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#### FOSTER'S PREDICTIONS.

**Storm Wave Booked for the Mississippi Valley Aug. 21st**

But Hottest Weather for the summer Will Occur in the Southern States About the Time Until Sept. 11.

St. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 15.—My last letter gave forecast of the storm wave due to cross the continent from 16th to 20th. The next regular storm wave will be due to leave the Pacific coast about the 22d, cross the Rocky-Allegheny valley from 23d to 25th, and reach the Atlantic coast about the 26th. This storm will develop its greatest force on the western portion of the continent about the 22nd, and about that time the weather will become very hot in the southern states. This hot wave will affect the eastern states about the 23rd or 24th. A storm wave may also be expected in the Mississippi valley about the 22st, but it will probably not be of great force nor large dimensions. The hottest weather of the summer will occur about the dates of these storm waves and the weather will continue to average hot for this unusually cool year till about Sept. 11. A few places will receive excessive concentrated rains from these storm waves but on the whole the rainfall will be deficient and the local droughts will become more serious. There is but little prospect of rain in the local drought districts before Sept. 3 to 7. Comparatively, the coming weather will be the calm before the storm.

Every person who contemplates studying astronomy and planetary meteorology the coming fall and winter should at once subscribe for either the daily or weekly issue of this paper, clip the weather letters and make of them a scrapbook for reference. To such subscribers I will begin to give special instructions early in next month and will furnish them with a weekly weather map, a diagram showing the position of the moon and planets relative to the earth and sun each week, a chart illustrating the nature and extent of the planetary influences on the weather and a letter of special instructions. Terms will be within the reach of all. Anyone who can read and write may learn. For full particulars write me.

I am sorry to say that the daily weather maps published by the national weather bureau are not what they should be, and are really of less value than they were years ago. It is not only my right but my duty to say this, for no man in America has so often and so urgently advocated the support of the weather bureau by national appropriation as I have. I have often called attention to these daily maps, advising schools to obtain them and the public to use those that are hung in the postoffices of all the cities, but I can no longer recommend these maps. To the casual observer they are utterly unreliable, and only to experts in weather science are they of any practical use. They must not be construed as a censure of the new weather bureau chief, for he has not had time to determine what change should be made. Of all the daily

weather maps published in the United States, so far as I have seen, the map published at Washington, at the headquarters of the weather bureau, is the least and the Denver map the most meritorious. I have good reasons for making these statements.

The Washington map no longer contains the barometric readings of the signal stations, but instead the isobaric lines are drawn without the least regard to the well known formation of storm centers. Where two storm centers appear in North America the isobars are often drawn from one to the other instead of curving each. This obliterates the storm center from the maps and makes them unintelligible and useless to the public. The consequence is that not one person in a thousand who goes to the postoffice ever care to look at the maps. The Kansas City maps, in drawing these isobars are also utterly unreliable, but the isobar deficiency, while not remedied for the public, is partially remedied for the use of experts by giving the isobaric reading of each signal station and, therefore, the Kansas City maps while on a small scale, are superior to the Washington maps, and the Kansas City maps are a fair sample of maps published in several cities.

The Denver maps give the readings of the barometer and has the isobars drawn so as to show each high and low barometer at a glance and the condition of the weather all over the country may be readily observed. But the Denver maps contain an error that is fatal to the usefulness and correctness of all the maps, a fundamental error of the professor of meteorology at Washington. The isobars are drawn in a circle, while it is impossible for any isobar surrounding either a high or low barometer, to form a circle. The uniform motions of these weather disturbers, the isobar surrounding them must necessarily form flat spirals instead of circles. These isobars must conform to the movement of the wind nearing the center of the low barometer as the circle from right to left around it and receding from the center of the high barometer as they circle around it in the opposite direction.

I have repeatedly called attention of the weather bureau at Washington to these serious errors, but instead of correcting them the maps are continuously growing less useful. These isobar and isotherms drawn on these maps are of special interests to the public, because if properly drawn a moment's observation of the map indicates to the casual observer the general condition of the weather and greatly aids the thousands who have become accustomed to the use of barometers in calculating what tomorrow will bring in the weather line. The errors I have pointed out make the maps worse than useless to the public, for to the masses they convey no intelligence, the people became disgusted with the great expense and want to withdraw the appropriations.

I make these criticisms with the hope of doing good and not from any ill will toward the weather bureau, for its officers have uniformly treated me with much respect and liberality, in furnishing me with all the publications of their depart-

ments. I am still in favor of supporting the national weather bureau by liberal donations, but will insist on reforms.

#### LANGUAGE OF APES.

Professor Garner Has Obtained Several Claws to the Dialect of Monkeydom.

There is a remarkable paper by Professor Garner on the language of apes, which he has been studying with the help of the phonograph, and of which he thinks that he has acquired at least some of the rudiments. He tells us that with the consent of Dr. Frank Baker, director of the National Zoological gardens at Washington, he separated a pair of apes which had been living together, and placed them in different rooms.

Then he placed the phonograph near the cage of the female, and recorded a few of the sounds which she had uttered in that instrument. It was then removed to the cell of the male and made to repeat the sounds thus registered. "The surprise and perplexity of the male were evident. He traced the sounds, to the horn from which they came, and failing to find his mate he thrust his hand and arm into the horn quite up to his shoulders withdrew it, and peeped into the horn again and again. He would then retreat and again cautiously approach the horn, which he examined with evident interest. The expressions of his face were indeed a study."

Using the phonograph and doing all in his power to imitate its sound after he had obtained what he believed to be the chimpanzee word either for milk or for the desire to obtain milk, Professor Garner made the greatest effort to repeat this word with his own tongue and lips to a capuchin monkey. The monkey immediately turned to look at him, and when he had repeated it three or four times very distinctly the monkey repeated the sound and turned to a pan kept in the cage for supplying him with drink, brought the pan to the front of the cage, came quite up to the bars and uttered the word himself, though as yet Professor Garner had not shown him any milk or any other drink. Then, and not till then, milk was brought and poured into the pan, which the monkey drank with great zest, and then repeated the sound again some three or four times.

And Professor Garner found that when he wanted his pan replenished he always used the same sound. And as, when water was used instead of milk, the same word was repeated to express the desire for it, the inference was drawn that the word denoted either liquid or the thirst which was satisfied by liquid. The same experiment was tried with a sound which Professor Garner discovered to be always used in connection with solid food, a banana or a carrot, a bit of bread or an apple and as the same word seemed to apply to all of them equally, Professor Garner inferred that the word described either solid food in general or the hunger for it.

And in the same way he discovered the sound which described pain or sickness, and another which expressed either a sense of danger or a

threat, the effect of its utterance being to alarm the monkey so violently that he always sprang to the highest point in his cage, after it had been repeated three or four times the result was that the creature became almost frantic with dread; nor would this monkey even allow herself to be attracted by the word for drink or food after he had once learned to associate Professor Garner with this sound, expressive of either danger or menace.

In this fashion Professor Garner obtained this mastery of about eight or nine sounds, which may be changed by different modulations into three or four times that number, so as to express modified forms of the same word, all of them chiefly vowels sounds with the barest indication of something like a consonant; and these sounds Professor Garner regards as the constituent elements of an ape language which has a variety of different dialects according to the species of ape addressed.—London Speculator.

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Mrs. James R. Polk wife of president Polk died the 14th instant at the age of 88 years.

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL the poet and statesman died a few days ago, but his work will live forever.

JUDICIAL from the legal matter in the Snyder Coming West that journal is strictly law and order in sentiment.

RAINFALL reciprocity theory is practically democratic. His attempt to steal a democratic plank by calling it reciprocity is indeed a clever trick.

Confidence in the railroad commission prevails among New York owners, and the disasters predicted by the Dallas News and other papers will not materialize.

The Central Labor League met in convention at Dallas this week and one significant fact learned was that the alien land law was endorsed.

The peoples party held a convention at Dallas this week and the leaders endorsed the alien land law. In fact men of all parties are compelled to endorse the democratic administration of Texas.

Is this great government of ours the luxuries of life are reserved to the rich by taxing them out of reach of the poor man, and protecting the rich man in order that they can afford to buy them.

PROFESSION has ruined the farming interest and the people have flocked to the cities, and competition there has given the manufacturer home pauper laborers, and they are deluded into voting for more protection to their masters and further oppression to the farmer.

### Life Without a Paper.

Once upon a time a certain man got mad at the editor and stopped his paper. The next week he sold his corn for twenty cents below the market price. Then his property was sold for taxes, because he didn't read the sheriff's sales. He was arrested and fined \$8 for going hunting on Sunday, simply because he didn't know it was Sunday; and he paid \$100 for a lot of forged notes that had been advertised for two weeks and the public cautioned not to negotiate them. He then paid a big fisherman with a foot on him like a forge hammer to kick him all the way to the newspaper office where he paid for four years subscription in advance, and made the editor sign an agreement to knock him down and rob him if he ever ordered his paper stopped again. Such is life without a newspaper.—Ex.

In Chicago they are telling this story of Sam Jones. Recently he was addressing a crowded audience and said: "I want every one in this congregation who wants to go to heaven to stand up." Of course almost everybody rose. Then he said: "Now I want everybody who wants to go to the other place to stand up." At first no one stood up, but finally a long and lank and skinny individual in the back seats, about as fat as an umbrella, arose and said: "I don't exactly want to go to the other place but I am willing to stand up rather than let the preacher stand all alone."—Waco News.

That man must have been able to the inebriate who staggered up against a church door when the minister was calling for a response to

the proposition "all who are friends to Jesus hold up your hands"—no response. "If there is a single friend to Jesus in the house hold up your hand. The inebriate slowly raised his hand and said, (hic) parson, I'm a friend to Jesus, I'm (hic) a friend of any man (hic) that's got no more friends (hic) than Jesus has got in this crowd."—Albany News.

A historic relic of rare value has been plowed up by a negro in a field near Ash Grove Mo. It is a silver medal worn by DeSoto, the Catholic Spanish explorer, who camped, with his followers, near a cold spring in that locality just before he began his disastrous return to the Mississippi river near the year 1521. The medal bears the dates of 1520-25, and no doubt bore the blessing of his church upon the medieval exploring enterprises of those years. It was perhaps won by him during his campaign with Pizarro and Cortez. On one side is a representation of the last supper, on the other of the crucifixion. Who knows but he regarded the loss of this little emblem, which perhaps to him, embodied the divine blessing through the head of his church, upon his efforts as a symbol of failure in the future, or withdrawal of the blessing given. It will be remembered that DeSoto died from fever on the spot where Hot Springs, Ark., now stands, and was buried by his followers at midnight in the current of the Mississippi river. The medal is owned by Prof. G. W. Turner, of Ash Grove, Mo. and will be an interesting exhibit at the World's Fair.

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You may be aware that for two years past, we have been largely interested in Texas real estate, and by our capital and labor have been advancing the interests of Texas.

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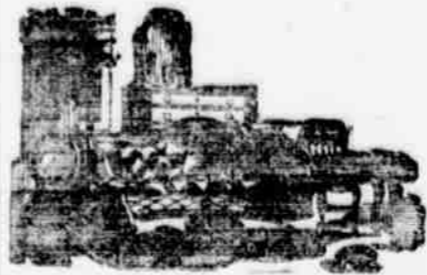
We enclose a clipping from the leading financial paper of London, which we trust you will reprint in your influential journal, and thus assist in the public agitation leading toward the repeal of this iniquitous statute.

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County Superintendents (ex-officio) are hereby requested to give as full notice of this examination as may be possible, that all teachers desiring to avail themselves of this opportunity of obtaining certificates may do so. All teachers should present themselves early Thursday morning. The school law is now in the hands of the printer, and copies will be furnished to all County Superintendents as soon as received.

H. C. FINEY,  
State Supt. Pub. Inst.

Persuade to the authority given me in the foregoing letter I hereby give notice to all the teachers of this county who desire to avail themselves of the opportunity therein mentioned for examination to present themselves at my office on Wednesday Sept. 2nd so that the necessary arrangements can be made for the Board of Examiners.

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Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. L. Jones, clerk of the District court of Haskell county?  
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Saturday, Aug. 22, 1891.

### LOCAL DOTS.

—Try Diamond S. Baking Pow-  
der.

—Buy all your Saddlery at Kid-  
dle's.

—**BLACK-DRAUGHT** tea cures Constipation.  
—3 Cts. per lb for Potatoes.  
Haskell Grocery Co.

—Stop at the Palace Hotel at Abi-  
lene Texas.

—A new line of Watches at J. E.  
Glover's.

—Wm. Ward was in the city Wed-  
nesday.

—Miss Annie Thomson returned  
from Jones county Saturday.

—5,000 good post for sale by W.  
H. Parsons.

—Buy your Groceries from the  
Haskell Grocery Co.

—S. H. Johnson and J. L. Jones  
left for Floyd county Monday.

—Go to Courtwright & Collins for  
brandy and oats.

—**McElree's WINE OF CARDUI** for Weak Nerves.  
—Go to Courtwright & Collins for  
cheap Groceries for the cash.

—Capt. A. Darrell of the John R.  
Jones Lumber Co. was in the city  
this week.

—F. G. Alexander of R. S. De-  
Long & Co. has gone to St. Louis to  
buy their fall stock of clothing.

—See S. Edwards, the leading  
grain dealer of Seymour and get  
prices before you close deals.

—California can goods 25 cts at  
Haskell Grocery Co.

—Delicious biscuit are made with  
the Diamond S. Baking Powder.  
Sold by R. S. DeLong & Co.

Capt. Hunter Thos. G. Carney  
and G. L. Muse were in the city  
Saturday.

—**McElree's WINE OF CARDUI** for female diseases.  
—Try the Diamond S. Baking  
Powder by the true test—that of the  
oven.  
R. S. DeLong & Co.

—Now is the time to buy Sulky  
Plows, and we are prepared. Don't  
fail to see us, we will sell cheap.  
Sherrill Bros. & Co.

—Geo. Stroop has returned from  
North Carolina where he has been  
attending school for several months.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Jeans pants 90 cts a pair.  
Seersucker coat and vest 90 cents.  
Men's and boy's suits at half price.  
New York Store, Seymour.

**WINE OF CARDUI, a Tonic for Women.**  
—When in Haskell call at the City  
Hotel, where every thing is kept  
neat.

J. W. Becknell.  
—Mr. Price of Abilene has been  
visiting the family of Mr. D. M.  
Winn of this place to whom he is re-  
lated.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Men's and boy's straw hats 5  
cents. Black Stetson hats, narrow  
brim \$2. All our hats will be sold  
at one half off.  
New York Store, Seymour.

—Dr. Simmons has purchased  
lumber and let contract to build a  
hotel. The house will be two stories  
high 32 feet wide and 72 feet long  
and will contain 24 rooms.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Fancy percale shirts, with collars  
and cuffs 50 cents.  
—White linen bosom shirts 75 cents.  
—Drill drawers 25 cents a pair,  
New York Store, Seymour.

—F. J. Long left Monday for his  
old home in North Carolina. We  
hope he will soon return improved in  
health.

—Mrs. House mother of Mrs.  
M. H. Gossett left Monday for her  
home in Ellis county. Her many  
friends in Haskell will regret her  
leaving.

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**OATS! OATS! OATS!**  
Retail at 50 cents per bushel, 45  
cents per bushel cash at  
R. S. DeLong & Co.

—Miss Mattie Preston and Mrs.  
Johnson left Friday to visit relatives  
on Clear Fork.

—If you can't find what you want  
or if prices are too high, call on the  
Haskell Grocery Co. where you will  
find what you want at lowest prices.

—Dickenson Bros will not furnish  
meat only on thirty days time. All  
bills must be paid the first of every  
month.

—Mr. Hubbard and Mr. Spencer  
of Collin county were in the city this  
week. They were well pleased and  
will move to Haskell some time this  
fall.

—If you don't think we will sell  
you cheap come around we will make  
you open your eyes.  
Courtwright & Collins.

**TR BLACK-DRAUGHT tea for Dyspepsia.**

—For Cash every thing will be  
sold at greatly reduced prices for  
the next 45 days at R. S. DeLong  
& Co's.

—A. H. Tandy one of our leading  
Stockmen is in Fort Worth. We  
hope he will make a deal while there  
to move the beef cattle of this coun-  
ty.

—With the cash you can save  
money by buying your School Books  
and wall paper from Bass Bros, Abi-  
lene Texas.

—Mr. N. C. Smith presented us  
with a fine peach raised by him. Its a  
beautiful specimen and shows what  
this soil will do.

—40 cts per lb for Jumbo Half  
Bushel tobacco. Haskell Grocery Co.

—Jewelry shop west side of pub-  
lic square W. H. Parsons Prop.  
Watch work a speciality.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Turkey red table linen, 35 cents  
per yard.  
White Damask table linen 50 cents  
per yard.  
Linen toweling 5 cents per yard.  
New York Store, Seymour.

—Rev. Elliot a Primitive Baptist  
minister will preach at Christian  
church Saturday at 11 o'clock and  
Sunday.

—Try the celebrated Diamond S.  
Baking Powder. If unsatisfactory  
return it to R. S. DeLong & Co.

**McElree's Wine of Cardui**  
and THEO. FORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT are  
for sale by the following merchants in  
Haskell county:  
Hagard & Kirby Haskell

—Why should you go to Bass  
Bros. Abilene, Tex., to buy School  
Books? Because you can save money.  
Try them and be convinced.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Figured Mull, 15 cents per yard.  
Figured Organdie 15 cents per y'd  
Black figured lawn 10 cents per  
yard.  
New York Store, Seymour.

—Cartridges, loaded shells and  
other ammunition at the Haskell  
Grocery Co's.

—Go to the Haskell Harness shop  
if you want anything from a shoe  
string to a tan yard.

—Born the 20th inst. to Mr. and  
Mrs. J. T. Brisco a daughter.

—Mr. John Lowe and Miss Van-  
reni James were married Wednes-  
day evening. The FREE PRESS  
wishes them a happy union.

—If you want to buy Groceries on  
credit, we can't sell you, our prices  
are cash prices.  
Haskell Grocery Co.

—Dickenson Bros will pay cash  
for wolf, prairie dog and Jack rabbit  
scalps.

—J. A. Smith and Miss Sarah E.  
Howeth were married at the court  
house Monday, Judge McConnell of-  
ficiating.

—Miss Millie Massey and Miss  
Mollie Dewberry will leave Monday  
for Weatherford where they will at-  
tend college.

—Mr. Bell of Haskell is now carry-  
ing the most complete stock of  
Harness and Saddles that we have  
seen anywhere in Northwest Texas  
his stock is all new and fresh and  
made of the best material. Give  
him a trial, we should patronize  
home industry.

We Have lots of the above Goods and at Prices that Will make you buy. Try us for Good Goods and low Prices.

# J. M. RADFORD,

Abilene Texas.

### BAGGING! BAGGING!

### TIES! TIES! TIES! TIES!

Cotton Baskets, Cotton Baskets,  
GROCERIES, GROCERIES, GROCERIES, GROCERIES,  
Grain, Grain, Grain.

—W. J. Cathey and family have  
returned from a pleasure trip to the  
plains.

—Miss Fannie and Annie Tandy  
entertained quite a number of their  
little friends last Saturday evening.

—Misses Fannie and Annie Tan-  
dy will leave Monday to attend  
school at Fort Worth.

—The Camp meeting in the York  
neighborhood was postponed on ac-  
count of wheat threshing, to be re-  
sumed the 30th inst.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baldwin and  
son Bassil and Miss Annie and Miss  
Minnie Thomson will leave Monday  
to visit their mother at Itasca. Mrs.  
Baldwin will go on to St. Louis and  
purchase her fall stock of goods.

—Miss Ettie Frost gave an entertain-  
ment a few evenings since in honor  
of Mr. Dan Neathery and Miss  
Ida Rike of Farmersville. The  
elite were there and the evening was  
much enjoyed by all present.

—A literary society was organized  
a few evening since with J. M. Hall  
Pres., J. W. Merchant Vice Pres.,  
Miss Gillie Rike Sec., Miss Ettie  
Frost Asst. Sec., S. W. Scott critic,  
P. D. Sanders and S. W. Scott were  
appointed to draft by-laws, J. W.  
Merchant and S. E. Frost to draft  
constitution.

—The returns for the constitution-  
al amendment election are all in.  
The vote was exceedingly light, but  
little more than ten per cent of the  
votes was polled.

Section 4 art. 6 relating to voting  
received a majority of 51 votes.

Section 5 art. 7 to appropriate a  
part of permanent school fund, to  
available fund received a majority of  
23 votes. Section 11 art. 16 to reduce  
rate of interest, received a majority  
of 6 votes. Local control  
received a majority of 29  
votes, art 5 relating to the judic-  
iary received a majority of 63 votes,  
total votes polled in the county.

—The following couples attended  
camp meeting on the river last Sun-  
day: Wm. Pierson and Miss Annie  
Tandy, Oscar Martin and Miss Mil-  
lie Massey, J. A. Jones and Miss  
Fannie Tandy, H. B. Martin and  
Miss Fannie Hudson, Theo. Gibson  
and Miss Bulah Delahanty, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. P. Parris and A. Lee Kirby  
and Will Hills. The sermon by  
Bro. Rogers was excellent and his  
words sank deep into the hearts of  
all present.

### Beat it if You Can.

Ladies button shoes 75 cents a p'r  
Ladies slippers 10 cents a pair.  
Men's fine calf shoes at \$1.25 a  
pair at the New York Store, Sey-  
mour.

—Mrs. Emma Nichols and chil-  
dren, of Haskell, are in the city vis-  
iting the family of our esteemed fel-  
low townsman J. E. Luck. Mrs.  
Nichols is a sister of Mr. Luck and  
is spending a short time with her  
Seymour relatives prior to going to  
her old home in Dallas county where  
she will in future reside.—Seymour  
Monitor.

**Beat it if You Can.**  
Embroidered edging, 2 cents per  
yard.  
All over, 40 cents per yard,  
Valencine lace, 2 cents per yards,  
New York Store, Seymour.

—It is now conceded that the  
county can not build the kind of a  
court house demanded and as the  
present one is large enough for the  
present, the subject has been drop-  
ped by its advocates. The county  
can not issue but \$49,000 in bonds  
under the law and this will not build  
such a house as the people want.  
The amount of bonds that any county  
can issue is based on the assessed  
values.

—Tax rolls for the several school  
districts of the county are completed  
and they show the following funds  
for each school district.

District No. 1	\$2,111.21
" " 2	421.73
" " 4	382.53
" " 5	290.58
Total	\$3,216.05

The other districts in the county  
have never levied a school tax.

### A Mistake.

It has been reported through the  
country that lumber could not be  
gotten at the John R. Jones & Co.  
Lumber Yard. This is a mistake  
there is on the yard a large and well  
assorted stock, and a large amount of  
lumber is arriving daily. Large orders  
have been made and as large a stock  
as ever will constantly be kept on  
the yard. When you go to Abilene  
for lumber do not fail to call at that  
yard, they will sell you lumber cheap  
as any yard in the city.  
J. G. Lowden.

### Some Haskell Grocery Co. Prices.

Fancy Patent Flour	\$3.35
Extra Fancy Flour	3.00
White Lily Flour	2.85
Oat and wheat sacks	12 1/2 cts.
Two Bu. Duck Sacks	16 1/2 cts.
Potatoes	3 cts per lb.
Clariett soap	5 cts per bar.

Our prices will always be low on  
everything. Call and see us.

HASKELL TEX., AUG. 18 1891.  
Mr Editor.

As we expect to leave your nice  
city in a few days. We adopt this  
means to offer our sincere and heart  
felt thanks to the good people of  
Haskell for their very great kindness  
and attention to our son Dr. E. M.  
Oldham during his severe and pro-  
tracted illness. We will ever cherish  
the fondest and tenderest feeling for  
your dear people. Dr. Oldham will  
go home with us, until able to re-  
sume his practice, then he will re-  
turn to Haskell. He has cast his lot  
among good people, and in a short  
time he will be with you again. May  
God bless you all, every one in the  
town, and may He abundantly re-  
ward you all for the kindness shown  
both us and our boy.

Respectfully,  
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Oldham.

Kasoga.

DEED. On the 14 inst. the death  
angel bore the infant daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. E. A. Houston to realms  
beyond the toils, pains, and care of  
this life.

The bereaved parents have the  
fullest sympathy of the entire com-  
munity.

TO THE BEREAVED.  
Your darling was not snatched a-  
way in ruthless cruelty, but she was  
gently wafted upon the wings of  
mercy to the bosom of infinite love.  
Though it is painful to have those  
tender cords of affection broken it is  
consoling to know that the severing  
of such earthly ties is the formation  
of bonds in heaven.

Your little baby's pain is over; its  
life will never be marred by the po-  
lution of this world, nor will its lit-  
tle heart ever be burdened with sor-  
row.  
A. Friend.

LECTURES.  
W. H. Pritchard organized a  
Farmers Alliance at the Reeder  
school house recently. Mr. T. P.  
Reeder president.

The incincerity of our mass and  
bawl for political reform was evi-  
denced at the Reeder school house  
(a voting box) on the 11 by the elec-  
tion being totally neglected, or not  
held. Three men came to vote but  
the election was a failure, and that  
too the home of a new Alliance. Now  
if we had had a monied aristocrat  
among us he would have been look-  
ing out for his interest. But we,  
the farmers will stay at home on elec-  
tion day and then growl about hard  
times.

Quarry. Is it worth while for the  
state to go to the expense of an elec-  
tion to give the farmers a chance to  
help make the law?

### Courtwright & Collins.

WE SELL

## FANCY GROCERIES

CHEAP FOR CASH

HASKELL TEXAS

## J. C. LEE,

Successor to Hill & Craddock.

### Dealer in Dry Goods and Groceries.

Having purchased the entire stock of Dry Goods and Groceries of Hill & Craddock I extend a cordial invitation to all customers and friends of the old firm to continue their patronage with me, guaranteeing to them the same honest and fair treatment they have received in the past. I intend keeping the demands of the trade and will carry the largest stock of

## DRY GOODS and GROCERIES

in Seymour and solicit trade solely upon quality and price of goods.

Dry Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices for Cash.

SEYMOUR TEXAS



### HAGARD & KIRBY,

### DRUGGISTS

have exclusive sale of these celebra-  
ted glasses in Haskell Texas.

Faulkner Kellam & Moore.  
The only manufacturing Optician in the South  
Atlanta, Ga.  
Peddlers are not supplied with these fa-  
mous glasses.

## N. Porter,

### SADDLERY

Wholesale and Retail  
Harness and Collar Factory,  
No. 25, Pine St. Abilene Texas.



### Everybody Read This.

Saddles collars and Harness,  
Buggy whips, Wagon whips, in fact  
every thing kept in a first class  
Saddlery House, going at Jobbers'  
cost.

Duck Collar	30
Good wool faced Collar	1.95
Good wool faced collar	1.90
Good Kip leather collar	1.15
Good Kip leather Collar	1.00
Good Home made buggy harness	6.25
Good Home made buggy harness	7.90
Good Home made Wagon harness	12.50

And so on down the line,  
N. PORTER,  
No. 25, Pine Street, Abilene.



**DR. PORTER'S  
LITTLE  
LIVER  
PILLS.**  
DO NOT CRUPE, GICKER OR  
CONSTIPATE.  
Give Cure for Sick Headache,  
and all troubles arising from  
Indigestion or Constipation.  
Empowers the Constitution  
by Purifying the Blood.  
The dose can be nicely adjusted to suit the case, as  
the pills can be swallowed in any quantity. They are not  
so much as sugar. 40 pills put up in a wrapper with  
which can be carried in your pocket. In acute cases  
the pills are dissolved in water and swallowed. They are  
not a medicine. They are a tonic, and give the system  
a new lease of life. They are the only pills that can be  
swallowed in any quantity without any harm. They are  
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Haskell County.

Her Resources, Advantages, Progress and Future Prospects. Topography, Water, Soil, Products, Shipping Points, Railroads, Public Schools and Mill Facilities.

HASKELL COUNTY is situated in the southern part of the Panhandle on the line of the one hundredth Meridian west from Greenwich. It is 1500 feet above the sea, and has mild winters and summers. It is 30 miles square and contains 576,000 acres of land. It was created in 1858 from a part of Fannin and Milam counties, and named in honor of Charles Haskell, a young Tennesseean, who fell at the massacre at Goliad in 1836.

It remained unsettled until 1874 when there was one or two ranches established. Other ranchmen followed and in 1880 the county could boast of 15 or 20 inhabitants. There was no further development until early in 1884, when the town of Haskell was laid off and by donating lots a few settlers were induced to build residences, and in January 1885 the county organized with a polled vote of 57 electors.

Up to 1884 the soil had never been turned by a plow, and the people depended upon raising cattle, sheep and horses, as the natural grasses furnished food both winter and summer for immense herds. The poorer people made money by gathering many thousand tons of Buffalo bones and shipping them east to be made into fertilizers used in the old states.

Experiments were made in 1885 with garden products, corn, oats, wheat, rye, barley and cotton and the yield was bountiful. The average in farms have increased to at least 30,000.

TOPOGRAPHY. The county is an undulating plain with occasional creeks and branches. It is bounded on the north by that picturesque stream the Salt Fork of the Brazos, and on the west by Double-Mountain Fork.

There are a few washes and gulches along the breaks and rivers but with rivers breaks, rocks and poor land combined, their area in Haskell county would not exceed 10,000 acres that would not be fine agricultural land.

WATER. It is traversed by numerous creeks and branches besides the rivers mentioned, some of which are fed by never failing springs of purest water. Besides the numerous branches that afford water for stock all the time, the south half of the county is traversed by Paint and California creeks with their numerous tributaries draining the south half of the county.

The north half is traversed from Northwest to Northeast by Lake and Miller creeks whose tributaries furnish water and drainage for the same.

Except mesquit grubs and stumps which are easily extracted, there are

no obstructions to plows and the land being level or generally rolling and easy worked, the use of labor-saving implements are profitable. One man with machinery and a little hired help has been known to cultivate over an 150 acres in grain and cotton.

PRODUCTS. Indian corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, durum corn, millet, sorghum, castor beans, field peas, pumpkins, pumpkins and all the squash family, turnips and cotton are grown successfully and profitably. Also sweet potatoes do well, and Irish potatoes as well as anywhere in the south. Garden vegetables grow to perfection, and melons luxuriate in Haskell county soil, growing to fine size of superb quality. Besides the native grasses that grow on the prairies, sustaining large numbers of cattle, horses and sheep throughout the year, Colorado grass grows to great perfection and the hay made from this grass form a valuable adjunct to the winter pasture, in keeping stock over winter.

FIELD AND PRICE OF FAIR PRODUCTS. The average yield of Indian corn per acre is about 35 bushels and the price varies from 50¢ to 1.25 per bushel, wheat yields from 18 to 30 bushels—averaging 25 bushels per acre, and sold in the home market for 90 cents to \$1.00 per bushel; oats yield 60 to 100 bushels per acre, and usually sell at 25 cents per bushel; cotton yields a half to three quarters of a bale per acre. Other crops make good yields and command corresponding prices. Home made pork is usually worth 6 to 8 cents per pound, fresh beef 4 to 6 cents; home made butter, sweet and delicious, usually sells at 25 cents per pound, chickens 15 to 25 cents each, and eggs 12 to 25 cents per dozen.

As yet Haskell has no railroad, and our people do their principal shipping to and from Abilene, a town 60 miles south, in Taylor county, on the Texas and Pacific railroad, Albany on the Texas Central 45 miles from Haskell on the southeast, and Seymour on the Wichita Valley road 45 miles northeast.

There is one road being built from Seymour to this place and one to be built from Fort Worth. The Texas Central will extend in a short time from Albany and Haskell is on the line as originally surveyed.

The land men of Austin have organized a company to build a road from that city to this section of the state where they control nearly all the land and one of the principal members owns 150,000 acres in this and Knox counties, besides he owns the large addition on the town of Haskell on the south.

Haskell is 60 miles south of the E. & P. R. R. and 92 miles north of the Ft. W. & P. R. R. and is situated on the direct line of the rail line over which the Rock Island, and G. C. & S. F. propose to extend their lines.

Our school fund is perhaps the best of any country in the northwest. In addition to the amount received from the state, about \$7,500 per capita, our commissioners court have wisely executed a lease for 10 years of our 4 leagues of school land, situated in the Panhandle, the revenue from which added to the amount received from the state gives us a fund amply sufficient to run the several schools of the county ten months in the year.

There is a daily mail service from Haskell to Abilene via Anson and a weekly mail north to Benjamin and a daily mail to Seymour, also a tri-weekly express line to Albany, these all carry express and passengers.

The religious and moral status of the people of Haskell county will compare favorably with that of any people. The Methodist, Baptist, Christian, Old School and Cumberland Presbyterian churches in the town of Haskell, and have preaching Sundays also preaching at other points in the county.

The town of Haskell is the county site of, and is situated one and one-half mile south of the center of Haskell county, on a beautiful table land, and is seven years old and has a population of 942. Has as good water as can be found anywhere, which is secured at a depth of 18 to

22 feet. Also has two never failing springs of pure water in the edge of town. The town of Haskell with her natural advantages, of location, climate, good water and fertility of soil is destined in the near future to be the queen city of Northwest Texas, and railroad connection for Haskell is all that is needed to accomplish these.

In almost every neighborhood of the older states and the thickly settled portion of our own state there are many of its citizens who are contemplating a removal or a change of residence for many reasons. Some to restore lost health, some to make their beginning in the world, others to repair financial losses, others seeking safe and profitable investments of surplus capital. There are many others who have comfortable homes and are well contented, but who have children, whom they would like to provide with lands suitable for a home, and assist to commence business in life, but can not do so with their present surroundings, and must seek cheaper lands and better opportunities in other and newer localities.

To such we would say you are just the people we want. Come and see us, and you will find a broad field of occupation and investment to choose from, with chances greatly in your favor. In coming to Haskell do not imagine we are a people wild and woolly indigenous to these "western wilds," that we are loaded with dynamite and shooting frons, that our conversation are collections of cuss words and Mulhattian mixtures, but rather that we are a people reared among the same surroundings that we have received the benefit of the same advantages that we have availed ourselves of the same educational privileges, that we have had the same Christian instruction you yourselves have had, be enlightened by past experience. Fortunes have been made by the development of new countries, and fortunes are yet to be made in our new and equally as good country.

We have a country endowed by nature with all the conditions of soil, prairie and valley adapted it to the production of all the grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables of the temperate zone. We have a climate which is a happy medium between the extreme cold and extreme heat, a climate which will preserve the strong and robust and strengthen the sickly and weak. We have a country well adapted to stock raising of all kinds. We have a country where nomadic sickness ever comes. We have a country of the best lands in Northwest Texas. We have an abundance of mesquite, elm and hackberry timber for firewood and fencing. We have the most substantial inland business town in the northwest. We have the greatest abundance of the purest water. We have a class of citizens as honest and industrious, as law abiding, patriotic and religious as can be found anywhere in the United States. We have plenty of room and invite you and all who contemplate a change to come, all who want good and cheap lands. We have them, and want you for neighbors and friends.

Reader please hand this to your friend.

Citation. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon C. R. Callender by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in the town of Haskell, on the third Monday in September, A. D. 1891, the same being the 21 day of September A. D. 1891, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10 day of July A. D. 1891, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 92, wherein Jas. S. Hogg (governor of Texas) is Plaintiff, and C. R. Callender assignee of R. R. Shppard is Defendant, and said petition alleging that heretofore to-wit: on the 5th day of August A. D. 1882, defendant by his obligation in writing of that date for the sum of \$628 dollars by defendant executed and delivered as the law directs promised to pay to the

governor of the State of Texas and his successors in office on the first day of January of each year, thereafter one-twentieth of the amount of his said obligation with eight per cent interest on said obligation from the date thereof, the said interest to be paid annually on or before the first day of March of each year thereafter the date of said obligation.

That two years of said time has long since expired, yet defendant though requested so to do, has never paid the interest due on said obligation nor any part thereof for the said two years, but refuses so to do to plaintiff damages \$97.28 dollars. That said obligation was given for a part of the purchase money on a certain tract of land situated in Haskell County Texas and better described as section No. 56 in block No. (1) certificate No. 948 and originally granted to the H. & T. C. R. R. Company, and heretofore set apart to the public free schools of the State of Texas; said land was on the 5 day of August A. D. 1882 sold to R. K. Shapard (and that the said C. R. Callander is the Assee. defendant, in accordance with the acts of the Legislature of the State of Texas, passed and approved July 8th A. D. 1879 and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881 wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land, and that Plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the sum of \$11 dollars, the same being the amount due plaintiff by defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

Witness, J. L. Jones, Clerk of the District Court of Haskell county. Given Under My Hand, and the [L.S.] seal of said court, at office in Haskell this the 27 day of July A. D. 1891.

J. L. Jones, Clerk. Dist. Court Haskell County.

Citation. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon A. F. Jaeger by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in the town of Haskell, on the third Monday in Sept. A. D. 1891 the same being the 21 day of September A. D. 1891, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10 day of July A. D. 1891 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 95, wherein Jas. S. Hogg, governor, is plaintiff, and A. F. Jaeger is defendant and said petition alleging that heretofore to-wit: on the 2 day of Nov. A. D. 1882, defendant by his obligation in writing of that date for the sum of \$608 dollars by defendant executed and delivered as the law directs, promised to pay to the Governor of the State of Texas and his successors in office on the first day of January of each year, thereafter one-twentieth of the amount of his said obligation with eight per cent interest on said obligation from the date thereof, the said interest to be paid annually, on or before the first day of March of each year thereafter, the date of said obligation.

That 7 years of said time has long since expired, yet defendant though requested so to do, has never paid the interest due on said obligation nor any part thereof for the said 7 years, but refuses so to do, to plaintiff damages \$348.30 dollars. That said obligation was given for a part of the purchase money on a certain tract of land situated in Haskell county Texas, and better described as section No. 236, in Block No. 45, Certificate No. 28-2045 and originally granted to the H. & T. C. R. R. Company and heretofore set apart to the public free schools of the State of Texas; said land was on the 2 day of November A. D. 1882 sold to A. F. Jaeger, defendant in accordance with the acts of the legislature of the State of Texas passed and approved July 8th A. D. 1879 and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881 wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land, and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the sum of \$11 dollars, the same being the amount due plaintiff by defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

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proved July 8th A. D. 1879 and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881, wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land, and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the sum of \$11 dollars the same being the amount due plaintiff by defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

Witness, J. L. Jones, Clerk of the Dist. court of Haskell county.

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J. L. Jones, Clerk. Dist. Court, Haskell County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon C. R. Callender by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District court of Haskell county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in the town of Haskell, on the third Monday in Sept. A. D. 1891 the same being the 21 day of September A. D. 1891, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10 day of July A. D. 1891 in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 93, wherein Jas. S. Hogg governor is plaintiff, and C. R. Callender (assignee of Jas. H. Raymond Jr.) is defendant, and said petition alleging that heretofore to-wit: On the 2nd day of August A. D. 1882 defendant by his obligation in writing of that date for the sum of \$608 dollars by defendant executed and delivered as the law directs, promised to pay to the governor of the State of Texas and his successors in office on the first day of January of each year, thereafter one twentieth of the amount of his said obligation with eight per cent interest on said obligation from the date thereof, the said interest to be paid annually, on or before the first day of March of each year thereafter, the date of said obligation.

That two years of said time has long since expired, yet defendant though requested so to do, has never paid the interest due on said obligation nor any part thereof for the said two years, but refuses so to do to plaintiff damages \$97.28 dollars, that said obligation was given for a part of the purchase money on a certain tract of land situated in Haskell county Texas, and better described as section No. 32 in Block No. 46 certificate No. 28-1956 and originally granted to the H. & T. C. R. R. company, and heretofore set apart to the Public Free School of the State of Texas; said land was on the 2nd day of August A. D. 1882 sold to Jas. H. Raymond Jr. and that the said C. R. Callender is the assee. defendant in accordance with the acts of the legislature of the State of Texas passed and approved July 8th A. D. 1879, and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881 wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land, and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the sum of \$11 dollars, the same being the amount due plaintiff by defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

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That two years of said time has long since expired, yet defendant though requested so to do, has never paid the interest due on said obligation nor any part thereof for the said two years, but refuses so to do to plaintiff damages \$97.28 dollars. That said obligation was given for a part of the purchase money on a certain tract of land situated in Haskell county Texas, and better described as section No. 142 in Block No. 45 certificate No. 28-1999 and originally granted to the H. & T. C. R. R. company and heretofore set apart to the Public Free School of the State of Texas; said land was on the 2nd day of August A. D. 1882 sold to C. W. Berryman and that the said C. R. Callender is the assee. defendant in accordance with the act of the Legislature of the State of Texas passed and approved July 8th A. D. 1879, and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881 wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land and that plaintiff have judgment against defendant for the sum of \$11 dollars, the same being the amount due plaintiff by defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

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