

## Oh, My Back!

That's a common expres-  
sion and has a world of  
meaning. How much suf-  
fering is summed up in it.

The singular thing about  
it is, that pain in the back  
is occasioned by so many  
things. May be caused by  
kidney disease, liver com-  
plaint, consumption, cold,  
rheumatism, dyspepsia, over-  
work, nervous debility, &c.

Whatever the cause, don't  
neglect it. Something is  
wrong and needs prompt  
attention. No medicine has  
yet been discovered that  
will so quickly and surely  
cure such diseases as  
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS, and  
it does this by commencing  
at the foundation, and mak-  
ing the blood pure and rich.

Logansport, Ind. Dec. 1, 1880.  
For a long time I have been a  
sufferer from stomach and kidney  
disease. My appetite was very poor  
and the very small amount I did eat  
disagreed with me. I was annoyed  
very much from non-retention of  
urine. I tried many remedies with  
no success, until I used Brown's  
Iron Bitters. Since I used that my  
stomach does not bother me any.  
My appetite is simply immense. My  
kidney trouble is no more, and my  
general health is such, that I feel  
like a new man. After the use of  
Brown's Iron Bitters for one month,  
I have gained twenty pounds in  
weight.  
O. D. SARGENT.

Leading physicians and  
clergymen use and recom-  
mend BROWN'S IRON BIT-  
TERS. It has cured others  
suffering as you are, and it  
will cure you.

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TO LIVE TO A GOOD OLD AGE,  
FREE FROM ALL  
ACHES AND PAINS, USE  
THIS GREAT HEALTH RESTORER.  
**PILLS**  
PURIFY THE BLOOD  
ACT AS A  
**HEART CORRECTOR**  
And by cleansing, regulating, and strengthening  
the organs of digestion, secretion and absorption,  
cure Apoplexy, Fits, Paralysis, Nervousness,  
Dizziness, Debility, Eruptions, Etc. Etc. Etc.  
Liver and Kidney Complaints, Lack of Appetite,  
Low Spirits, Indigestion or Dyspepsia, Headache,  
Constipation, Fevers, Malaria and Congestion, Fever  
and Ague, Chlorosis, Dropsy, Colds, Rheumatism,  
Neuralgia, Gout, Female Weakness, Urinary Dis-  
orders, and all irregularities of the Splice,  
Stomach, Bladder and Bowels.  
Prepared only by Dr. J. W. CARHART & SON, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Beware of cheap imitations. For terms  
write, 25 Cts. Price Bottle, 50 Cts. Sent by Mail to any Address.

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BROS.  
MERIDEN CONN. U.S.A.  
Having attained a national reputation in  
**FINE POCKET CUTLERY,**  
Ladies' Scissors and Ink Erasers,  
Have added the manufacture of  
all styles of  
**STEEL PENS.**  
With a skilled superintendent in that depart-  
ment, supplemented by extended experience in  
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goods of unrivaled quality. To introduce our  
**PATENT ADJUSTABLE**  
**Quill Action, Reservoir Pen,**  
"THE ACME,"  
In advance of regular trade channels, we show cut  
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Carries as much Ink as any Fountain Pen.  
Write as easy  
as a quill.  
Admission  
free and  
no charge.

THIS PEN FITS ANY HOLDER.  
One whole line of Pens will be sold by the trade.  
Price Lists furnished to dealers on application.

### Benefit of Laughter.

Probably there is not the remotest  
corner or little inlet of the minute  
blood vessels (life vessels) of the  
body, that does not feel some wavelet  
from that great convulsion (hearty  
laughter) shaking the central man.  
The blood moves more lively—prob-  
ably its chemical, electric, or vital  
condition is distinctly modified—it  
conveys a different impression to all  
the organs of the body as it visits  
them on that particular mystic journey  
when the man is laughing, from  
what it does at other times. And so,  
we doubt not, a good laugh may  
lengthen a man's life, conveying a  
distinct stimulus to the vital forces.  
And the time may come when physi-  
cians, attending more closely than  
at present unfortunately, they are  
apt to do, to the innumerable subtle  
influences which the soul exerts upon  
its tenement of clay, shall prescribe  
to a torpid patient "so many pearls  
of laughter, to be undergone at such  
a time," just as they now do that far  
more objectionable prescription, a  
pill or an electric or galvanic shock;  
and shall study the best and most  
effective method of producing the  
required effect in each patient.—  
*Good Health.*

### In the Pocket.

Tom Thumb celebrated his 46th  
birthday on Jan. 4, in Chicago. He  
said that when first exhibited by  
Barnum he was only 5 years old, and  
so light that a strong man could  
hold him on the palm of the hand.  
A fashionable overcoat of those days  
was like the ulster of the present, and  
had large side pockets with flaps  
over them. "Barnum wore one of  
these," Tom relates "and I could get  
in one of the pockets, and by dou-  
bling myself up snugly the flap would  
conceal me. It was a favorite trick  
of Barnum's to put me in his pocket,  
and appear in the hall about the time  
for opening our entertainment. He  
would call for me, affecting to be  
surprised that I was not on the plat-  
form, and then I would respond,  
"Here I am, sir," emerging from the  
pocket. Alas! how I have grown  
since then!"—*Ex.*

Texas Siftings.  
It appears from the census statistics  
that the red man, in spite of the ad-  
vance of civilization, has not become  
extinct as rapidly as the superior race  
had hoped for. He, to speak collec-  
tively, is increasing in population at  
the rate of more than a thousand a  
year, which is a very singular and  
reprehensible mode of becoming ex-  
tinct. When it is remembered that  
every Indian killed by our troops  
costs the government hundreds of  
thousands of hard dollars, the above  
stated fact is very discouraging. The  
indifference of the aborigines, and  
their apparent unwillingness to co-  
operate with our government in the  
good work of becoming extinct in the  
interests of civilization, places them  
in a very unenviable light. In per-  
versely multiplying as they do, they  
exhibit very little true progress, look-  
ing at the question from a utilitarian  
standpoint.

Henrietta Shield.  
The cattle business, like every  
other legitimate calling, requires  
men of experience and good nerve.  
Fortunes have been made and lost in  
the business, and not every man who  
dabbles in the cow trade can say  
that he has grown rich. There is a  
wonderful difference between trading  
in cattle and raising them. The man  
who has a respectable sized bunch  
to start with, and takes care of them,  
is as sure to grow rich as the grass  
is to start in the spring. But with  
the dealer in cattle it is very differ-  
ent. He must buy under the guid-  
ance of a sound judgment, and sell  
when the "sign" is right. Great care  
is necessary in buying to get a class  
of cattle suited to the wants of the  
purchasers, for men engaged in  
stocking ranches are, and should be,  
particular as to the quality of cattle  
bought.

### Horse Shoeing.

[Philadelphia Saturday Night.]  
The origin of horse-shoeing is  
obscure. It was known to the an-  
cients that a shoe could be secured to  
the hoof with nails, but they did not  
practice it.

There are few subjects so thor-  
oughly considered in the writings saved  
to us from the antique world as  
horse-shoeing.

The Greeks attributed the origin  
of the horse to the gods as an espe-  
cial and superior creation—an after-  
thought, when, in the prodigality of  
invention and liberality, they wished  
to surpass all that had been created,  
and endow mortals with their best  
gift.

The horse was supposed to possess  
a soul, that was to be the companion  
of warrior shades in the realm of  
ghosts. He was the delight and  
pride of men, bred and cherished  
with the greatest care.

Classic writers give minute instruc-  
tions in regard to breeding, training,  
points of excellence and management.  
The form of the ancient horse is  
perfectly preserved in statuary and  
relief. He is reproduced in fragile  
marble and enduring brass, his cap-  
arison is described and exhibited,  
but there is no mention of shoeing  
him and no appearance of it in any  
of the monuments.

They considered a good hoof as  
the excellence, without which there  
was no value to the animal, and they  
bred and kept horses to secure sound,  
hard, tough hoofs.

Xenophon, who was a complete  
horseman, compares the hoof to the  
foundation of a house, which, if bad,  
brings all to ruin, and he is explicit  
in giving the means whereby  
hoof may be toughened and made to  
withstand attrition.

Other writers urge the importance  
of this branch of horsemanship, and  
the famous line of Virgil, that when  
scanned gives the very measures of  
a horse's gallop, turns upon the  
hardness of the hoof.

They had hard roads, and paved  
the streets of cities. It is, I think,  
made clear that in an age when civil-  
ization reaches its extreme point—  
when all the arts were cultivated as  
they have never been since—it was  
not considered good practice to shoe  
horses.

### Above Eating 'Possum.

Arkansas Traveler.  
The other day, just after the Ar-  
kansas senate had assembled, an  
old negro leaned over the railing  
and called out:

"Any gen'lman wanten buy a  
'possum?"

"The secretary will call the roll,"  
said the president.

"Dat's unnecessary boss. Ef any  
gen'lman wants de fowl let him say  
so. Want de 'possum, sah?"

"Go away from there or I'll have  
you sent to jail," exclaimed the pres-  
ident.

"Oh sartenly, sah, sartenly. An'  
dis is de senate, eh? Dun got above  
'possum Travelin' on turkey an'  
hen aigs now. No wonder de state's  
gwine ter pieces. I'll go in an' sell  
dis fowl ter de speaker ob de house."

### Commonwealth.

Dodge City people are endeavor-  
ing to have the government open a  
national highway from that point  
south through the Indian Territory  
to be twelve miles wide and to be  
used as a cattle trail. This move-  
ment has often been attempted by  
other communities, but for some reason  
has never been successful. It is  
thought that the government can  
establish a highway through the In-  
dian lands that will save cattlemen  
from many annoyances. We hope  
our delegation at Washington will  
give this subject a favorable consid-  
eration.

### The Age of Steam.

Hattie Whitney, in St. Louis Magazine.

One might be tempted to wonder  
(if, in this age of steam, he could spare  
any time for such an unpractical oc-  
cupation as wondering,) whether  
there was ever a time when people  
were not in a hurry—a chronic and  
unremitting hurry which prohibited  
the least loitering in the pleasant  
places scattered along every pathway  
and denied the luxury of ever paus-  
ing now and then to indulge a little  
astonishment at their own progress.

Nobody is astonished at anything  
in these days certainly. There is no  
time, even if people had not grown too  
smart to be surprised.

Steam is our favored standby, and  
our great motives are locomotives.  
Indeed, we are not badly represented  
by a locomotive ourselves. Do we  
not all appear like small-sized steam  
engines rushing along, each on his  
own little track of business and occu-  
pation, stopping five minutes for re-  
freshments three times a day, and  
whizzing off again? And we cheer-  
fully neglect even the five minutes,  
if necessary, to get ahead of some  
other steam engine, and crowd on  
steam regardless of the fact that we  
have nerves until we find ourselves  
in a condition to wish we might en-  
joy the real steam engine's prerogative  
in seeking relief in a wild yell. But  
we are civilized and conventional  
locomotives, and we must not yell;  
though it may be conjectured that if  
the other locomotives had the nerves  
of folks, they would yell louder than  
they do.

But just suppose we should take  
time to breathe, would the world  
come immediately to an end? would  
the sky cave in? Suppose we took a  
little time from our own selfish cares  
and interests to give to the consid-  
eration of our fellow beings, stopped to  
lend a helping hand to one who has  
fallen by the wayside, instead of  
rushing over him; stopped now and  
then to consider—not how we might  
grind out a few extra dollars, but  
how we might render our record of  
daily life purer and fairer, more ac-  
ceptable to the Great Judge to whom  
"the gift of empty hands," scratched  
and worn in their toils in His service  
—perhaps, yet which have found  
ample time to fold themselves calmly  
in the holy presence of the Angel of  
Prayer, and to clasp themselves over  
the flock of Ages, are better than  
the great things that can be accom-  
plished, the stores of worldly knowl-  
edge gained in the ceaseless, dizzy  
rush in which we lose sight of every-  
thing but the fact that we are human  
locomotives running races with each  
other that we may get ahead of our  
neighbors. It might not break us up  
if we tried it.

### Conducting an Eclipse.

A good story is going the rounds  
of the German papers. On the morn-  
ing of the last eclipse of the sun, Capt.  
Von S—, of the Fusiliers, issued a  
verbal order to his company, through  
his sergeant-major, to be communica-  
ted to the men after the forenoon  
parade. This was its form:

"This afternoon a solar eclipse will  
take place. At three o'clock the  
whole company will parade in the  
barrack yard. Fatigue jackets and  
caps. I shall explain the eclipse to  
the men. Should it rain, they will  
assemble in the drill shed."

The sergeant-major, having set  
down his commanding officer's in-  
structions in writing, as he had un-  
derstood them, formed the company  
into hollow square at the conclusion  
of the morning drill, and read his  
version of the order to them, thus:

"This afternoon a solar eclipse will  
take place in the barrack yard by or-  
der of the captain, and will be atten-  
ded by the whole company, in fatigue  
jackets and caps. The captain will  
conduct the solar eclipse in person.  
Should it rain, the eclipse will take  
place in the drill shed.—*Companion.*

### TERMS FOR ADVERTISING.

SPACE.	1 w.	2 w.	1 m.	3 m.	6 m.	1 y.
1 square....	\$ 75	\$1 00	\$1 50	\$3 00	\$5 00	\$8 00
2 squares....	1 25	1 75	2 75	5 00	8 00	12 00
3 squares....	1 75	2 50	3 25	7 00	11 00	15 00
4 squares....	2 00	3 00	4 00	8 00	13 00	18 00
5 squares....	2 25	3 50	4 50	9 00	15 00	20 00
6 squares....	2 50	4 00	5 00	10 00	16 00	22 00
7 squares....	2 75	4 25	5 25	11 00	17 00	24 00
8 squares....	3 00	4 50	5 50	12 00	18 00	26 00
9 squares....	3 25	4 75	5 75	13 00	19 00	28 00
10 squares....	3 50	5 00	6 00	14 00	20 00	30 00

One inch in space constitutes a square.  
Business Cards, five lines or less, \$5 a year.  
All bills for advertising are collected quarterly.

### Postal Telegraphy.

St. Louis Globe Democrat.

There is of course no prospect of  
the Government instituting postal tel-  
egraphy immediately, but it is inter-  
esting to note in connection with the  
subject that both Senators Edmunds  
and Sherman express themselves in  
opposition to purchasing existing lines.  
If this is to be taken as a fair sample  
of Congressional opinion, it may  
readily be imagined that, if the sub-  
ject is seriously brought up, there  
will be such lobbying on the part of  
the existing companies as never was  
seen before. It will be a matter of  
life and death with them. If postal  
telegraphy is instituted, it must be-  
come general or there will be a com-  
plaint of sectional favoritism; and if  
it becomes general, it will necessari-  
ly ruin other telegraph property, for  
its rates must be placed at the lowest  
price that will pay expenses. Under  
the circumstances it would be scarce-  
ly fair not to offer the companies the  
actual cost of their plant. This, if  
accepted, would annihilate about two-  
thirds of the stock, and ought to have  
enough of the appearance of hardship  
about it to satisfy any anti-monop-  
olist who is not absolutely cruel. It  
could hardly be expected, however,  
that the Government should pay three  
times as much for a property as it  
could be duplicated for. There will  
be a very interesting time when pos-  
tal telegraphy appears really immi-  
nent, very.

### Trouble on the Strip.

Agent Tufts, at Muskogee, has  
been notified by Commissioner Price  
to warn all cattlemen to remove from  
the Cherokee Strip, and after twenty  
days notice to eject them by the mil-  
itary. This is a natural result arising  
from the agitation of the "wire fence"  
business, and the order has occasioned  
much excitement among the stock-  
men, who have sent representatives  
to Washington to protect their inter-  
ests. As the Cherokees have col-  
lected \$20,000 taxes from the cattle-  
men of strip for the grazing privileges,  
and have issued permits in consid-  
eration of the same, the Cherokee  
nation cannot help but stand by the  
cattlemen. The stockmen who have  
permits will make every effort to  
remain and will doubtless succeed,  
and the result will probably be the  
total expulsion of the non-taxpayers.  
—*Cheyenne Transporter.*

### An Extensive Irrigating Project.

Scientific American.  
There has just been opened in the  
Punjab, India, the Sirhind Canal, one  
of the greatest works of the kind in  
the world. The canal is over 500  
miles long, with subsidiary channels  
measuring some 2,000 miles more.  
The canal is designed to irrigate an  
area of over 1,200 square miles. It is  
fed by the Sutlej River, and great  
and numerous engineering difficulties  
were overcome in its construction.  
Three-quarters of a million acres will  
be brought under cultivation by  
means of this gigantic work.

INDIA-RUBBER OCEAN CARRIERS.—  
A substitute for the time-honored  
bottle for carrying records of disaster  
at sea is found in a light rubber ball  
two or three feet in diameter and  
brightly painted. It is so light that  
it is rapidly carried before the wind,  
and is so conspicuous that it can be  
seen at a long distance. One of  
these couriers, having been thrown  
from a Swedish steamer on her way  
from London to Gothenburg, was  
picked up four days afterward on the  
coast of Schleswig, and another trav-  
eled two hundred nautical miles in  
five days. A number of these couriers,  
even if thrown overboard in mid  
ocean, might bring relief to a dis-  
abled steamer by carrying word to  
passing vessels of the probable  
position of the disabled ship.



# The Clarendon News

February 9, 1883.

**CLIPPING RATES.**  
Any one of the following papers and the CLARENDON NEWS will be sent to any one address for the price following each:  
Fort Worth Texas Live Stock Journal \$3.50  
Fort Worth Weekly Gazette \$9.00  
Fort Worth Daily Gazette \$10.00  
Texas Wool Grower \$3.00  
Arkansas Traveler \$8.00

Cardinal Manning is very ill and is lying in a low weak state. It is said that certain attacks upon his eminence by Bishop Wilberforce have created much public sympathy for him.

It seems that the N. Y. Steam-Heating and Gas Companies are in trouble, they have been getting too close to each other, forgetting their identity so far as to forget the danger of too close proximity of heat and gas. The result was made apparent several days ago by the explosion of escaping gas, in the streets of the city.

The details of a rail road accident on the South Pacific, near Tehachapai are given in exchanges dated the 22d of Jan., in which 21 persons lost their lives. The accident was caused by the escape of the train, from the depot which reached such a velocity on a descending grade as to throw several coaches from the track. The coaches taking fire from the overturned stove, were soon in flames. Many passengers were burned while fastened in the wreck.

## Eastern Notes.

On the Mississippi and in the West the thermometer ranged twenty degrees below zero, while in Brooklyn and on the coast, we had twenty above. The sea with its great body of water circulating from the tropics has to do with this difference. We seldom have weather here in which the thermometer falls below zero. We miss the warm September weather so often occurring in midwinter in the South. A long residence there greatly unfits one to really relish a long series of weeks, or months of almost unbroken cold, with ice and snow every where! All is comfortable within doors, as the houses are perfectly built, and good coal furnaces drive back every intruding suggestion of what is passing without. Men and women dress warmly for the street. Expensive seal-skins and heavy plush and velvet for cloaks and hats, are common among the ladies. We note but little difference between eastern and western women except a more fresh and fairer skin, for the ladies of the East, a matter of climate and habit entirely. The custom or fashion of wearing extra hair over the forehead together with "bangs" of all sorts seems quite universal. Rich cloaks of silk and seal, costing from twenty-five to five hundred dollars, are everywhere seen on the streets, covering the entire make-up. Expensive fabrics and elaborate or riotous needlework seem contagious and prevailing. Just at this time winter goods are selling very low. Mens styles are not much modified from last year. In hats the round, stiff, black or brown "Derby" prevails for all business, while the ever tasteful silk hat is never out of use or out of style. In coats the frock and sack of medium length and cut high in front is still worn. Gloves are of all colors and shoes of all patterns. The "swell" chooses a sharp toed tie, a regular corn maker, void of either comfort or beauty, while the more sensible choose a wide toe and low comfortable heel. Barbers are well patronized, smooth faces and short clips are the rule.

We have plenty of excitement of late, every morning's paper is expected to chronicle some new sensation or calamity. Explosions, shipwrecks and burnings! With all possible public warning, example, threatening and prosecution. People will be careless, forgetful or reckless. There seems no rational way for any man, at home or abroad, but to be ready for the worst catastrophe at any minute! Get ready to live, or die and all is well! Whether as to the dying Gambetta, the year 1883 shall have in store for any of us joy or sorrow, success or overthrow, will depend greatly upon the use we make of its opportunities.

L. H. C.

## A Man of Sin.

In those days it came to pass that a certain wayfaring man who lived in Mobeetie, which is up beyond Jordan, reasoned unto himself saying:

"Lo and behold: here in our city there are many Scribes and Pharisees and of money-changers not a few and we all live off the fat of the land and do no work; but truly it is said that 'riches hath wings' for in an evil hour last night I held three 'Jacks' against a 'Queen full' and I 'called' them to my exceeding great sorrow and I feel this morning as if I would like to return to my father. But verily those who know best say that in the place they call Clarendon, the 'sporting gentleman' is not known and much fortune awaits him there, for it is said they toy not with the sleeping 'Tiger', neither do they 'back at Monte' and verily, such is their exceeding great piety that they 'smile' (Revised drink) at the small end of a bottle and not out of a glass as other folks do. So I will borrow a change of raiment and what few 'shekels' I can and get me down there, where perchance I may 'strike it rich,' for certain fat games of 'Draw Poker' of which I am the chief may fall to my lot and then I will pay all I owe."

Having spake these things he "buckled on his armor" and girded up his "lay-outs" and took passage by the way of one Bartlett's stage line, and as he journeyed he rejoiced with exceeding great joy, and he sang, the songs of the ungodly such as "Dinah hath a wooden leg As long as your arm."

and others of the same intent, and he "smiled" copiously. Having lodged one night at Clarendon, he proceedeth to "do" the town and to take notes of the people who dwell therein; and the peaceful calm that presides over that place was amazing unto him and passed all understanding, and for the space of a day he spake to no man. On the second day of his sojourn he sought out one who occupies a chief seat in the place and laid bare his plans, saying, "Verily, there can be no prosperity here unless you have a place commonly called 'Turrah,' where the festive cow-boy can come and spend his hard earned money in 'feasting and riotous living,' and verily, they will come from afar to the money changer's tables and great will be your wealth if you good people will only encourage me to start a place called by the 'boys' a 'Bank,' and verily I will 'pull' not from the bottom but will 'deal on the square,' and we will also have a place they call the 'Bar' where you can 'smile' out of smaller measures and thereby escape great danger of strangulation and great will be the results thereof." And the man of Clarendon arose and said with a voice that was weak with emotion.

"Thou has spoken truly of some things but you see us a God-fearing people, marrying (when we can) and given unto marriage as the sparks fly upward. We spend what few small pieces of silver that fall our way in such innocent amusements as 'Necktie' parties, we also give tithes to the Church and School and verily, the widows and orphans are not forgotten in our land, it therefore behooveth me to say that we can not support such luxuries as you speak of, for, forsooth there is not as much as ten large pieces of silver in all Clarendon and there has not been for lo; these many days."

On hearing these things, the wayfaring man was vexed and he spake in words decidedly unapostolic, and he went out and walked around the town three times and came unto himself down by the clear brook that doth run close by, and he smote himself, saying, "Am I a fool? Am I not given unto vague dreams? Am I not known as the 'Cater?' Verily I will get me hence at once and journey afar even unto Teepee, which is down by the way of Ephraim, for there verily doth the wandering cow-boy 'whoop-em-up,' and the spirit of darkness prevails." And he shook the dust of Clarendon from off his feet, which being interpreted means he "pulled his freight." And here endeth the first lesson.

Ino.

Dr. Jaques' German Worm Cake stand unrivaled as a worm medicine Give them a trial. Sold by all Druggists.

## He Took the Hint.

A sad-faced man looking as though he had recently lunched off of a cholera epidemic went into a western newspaper sanctum and remarked: "I hate to speak about it, Mister Editor but there are some mighty thin things creep into your paper once in a while."

"I know it," said the editor, "there are some mighty thin things creep into a newspaper office once in a while, too, and if you don't skip out pretty quick I'll turn the sewer gas on and blow you through the keyhole."

The man took the delicate hint, and along with it his departure.—*Check.*

Pure blood makes good health. Acker's Blood Elixir, endorsed by eminent physicians. At druggists.

We will wager a year's subscription that a twenty-five-cent package of Sheridan's Condition Powders contains more pure ingredients and cost more money than a bushel of any kind put up in large packs. Sheridans powders are absolutely pure.

The Texas house has passed a bill withdrawing the 50-cent land from market intending to make the minimum price \$2.

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## HOME NEWS



Shield McClellan of the Cross ranch called on the News Thursday.

Homer Mills takes a new tack, he is trying his hand at sticking type.

For the best Cow Boys hat, go to the Drug Store.

Tom Davis sojourned for a short time with us this week.

J. D. Parks, and Mr. Scott, made our town a hurried visit Wednesday.

Mr. J. H. Parks has just recovered from a severe illness.

Mr. N. D. Freeman has commenced plowing and sowing. He reports the ground in excellent condition to work.

Dyspepsia, the insidious foe to health, disappears by using Dr. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. At druggists.

Tommy White stands prominently among our visitors this week with a brand new suit of clothes. Call again Tommy.

For the finest stock of Gents' underwear, call at the Drug Store.

Mr. Phink, of the bar O ranch registered at the White House yesterday.

Mr. A. Gentry now occupies the position vacated by Mr. Smith at D. W. Van Horn's store.

The latest and richest styles of silk handkerchiefs are for sale at the Drug Store.

An old nurse says: Dr. Acker's English Remedy is best for coughs, croup or diphtheria. At druggists.

Mr. R. B. Briggs has been confined to his bed by a severe illness.

Will Ames would have pulled his freight for the Falls the other morning, but alas the High Sheriff clapped his eye on him and said "Stay Mr. Ames." Mr. Ames stayed. He lingers with the Grand Jury.

District Court, now in session enlivens our town a little.

McClelland's safe, in which he keeps his precious documents, is locked and refuses to yield to any persuasion that may be applied to the outside. He said something about ten dollars that interested us mightily but he said it was inside the safe so we refused to open it for him. What's the use, any way.

We regret that our Chicago letter failed to reach us this week. Notice other correspondence.

No sir, the southern mail has not arrived.

Several parties were out on a grand antelope hunt yesterday, they had grand success too. They got good and hungry and came home.

The "tile club" has not yet arrived.

School has been closed during the past week, occasioned by the illness of the teacher, Mrs. J. H. Combs. She is very much improved and will probably be able to resume the duties of the school-room next Monday morning.

The Diamond Dyes for family use have no equal. All popular colors easily dyed, fast and beautiful. 10 cents a package.

The freeze up of late has made just a little more skating facilities than the Panhandle has ever seen before.

Several have rustled up skates and enjoyed the pleasure of either skating just a little bit or cutting such figures on the glary ice that they would wish to admire by themselves only.

### "Rough on Rats."

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## Court Proceedings.

The District Court for this County on account of the extreme inclemency of the weather, did not convene until Wednesday of this week. Up to the present time the following disposition has been made of cases on the Docket. Mary E. Lyman vs. Chas. W. Lyman. Continued by operation of law.

State vs. Chas. Kimball, motion of Defendant excepting to indictment, over-ruled, and case continued.

Hon. Frank Willis and C. S. Kimball, of Mobeetie, came down on the stage, Tuesday, to attend the District Court. The News acknowledges a pleasant call from the gentlemen.

The most disagreeable norther of the season came off on Friday and Saturday. The wind was terrific and was accompanied by some snow and sleet that covered everything with ice, freezing the rivers and branches so that stock could not get water for several days. This has been the most severe winter season that has been experienced in the Panhandle, say the oldest settlers. Considering the many unusual hardships that stock have had to stand they will come through well.

Uncle Sam's Nerve and Bone Liniment is most efficient in Rheumatism, Bruises, Burns, Scratches and many other ills incident to man and beast. Sold by all Druggists.

Mr. Way, book-keeper for Coleman & Dyer has been stopping at the White House during the past week. He has been matching himself against any body in the burg for playing checkers or chess. Much honor is due the representatives of the town for severely beating the gentleman on long winded games.

Mr. W. T. Evans, Jewett, Tex., says: "I am dealing extensively in Brown's Iron Bitters which invariably gives permanent satisfaction."

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Sheriff Gentry this week. Whenever Al's shadow darkens our door a pleasurable, rippling smile passes over the faces of the inky types and he is made welcome, generally opening up the conversation with a cracking joke. We have, however, lost some of our partiality for Mr. Gentry since last evening. He came quietly in and "snailed" one of the inky types (the inkiest of the two) from off his stool and dragged him away to the court room where he now languishes with his fellows on the cruel, bare, cold, hard bench of the Grand Jury.

Jewelry. Take a few moments time and inspect the varied and beautiful stock of Jewelry at the Drug Store.

We understand that the Clarendon and Mobeetie Stage Line will soon be made a daily instead of a tri-weekly, and that there will also be opened a new daily line between Clarendon and Wichita Falls, both to be run by A. Bartlett. The Blanco route will be let to other parties in Galveston who will probably stock up the road and run it. It is optional what will become of the Teepee route to any one that has a mind to notice. To those living in this vicinity it has proved a great inconvenience from its irregularity, as will be seen from a glance at our mail matter.

When the changes above mentioned take place, Clarendon will undoubtedly enjoy mail facilities and passenger accommodations as never before, and will equal any in the Panhandle.

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It is estimated by good authority that thirty millions of dollars have been subscribed by the London stock exchange for investment in American ranches and stocks.—Dodge Times.

### Skinny Men.

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The New York Commercial Bulletin urges congressmen, if they are at all solicitous of the good opinion of the country to endeavor to reach some definite conclusion on the pending tariff legislation as speedily as possible. At best it is but tinkering legislation, and gives no promise of permanent satisfactory results. Let it be got out of the way. Suspense and uncertainty it is unnecessary to say, are having an unfavorable influence upon commerce and trade; and therefore, the sooner these are terminated by final action of some kind the better.—Galveston News.

Messrs. J. A. Eddins & Co., druggists, San Saba, Tex., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters is daily growing in popular favor."

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The Manitoba Wave of unprecedented cold encircled the people of the North and West on Jan. 21st. At St. Paul Minn., the thermometer stood—21°; at St. Louis, 4°; Denver, Col. 13°; Dodge City, 2°; Little Rock, 33°; Galveston, 28°.

A large whisky firm of Cincinnati have failed and ascribe their loss to the delay in Congress, in taking action on the bonded whisky question. The failure of this firm is thought to be the forerunner of what is to come.

### Surrounded by Apaches.

TUCSON, Ari., January 27.—A courier reached Hermosillo, Sonora, this evening begging that immediate military assistance be sent to Casa de Janos, on the Chihuahuan frontier. The people there are surrounded by 1,300 Apaches. All the available cavalry and infantry left Hermosillo at once under command of Colonel Garcia.

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ABOUT MAIDS.—Some one (probably an old bachelor) has said that "why there are so many ladies of uncertain ages living in 'single blessedness' in our world, is owing to the fact that most of them went about with their faces covered with pimples and blotches." Well, they are not deserving of much pity when it is taken into consideration that Swayne's Ointment cures all Eruptions of the Skin and Itching Piles and is on sale at every druggist's in the land. Beware! girls of the period.

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A grade is an animal containing some pure or thoroughbred blood. A seven-eighths grade is sometimes called a high grade.—*Prairie Farmer.*

### Price Current.

DESPITE the seemingly high prices at which cattle are being held in Texas some contracts are being made. At the Stockmen's Convention that convenes at Austin, Feb. 6th, lively trading is expected and prices will then be pretty much settled as far as drovers are concerned. Whether the high prices now quoted, \$12 to \$13 for yearling steers and \$15 to \$16 for two will be maintained is a question. Raisers are very firm in their views and many think these prices will have to be paid or the cattle left alone. However "bullish" the feeling may be in Texas the feeling here among ranchmen is much more cautious than a year ago and they are inclined to "bear" rather than to "bull" prices. Doc Day reports a contract by B. L. Crouch of 6,000 yearling steers to be delivered upon the Republican at \$16 and of 2,000 yearling heifers, names not given, at \$16 at home. These are high figures and to us here in the West seem dangerously so to drovers. They have got to manufacture a much higher speculative fever than last season at this end of the drive to make any money at such prices.

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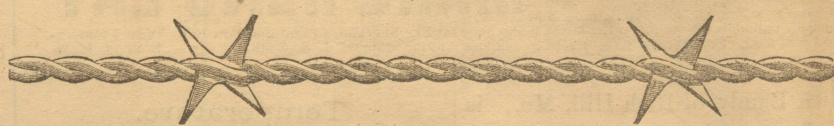
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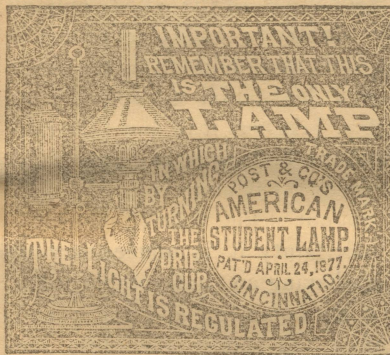
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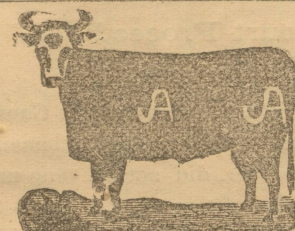
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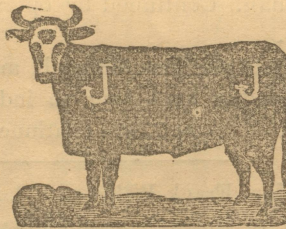
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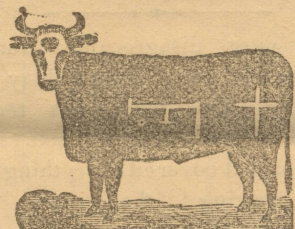
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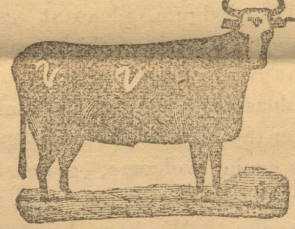
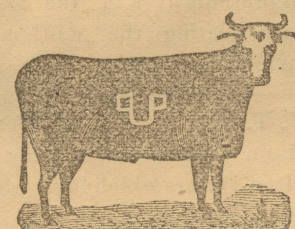
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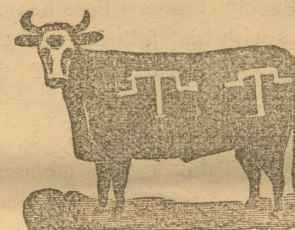
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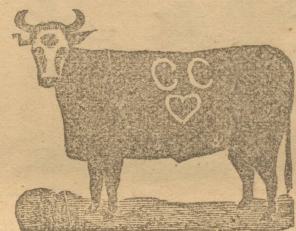
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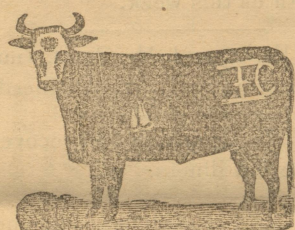


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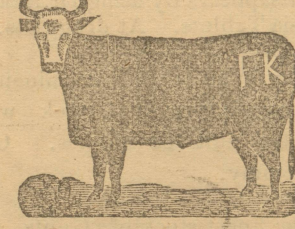
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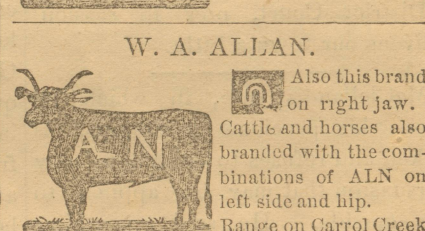
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Y R O on hip and CC heart on side. Hobble O on side. S T O on hip. Horse brand circle heart left shoulder P. O. Clarendon, Donley County, Texas.

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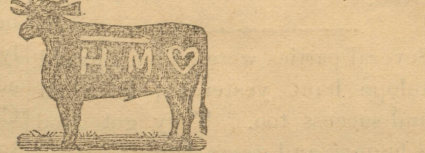
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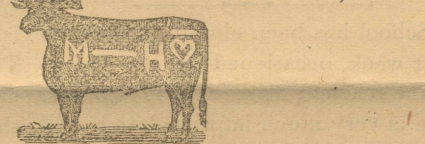
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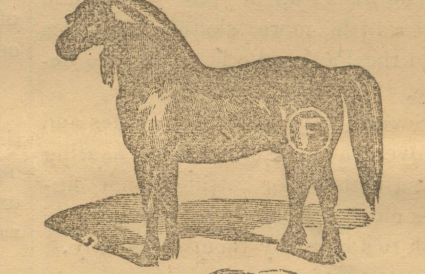
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