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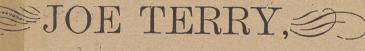
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1891.

Next Saturday, the 14th. is St. Valentine's day.

The front part of the present week has been regular hog killing

Seymour did the handsome thing upon the waters.

the latter part of the past week on city. o. b.—official business.

county dirt is safer than derositing house. Mr J. T. Montgou

jamin Monday morning, accomta Falls. The new Morris, a three story

rock hotel, is nearing final completion, and will soon be ready for occupancy.

A delightful party was given to the youths of the city at Mrs. Henrietta Dickson's residence last Wednesday night.

Tom Kenan, a prominent merchant of Benjamin, was in the city Saturday shaking hands with his host of friends.

were crowded during the present week with the quill drivers of the North-west Texas press association.

R. R. McKeehan has just received a lot of Early Rose potatoes-the best that grows. If you want some for seed, call on him.

Several parties have sown oats and planted gardens. We are will have to re-plant again.

Col. J. R. McLain has been in Fort Worth several days this week on business. The colonel will doubtless make things hum when Crockett Boone, Seymour Monitor. he returns.

Remember, the Monitor has moved to west Morris street. When you have business with us —if it is not the first of the month -call around.

W. R. McGill is taking in the sights of the mardi gra at Galveston. He will visit Austin and other home. From the naked appearance of

the upper lip of a certain young man in Seymour one would think that a cyclone or volcano had struck it.

J. O. Joline and J. A. Kemp, two of Wichita Falls most energetic real estate men, were in the city Monday looking after their land inter- guitar equal to and old stager. ests in this county.

The norther that came down Sunday on a tour of in pection lingered longer than usua, and called into requisitior all surplus fuel Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc., always on hand. Remember the and winter clothes that had been ce, Johnson Bros', old stand, Washington street, discarded in anticipation of the advent of summer.

N. W. T. P. A.

The 4th semi-annual meeting of the N. W. Texas Press Association was held in this city on the 10th and 11th instant. Mr. J W. Dale, of the Springtown Newsdealer, called the meeting to order, and the association proceeded to business. By way of parenthesis we will state that Mr. Dale makes a fine president, and commands the respect of all the members. Strickfaden, of the Henrietta Chieftain, secretary of the association, is a young gentleman of commanding mien, and like all intelligent gentlemen, is inclined to be bald-headed. Whether continuous study or a fractous wife has produced baldness, the Monitor sayeth not.

RECEPTION.

The reception committee met mou the incoming members at the depot and assigned them to quarters. by the editors. It is bread cast Tuesday evening a number of buggies and horses were chartered and tleman as of old. His Tom Irby visited Weatherford the boys took a spin around the tion in the journalistic

THE BANQUET.

Wednesday night a grand ball and with barren result Investing money in Baylor banquet was given at the court While we were prominent attorney of this cary, The past few days have been all led off on the toasts and was rethat the farmers could desire in sponded to by Pierson, of the Henmaking preparations for this year's rietta Chieftain. Other gentlemen, old. whose names we do not know, also J. T. Montgomery went to Ben- gave toasts. The tables were boun- News, was present. Stuart panied by Chas. O. Joline, of Wichi- cies, as well as the substantials, the cheek of a government sule. that this market affords, and if it was his fault, as there was a surplus of everything.

PRESENT. W. B. Newton, of the Vernon Texan; Fred J. Schillings, Mineral wells Herald; J. W. Bradley, Harrold Telephone: R. L. Taylor, Archer City Progress; J. W. Dale, Springtown Newsdealer; F. D. Hill Springtown Newsdealer: H. J Strickfaden, Clay Couty Chieftain; F. T. Daugherty, Wichita Herald; The hotels and boarding houses G. F. Pierson Clay County Chieftain; Albert G. Stuart, Rockwall County News; Oscar Martin, Haskell Free Press; Lee McLain, Della Plain Review; D. C. Kolp, Iowa Park Texan; J. T. Sampson, Montague Democrat; Major A. M. Dawson, Quanah Tribune; C.F. Rudolph, Tascosa Pioneer; G. W. Coleman, Henrietta Independent; J. V Watkins, Nocona Argus; Orion fearful they are premature, and Proctor, Aurora Chronicle; Theo. Gibson, of the Haskell Star; G. P. Barber, Seymour News; N. M. Voglesang and D. M. Scruggs, Seymour Sun; D. M. Norwood and

OF THE NEW MEMBERS,

Crockett Boone, of the Monitor, is the oldest editor that belongs to the association in point of continuous service.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Judge J. H. Glasgow, Judge R. J "foreign capitols" before returning W. B. Newton, Vernon Texan; Miss Lyda Roberts, Miss Cora the state, is his sister. Ralston, Vernon.

PRESS NOTES.

tain, is the dude of the press association. He parts his Erebus locks

Lee McLain, the "weeping willow of the plains," was a conspicuous figure, and his lofty carriage was the admiration of both saint and

Daugherty, of the Wichita Herald is a convivial and pleasant gentleman, and makes a favorable impression whenever he opens his

Newton, of the Vernon Texan, 'the man around town," loomed up like a prince with his two-story bea-

Bradley, of the Harrold Telephone, has the air of a Methodist preacher, but he is one of the boys.

Martin, of the Haskell Free Press, and Gibson, of the cremated Star, came down and placed their autographs on the ledger of the Union Hotel. Gibson informs the Mon-ITOR that the Star will be revived at an early day. Seymour's ele tric lights and street railway rat abashed the boys on their a as they expected to see a

J. P. Sampson, of the Democrat, is the same Greenville, where hered hibition paper with a

Albert G. Stuart, of the tifully supplied with all the delica- overbuidened with beauty, but has

Major Dawson, of the Quanah any member went hungry or dry Tribune, is the bell wether of the press association. He takes his straight and never loses his equilibrium.

The members of the North-west Texas press association are a bull lot of boys, and 18-karat fine.

Some of the boys are inclined to classify Seymour as a western rural village, on account of our last week's squib in reference to prairie dogs gamboling in front of the MONITOR office. That delusion is exploded, but the dogs remain all the same. We are partial to the canine family. In fact, have a thorough bred coach at Marshall that Barnum offerd us \$200 for. He is said to be the prettiest dog in Texas, and answers to the name of

J. J. Moon, commissioner of precint No. 2, took in the editorial banquet Wednesday night.

THE NEXT MEETING

Of the association will be held Vernon, where we hope to meet the boys and have a good time.

Our old friend, Bob Marrison, now engaged in gathering up cat | tle for the butcher pen. Bob is an A | b I druggist and prescriptionist, and qu will soon be employed in one of the Th best drug stores in the city. His lot brother, Erve Harrison, is county suc clerk of Hunt county, and Duke, another brother, is engaged in the furniture business at Greenville Browning, Seymour, Texas; Mrs. Al Harrison, also a brother, is clerk in a hardware store. Miss Mrs. G. P. Barber, Seymour News; Narnie Harrison, one of the most Col. T. J. Hurley, Ft. Worth; accomplished school mistresses in

Church Notice.

All those who have joined the Me-Pierson, of the Henrietta Chief- thodist church during the recent meeting, by letter or otherwise, will be received into the church in a la dude style and picks the next Sunday at 11 a. m. There will also be a church conference, of Editor Watkins, of the Nocona importance to every member, held way robo-Argus, is on the guinea pig build, at that hour; but it will not inter-extorts cha but always gets there on Arkansaw fere with the regular services. and just All the membership are urged to enact be present, if at all convenient. The public cordially invited.

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prospect-ch drawn ourneyed to twenty-days, until We lived well had horses ns, and we ly at pight, as the cattle would fould say we to take the break down ons were like schooners" they were larger. lived, and in this and arms were a had a Dutch reiotker.

rberley I found a reg-own, the houses being a canvas or corrugated building material had to orted across the country in tins. It was nightfall when ten my dinner and smoked had had for a month ried out to see the big Kimne, where they were working e light. This was nine years nahe heart of Africa, rememite rope stopped the way at ked. In front of me was a tric lamps, and in and out of ows flitted the forms of naked

It was very weird and a litwelve acres in diameter at 300 feet deep, with sloping uding into the great bowl. It is no sound except the rattle as the cables brought up the e men were working to the houses on the edge of the pit. mine was worked by comome formed as joint stock others as co-operative com-of miners. All the claims refully staked out and precording to their surface di-If a cave-in occurred from to make good the damages. Kathirs had loaded their

placed on each a ticket

large, worthless s gradually sepcely to contain process was ite men. Some read nor write; eks had a white chief business. Kaffir stooped punish-

le more It isn't receive this punmore afraid of a th a piece of rhinoceros hide ws the blood at every lick. I whipped—an ebony the blood trickled from his rs to his feet. The prison on who was in charge of the topped the punishment at thirty. He said any more at that parties a might bill the Keffir time might kill the Kaffir. d to go about dressed in a jacket and a breech-clout. A ely swell fellow might cover focks with an old hat. I wone with a shirt on or with A red coat was raiment

apparently. ve told you how they got the d-bearing soil into the hoppers. travel fell through the screens into boxes that were locked. was wash-up days. The boxes ought into the office, where of the company were seated table covered with zinc. An alled the sorter, took a threeblade and spread the gravel be table before him. In the of the directors he threw worthless stones. I thought easting aside the finest and damonds; but they were only that had no value. But a few s were found in the first where the larger screens were, that had smaller meshes were here. The result of the week's

as, perhaps, a quart of the stones, many of them being amonds of little value. those that had been saved taken before another expert. It spread them all out on a ly white sheet of paper and be-sort them according to size and er As fast as the paper became e fore off a sheet. He put the into little piles, which he after-tied up and sealed, marking each ing to its character and value. of this was done in the presence of directors. When the packages e sealed they were either sold on field or seat to London, where e is the greatest diamond market e world.

here are about the mines at Kima class of men and women as I. D. B.'s, which means ille-diamond buyers. They live traffic, chiefly through the of the Kaffirs. They are watched by detectives of every ality, whose shrewdness makes could for the I. D. B.'s to prosecut trade successfully." neir trade successfully.'

She Vas Quite Practical.

was deeply in love with her, but while she liked him, did not like guite so much as to run a risk of ation to oblige him. She was practicable enough to identify at nce on which side her bread was ered, and rather than look for n dry bread in preference it was a in her line to keep her weather celed on the jam dish. His arguments were much more passionate than forcible, while her replies were eridently the dictates of cool and deliberate judgment. "But look here." the remonstrated, eagerly, "there can be no really good reason why you hould not marry a fellow who has a tod salary, just because he has no bital. If you go far enough back will find that Evermarried a gardener it a halfpenny in his pocket." is the idea of your bringing that id as an illustration? Do you mber that the next thing he lose his situation!"—Soot-