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Chas. Long, Secretary, Crockett, Texas. you, when you consider it in refer- extensive control over the roads, in A. C. Driskell, Secretary, Holly, Texas. book, look at the table of contents, county commissioners. A. M. Rencher, Secretary, Daly, Texas. quickly so as to get the main themes. M. Sims Secretary; Crockett Texas.

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support my husba id."

buzzsaw and escapes with his life, in the whole field. He rises until join the following as being sub- A woman does not accept invita- Anna C. Steele: "Women are join at our next meeting. Our can solve any race call will adhe goes around after that and claims he becomes a master workman, a stantially the platform which I tions to parties so much for the generally consistent in their insinto be a buzzsaw himself.

bottled secret.

he Crockett Week

ENTERED AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER AT CROCKETT, POST OFFICE.

CROCKETT, HOUSTON COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1890.

CONDUCTED BY PROF. E. A. PACE.

Below we give a couple of extracts from the May number of that excellent paper the Texas Journal Services the 1st, 2d and 3d Sundays in Education. Just as no sare man by your suffrages nearly two years freight rates, and such other powwill begin building a house until advocated the plan of looking forr extract give pear out and ciples in the present canvass.

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enforce this plan, and we commend them to the careful consideration of our readers. Close of School.

In a few more weeks most of the

gestions may be in order: 1. Do not think that you have done all that you can do, and that of limitations apply to married within the penitentiary walls as County Attorney, Hon. S. A. Denny, the last few weeks are to be wasted.

the whole subject, without going too conceived this to be an important lined.

Monday after fourth Monday in Septem- 5. Let the examination touch chasers. only essential features of any sub-

6. In making promotions, con-

last day of school, and arrange a Precinct No. 2, Augusta, 3d Saturday pleasant entertainment, with some good recitations and music.

10. If you have labored earnest-

ly and conscientiously for the good the senate. of your pupils, do not be discouraged, though the results may not be what you would like to see Doubt not that the bread which you have cast upon the waters will be gathered many days hence, it.-

SIX WEEKS MORE.

There remain from six to eight weeks more of work before you must close the present session.

How will you use these weeks? will be taken up in arranging a brilliant display for the closing exercises by which the patrons and friends are to be amazed and dethere will be nothing going on but

drilling and rehearsing. In other schools there will be general giving up to the oncoming dent; Ed. W. Davis, Secretary, Grape- pils will sluggishly "loaf" through farm. At present these crossings the long lingering periods of the

Some teachers will keep up every Pine Grove. -J. T. Platt, President; as possible, each day adding the intention of the bill to correct. customary pages to each subject taught. The final examinations will soon be over, and all will be in doubt as to what has been done

J. T. Roberts, Secretary, Lovelady, Tex. look over the farm, so as to take it Nevill's Prarie .- N. J. Sandlin, Presi- all in at a glance. You can see it has been worth the trouble it gave sioners in each county with more Trinity.-C. H. Beasley, President; or run through it, page by page Concord-J. K. Jones, President; John See whether you and your pupils now on our statute book. have allowed some of the details of In addition to the foregoing, one part to overshadow more im-

portant divisions. Whether a tree is the entire pic-

consideration to the artist.

When a man has a battle with a occasionally raise his head and take tions now before the people, I subleader, a capitalist, and people won-der at what /they call his luck. shall occupy in the pending can-reason that she wants to go. as in Bulwer Lytton: "Oil and water—

AN ADDRESS

Democracy of Houston County.

FELLOW-CITIZENS:-Having become a candidate for re-election to the office to which I was promoted should every teacher estimate his but plain statement of what I did work in advance. We have long as your representative in the twenty-first Legislature; and further, encement, and that I should lay down for your consideration my platform of prin-

The following is a succinct statement of the measures originated and introduced by me, viz:

First: In obeidience to your ted by the state. will as expressed at the polls in the schools will close for the summer last primary, the first act that I of any part of the public school vacation, and the following sug- did was to have our county exempt fund for any other than free school from the district school system.

Second: Bill to make the statue I favor the keeping of convicts women in the same manner as it far as practicable. Review each study thorough- applies to those who are not with- I favor an amendment to th of in the scope of its exemptions. I statute of limitations as above outmuch into detail on any one point, measure, believing that it would I favor the adoption of rigid pen-3. Do not slacken the reins of tend to strenghten our land titles, itentiary laws, so as to compel 4. Suggest to the pupils some gation, and, in a large measure, pro- good, as against unjust discriminatect the rights of innocent pur- tion and speculative purposes.

The bill was lost in the come

Third: Bill to amend the road tem sider age and natural ability as law so as to give the commissionmuch better test of fitness for pro- tance, provided such change would legislature.

Fourth: Bill now on our stat- hearty support. speculation would be discouraged stood. Respectfully, and the people proteced from the

greed of avaricious men. Fifth: Bill requiring railroad companies to maintain crossings In some schools the rest of the time where their roads run through indi viudal plantations, thus preventing owners from being cut off from their farms. The utility of such a lighted. In school and out of school law becomes self-evident, when we imagine the case of a large farm with a railroad fenced with barb wire running through it, compellwarm weather. Everything will ing the owner frequently to go begin to drag, and teacher and pu- miles around to get to a part of his are not maintained, nor can the companies be compelled to mainthing in as nearly the same style tain them, which evil it was the

This bill passed the house, but

was defeated in the senate. Sixth: Bill amending the road law so as to make the supervision Now is the time to see what you of public roads by county commiss Antioch.-C. F. Summers, President; have done. Get up on a hill and joners optional with the commissioners' court, and empowering the dent; T. C. Evans, Secretary, Lovelady, the hard work in this place or that court to employ four road commis-Holly.-J. J. Hammond, President; ence to the whole. Pick up your lieu of such supervisions by the

This bill became a law and introduced a resolution providing for an investigation into the man-Pemona-J. W. Bartee, master: J. B. Stanton, secretary; meets first Wednesday in December, scape scene, is a very important fact that machinery and other articles of manufacture could be sold If you do your work thoroughly, cheaper at a distance than at the One of the late stories about Con- adored on earth was not there.

stitution to be voted on next No-

I am in favor of the establish ment of a railroad commission with ample power to protect the people from excessive passenger and ago. I feel that it is your duty to ers as may be necessary to a legidemand, and mine to give, a brief timate execution of its functions. I am in favor of a uniform school

text-book law. I think the adoption of the road tax amendment of doubtful propriety, and am unalterably opposed to the issuance of bonds for public

road purposes. 'Confederate Home," to be suppor-

I am opposed to the application

prevent use less and expensive liti- their management for the public

I am in favor of such measures derived from our public school sys-

I shall endeavor to effect the ers' court power to have the public passage of the same bills that I in-The regular class work is a roads changed regardless of dis- troduced and were lost in the last

Precinct No. 1, Crockett, last Monday motion than the final examination. place them on better ground. Un- I am opposed to monopolies and Invite the parents out on the der the present law, no change can trusts of every character, regarding be made unless the distance is them as I do, in the light of the shortened thereby, which I regard- greatest existing menace to our And I as rich in having such a jewel Read a report of attendance ed as an impediment in the way of free institutions, and think no As twenty seas, if all their sands were Precinct No. 3, Coltharp, 4th Saturday for the year, giving due praise to establishing a good public road means should be spared by which those pupils who have been regular system. The bill was reported their growing power and influence favorably in the house, but lost in can be checked. Any legislation looking to this end will receive my

ute book requiring scrip to to be In conclusion, I will say that at punctured when cancelled. The the proper time I expect to meet purpose of this law is to make the people at different points in the more than one payment of scrip county, when I hope I shall be impossible, by which it was hoped able to make myself better under-

W. F. MURCHISON.

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Lovelady—D. C. F. Snell, master; W. H. Hart- different big features standing out, penitentiaries was evidence of fraud gressman Allen of Mississippi, says Geo. D. Prentice: "If a man on the people, by whose taxes they the Philadelphia Record, is that happily married his rib' is worth Governor. He spoke to a large part for stores, and renting the up-Nevil's Prairie—J. W. Bartee, master; Emmett Shut your book and discuss with are supported. The resolution one of the aspirants for his place all the other bones of his body." Porter Springs-J. F. Henderson, master; T. B. your pupils what you have tried to was referred to the committee on in case it should be vacant, a brilget from it. Have some one write down on the blackboard the different subjects as they are named. tion conducted under the auspices on the streets of Tupelo with: Tennyson: "Man dreams of fame Seek first the main divisions, then of that committee, developed the "Look here, Allen, are you going to while woman wakes to love." take the first one and see how many fact that the grossest injustice and run again or not? I took your Moliere: "It is more difficult to subdivisions you can draw from discrimination were being practi- card to mean what it said, and I rule a wife than a kingdom." your class. Gradually work up ced. The investigation resulted in thought I would be a candidate if Lord Chesterfield: "Women are peace. A farmer in wood county property, buying just finished erectthis until you have a pretty fair analysis of all you have done. This good to the people. This good to the people. This good to the people. This good to the people of the exercise can be made both pleasant Such is a brief resume of the hearing that you're going back after above children." and profitable. It will give teacher measures with which I was imme- all. I'd like to know about it, be- Richter: "Love lessens woman's When the Irishman cut the ditch 1882 he reached Atlanta with \$9,75, 1 OFFICE-Over French & Chamberlain's and pupils a better idea of what diately connected, and I reserve cause if you're going back I'll keep delicacy and increases man's." has been accomplished than can be further comment until I have op- out of it." "Well, now, Riley," Beaconsfield: "Talk to women as tract, so the Irishman sued the \$15,000. His own hard work did one in any other way.

Above all, you will do something portunity to do so elaborately in said Allen, "I'll tell. I meant every much as you can. This is the best farmer before Hogg in court. The it. He has never concerned himself before he small light buy much as you can. owards making intelligent workers your hearing. I will close this word of that card. It was all true school. This is the way to gain two did not swear alike. Hogg about civil rights or become famous bar across the stem. One two out of your pupils. From hand to part of my remarks by adding that then; but since I've gotten down fluency, because you need not care told the constable to adjourn court in politics, but he occupies a part formal and to part of my remarks by adding that then; but since I've gotten down fluency, because you need not care Friend.—Of course, you married mouth, from one pin point to the a legislator finds other means of here I find myself sort of in the what you say, and had better not for two hours: so Hogg went down, inent place in every undge to next pin point, with never a look making himself equally, if not hands of my friends. And I tell be sensible." "No. I have to write stories to behind or before, the vast majority more useful, than by the introduction of the Irishman We organized a Free court on left shoulde recently on left should be recently on left shoul of men and women toil on in a blind.

groping-in-the-dark fashion. Now

tion and championship of bills.

dangerous in politics than a man in the interior of Japan has this

Hogg slab here with thirty five examples. But it is exampled a ground of the cloud, you may be groping-in-the-dark fashion. Now and then one comes along who will With reference to public questing of the cloud, you may be inscription: 'Neither horses, cattle Hogg club here with thirty-five examples.' But it is or mong us. In the hands of his friends."

Committee of the state of the s I am in favor of the railroad she is invited if she stays home, properties."

commission amendment to the con- "Angel or Devil? What the World Thinks of Women. Quotations from a recent publi-

cation on women. To quote at random: Wh would have expected-if the quotation were not so well knowngentle Charles Lamb to write: The fatr not always views with favoring

The very virtuous or extremely wise, But, odd it seems, will sometimes rather

Want with a spendthrift, riot with the Heine naturally said:

the Doge who weds the Adriatic Sea; money and refund the amount. te believe. God grant that the melon has grown on his land and B. he knows not what he may find Send men down the river to locate man of her choice be worthy of her says the vine that bears the melon I favor the establishment of a therein-treasures, pearls, mons- trees and bends which will have to and so, too, if any be, I am prepart is his. I have arbitrated the cause ters, unkown storms."

charming creature, who changes to get a boat through more than met. Intellectual she is bound to mot her heart as easily as she does her once a year or you might sink six- be by inheritance on both sides of will you be

the serpent through a professional here and Galveston. Just as soon presentor past acquaintance. Com-

as will enhance the benefits to be What is once written upon it cannot be rubbed out."

of women." Fleming: "He who trust women

She is mine own.

Franklin: "He who takes a wife takes Care." He who marries once may be Pardoned his infirmity;

He who marries twice is mad. Shakespeare: Women are frail Ay, as the glasses where they view them-

Dryden:

beautiful women should be flatter- suggest that we appoint a commit- Winnie. ed on their understanding and tee to interest the busines men of "If that lucky dog who has won said: First district-R. M. Johnston, mediocre ones on their beauty." the city in our plans. Even though the capital prize does not show due

Second district-W. B. Page, of period-She sets up to be natural enable us to send men down the rebellion that's all. His having and is only rude; mistakes inso- river in skiffs to learn the river, stood the fastidious repuirements bush. He wants to let it be know W. Harris, lence for inocence; says everything and they would bring back such a of the chief issue is evidence that ed right from de shoulder dat you that comes to her lips, and thinks report that we would have no troughe is brave and honest and true kin git mo' from Fourth district-J. T. Robison, she is gay when she is only giddy." ble in raising enough to carry out and that's a good bank stock for in dat shop de woman is a crown to her husband." Major Lemon was then appointed

> ward gifts Were left for haste unfinished S. Levi: "Beware of girls with

red hair. possesses a virtuous wife his life is Victor Hugo: "Men are women's

playthings; women are the devil's. DePrades: "I would not enter heaven if I thought the woman I

nor women admitted here."

WIDE-AWAKE DALLAS.

A Plan to Navigate the Trinity River. Dallas, May 25.-A preliminary meeting was held Saturday afternoon at the board of trade rooms to discuss the feasibility of making

be removed. I tell you what it is, ed to believe he is. A more win- and decided that the negro who Balzac said: "Woman is a most even though you should not be able ning, winsome girl I have never lives nearest to the spot gets the Victor Hugo: "Women detest Dallas to open navigation between she is beyond any of her age of my Club for a final decision. to her than three trunk lines. born did she do it.

is just like a lithograper's stone; brief remarks, saying: "I agree smile as that child has! It won an money." with the major in all he has said, old man's heart and made him a and furthermore, a barge or steam- boy again as she advanced to greet The secretary then read the ne George Sand: "Love is the virture boat would pay for itself in one trip. him. And such she wore to all her lowing, from an honorary memu-Build a \$500 barge and send her father's guests, and they were fre- of the club at Charlottstown, Print for a load of wood. It would cost quent and oft of unpretentious sort; Edward's Island: draws water with pitchers full of \$1.25 per cord laid down on the nothing stereotyped, nothing of the Brudder Gardner boat and could be marketed for \$4. saloon, but a kind, gentle nature Dear Sir-As I porpose opening Low water is no argument. The was indexed in it. Some have out a restaurant in this very city river has been navigated and can said that she was not beautiful, but under the nom de plume of "The be again. We have only to open they are no judges. No girl with Cat Fish," I would like to ask your the way to the old cotton landings that smile, a soft, sweet voice, un-opinion as to whether I could lea short distance below. The boats pretentious demeanor and simple gally use the following advertise-The water sectar, and the rocks pure on the Mississippi, Ohio, Red and attire, can avoid being beautiful. ment, which was concocted and many other rivers are tied up half There is nothing of the bas blue in used with great success by a white the time. The idea is to show the this little lady of the gulf but she genius of this city, but now since railroads that we have other shines effulgent in every depart defunct, and I therefore presume means of transportation without ment of literature and none the he will need it no more. [Yesh. dedending upon them entirely. less in repartee, which scintillates Yeab. Yeah.] Then see what difference it would but wounds not. She is a very Would I be puffectly hors de make in rates. I have been corre- master of fence. Such are a few of combat in using it in hiy business, sponding with builders and I am her attractions, in addition to being according to the statutes made in ready to tell the merchants at any linguist, artist and musician, but such cases and provided. An early time within \$200 of the cost of a considerate devotion to her old fa- answer solicited. steamer. We can build a boat that ther was the most beautiful of all. can carry 1,000 bales of cotton, and Good morning, father; how did Shakespare: "Frailty, thy name their's in some places along its she replied, "but' lowering her Shindig Watkins." course. Col. Forshea said, in a voice, 'don't tell him.' But a break W. W. B.

Beaconsfield: "The girl of the we raised but \$2,000 that would appreciation there will be another pusson who opens an eatin' house

Proverbs xii. 4. "A virtuous the project." any girl.—Dallas News. a committee of one to make a copy, It is for that such outward ornament or "log book," of the trip, made

> cial meeting on some regular meet- to the question of solving the race wants to premeate de imputation ing day of the board of trade, to problem. Schell was a young mu- fur de sake of de pursusshun, an' I be announced by the papers. A Hogg Incident.

John L. Sheppard made a speech It was not long before he built a here in behalf of J. S. Hogg for brick storehouse, using the lower audience. There would have been er portions for political gatherings Mainers. not been threatening rain. To known. He has gone on adding cond show how determined Hogg is to to his business, which now amounts deligit to to his business. do what is right between all parties to \$2.500 a year, while he also has ty he told one incident that happen- a large store and shop under the an ed while Hogg was justice of the Kimball House, and owns other we. ditch so long, so wide and so deep. him \$1,500 a year in rent. In t the farmer said it was not to con- in 1890 he owns property worth paserted free of charge to all so measured the ditch himself, came that looks to the real bene members, and many others will of cases that show hogoing west to Our section of the county is almost himself a berays but the Doctor Woman is the cork to many a __May Number Texas Journal of vass, viz: the fear that people will not know woman and a secret—are hostile solid for Hogg for governor. W. P. Carson, peal, rekness in this commu h

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Dear Sir-I and many of my neighbors will thank you for a de-Richmond, Va., May 27.- Spec- cision in a very vexed question the Trinity river navigable between ial.]-Wharton J. Green, ex-con- We are in the habit of supplying in Dallas and Galyeston. gressman from the Wilmington, season the country at large with Major Lemon said: "Navigating N. C., district, who is an intimate the luscious Georgia watermelons. the Trinity is not only feasible, but friend of the family of the late ex- As it happens, Messrs A. and B. it is practicable, providing we can President Davis, has written the join farms. Mr. A. has watermelinterest the merchants of Dallas following letter in reference to the ons growing on his land, and these and raise the money to cut the coming marriage of Miss Winnie rank over to and bear fruit on B.'s channel. If Dallas or the state Davis: "Rumor has it that she is land. The question now is: Who "Every man who marries is like will do this, congress will raise the soon to wed and so I am prepared gets the watermelone? A says the

> teen every month, it would pay the house. Cultivated and read, mit my decision to the Lime-Kiln as a boat from Dallas, even though petent to adorn any court in chris- My decishun in dis case exactly

Thackeray: "A good woman is she should not carry more than 400 tendom, her aspirations, source to agrees wid dat of de writer," said the loveliest flower that blooms un- bales of cotton, ties up at Galveston, higher planes—the adorument of Brother gardner, "only de cull'd you will see a reduction in freight the quiet country home of her im- man takes a two-bit piece outer his Punch: " The proper study of rates, and it would be worth more mortal father-and like a princess vest pocket an' leaves it on de nighest fence-post to pay for dat mell-Socrates: "Trust not a woman There is nothing that would merease "I think it was old Kit North you. He wouldn't take it away when she weeps, for it is her nature Dallas, commercial interests more who said, 'the laugh' is indicative under no odder considerashun, an' to weep when she wants her will." than a steamboat on the river." of the man; if so be it, the smile is if it happened to be green he Thackeray: "A woman's heart A. J. Adams then made a few no less so in woman and such a wouldn't come back to claim his

we can find plenty of water to float you sleep?' was the usual reply to P. S. When navigation opens her. Once get a boat over the route his loving kiss. Good night and drap down this way and see me Voltaire: "Ideas are like beards and the freight rate will be lowered God bless your dear old heart," or and you will find that the "ad" -men never have any until they and you can sell your boat at your words to that effect. does not exaggerate the merits of grow up, and women none at all." own price to the railroad. We have "In a game of whist one night, "The Cats Fish." Everything Dumas: "Some women advocate a larger river than they have at her parents being our competitors, half price to you, but do not give Platonic love, but none practise it." Jefferson. You can jump across I asked her if she liked cards. No, this away to Pickles Smith or

Jeremy Taylor: "Woman, the conversation recently, that it would to rhapsodies, or another good lady Then followed the advertisement precious porcelam of human clay." take very little money to make the near home may object to my going which was full of spasms, cata-Chesterfield: "Very ugly or very river navigable to Dallas, and I to the wedding. God bless our plasms, incongruities and iniqui

The Atlanta Constitution of tryin to lug off de hull of de Was lavish'd on their sex, that in- formerly by jog boat No. 1, between Thursday publishes the story of a English language an' leave nuthin' Galveston and Dallas. negro named John T. Schell, which fur de white folks to git along on-It was then decided to call a spe- is a quiet and convincing answer I doan' say nullin if one of you latto when he came to Atlanta sometimes find myself embodying only eight years ago, and went to de stimulashun of de cultivashur work in a shoemaker's shop. while but we should all hev a car' about Leesburg, Camp County, Tex., his fellows talked politics and spreadin' it on too thick. Pla hung about the corners, he was English always assessments On last Saturday night Hon. working and saving his money, will now adjourness of rep

Solving The Race Question.

One brown roan port man on left shoulde triends forsake you at the own hard w improving. We have this is something worth the A what we have seems if is not? Do you the

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with other change for the better. This issue is the ninctentle number of volume one. The paper has not vet completed its ifth month, and, bona fide subscription at this writ- above. ing of 1120. It is gratifying in a Houston and Cherokee counties such a showing. This record is Spring Palace. Who denies that ty journalism and, we doubt, if ground? any East Texas weekly for the For Justicenty at any time can show a list conventions.

with the high water-mark already reached, but propose to push on to the attainment of what seems reasonable and probable, and, by Sepserting, our circulation will have beat it? Speak. run up to 1500. All things considered, this will be a splendid few embarras-ments. To our last and all the time. friends in the county who have stood by us and cheered us on by means or labor to have Houstonmany substantial proofs of their county represented at the Spring interest we extend a sincere and Palace are highly pleased at the brethren of the craft who greeted are equally as much pleased. ful attachment. At one time there ed may have been doubt as to the success of the venture; now there

Dallas merchants are agitating the question of opening up th Trinity for navigation. They ins are taking steps to bring | the matter before congress with the view was in 1860, we believe, that a light draft steamer went through trouble; and in 1875 a similar trip sit back and wait for the rest to itself and of the good work, he and tinue to arrive. The country folks to the unveiling of the Lee equesas Waco. The Dallas Board of academy building. All should feel okee county and New Birmingham, as well as modern vehicles. Now the annals of this historic city. trade seems to think that it will a pride in the enterprise, all are Great is the editor of the Times, and then a band starts the crowds From early dawn until night the prove of incalculable profit to that interested in it, all will be benefit- great is the Times, and great to cheering by playing the "Bonnie tap of the drum and the tramp of city and the country interjacent to ted by it and all should contribute is New Birmingham, notwith- Blue Flag," "Dixie" and "Mary- soldiers forcibly reminded the older the Gulf in the way of securing to the success of it. low rates on freight. They say it will pay, even though the river be

Those who want a really the I. & wide-awake paper here will adv to run tise in The Courter-and do breec-

intends putting another story on the ors on questions of the hour. They are pursue any such course, for the Pickwick hotel building he has lately purchased.

Only four months old and The py produced in our Coursek had to be enlarged to accommodate the people and enable . us to get in the communications & just now, the situ that pour in each week.

We are presenting each cash customer who purchases \$10 worth of goods at one time with a pres- Springs II, petered. ent worthf rom 75 to \$1,50.

DEBERRY & CEARK. The COURTER is in the lead and lady abune

them to a chance at a \$35 gold 25,000 and we want them to get the sacrificall give the ted cause. watch to be given away Sept. 1st. down. Everybody stand up and and servative adminis DEBERRY & CLARK, be counted,

Show up or shut up.

The Old Guard couldn't save

A gold medal the first time! And we didn't try very hard either. Would you have thought it-Galveston county instructing for

Oregon has elected a democratic overnor and probably a democrat-

which to reach the public

The Courier wants to see every school trustee in Houston county come in on the 17th to hear the 80. address of Hon. O. H. Cooper.

dent Cooper on 17th. Come out.

It is too bad, too bad, that Gusers this week in enlarged form and tave Cooke didn't have friends that will bring only crushing de-

"Oh the wild charge he made." as appears elsewhere from a pro- some appropriate epitaph after this the man for Governor whom the school book business on payment as he appeared upon the battle perly certified statement, has a business is over and we suggest the Times editor has fought so long and of a million of dollars which the field of Gettysburg. His face is

high degree to be able to make both carried off gold medals at the without parallel in Houston coun- East Texas is coming to the fore-

actual subscribers to the same | Really this gubernatorial conal to the present circulation of test is getting to be an exceedingly The COURTER We are not content tame and dull affair. The opposi-

Galveston county held its countered on its career under not a convention to vote for Hogg first etc."

our entrance into the field of Journ- And now Chevalier Cooke of itself irrevocably to this resolution. St. Louis. Why can't the same be addresses and the Lee Monument that brief but awful moment will alism with generous welcome, and Houston picks up the broken It pains us to see a manifestation done with school books? flattered us by good words of com- lance of Throckmorton and McDon- of such a spirit in a man, whose mendation on so many occasions, ald and rushes to the fray. Ob- abilities, enterprise and patriotism we feel a no less sincere and grate- with which he, too, will be unhors- aside from political considerations,

A spirit of broad generosity moves us again to remark. by way is none. The Courier has come of admonition to the Palestine Adto stay; its future is assured. It is vocate. New Birmingham Times, not an experiment, but an institu- Nacogdoches Star News and Groveton Graphic, to hie them to shelter: the storm is upon them.

Our bright and highly esteemed neighbor down the way, the Hunts- That they pass by me, as the idle wind that it can be made navigable and ville Item, can't afford to appro- Which I respect not." priate, without credit, editorials The Times editor says again: from The Courier and publish "that he has lost the exalted opin- Members of military, veteran and them as original matter. We think ion he had of the editor of The civic organizations are hurrying in of course, it was an oversight in Course etc." Worse and worse, all directions, in order to be in

was made on the Brazos as high up bear the burden of putting up an it were doing for East Texas, Cher-

Houston county is proud of her boatable only one month in the exhibit at the Spring Palace and prouder still of the fact that she captured the gold medal for the mons by electric light" A car of fresh wheat best timber display. At the Dalwalk off with several of those premiums. We'll do it too.

J. B. Long and T. T. Grammage, vett. candidates for congress, are out in W. V. Berry informs us that he ad- circulars setting forth their views The Courses must decline to the air. ie tion this week.

Scanning the fle about as follows:

Throckmorton, withdrawn. estee McDonald, withdrawn.

cian and ther, a "smit-fizzle". up. We verywhere triumphant.

the enumerators. It do it. After Any person buying goods of us for over or miss any one lett, we can fill Cooke is a man of great magna- which statues of Lee's general's though not in the line of march, fras, black locust, birch, chincapin, cash amounting to \$1 will be and we will inform them est, hand- nimity of soul; otherwise he would may hereafter be placed. In the were attractively decorated and presented with a ticket entitling ton county has a populatione dis- never have yielded himself up as a interior of the group on another

mingham Times, comes to us this adjournment of Congress. week just a sputtering with indignation and makes a savage attack on The Courier. It says that the 'issue of The Courier of May 16th stamps that paper as illiberal, as narrow minded and as prejudiced as the majority of papers in Texas supporting Mr. Hogg for Governor." As Brother Gardner of the L. K. C. remarked to Elder Penstock. "Dont get excited; but be The advertising public from now carm, brother, be carm." It fills us on will know the medium through with exceeding great grief to lose the good opinion of the Times editor, but we presume we can survive it: at least we will strive to do

grateful appreciation; for our results. Those who wouldn't help now, as the Times threatens, will our superior courts and doing so was presided over by the late Hon. The men helped the ladies and serve the dispatch and neatness we have come to admire, who, The Monument to the Memory of the formed and the two proceeded to How did the fire originate? is doing more for East Texas than any man in it. On reflection we are satisfied that the editor of the

Times will be sorry for something he has said about The Courier. As Brutus said to Cassius 'You have done that you should be sor-

knots of those who are to take part There is no terror, Cassins, in your in the parade, incident to the un-For I am armed so strong in honesty gathering on the streets. As early

We have always had and still place when the command to "fall have an exalted opinion of the in" is given. The Confederate A part of our citizens shouldn't editor of the Times, of the Times camps, military and civilians constanding some malevolent news. land, my Maryland." As some citizens of the stirring days of 1861 paper scribe did say "that it favorite commander (and all seem Never were so many people gatherwhich possums could eat persim- the crowd a yell arises from them Never were decorations so elabor-

examine its files.

file of that paper is not needed.

its affairs.

We have sincere respect for Gustave Cooke; he is a man of charac-applaud his dashing, though unavailing gallantry in trying to rally the shattered and demoralized forces of the opposition. Even Gustave Cooke can't lead a forlorn hope THE SCHOOL There has been

a combination COMBINE. for quite a number of years between four of the principal publishganered the Times editor as the tri- may be said to be complete. Har- the streets of Paris and the halls of umphant endorsement on all sides per Bros declined to become a par- the Luxembourg palace. He has so stubbornly. Val victis is not the others agreed to do. The people calm and majestic, but full of powprinciple on which the magnan- are now confronted with the quest er. The horse which he bestrides imous adversery acts. Only the ig- tion of doing something to give re- has all four feet on the ground, yet noble in spirit strike the foe when lief from the extortionate prices for he appears as if in the act of walkdown. We will not come back at books that will surely follow as a ing. A fore foot is planted in adthe Times editor in any such strain. result of this organization. There vance while the hind foot on the We regard him in the light of a have been those heretofore who de- same side seems about to follow. same period ever equalled it. opposition to Hogg will not be ing doth move us to sympathy. It action on this subject. Whatever side, while the tail falls gracefully ped for the fight, with no hero to to publish and furnish her own sumably hides a belt from which exit, and only a few, comparatively tion is not strong enough to make withdrawn, Hall, Wheeler and must be done by the legislature. sleeve is Cooke masterly failures; is it any We don't believe that simple uni-

THE LEE MONUMENT.

Greatest Confederate General Uz-

veiled With Appropriate Ceremonies--Big Attendance.

crowning events of the most mem-

orable occasion will soon be enac-

ted. The weather is clear, balmy

and beautiful. Since daylight

veiling of the Lee statue, have been

as 9 o'clock Main street was thronged with people. All is bustle

THE LEE MONUMENT.

Richmond, Va., May 29.-The

AN ORNAMENT OF BROAD BRAID, Eleven hundred and twenty sub- wonder that the Times editor formity will meet the exigencies. His bat is crushed in. His right Haines, the well known Fort Worth scribers, and have been running should be mad and, in the impo- To effectually "bust" the combina- hand is free while he holds the contractor, who was brought out only eighteen weeks. What paper tency of his rage, seek to vent his tion, so far as Texas is concerned, rains in the lett. The feet are of the building in a dying conditember, we feel warranted in as- East of the Central Railroad can venom on those nearest to him. the state will have to go into the well tipped in stirrups, the right tion, and who was immediately "Be carm, brother Penstock, be publication business and print her foot being slightly in advance of taken to the hospital, where he own books and supply the schools the left. General Robert E. Lee died at about 1:30 o'clock this The Times editor says further: at cost. Some think it impractica- died on October 12, 1870. The morning. ty convention on Saturday and in- "The Times must refuse to argue ble to do this and we must confess 25th of October following General The calmness with which the triumph for an enterprise that en- structed its delegates to the State with a paper incapable of justice to some doubts ourselves. Howev- Jubal E. Early issued a call ad- conflagration was treated by those er, the demand for relief is urgent dressed to the surviving officers inside the mmense building was · This is the unkindest cut of all, and imperative, and the experi- and soldiers of the Army of North- marvelous and unequalled. There Those who contributed of their brother Edwards. We must admit ment should be tried and tried at ern Virginia to meet in Richmond were not less than 7000 people

ladies' auxiliary association was abroad to the world. the efforts of Governor Lee that little flame on the floor.

the monument was completed so UNPRECEDENTED SCENES. The scene here to-day in connection with the ceremonies incident

taste displayed by all in the har-mention of medals though his friends monious groupings of flags or repeat say he is too modest to say anything or publica- essary; that proof sufficient to es. Westend, in a direct line of the expressed in the mottoes that The medals awarded the different of this fact, and actuated by a spirit of philant will be re- tablish the charge can be found in most fashionable residence sec- greeted the eye on the streets counties for first and second displays every issue of the Times and the tion. The monument is planted through which the magnificient of products of the forest, and first at the intersection of the two wide pageant passed. While thousands and second displays of the mineral and as it appears The Times has said again and avenues on a summit of ascending of flags were wafted to the breeze, kingdom, will be presented to-day. m seems to be again "that General Hogg was op- grades. It is enclosed in a circle the National flags were displayed Beginning at 3 o'clock the gold D. my to capital; that his election as street sixty-five feet in width on stars and bars. It was truly a presented, to which Commissioner Governor would retard the devel- each side, so that the distance Confederate day, however, as the A. H. Wootters, or some represenopment of the State and especially through the area from building presence of many Confederate vet- tative of Houston county will rethe construction of railroads.' line to building line is 330 feet. eran camps and the airs played by spond. The exhibit winning this Sentiments like the foregoing are The pedestal of the monument con- the bands pertaining to the lost medal is a fine collection of woods to be found in every issue of the sists of two parts, which may be cause fully attested and this was and comprises the following varieintends to stay there. Our circu- Everybody county must go to the Times, and we believe such senti- termed the base and pedestal prop- emphasized by many manifesta- ties: Curly, long and short leaf we assure you we are now shie to give you some toothsome barrains. lation exceeds that of any paper ever sus enumeratorand put up a house for ments do injustice to General Hogg er. The base is formed by a rec. tions of delight that they brought pine, mulberry, linn, dogwood, red

GENERAL LEE'S RESIDENCE,

Hon. Richard Coke has agreed to the pedestal proper. Here the fare, was beautifully adorned and ed the medal for Houston county The ed neighbor to make a speech, at Crockett in transition from the straight lines of especially honored by the passing to Judge L. N. Cooper of this city, over the river, favor of the commission amend- the rectangle to the graceful curves commands, the colors of the va- who responded for that county, his the New Bir- ment. This he will do after the of the cylindrical form have been rious organizations being dipped, former home, in a fine address. MRS very skillfully harmonized by the while in many instances heads He spoke of his first coming to Fashionable Milliner, is Heas artist. The change is not noticed were uncovered. The Fifth Mary- Houston county from the hills of Late Style Hats and and upon the front and rear are land regiment of veterans and the Georgia, and the change which has seen an oval space upon which bas New York delegation of Southern come over the face of Texas. Where ter and every inch a gentleman; reliefs are placed, surrounded by veterans attracted more attention was silence is now the shrick of the Velvets and Plusnes we admire his ability, and can but tracery in granite of laurel, ivy during the entire march than other locomotive and the hum of cities and the oak. Above is a lion's organizations in the parade. The destined to play an important part head, as if ready for battle with scene along the whole route from in the drama of commerce. The Give me a call before making the poise of courage inbred by con- begining to end was 'memorable light of the Lone Star has caught scious power. On the sides are although most extensive prepar- the eye of civilization. The time four colums appearing to support ations have been made to receive a is not far distant when this state the great weight, between which a large number of visitors. No one will be able to dictate the commerbronze tablet appears with the expected to see the host that visited cial policy of the country. Soon it the city, yet they were all well will be in political circles who can Livery and Feed cared for and no complaints were carry Texas instead of who can car-

name of Lee gilded beneath A LAUREL WREATH. The pedestal and base are of heard. It is asserted the parade, ry New York. That Houston counwhite granite, colums dark blue, decorations and everthing connect- ty should bear away this prize is ing houses of the north whereby they The height of the pedestal is forty ed with the jubilee excelled any- not startling, but it is a fact full of The testy humor the Times have been enabled to largely control feet and a few inches and that of thing ever witnessed in the South. significance. It contains 680,000 editor displays is a confession, we the prices of text books for the com- the statue slightly more than When the statue was unveiled the acres of land and has now 25,000 Every one who feels an interest take it, that he is whipped in the mon schools. There were a few twenty-five feet making the total crowd in the vicinity was estimain popular education should be fight, that the cause he has been houses however that refused to en- height about sixty-one feet above ted at 140,000. There were 70,000 facilities, the best water on earth, present and hear State Superinten- advocating with so much zeal and ter the trust. Within the last few the ground. The sculptor M. Mer- strangers in the city during the good churches, superior schools, ability is a lost one; that he be- days we are informed that, with cie, of Paris, who has immortalized day. A briliant display of fire- low taxes, debt merely nominal, holds around him the wrecked the exception of the large concern Lee in bronze, is a Frenchman works took place tonight, the most timber in profusion and in fruits, hopes and the blasted fortunes of of Harper Bros of New York, all who in early life gave evidence of striking feature being the representative flowers and vegetables it defies the those whom he thought would lead the independent houses have been great ability. He was scarce 20 tation of the equestrian statue of world. The county only waits deenough to keep him out of a race him to victory. It is not so much absorbed, and the consummation years of age when he was decorated Lee and pictures of Jefferson Davis velopment. After paying a tribute what The Courier said that has of a most gigantic school-book trust at Rome. His famous work adorns and Stonewall Jackson. AWFUL CALAMITY.

Cooke's friends will be seeking and in all sections of the State of ty to it, but agreed to go out of the given the world the picture of Lee The Grand Texas Spring Palace a Mass of Ashes. The Texas Spring Palace is no The awful midnight holocaust by which it was destroyed was one of most thrilling, paralyzing affairs that ever occurred in this Four minutes, actual time, after Doubloons to dollars that the fallen foe and his hysterical rav- nied the necessity for legislative The head is slightly bent to one the flame was ignited the entire

building was aflame inside and out, Equal confident are we that no able to muster, all told, as many touches us deeply to see such a arguments may have been advanted and the flanks. General Lee's yet in that marvelously short time ther paper published in Houston as thirty delegations to the state valiant Sir Knight as the editor of ced by those who questioned the dress is characteristically plain. the immense mass of 7000 people the Times, armed cap-a-pie, equip- policy of the State's undertaking He is girt with a sash which pre- inside the Palace had made their lead him on to victory and with no text books will be greatly weaken- swings the sword of a commander were seriously injured. The only cuuse to carry to success. Throck- ed by the events of the last month. of cavalry. He is without epau- case of immediate fatality of which morton withdrawn, McDonald Something has to be done, and it lets, but on the forearm of the coat the best directed efforts of thousands of anxious searchers could bring certain report is that of Al

that we have hitherto enjoyed the once. Let the next legislature on November 3 to take action to present, including ladies and gen-"argufying" of the Times vastly, look to this. The State is publish- perpetuate his memory. The meet- tlemen from all over the state and to be cut off from this pleasure ing the reports of the decisions of ing was held pursuant to call and There were no screams of "Fire." be a sore privation indeed. We for less than one half of what they Jefferson Davis, who, with other children, and the many acts of trust the Times will not commit cost when the work was done in distinguished Southerners made bravery and heroism performed in association was organized with be chronicled in full in the hearts General Early as president. A of those benefited, if not blazoned

collect funds for the purpose of Mr. R. H. Sellers says: "I was erecting a monument. Money standing inside the railing in which flowed in quite freely for a time, the phonographs were displayed, but finally interest in the cause talking to Mr. Harry Davis of seemed to lag, and it was not re- Gainesville. My back was turned hugh Lee was elected governor appeared, but Mr. Davis was facing some four years ago. Various or- it, and seeing a light spring up then consolidated under one name he jumped over the railing. Frank and he became, as governor, presi- Ball and myself following close dent of the Lee Monument associa- after. Mr. Davis jerked his hat off It was no use. The flames were

alredy too wide, and spread beyond the rim of the hat, catching higher up on the leafy decorations of the pillar. We clinched at the decorations higher up, in order to cut off the jumped up like a skyrocket, through the pampas grass with which the lecorations were made, and two seconds after the blaze had caught

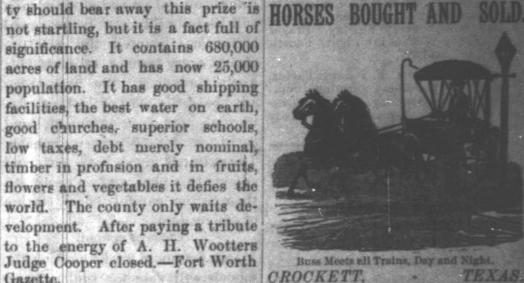
was the only city in history in to be favorites) is recognized by ed within the gates of the city. Houston County Exhibit and the Gold

which is carried along until he ate. Never were there so many The handsome young commis-The Times denies villifying and halts and turns off into some side old veterans and organizations on sioner from Houston county, Mr. A. DEBERRY & Ch. by way walk off with several of those real The Courier to produce the evi- with people, and as the various general enthusiasm over any event. everybody; cause, a gold medal will dence and wants a commission, commands reach their starting It would be a severe task to de- adorn the lappel of his coat on Frisent over to New Birmingham to points with some familiar officer scribe in detail the many happy day. The "senator" from Cherokee is at the head, cheer after cheer rends blendings of colors or describe the no less amiable and likes to hear

six foundations are located upon acy and the governor's mansion, scaly hickory, shoe-peg maple, sasabeach, gum, wild peach and cherry, all of excellent quality.-Eort Worth Gazette.

incline the surface leads upwards on the most fashionable thorough- President Paddock then present. Lovelady, Texas, is out the nucleus, around wh will cluster grander achieveme

to the energy of A. H. Wootters



Dealer in

General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes,

SADDLERY, HARNESS, STOVES, CROCKERY,

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Kinds of Machinery

FROM MANUFACTURERS.

CALL AND SEE ME.

J. L. LUNCEFORD seemed to lag, and it was not re- Gainesville. My back was turned vived again until General Fitz- to the spot where the flames first CITY BLACKSMITH AND WHEELWRIGHT.

All Work Done With Neatness and Despatch. ganizations collecting funds were under the heel of a passing man, Work Solicited and Satisfaction Guaranteed. REPAIRING MACHINERY A SPECIALTY.

tion ex-officio. It is largely due to his head and clapped it over the I Will go to any Part of the County to Work on Engines, Boilers, Etc. J. L. LUNCEFORD, CROCKETT, TEXAS.

> John Murchison & Son. SOUTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE. Crockett. General Merchandise

we regret very good reason that it is unnec- is situated on the Allen plot in the beautiful themes about it himself.—Ft Worth Gazett. that the lack of competition, resulting from the misfortunes.

again "that General Hogg was opposed to progress and was an ene- of 200 feet in diameter, with a in proportion of fifty to one of the medal to Houston county will be Prices that Defy Competition. Having recently bought the entire general stock of the lafe firm of L. P. Hemshift & Co.

At a Fraction Over 50 per cent. of the

published in the county, and is complete census hibits. Some of the therefore the best advertising me- We want a complete doing this. We

VERY RESPECTFULLY. NELMS & MAINER

We are authorized to announce the following names for the office under which said name appears, subject to the action of the democratle party in primary election:

W. H. Martin, Second District. For District Attorney W H Gill, 3d Judicial District For Representative

W F Murchison. For County Judge

W A Davis. W. B. Wall J W Madden. For County Attorney. Chester Haile John J. Moore.

OD East. For County Clerk. J. R. Howard. T. T. Beazeley. J. F. Martin. A. J. C. Dunnam.

For District Clerk. W A Champion D. P. Little.

I. W. Smith.

F H Bayne. BF Holcomb. W. H. Kent. J. M. Jordan. M. M. Baker.

J. B. Ellis. S. B. Hallmark Charles Long. J. R. Sheridan

For Tax Assessor, Charles Stokes. W. J. Harkins. R T Payne, Precinct No 3

> G W Brogson, Precinct No 3 B. S. Hearn, Precinct No. 1. M M Brasher, Precinct No. 1. J N Tver, Beat No 1. J. K. Chandler, precinct No. 2, J. T. Cunningham, Beat No. 1. J. J. Brooks, precinct No. 1.

Archie Adams, precinct No. 3. J. B. Harkins, Precinct No. 4 For Justice of the Peace. J. S. Gilbert, Precinct No. 3

R. B. Snell, precinct No.4. T. J. Hall, precinct No. 1 Richard Blake, precinct No. 1. J. C. Sheffield, precinct No. 4. J. A. Strozzie, precinct No. 4.

R. C. Hancock, precinct No. 1. W. L. Hill, precinct No. 1. T. S. Brown, Presmet No. 1 J H Young, Beat No. 1 George Waller, Beat No. 1. John H. Hague, precinct No. 1.

Elisha Robinson, Precinct No. 1. LOCAL AND COUNTY NEW

French & Chamberlain for drugs. The oat crop is being harvested. W. H. Threadgill was in town

Tuesday. Local items in the way of news are as scarce as hen teeth.

Pickwick hotel property. A week from Saturday the pre-

cinct conventions will be held. is visiting relatives in Crockett.

Leather goods at wholesale pri- Bread and Cake Baker. ces at the saddle shop.

cheerful over the crop prospects. The COURIER and Detroit Weekly

Free Press, one year \$2.00.

in the city last Fliday. painter and paper hanger. Work Murchison and Effic Harden,

solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. A new and elegant line of Oxford ties and common sense shoes

Sizes 2to7. The festive drummer is still in

teaching music at Huntsville for cheaper than agents can possible

to Crockett for the summer. Representative Murchison's address to the democrats of the county can be found on the first page of

this issue. Just Arrived. dollar and ten cents per sack.

DEBERRY & CLARK. Those who want a really live, wide-awake paper here will adver- "The flowers that bloom in the Spring public generally, and school officers tise in The Courier-and do so liberally.

W. V. Berry informs us that he intends putting another story on the "And he now daily sings, while walking Pickwick hotel building he has late- "It undoubtedly cured his shakes, ha, ly purchased.

Courier had to be enlarged to ac- ing. commodate the people and enable We regret very much to hear which speaks for itself. Capt. Wall the ball that was to have come off that we ask the co-operation of our ignorance of her extraordinay re-course for lazy folks, but the lazy us to get in the communications that Dr. McCarty of Porter Springs has been a citizen of the county for at the Spring Palace and was absent white friends and ask the publications at the Spring Palace and capabilities. This year class seems to be giving away. When be inserted free of that

customer who purchases \$10 worth esteem of his people at Porter He served his country with dis The many friends of L. N. Coopof goods at one time with a present worthf rom 75 to \$1,50. DEBERRY & CLARK.

DEBERRY & CLARK. | be counted,

THECOURIER. Pure and Fresh Drugs Guaranteed at the corner brick Drug Store of French & Chamberlain, Cr

We cure Sweeny on your horse for French & Chamberlain.

A crowd went to the river fishing Wednesday morning. The Colored people had a picnic took in the Spring Palace. near Crockett last Friday.

ask for the support of the people Courier. this week.

Hou. W. H. Martin will speak Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. O. T. at Crockett Tuesday, June 10, at Sims, were pleasant callers at The 11 o'clock.

11 o'elock.

We are glad to learn of the bright prospects for good crops and hope they may still grow brighter. R. M. Garrett is still quite low:

his relatives and friends have hopes of his recovery soon. Full stock of flour, sugar and

molasses at Bretling's warehouse, at wholesale or retail.

W. J. Harkins and James Har-

kins of Coltharp called on The COURIER Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Harkins and son, accompanied by J. B. Harkins, were callers at The COURTER office.

You can get genuine, old government java coffee at BREITLING'S WAREHOUSE.

James Bynum and W. H. Thread- and county. gill'of Porter Springs, and Mr. Stevens of Shiloh were visitors at The Courier office this week.

M. D. Driskill, wife and chilpleasant call on Friday last.

Car Wheat Bran

AT BREITLING'S WAREHOUSE ter Springs, Daly.

still \$1.50 per year.

McELREE'S WINE OF CARDUI for Weak Nerves The Crockett correspondent of the Galveston Opera Glass gave our business houses a splendid write up

W. V. Berry has bought the in the last issue.

Mrs. C. M. Turner, keeps con-The farmers all seem to be very bread, rolls and cakes. The best bread baker in Crockett, Good

meals 25 cents. The COURIER was pleased to receive a call from the following B. E. Haile of Guy's Store, was young. Misses Fannie: and Lucia Wootters, Maggie and Rubie Smith, J. M. Torrence, house and sign Beatrice Hollingsworth, Myrtle

Corn! Corn!! Corn!!! More Corn and Better Corn Just Received at Breitling's Warehouse AND FOR SALE CHEAP.

just received at Bill McConnell's 750 bushels selected white Missou- noon by members of the debating

the land and hardly a day passes Persons expecting to purchase be a concert, at which will be renwithout from one to four being in pear trees for next fall's or winter's dered an interesting program of ing and buying of the undersigned. boys at Old Shiloh will be assisted Miss Kitty Buford, who has been He has 2,000 trees and will sell them several months past, has returned brought to this county. sell them. They are the finest ever

at my ranch until the fall season the 16th Inst. On Tuesday Hon. citizes of any town in which he pated colored. The following comopens. This is the horse for the O. H. Cooper, State Superintendent, may cast his lot. A car of fresh wheat bran at one farmer, race and draft horse com- will deliver an address to the school bined. Terms' \$10 by the insur- and public, beginning at 10:30, a. m.

time, tra la,"

"But Cheatham's Chill Toule got him up day. on his feetlets," Sold by French & Chamberlain, DeBer- ment of W. B. Wall for county

will move to Madisonville next thirty years or more, having come when the fire occurred. We are presenting each cash week. The Dr. stands high in the to the state previous to the war. Springs as a citizen and physi- tinguished gallantry as a confeder- er in this county will be pained to cian and they grieve to give him are soldier and after the war settled hear of the misfortune which befell up. We wish him and his good down in Crockett to the practice of him at the Spring Palace fire and McElree's Wine of Cardul

intends to stay there. Our circu- Everybody should help the cen- Judge for several terms and dis- the panic resulting from the alarm for sale by the following merchants in lation exceeds that of any paper ever sus enumerators to get a full and charged the duties of the office with of fire there was a head long rush published in the county, and is complete census of the population. ability, declining in 1886 to stand for the exits. Mr. Cooper was cut therefore the best advertising me- We want a complete census. Help for re-election. Judge Wall is re- off from escape by a door and leapthe enumerators. If they pass garded as a strong friend of the ed from the second story to the Any person buying goods of us for over or miss any one let us know public school system. In point of ground below. Both legs were cash amounting to \$1 will be and we will inform them. Hous- judicial fitness, he is well qualified broken at the ankles it was reportpresented with a ticket entitling ton county has a population of for the position he seeks and, if ed at first that he had died from them to a chance at a \$35 gold 25,000 and we want them to get hem elected, will give the county a wise the effects of his injuries, but we watch to be given away Sept. 1st. down. Everybody stand up and conservative administration of are glad to be able to state that it

TOILET SOAP,

School Books, Slates Pencils and School Supplies. FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN'S. At French & Chamberlain's.

Send us in some new names. R. S. Willis and H. W. W. Moon

And still a few more candidates city last week and called on The Mrs. Roberts and Miss Lula

LAMPS,

COURIER office last Thursday. Hon. W. H. Martin will speak T. T. Gammage, candidate for conat Crockett Tuesday, June 10, at gress will speak on the political is-June 20, Crockett, Saturday, June tore up things a little.

> from weevil. Also meal kept con- wells, the great health. stantly on hand, fresh from the

R. S. Willis. L. W. Cooper left for Ft. Worth There is to be a Sunday school he will bring him to Crockett where week. picnic at Augusta on Friday, June he may have every attention.

If your digestion is out of whack, if McElree's WINE OF CARDUI for temale diseases. you need a strengthener or an apetizer, try Cheatham's Chill Tonic. It will commencement sermon at the bring you out of the kinks. Sold by French & Chamberlain, DeBer-

ry & Clark, N. E. Allbright, J. G. Har-A school house! Why certainly anteed Crockett needs one and needs it

badly so let all go to work and help Haring, build it, and don't let it be no com mon, everyday building either, but wick call on him. His lectures quotations he can't approach. obey the summons, and when war award made. one that will be a credit to the town are being highly appreciated. He Boiled down again, Crept repre- was waged on his beloved country-he In conclusion I desire to state You can see the victims all over his

Voters will meet at the following opportunity for everybody. places on the 14th instant to hold precinct conventions: Crockett, Now is Your Chance, dren, Mrs. C.B. Driskill and Miss Lovelady, Grapeland, Augusta, Webster's leather bound dictiona Videlia Hollingsworth gave us a Weches, Daniel, Coltharp, Dedson, ry 1281 pages of words and defini-

For sale at 95 cents per hun- J. L. Duren, living eight/ miles dred pounds, by single sack. east of this place, was in our office he had four acres of cotton that he has forms on it. And another lot knee high that has from 15 to 20 squares. Who can beat this?

John M. Smith's saw mill 18 one-half of which is bottom land, be, 1st. Timothy, 3d. chapter and at this time to see or talk with you terest to your readers. If our peo- busy for the past three weeks kill- preaching once a month by circuit miles east of Crockett. Lumber sixty five in cultivation. Plenty 15th verse. always on hand. Prices on yard: of water for stock and drinking Miss Lilian Otey of Huntsville Heart, \$1 per hundred mixed 75 purposes. One good dwelling and one tenant house. Terms \$700, in three payments. A. B. Robinson.

stantly on hand nice fresh light Courses office is having wedding scribes the country and its people County's handsomest young men him will before a great while lead one

Everybody should go to old Shiloh Camp Ground on July 4. There will be a public debate in the foreri corn. Also large lot of wheat ty; in the atternoon speaking by the candidates; at night there will planting will save money by wait- songs, character sketches, etc. The by some of the Lovelady talent.

especially, will be present to hear 'Found him sick in the bed with challs, Mr. Cooper's address on the last

E. A. Pace. Principal.

This issue contains the announce-The Courter is in the lead and lady abundant success. a law. He was elected as county which almost cost him his life. In and THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT are its affairs.

FINE PERFUMERY

Jim Janes, of Calvert, is visiting his parents in this city. Miss Flonnie Harvey, of Porter Springs, is visiting the family of counties in variety of soils. T. J. Crawfod, of Creek, was in the

House to-night.

Miss Amelia Miller left for Mar- Houston county invites caplin Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Ital and immigration. Herbert Wagner.

The Tyler Courier and Record mills. All cheap for eash by have joined hands and will hereafter be issued as one paper.

> Rev. J. T. Smith left Tuesday night for Georgetown to preach the Southwestern University.

Cheatham's Chill Tonic contains neith-Sold by French & Chamberlain, De-Berry & Clark, N. E. Allbright, J. G.

proposese to teach a class ten lessents the dead lumber drifting into marched forth battling for what he that Mr. "Dock" Wootters, your field. MOFILEE'S WINE OF CARDUI for Weak Nerves. sons in Human Nature. A great the obscure eddies of life, Cash is thought was right, and at the siege of excellent representative, has day

MoLiree's WINE OF CARDUI for Temale diseases.

Pleasant Grove, Freeman, Holly, tions, The Fort Worth Weekly Ga- goods, silk, parasols and all kinds and were followed to their last rest- and he should have a triumphant Weldon, Shiloh, Creek, Boggs, Por- zette from new until December. and The Crockett Courier one per pound; coffee, 5 and sugar 15 quaintances and friends. To the Great crowds of people still jam year all for \$5.10.

"Hunt's Cure" guaranteed to cure to pieces. last Saturday and informed us that Itch, Ringworm, Tetter, Eczema and all forms of skin diseases. Sold by French & Chamberlain, Dedid before enlarging. The price is planted about the first of May that Berry & Clark, N. E. Allbright J. G. I am a candidate for the office of doeth all things well and watches ry Band,

"a minister of the Reorganized and if nominated and elected my Church of Jesus Christ of Latter first efforts will be to free the coun- A Letter from Judge L. N. Cooper. southwest of Crockett, at old Shiloh Court House on Sunday, June 15, improvement of your public schools a letter from L. N. Cooper, of Ft. aside until another wet spell. Our fair to become one of the b

Crockett this Friday evening. His the county and give my views fully be alive to their interest, it will not bly be as good as it was last year. Enterprise needs a gin and mill ic portraval of scenes and incidents of public interest. The fine art department of The in the land of Montezuma. He decards gotten up in the highest style as they are. A parrative replete style for a wedding that will with dazzling descriptions and won- name of L. W. Smith as canditake place soon. One of Houston derful word painting. Go and hear date for Sheriff. He is well known

of the county's sweetest, brightest There is a fine program for the Part of the time he has been enand most amiable daughters to Grapeland concert to night (Thurs- gaged in agriculture, but latterly Hymen's alter. Don't ask any day). Crockett people ought to go he has been in the shipping busifor the benefit of the Academy at passed the high-noon mark of life, fine opportunity for the candidates of friends all over the county.

P. P. Haring, who has been engaged in the drug business in this city for the past ten months left on the evening train Monday for his home in Bellville. Mr. The present session of Crockett Haring is a young man of excellent

M. C. Dupuy.

All are invited to attend these the Spring Palace, returned Mon
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But the Sp Only four months old and The ry & Clark, N. E. Allbright. J. G. Har- Judge. Elsewhere will be found a ry a Clark, N. E. Allbright. J. G. Har- good crops and clear short communication from him ladies to complete their toilet for of the Negro. It was also agreed sented, and the world remained in of grass, with a few exceptions of

is not so, and that he will recover. D. L. Howard

BRUSHES, COMBS, 17 LBS. STRICTLY PURE Magnetic Oil-Try it That Diarrhoea Remedy More Especially are We Propared SODA FOR \$1.

> C. P. BRAND: TRY IT FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN.

Houston county the gold medal county. Houston county leads

Houston county leads all

Rev. James W. Bryan, of Elkhart, subject to the democratic party, orphan.

We announce in this issue to the citizens of the county having lived here since the close of the war. and help a worthy cause. It is ness in Crockett. He has not yet that place. Those desiring to go is active, energetic, nervy and full can go up this evening and come of vim. He has always sustained down to night. There will be a a high character with those among large crowd there and it will be a whom he has lived, and has a host elected, we believe Mr. Smith give the county such an administration of that inportant office

A Barbecue. academy will close Tuesday, June character and made many friends At a meeting held for that pur-county which would be first to run Dr. Charping called on us last expression of the people. My horse, HENRY NORMAN, Nor- 17. The examination of classes while in this place and will be miss- pose it was agreed that we right a under the ropes, had to gain a con- week and we hear of his bantering Mr. W. J. Murchison was aprangement-G. W. Rasher, G. G. To those acquainted with your give us a recipe for cholera among a committee to solicit contribution A. H. Wootters, who has been in Wynne, Chas. Tarver, Tom Taylor, superior resources the result will hogs. Mr. G. F. McCullar has to defray the expenses of representations. day, bringing with him the splen- ton, Peter Hayden, Martin Lacy, found its way to the minds of the The general health of our com- the spot. Adjourned to meet June. did trophy which Houston county Geo. T. Teal, B. H. Humphry, S. M. people of America through the munity is good. carried off for the best display of Bruce, Peter Nelson, H. K. McDoy, splendid medium of the great Textimbers. It is indeed a thing of J. A. Turner, G. J. Johnson and as Spring Palace, must be a source beauty. The medal is said to have Green Brooks. On programme. of especial rejoicing throughout WELDON SPECIALS. cost a hundred dollars and the coun- S. H. Stanton, G. H. Hughes, G. W. your county. ty should be proud of it. Dock's Rasher, W. C. Tarver and L. W. Here is a forcible illustration be- delay we are on hands again to tell devotion to the fair sex probably Baker. It is agreed that the meet- tween inactivity and energy coup- the readers of this valuable paper, saved him from injury at the fire. ing be unpolitical, and that the dis led with a firm resolution. Last if we are last we are by no means AND LIVE of the county.

В. Н. Нименку, Сhm. G. T. TEAL, Sec.

HOUSTON COUNTY :

Pocket Knives and Bird Cages, Physicians Prescribe It. Prescriptions. At FRENCH & CHAMBERLAIN'S Don't forget the Grapeland con- in the future, if the people are in- I wish to say we are for Hogg to

have a good time as well as aid a energy, unity and determination, as some others, pull down out of the

kins is an old citizen of Houston ent from the unthatched cottage of get rid of the buffalo gnats. Succounty, having moved here from an hundred years ago. The oppor- cess to The Courier. Georgia early in the sixty's. He tunity of your county at this mohas always borne the character of ment is magnificent in its possibili-Housuon county leads all being an industrious useful citizen ties. I have no doubt, but that The buss horses got away with counties in native woods and one who was ever ready to your enterprising county papers, sues of the day at Lovelady, Friday, the driver Wednesday night and adapted to manufacturing pur- help forward any and every enter- which have so heroicly stood by prise for the good of those among their guns, until victory crowned For pleasure, recreation and Houston county leads all whom he lived. Mr. Harkins has the summit of their hopes, will ask One car of choice white corn free health come to the Elkhart Mineral counties in the number and filled quites number of important that less important matters give way volums of flowing streams. officers. He was elected county for a time, for the grand marshallclerk of Coweta county Georgia ing o' facts and figures concerning Judge Davis has under consid- for a term of two years, and subse- Houston county and the consumaeration the proposition to fund the quently tax assessor of the same tion wrought by her deserving citicounty debt. To do this it will be county. Mr. Harkins has been zens through the energy of The Bud Stewart, of Palestine, son necessary to reduce the county's assisting Mr. Stokes in assessing Texas Spring Palace. Their colimmediately on learning of his son's of Col. W. A. Stewart, of this place, ad valorem tax and thereby create in this county for quite a number umns should be full to overflowing misfortunes. If possible to do so, was in the city the first of the a sinking fund. If it can be done, of years and has rendered efficient and the fact that Houston county it will be a great advantage to ju- service. If elected, he is capable of is the best county in the great comrors and others who are paid in making a good officer, and no monwealth of Texas, for supplies of doubt will.

quick cash, with daily arrivals, and well known to our citizens and a your press, in making the fact of tussel as we have had with old man not a 11th of his pile, simply laughs generous, true hearted one. When your county's excellencies known crab grass. I thought the old man Prof. Cannaday is at the Pick- the Old Regular to ridicule by duty called he was always ready to everywhere, as is evidenced by the crab had James grabed until he got the impersonation of the heroic Vicksburg he left an arm on the bat- and night stood faithfully at his daring of the scholars of gen- tlefield. Mr.Smith was 47 years old post, disseminating valuable infor- over in a fellow's field you can put ius and ambition. Just receiv- and leaves a wife and four children mation touching the advantages of it down that he is over there trying ed a new line of laces, embroid- to mourn his loss. His remains his county. Great credit is due to plow. eries, dress goods, linings, white were interred on Monday evening him for this happy culmination, of fancy groceries. Tobbacco, 25c. ing place by a large circle of ac- entry in to the town of Crockett. pounds for \$1.00. Special-Our widow and the four orphan chil- the vast Palace building, all eager trunks and valises will not come dren The Courier together with to see, lest something beautiful or County Judge, of Houston county, over and cares for the widow and

----Sam Houston, will lecture in by I expect to visit every part of awakened in our midst, and will ton especially. Corn can't possi- holds forth every week. subject is a foot in Mexico. A graph- upon the above and other questions be many years before we will have The oat crop is very small, though is a fine standfor such a business.

Texas, as it would pass through in- were somewhat encouraged. exhaustable supplies of timber, the We were somewhat surprised on into her claims Houston county boys.

quite evident to my mind, that the ceed.

purpose of the Palace management Paradise.

will cluster grander achievements fatal.

oton county, Te xas. Works like a charm. Try it.

When the stranger loiters through race but ever continue to root until the palace of 1891 he should see an he finds the worm and shows it to We announce in this issue the exhibit from Houston county, as the people. Now let me ask a Prof. Cannaday, phrenologist, will counties in soil adapted to the name of W. J. Harkins as a candidifferent from the one of 1890, as the favor of our candidates. Please de give another free lecture at Court growth of fruits and vegeta- date for assessor of taxes. Mr. Har- lordly mansion of to-day is differ- not come out electioneering until we timbers and woods for the builder and manufacturer, should be en-McConnell Says After a lingering illness, of sev- grafted in the understanding of all Under the old way the biggest eral years, with that dread disease men. I have no doubt but that cheatham's Chill Tonic contains neither Quinine, Cinchonia, Arsenic, Strych- store drew the crowd and the long- consumption, Reuben Smith pass- your local Board of Trade, will to lately I will give you a few lines. nine or Mercury, and does not produce buzzing in ears or deafness. Cure guar- est pole knocked the persimmons, ed quietly away last Sunday morn- take such action as will appropribut the representative of close, ing at 11 o'clock. He was a man ately contribute to the support of have been worked out. Such a

> Truly your's, L. N. COOPER.

POST OAKS

a railroad from Ft. Worth and the what few we have are very good. We are all for Hoggdown this way. northwest through our town and We noticed two of our candi- Will close by saying that The Counon to Bolivar point to meet Galves- dates out last week speaking for IER is the best paper we have ton's deep water. This would be themselves, Messrs Stokes and Lit- ever had. Every body down here the cheapest to build and the best tle, each of them were wearing takes it; they say they wouldn't do paying road that could be built in smiles. We just supposed they without it.

finest in the world and over as rich last Sunday morning to meet our beds of coal and iron ore as the old citizens, G. F. McCullar, A. the town hall for the purpose of world produces. Paulson, J. A. Wilcox and C. G. offering inducements to the projec-J. H. WOOTTERS. McCullar, out at church, clean tors of the railroad now in contem-Fr. Worth, Texas, May 27th. 90. shaved. What on earth do they plation from Corsicana to Sabine Capt. J. H. Wootters. My Dear mean? I suppose though they were Pass, in order to secure an inter-Sir .- You have long since received afraid that the candidates would section of the proposed road with the gratifying intelligence, that af- swarm before they got the grass the I. & G. N. at this point. After ter a full, fair, impartral investiga- killed and desired to appear as organization, with W. J. Garner as

has been awarded the gold medal Last Friday night we were highly secy., the object of the meeting for "the best display of the forest." entertained by the Hallmark mill was quite fully discussed by citizens will be gratifying to his friends and Huzzah for Houston county! crew. They have organized them- pr satisfactory to those who oppose In conversation day before yes selves into a negro minstrel troupe. On motion a committee of seven terday with a gentleman of the The music was splendid indeed, was appointed by the chair, to Palace management, it became Hurrah boys, we hope you will suc- talk up a meeting two weeks hence

man and Levithan cross, will be will begin on Friday, the 13th, and ed in social circles. We wish him grand re-union barbecue on the siderable stretch to pass Houston some of our boys for a horse swap. pointed a committee of one to visit at home June 10 and can be found continue two days, ending Monday well and recommend him to the 19th of June, for all the emanci- Friends of your county in this We believe the health on Nevel's Corsicana and confer with officers mittees were appointed. On ar- eminent position she has taken. I wish some correspondent would Mr. N. J. Mataer was appointed

SUBSCRIBER. EDITOR COURIER.-With some

tion, of this in each of the papers her enterprising citizens, conscious they all get out from among us and The Courses. of her superior claims and just we get rid of the Buffalo gnats and One small light to demands, have come forward with few other insects too numerous to a par across the stem. an offering, which the critical scru- mention, we will then call our part sorrel mule, no brand tiny, superior judgment, and honest of the county uncle by marriage to

have declared the most acceptable Mr. Alex Stanley has bought out high, six or sevens of them all; nor have they lost 8. C. Cabiness, we all mourned him one black sight of the fact that to the ladies lost but now he is found among us, osthway, friends tursake you a of your county is due the beauty Mr Cabiness speaks of going west to vering of the cloud, you may and attractiveness of your exhibit. as soon as his wife's health will ad- m disgrace with all the world, by Permit me to respectfully suggest mit his absence; she has been very our dog still loves, still trusts. that the work is just begun. The sick for several days but the Doctor ibides in friendship as firm awarding of the medal in itself, says she is now improving. We have everlasting hills. though significant and important, but little sickness in this commu is but the nucleus, around which nity but what we have seems this is something wo

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cert to night. Go up. You will spired with a still higher spirit of the core down here. May be not do

PORTER SPRINGS.

EDITOR COURTER .- As the weathtell you how we are getting along

Corn has come out lots cince the weather has got warm Well it won't be long until the farmers can find a candidate at one end of his row and a book agent at

The general health of our settlement is good, except some of the ovs are love sick.

We take The Courier and are

WELDON.

EDITOR COURIER-As I have seen some hands and whipped him out.

Buffalo gnats are surely with us.

We believe in Hogg down here. Three cheers for The Courier.

DINTERPRESIDE

ED. COURTER:-Allow me a few the entire community extends its strange should escape them, and to lines in your paper as I have seen sincere sympathies and commend hear the matchless music of the nothing from this part of the coun-To the Democrats of Houston County. them to the kind care of Him that great Elgin Watch Factory Military I will give you a few dots. Some are through chopping cotton and some have laid their corns by. Health good. Our merchants, Epiron Counting has Grounds and Norred, are doing a My place, situated ten miles Day Saints," will preach at the ty from debt, and the coutinued Entron Couries.—Inclosed find ceased and guns have been laid good business. Enterprise bids camp ground, containing 169 acres, at 11 o'clock, a. m. His text will and public roads. I am too busy Worth that I think will be of inmuch upon these and and other ple will cultivate the spirit of ener- ing grass. Our crops are looking rider Burke, and we have a good subjects, but after crops are laid gy and activity that has been much better than we expected, cot- Sunday school. A debating society

LOVELADY. A citizens meeting was held at

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FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1890.

The Progress of the South. The progress of the Southern States since they were fully redeemed from the rapacity of the carpet-bagers has been wonderful have risen from stag nation to abound prosperity; and their ma- been doin',' terial advancement has been greater proportionately than that of any other part of the Union.

of the property of the fourteen vote for at the last election?" Southern States was only \$2,913,-436,095 In 1889 it was \$4,220,-166,400. Accepting the estimate of the census of 1880 that the as- he is." sessed value is only 41 per cent. of the true value, we find that the him?" South gained over \$3,000,000,000 in property during that short

only 397,301 1889 it was 1,565,ty of the Northern iron and coal country." fields;" and "only the Southern

race to the North." In 1882 the South produced 6 .- she couldn't remember the exact 569,316 tons of coal. 1880 the out- hour she was born and could only put was 18,407,418 tons. The coal depend on hearsay. Hearsay is before telling him your secret. fields of the South, extending from not evidence, and the matter was Wheeling, in West Virginia, to ruled out northern Alabama, are practically inexhaustible.

The production of cotton was 2, 269,316 bales in 1865; in 1888 in was 6,938,290, and for the present year it is estimated at 7.250,000 bales. In other words, the South Low Prices. is now producing about 7,000,000 out of the 10,000,000 to 11,000,000 bales which constitute the whole cotton crop of the world. Freedom is doing far better than slavery in the raising of the great staple

The number of spindles in cotton manufactories at the South was only 677,854 in 1890. In 1889 it was 2,035,268. The number of mills during the same period has increased from 161 to 355.

This table of the agricultural production of the South is of great interest

Cotton bales

5,755,360-

7,250,00

333,121,290 54,476,740 43,476,600 The increase in the production of grain between 1879 and 1889 was over 520,000,000 bushels, and the percentage was much greater Notions,

than in the rest of the Union These statistics, borrowed from the Manufacturers' Record, show marvellous progress and development. They show also a people orderly, peaceful, industrious and harmonious: and they prove that the race problem is not practically the serious trouble so many ofthem getting on wonderfully well togeth

er, and together are enjoying the great prosperity of a region whose development has only begun.-New York Sun.

HONORING THEIR IDOL

Robert Edward Lee, His Statue at

Richmond. Virginia.

The great Virginian is represented

in the statue as astride of his faithful horse, Traveller, who bore him through the campaign of four eventful years. The animals four feet are on the ground, but about to go forward, and the general is the point of leaving the field of Gettysburg. The statute is forty feet eight tons. It was cast in eight pieces and brought from Paris in three pieces. When it reached Richmond it was conveyed to its = destination in three wagons, drawn respectively by citizens, women and old veterans. The pedestal is twenty-one feet high, making the

total height sixty-one feet. It is intended as the base or six other statues of generals who served unselected, 'Stonewall' Jackson, J. E. B. Stuart, and A. P. Hill.-Ft. Worth Gazette. Asked Too Much.

The word "news" Is at mest) - "See here! the initial letters of the four page two men from all that Hogg is unanimously (Chr. ahead of all Locomotive Yelpers! Scho -Jefferson Jimplecute.

ale drouth next year. Jim Hogg have be Crockett, Texasand a railway commission will which squeeze enough water out of the tifies t saturated railroad stocks to supply the country.-Greenville Herald.

THEY MISTREATED HIM.

How Old Bench-Leg Bob Was Forced

A michigan man that had just started a sawmill in the Pine Fla neighborhood, says the Arkar Traveller, asked old Bench-ley Bo ENTERED AT THE POST-OFFICE IN CROCK- if it were really true that the colored man's political privaleges were

"Yas, it is true, sah. I an't voted fur de man I wanted to in mo'n

"You don't say so!" "Yes, I does say so; ef I hadn't, you wouldn't yered what I did say.' "And you have been voting for and when the time for departure came, in all respects. In ten years they Democrats all this time, have you?" "Yas, sah, dat's zackly whut I

"That is a shame."

"Yas, sah, but it kan't be helped." "There is no use talking; the In 1880, when the improvement Government ought to take this man of a man who halted him on was beginning, the assessed value matter in charge. Who did you Gratiot avenue yesterday. "John Simmons."

"A Democrat, I suppose?"

"Dat,s whut da done, sah."

"Threatened you, I suppose?" "No, da didn'; do dat.' vote for him?"

"Why, da come flashin' er \$5 bill 702 tons. The progress in this in- at me. I begged 'em to go on erdustry is going on at an accelera- way an let me er lone, but da kind of awning he put up for a constructed, as they will be before ted pace, furnaces capable of turn- wouldn't do it. I didn't wanter cent." ing out over a million tons annual | vote dat ticket, an' da know'd it, ly being now under construction but dat didn't make no diffunce; or contracted for in the region. an' when I seed da wa'n't gwine to Alabama, according to the Hon. let me er lone I tuck the money, him whether it was an awning for Abram S. Hewitt, possesses riches sah but dat an't no way ter treat my eye or my shop-window. Quite The climate is mild and healthin iron which threaten the majes- er free man an' er citizen o' dis a difference, you know. I'm on to ful. An abundance of the best

sluggard has hitherto given the A Lady in court being asked her Free Press/ age, replied that she didn't know;

> When a man begins wishing for a fortune he confesses that he ha not the ability to make one. Subscribe for The COURIER

with my rod, my reel and my hooks,

And I went to fishing like quaint old Ike,

All the noon I lay in the light of her eyes,

The bag was flat as a flounder, But Bessle had neatly hooked her game A hundred-and-eighty-pounder-By John Bright M. P.

Got His Eyes Open.

"What ails?" you asked a patrol "Look at my eye."

"I should say! Who hit you?" "Er pizenous one, sah; dat's whut place up here to light my pipe. county. The Texas and Sabine churches and excellent society. "And they made you vote for he put up awnings. I asked him the south boundary line, and the "Then how did they make you awning had dropped, and so I told those sections. In respect of transhim to go ahead."

"And he hit you in the eye?"

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POPULATION. The population of the county largely white, is between 22,000 and 25,000, and allers to allers RAILROADS.

the International and Great Northern railroad runs through the center in a direction almost due north and south. There are also three other railroad lines already char-

"I will tell you. I went into a of them by charter calling for the There was a man in there who said railroad runs east and west near awful cheap to me, but I supposed of shipping easily accessible to building. "Yes, sir. He said that was the other roads in contemplation are a great while, no county in the

> CLIMATE AND WATER. in every direction are ever-flowing streams of water of the purest kind ufacturing purposes. No county in the state can boast of as many

CHURCHES. The Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian an Christian denominations have church organizations through-

out the county.

SCHOOLS. No county in Texas is better

supplied with first-class schools. The reputation of some of these institutions have become state-wide. Besides a most efficient and excellent system of public schools, lasting six months every year, there are several Academies and High schools of high grade and firstthe Crockett Academies that few, west. if any schools in the state, have sent out from their halls as many reply. highly cultivated and accomplished young men as they have.

SCHOOL FUND. Houston county has a permanent county school fund amount ing to \$70,000, which brings in annually from four to five thousand dollars to be used in running the public schools of the county. This added to state and local tax makes the sum of money spent annually in Houston county on public schools

aggregate nearly \$30,000. LAND IN CULTIVATION. land in cultivation. The county election day but for the fact that bales of cotton annually, 300,000 to are covered with mud. The Senate 400,000 bushels of corn, 50,000 gal- organized, electing Eugene F. Warlons of the very finest ribbon cane ner of Coventry clerk. A. S. Milsyrup, oats, wheat, rye, barley, ler, D., was re-elected Speaker of

millet, sorgum, etc. greater variety of rich soils than cording clerks were elected. The any other county in Texas. We two bodies then met in grand comhave the black-waxy, the black mittee and balloting was begun. loam, the stiff black-sandy, the John W. Davis was elected Govergray, the sandy, the red the choe- nor; W. C. Wardwell of Bristol olate, the alluvial soils and other Lieutenant-Governor; Ziba O. Slo- HOUSTON COUNTY BANK. kinds. The following are some of cum of Providence, Attorney-Genthe prairies, all of which are thick- eral; E. D. McGuinness of Provily settled and in a high state of dence, Secretary of State, and John delineated as he appeared when on The stock is complete in all departments and must be closed out as fast cultivation: Nevel's, Saline, Mus- G. Perry of Kingstown, General tion given to collections with the stock is complete in all departments and must be closed out as fast cultivation: tang, Tyler, Nogales, Pine, East. TIMBER.

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Grapeland, on the I & G. N. CROCKETT, railroad, is 12 miles north of Crockhow much he would charge to put Kansas and Gulf short line but a ett, population 300. Good society, CRADDOCK & CO., up an awning for me. He said short distance from the eastern churches and are preparing to erect Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Hats, he'd do it for a cent. It seemed boundary, both furnishing means at once a splendid High school

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