, West and Pine Street, Abilene, Tex.
Prices to suit all.

The Haskell Free Press.

Terms \$1.50 per annum, invariably, cash in advance.

Advertising rates made known on application
Friday, May 29, 1891.

LOCAL DOTS.

Clocks cheap at Glover's.
That coon must have been mashed.
Millet seed at Crenshaw's Abilene Texas.
Fresh hams at R. S. DeLong & Co's.
J. E. Maxwell was in the city yesterday.
S. S. Cummings was in from the range Thursday.
Ladies silk shirts at R. S. DeLong & Co's.
Try **BLACK-DRAUGHT** tea for Dyspepsia.
Sorghum Seed at Crenshaw's Abilene Texas.
J. E. Glover is receiving some nice goods.
For first-class Jewelry work go to W. H. Parsons.
Buy your Drugs from McLemore.
J. M. Daugherty was in the city Saturday.
G. K. Ashburn was in the city Wednesday.
Another large tank of California dog poison at McLemore's.
John Miller was in from the range Wednesday.
Royal mixed Tea 50 cts per lb. at Crenshaw's Abilene, Texas.
E. Y. Hillbreth brought in a load of beef oats Wednesday.
Try Diamond S. Baking Powder.
Miss Janie McLemore began a private school Monday.
You will find a good assortment of lap robes at the saddle shop.
McLemore will make you special prices on all kinds of machine oil.
All parties indebted to The Union Meat Market will please come forward and settle on the 1st, and oblige Hudson & Co.
On and after the 1st of June Dickenson Bros. will sell steak from 8 to 10 cts and roast from 5 to 7 cts.
M. H. Lackey was in the city Saturday and reports good rains and fine crops in his neighborhood.
Choice N. Y. cream cheese 20 cts per pound. Haskell Grocery Co.
Try **BLACK-DRAUGHT** tea cures Constipation.
We will always be prepared to furnish you with the best meat the Country affords. Call on us at the Union Meat Market.
Corn, hay and brand at E. H. Crenshaw's Abilene Texas.
McLemore will sell you Machine oil from 40c per gallon up.
Misses Sallie Dewberry Tana Norris and Lillian Callahan were baptised this week by Elder Barber.
For the Cash in hand Geo. Mason & Co will sell Groceries cheaper than any merchant in town.
New Jewelry shop West side of public square W. H. Parsons Prop. Watch work a speciality.
Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Hudson's little infant died Monday and was buried Tuesday. THE FREE PRESS tenders its sympathy to the bereaved parents.
All parties indebted to Collins & Hampton will please come forward and settle by the first, W. R. Hampton.
Now is the time to kill your prairie dogs, McLemore has just received another large tank of California dog poison.
Z. M. Marcey was in the city this week and reported good crops in his neighborhood.
Try the Diamond S. Baking Powder by the true test—that of the oven. R. S. DeLong & Co.
Ask your dealers for the N. Porter make of Horse Collars Saddles, Harness etc., etc.

R. S. DeLong & Co is the place to get your canvassing.
A coon got in bed with W. E. Johnson Tuesday night. The coon is dead.
T. J. Lemon was in from the range Wednesday.
W. E. and J. B. Clarke were in the city Saturday.
Rev. J. M. Tucker was in the city Monday.
Mrs. Park of North Point creek was in the city Saturday.
J. A. Jones left Sunday for his home at Crystal falls.
Buy your Machine oils from McLemore this year he can save you money.
John Hughes has returned to his home in Williamson.
Crushed Java Coffee 4 lbs for \$1.00 at E. H. Crenshaw Abilene Texas.
Frank Smith of Anson was in the city this week. He will take stock in the Roller Mill.
Misses Florence Clark and Etie Gardner were in the city yesterday.
Mr. W. T. Hudson disposed of several head of fine milk cows to citizens this week.
Mrs. J. C. Baldwin has no clerks to hire and no rents to pay and can sell you goods at St. Louis prices. Come and see for yourself.
The best Kansas flour fully warranted at E. H. Crenshaw Abilene Texas.
Dr. Merchison and family left Monday for their home in Collin county.
Mr. J. H. Hicks was in the city Saturday and reports his crop as being in good condition.
Crenshaw will sell you 4 lbs of soda for 25 cts at Abilene Texas.
WINE OF CARDUI, a Tonic for Women.
Mr. R. F. Miller arrived last Friday from New Mexico and took his old place in the social circle.
A cash Grocery store is a necessity in any live enterprising town like Haskell Patronize the Haskell Grocery Co. it will benefit you and they will appreciate it.
Don't forget that Miss Minnie Ellis is in the lead for best styles lowest prices in millinery goods.
A. H. Bryant was in the city Saturday and asked to us that work will begin at once on the Wason school house.
Try the celebrated Diamond S. Baking Powder. It unsatisfactory return it to R. S. DeLong & Co.
Come all ye people that's got Dogs for to kill and buy your poison of Haggard & Kirby.
John Antrey was arrested here this week and placed in jail for a charge of burglary in McCulloch county.
Ed. S. Hughes & Co. are having splendid trade on Eagle cultivators and Champion and Eagle planters.
Before buying your Wall Paper call on Bass Bros. on West Pine street Abilene. Call and examine their large stock.
Mrs. Julia Tobler of Belton is visiting her daughter Mrs. D. M. Wain of this place.
15 lbs Standard granulated sugar for \$1.00 at E. H. Crenshaw's Abilene Texas.
C. C. Gardener of Tacitus was in the city Saturday, and reports good crops and harmony in his neighborhood.
You may search the country in vain for greater bargains than are offered by the New York Store of Seymour.
Mr. Odum of the Sand hills was in the city Monday. He reports crops of every description as doing well.
The crowded condition of the school Friday night last demonstrates the need of a more capacious school building.
Buy! Buy! Buy! But before you buy, Price Everything in the line of Drugs at Haggard & Kirby's

Ice cream will be served at J. E. Dickenson's on Wednesday Saturday and Sunday evenings.
E. H. Crenshaw has the cheapest and best molasses in Abilene. Call and See him.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton gave the young people an entertainment Tuesday evening.
Wheat harvesting has begun and there will be a heavy harvest this year.
C. W. Lucas of paint creek was in the city this week.
Mrs. S. S. Cumming's Mother and brother of Kaufman county is visiting Mrs. Cumming's.
Quite a large crowd of little folks went out on miller creek Thursday to a picnic.
Mr. Glas brought in some fine vegetables this week.
Mr. R. B. Hubbard presented THE FREE PRESS with some fine vegetables the other day. They were highly appreciated.
Mr. C. B. Banks has returned from Corpus Christie Austin Dallas and Sherman. Mrs. Banks is visiting her parents at Sherman.
Mrs. H. C. Dillahunty and daughter Miss Beulah, and Mrs. Johnson and Miss Dora Oasley are visiting relatives at Strawn.
The Haskell National Bank building is now completed and will be ready for occupancy so soon as the furniture for same is put in position.
McElree's Wine of Cardui and THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT are for sale by the following merchants in Haskell county:
Hagard & Kirby Haskell
Old Crow, Jas. E. Pepper and Anderson County Whiskies the finest in the market at the Road to Ruin Saloon, West side square. Haskell, Texas.
When in Haskell call at the City Hotel, where everything is kept neat.
J. W. Becknell prop'r
McElree's WINE OF CARDUI for female diseases.
E. H. Crenshaw has bought out Stokes & DeArman, at Abilene and has one of the largest and most complete stocks of Staple and Fancy Groceries, grain, hay and feed stuff in Abilene.
Delicious biscuit are made with the Diamond S. Baking Powder. Sold by R. S. DeLong & Co.
E. H. Crenshaw will sell you 3 1/2 lbs Seaton Roasted Coffee for \$1.00 try it.
Little Claude, daughter of Mrs. L. R. Lynn fell and broke her arm while playing the other day. Dr. Lindsey was called and he set the broken member, and the sufferer is now convalescing rapidly.
W. B. Anthony our efficient sheriff returned Sunday from Waco where he had gone the first of the week in charge of J. D. Walker as an attached witness.
W. B. Anthony says he saw the cotton picker at Waco last week and he says the machine is a success and will undoubtedly do all that is claimed.
Mrs. J. C. Baldwin's sign is verified by her goods and such prices are as follows:
Ladies gauge vests 10c,
Ladies hats from 25c to \$12.00,
Silk mits 25 to 50 c.
Black silk Umbrellas 15c to \$3.00,
Dress goods at the prices mentioned.
Our Bacon Hams Lard Flour Meal Rice Flake Hour Dry Grapes Raisins Apples and Currants are all choice fresh goods and will be sold at lowest possible prices. Haskell Grocery Co.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lomax Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Long Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rupp and Miss Carrie Rogers and Miss Lizzie Crites went to the Clear Fork fishing Wednesday.
In an other column will be found the display advertisement of Mess Robertson and Nichols The advertisement contains a salutation to the public, Read what they have to say.
E. Y. Hillbreth was in the city Saturday.
Go to D. R. Gass to get the Osburn Right hand cut Harvesters and Binders, and the best cultivators in the land.
Miss Malbie Dewberry asks her friends to remember that she still has some of her prettiest and best millinery goods left and to come and buy before they are all gone they are now cheaper than ever before.
R. R. Napier, E. S. Parnell and W. L. Robertson of Knox county were in the city Monday and purchased a harvest of Messes Sherman Bros. & Co. They report crops of all kinds as flourishing in their neighborhood.
The Haskell Grocery Co extend a cordial invitation to every body to call and examine their stock of Groceries, they want your trade your good will and your money will buy their Groceries as low as is possible for them to be sold.
We earnestly desire a liberal patronage from the people of the town and county of Haskell and surrounding counties.
Haskell Grocery Co.
Closing of the School.
On last Friday night a large crowd assembled at the public school building to attend the closing ceremony of the Haskell school. There was not more than room in the house for half the attendants. The exercises showed that Prof. Warren and Miss Gillie Rike had spared no pains to train the pupils for the occasion. The pupils of the school deserve great credit for their efforts and the progress they have made during the last session.
We are selling heavy brown domestic for 4 cents per yard; Heavy Plaids for 5 cents per yard; Heavy Cottonade for 15 cents per yard; Men's Brogan shoes for 90 cents a pair; Men's fine Calf shoes \$1.50 a pair; Women's lace shoes 50 cents a pair; Women's Button shoes 85 cents a pair; Ladies fine Kid Button Shoes for \$1.50 a pair; Jeans pants 90 cents a pair; We have the largest stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes Hats Gloves and Gents, Furnishing Goods in this town. Call and examine our goods and get the same the great bargains.
NEW YORK STORE.
L. FREEDMAN, Manager, Washington St. Seymour Tex.
NOTICE is hereby given that there will be held, on Monday June 1, 1891 a meeting of the stockholders of the Haskell National Bank at the banking house of said bank for the purpose of electing directors for said bank and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
S. H. Johnson, Cashier.
Seymour Hack Line.
Hack leaves Haskell at 7. a. m. Mondays and Fridays for Seymour, arrive at 6 p. m.; Leaves Tuesdays and Saturdays at 7 a. m. and arrives at Haskell at 6 p. m.; makes connection with all trains.
R. A. Mason.

