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GENERAL NEWS

Items From Far and Near Boiled Down for Convenience of Busy Readers.

The official canvass of the popular vote in Missouri gave the state to Roosevelt by 25,600 plurality.

A strike is threatened among the laborers in the Broadway extension of the great New York subway.

The next annual re-union of the Confederate Veterans will be held at Nashville on June 5th, 6th, and 7th.

Sir Conan Doyle has criticised the Britsh government for allowing the Russian Baltic fleet to coal at an English port.

Large numbers of immigrants from the Northwestern states are now coming into Texas and many of them are investing in lands.

Thirty-five new churches are to be built within the next few months in the Bay City, Michigan, district of the Methodist Episcopal church.

A late dispatch says that the people of the counties of Mayo and Gallway in Ireland are on the brink of starvation through failure of the potato crop.

One thousand people engaged in a wolf chase in Oklahoma near Chattanooga on Thanksgiving day. Ten wolves were captured, two being taken alive.

The dowager empress of China has issued instructions that the queues of the Chinese soldiers must be removed and the soldires clothed in European dress.

More than a thousand feet of celluloid film in a moving picture machine exploded in a theatre at Lawton, Ok., Saturday night and seriously burned three of the employes.

Deputy United States marshals have arrested an Indian squaw near Fairfax in the Osage nation on a charge of burying her child alive. The infant died from suffocation.

Deputy United States Marshal Lea of Shreveport, La., had to stop over last Wednesday at Haynesville in that state with sixteen prisoners on account of a wreck on the road ahead of him.

The department of commerce in Washington proposes to at once investigate the oil buisness in Texas and Louisiana and ascertain if these holdings are not in control of the standard oil trust.

Ten American fishing craft, including eight sailing vessels and two steamboats, have been seized by the Canadian fisheries protective cruiser Curlew and fined for illegal fishing in the Canadidan waters.

The armored cruise, Pennsylvania, on her offiical trip off the coast of New England made the highest speed with the smallest relative expenditure of fuel of any armored vessel so far built for the United States navy.

The home of Elmer E. Thomas, a prominent lawyer of Omaha, Neb., was badly wrecked by a bomb placed on his front porch early one morning recently. The attorney has recently been active in a number of criminal suits.

Adelina Patti will give a concert on December 11th at St. Petersburg, Russia, for the benefit of the Russian wounded. She volunteered her services out of gratitude for the fact that her first great triumph occurred in Russia.

Benjamin Herndon, a railroad trainman at Altoona, Pa., killed his wife by cutting her throat Thursday and then cut his own throat. They had been seperated since April and the woman had charge of their four children.

A crop estimate made by 169 members of the New Orleans cotton exchange averages 11,513,396 bales; highest estimate 12,200,000; lowest 10,833,000. A wager of $5,000 has been made that the crop will exceed 11,300,000 bales.

Five small boys aged from eight to eleven years were found to be carrying pistols to school at Lansing, Michigan, for the purpose of overawing any teacher who attempted to punish them. They had stolen the revolvers from various stores.

Hon. Wilson, secretary of the United States governent agricultural bureau has stated to the chairman of the national boll weevil convention that he is urging an immense appropriation with which to continne the fight against the boll weevil.

$6,000 in cash, of which a bank at Auburn, Cal., was robbed last May, has recently been found in a five pound lard can and buried in a cow shed on the place of Adolph Weber, who is also charged with the murder of his parents, brothers and sisters.

Edward Dressler, one of the jurymen in the Nan Patterson trial, was stricken with apoplexy and the entire jury dismissed when the case was almost ready to go to the jury. Miss Patterson went back to the Tombs prison without an effort to give bond.

For twenty-five years Horace Vose of Westerly, R. I., has presented each year to the president of the United States a fine turkey for the Thanksgiving dinner. The bird arrived at the White House Wednesday of last week and weighed thirty-eight pounds.

Judge Parker, late democratic presidential candidate, will argue a case as counsel for plaintiff Tuesday of next week, before the court from which he resigned to beccme a candidate for preisdent. The case is one involving the terms of a will regarding a considerable estate.

Grief over the death of his wife caused the death of John B. Brown of Anadarko, Okla., last Sunday. He died four days to almost a minute after the death of his wife. Deceased was a distant relative of the John Brown "whose body lies mouldering in the grave" fame.

The Fifth ward of Augusta, Georgia, gave Watson 327, Parker 121 and Roosevelt 2. Watson's vote exceeded both Roosevelt's and Parker's in twelve counties in Georgia, one of which was McDuffey, his home county, while Parker failed to carry his home precinct, county or state.

Friday at Mount Vernon, New York, five hundred school children prevented the escape of Frances Valarazzo, an artist, who had shot and fatally wounded his sweetheart in front of the school house. The children surrounded the man and set up a cry that brought the police who arrested him.

On account of a peculiar law enacted by the Creek Indian nation immediately after the civil war, the negro has more rights than anyone else in that nation. The whites may sell their land but not vote; the Inidan may vote but cannot sell his land, but the negro may both vote and sell his surplus land.

A party of three young people of Chicago became lost on the Pikes Peak last Saturday and were compelled to spend the night on the mountain. They took refuge under a cleft of rock and while asleep near the camp fire a celluloid comb belonging to one of the young ladies got so hot it exploded and badly burned her.

Elverton Chapman, twenty-three-year-old son of a prominent New York banker, committed suicide in a London hotel last Sunday night by deliberately throwing himself from the third floor landing of a stairway to the marble floor below. His skull was crushed, one arm shatterd and other injuries sustained, from which he died within a few moments.

A sensational suit is on in New York, being an action of Herbert D. Newton of Brookline, Mass. against Mrs. Cassie Chadwick of Cleveland, Ohio, for $190,800 in money loaned her upon her word that she had certain securities for $500,000 with which to meet the loan. It is stated that she claimed Andrew Carnegie was on the note due her.

The pay wagon of Forepaugh & Sells Bros. circus was robbed of $30,000 last Saturday morning at Tarbaro, N. C. It was pay day for the show, which was just on the eve of closing for winter quarters. Three special trains to carry the circus to its winter quarters at Columbus, Ohio, came in during the day and one of these brought more money to pay the employes.

Maria Herundt of Milwaukee, was arrested in St. Louis a few days since while seeking an audience with President Roosevelt. The police thought she was intending to do the president some bodily injury, but she says she only wanted to secure his consent for painting a protrait of him to adorn the walls of the White House. It has been ascertained that she was a lady of excellent reputation.

The New York newspapers of last Tuesday print a story from Washington to the effect that a meeting of southern democratic leaders is soon to occur in Washington to discuss the political independence of the southern democracy. The article sets forth the fact that the northern and eastern democracy always selects the democratic candidates and makes the platform and the only part the south plays is to give its electoral vote to the other fellow's choice—that the south is at no time consulted as to what it wants. The article sets out that the northern and eastern democrats made the last platform and nominated Parker, who failed to receive a single electoral vote in a northern state and actually lost some of the solid south, which would not have been done by a southern candidate.

TEXAS SPECIALS

Interesting and Important Bits of News Happening Over the State Recently.

Fort Worth is trying for a spring festival to be held in May.

The Santa Fe is sinking an artesian well at Temple.

Belton is to have a gas plant with about $25,000 or $30,000 invested in the enterprise.

Joe Davis, charged with the murder of his wife in Shackelford county, has been refused bail.

W. C. Curtis of Ellis county was held up and robbed in Dallas Tuesday by negroes who beat him severely.

There is over a million dollars on deposit in the banks of Hillsboro according to the latest published statements.

A $12,000 brick school house has been erected at Collinsville and was turned over to the local board of education.

The Carnegie library at Waco, has been turned over to the city and Mrs. W. D. House installed as librarian.

Mose Arnold, of Somervell county, has been sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for the murder of Shirley Stewart.

There are 180 students enrolled at the Girls Industrial School at Denton, and the interest in the work is growing all the time.

The supreme court refused a writ of error in the Orange county local option contest and the law will go into effect immediately.

John P. Withers, former president of the American National Bank of Beaumont, is on trial for alleged violations of the national banking laws.

The cases of eleven gamblers, who were arrested at Beaumont on information furnished by Alderman George W. Carroll, were dismissed for lack of evidence.

J. R. Couts, a pioneer citizen of Weatherford, is dead. He is said to have organized the first bank ever operated in the territory west of Dallas or north of Waco.

Arrests have been made at El Paso for the importation of French girls for immoral purposes through the city and Mexico to different parts of the United States.

A jury at El Paso refused to convict the brewery and the smelter for running on Sunday, claiming that it was necessary to the success of the business that they keep running on Sunday.

Assistant County Attorney Nelms personally raided a Dallas gambling house a few pights since and captured five men who were running the games, though a number of gamblers escaped.

A turkey buyer recently appeared at Denison, paid for a large shipment of turkeys in worthless checks and decamped. The same scheme was successfully worked at Brownwood and other Texas points a few years ago.

Fort Worth is to have a Spring Carnival and the commitees are now hard at work. It is understood that the usual midway attractions will be eliminated, and an endeavor will be made to make it an event of a high order.

A couple of small boys are in jail at Temple charged with burglarizing the Murphy club and taking a hat and gold watch. The officers recovered the hat in Temple and found the watch in a pawn shop at Waco.

The Baptist denomination at San Angelo are soliciting funds for the erection of a new church building. At one meeting $8,485.50 was subscribed for the building. The ladies aid society subscribed $2000 fo the sum.

At the meeting of the Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge at Mineral Wells next April, one of the most important things to be done will be to locate the Widows and Orphans Home of that order. Nearly a hundred thousand dollars is in hand for the proposed institution.

Saturday of last week a young man named McKinney ran away with and married a step daughter of J. M. Williams, who resides a few miles east of Alvarado. Williams became very much enraged, went to town and purchased a winchester and proceeding to a field where McKinney and his father and little brother were picking cotton, shot the two first named dead and seriously wounded the boy.

John Pickett and Arthur Laverty, two prominent farmers residing eight miles south of Corsicana had a terrific pistol duel Monday. Eleven shots were fired and the last one struck Laverty in the left breast just above the nipple and will probably prove fatal. The shooting grew out of a misunderstanding which took place several years ago when Laverty's fences were cut. Picket went to town and gave up.

Wince Maness, a sixteen-year-old boy of near Paris, was dragged off his horse one day last week by getting tangled in a rope around the neck of the horse he was leading and he was dragged three hundred yards, sustaining a fractured skull and other injuries which may prove fatal. When picked up he was bleeding at the mouth and nostrils.

Tom Crowder of Paris is in a dangerous condition on account of blood poison contracted in a peculiar manner. In cleaning out a stove in which some fish bones had been emptied, one of the bones that was partly burned penetrated his hand and in a couple of days after his hand began to swell and the flesh to decay and drop from the bones. The swelling has now extended to his limbs and he is unable to walk.

John Leden, a livery stable proprietor at Ladonia, was shot and killed on the sidewalk of that city. Joe Robordy, former city marshal, surrendered to the officers.

Old Tom, the big white billy goat, which for the past sixteen years has been mascot at the Texas & Pacific freight yards in Fort Worth, has met with a tragic death by being a victim of a flying switch. The goat was used in loading sheep into cars.

The tragedy at Grandview last Sunday, in which J. M. Williams shot and killed D. V. McKinney and his son, Steve, later resulted in the killing of Williams himself by the sheriff and his posse. Williams went to his home and stood off the sheriff with his winchester for several hours. He finally fell asleep and his family escaped from the house, after which the fight between the posse and Williams resulted in the latter being shot through the neck and killed.

Paul Krugers' Fortune.

Paul Kruger, the late president of the Transvaal republic left a fortune estimated by the Amsterdam correspondent of the World at $3,750,000. He bequeathed $125,000 to various societies in Holland and sums to all funds opened after the South African war for the support of the Boer widows and orphans. Bequests also were made for the maintenance of the Dutch language, and it is said a considerable fund besides this has been placed in the hands of trustees for a war fund to be used against England whenever the natives of South Africa should make an effort to shake off the English yoke.

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NEWS FROM LOCAL EXCHANGES

Items Clipped From Newspapers From Surrounding Towns

STEPHENVILLE.

From the Appeal

Nov. 25th.—Only 780 votes were polled in Hood county at the late election.

Dr. Copeland of Desdemona will move to Tolar. He has purchased J. J. Hogue's residence in that town.

George Truitt died at his home near Gordon this week, his death being due to diabetes, from which disease he had been suffering for the last two years.

The school at Howell Springs will commence on the first Monday in December, and will be taught by Miss Laura Leverette.

Lee Hughes, Geo. Sherill and W. R. Woolverton returned Sunday night from St. Louis, where they had been to see the sights of the big fair.

W. L. Baber is an applicant for the postoffice at Bluff Dale. Mr. Baber is a good man, thoroughly competent and would make an excellent postmaster.

Wiley Blackwell has recently bought the big farm just south of Kickapoo Falls in Hood county, and H. Ator has bought fifty acres near Kickapoo picnic grounds.

W. H. Nichols and family who have been living in the Selden community for some time, left Sunday for Breckenridge, where they will reside in the future.

W. H. Lester, from the Victor country, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Lester reports his country in a prosperous condition. He says the gin at Victor has not put up more than a thousand bales of cotton, and that the fields are yet white with the fleecy staple.

Runaway—Willie Hill, twenty-five years old 5½ feet high, white moustache, light complexion, of unsound mind, wore blue overalls and brown coat, an old black hat, brown brogan shoes, right fore finger off at second joint. Return to Poor Farm.

W. M. Carter was in town on Tuesday for the purpose of making complaint against Jack Moss for shooting him and Frank Golightly with bird shot. Mr. Carter says he was within one hundred yards of Mr. Moss, plainly visible to him when the shooting occurred. Mr. Carter also says that his pasture was set on fire Saturday evening by hunters or someone else and considerable trouble was experienced in extinguishing the flames.

Perhaps no man in this county is as thoroughly familiar with our school system as is Judge L. N. Frank, and we believe our people generally will endorse the action of the commissioners' court in appointing him county superintendent. Owing to the fact that the school interests of our county have reached a point where it is impossible for the county judge to properly attend to the affairs of his office and also act as superintendent of schools, which now number more than one hundred, the creation of the office was a public necessity and has the sanction of not only our teachers, but a large majority of the people.

From The Empire

Nov. 25th.—Mrs. Will H. Neel and two children and Miss Ruby Hall of Dublin, visited the family of Jim Jordan this week.

Prof. A. J. Robertson opened his singing school a Tolar last week with eighty pupils. He will teach twelve nights for $50.

Mrs Joe Murphy and daughter, Miss Mabel Chiles, returned to their home at Dalhart this week, after a visit to friends in this part of the state.

Rev. W. J. Moore, formerly of Granbury but now of the Indian Mission Conference, was here this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Boone.

Upshur Vincent is at home again from Strawn, where he has been for several weeks. He recently sold his newspaper interests there to Messrs, John Groesbecek and Will Compton of this place, and was winding up matters.

G. W. Jenks was called to Gonzales Saturday by the illness of his wife, who went there some weeks ago in the hope of regaining her health. She is not doing well, and fears are entertained by her friends here for her recovery.

Two barrels of clothing and goods were sent Tuesday to Buckner's orphan home at Dallas by the good women of the Baptist church. This institution has a place very near the heart of all Baptists, and other denominations and religiously inclined people in Texas, and rightfully so, for it is certainly doing a noble work.

The "tee-total" joint at Morgan Mill has closed and the party running it has gone hence. It was a sort of Carrie Nation trick. Some of the boys got into a racket at the place and tore it up, tearing all the front off and otherwise doing things up to a brown turn. Result: The proprietor is gone and there is no more of the joint.

HICO.

From the News.

Nov. 25th.—The family of G. W. Armentrout have moved to Carlton from their farm near by.

Bill Johnson was lodged in jail at Meridian last week charged with violating the local option law at Iredell.

Tom Hodges of Carlton, has sold his place recently purchased near Duffau, and bought the Wilkinson place near Hico.

E. Cantrell of Lamkin, a farmer friend of the editor for many years, has moved to Gorman and engaged in the drug business.

Fairy is losing another good farmer in the person of A. J. Sitton. He is this week shipping his fed stuffs and household goods to Stamford where he has bought land.

The Hico public school now has an enrollment of 252 boys and 248 girls. Of this number there are 48 boys and 44 girls in the high school department.

The gins here have handled 4,723 bales of cotton to date and the yard receipts are 14,740 bales.

The little four year old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burkett was kicked by a horse late Sunday evening inflicting a painful gash on the forehead. A doctor was summoned who sewed up the wound and at last reports the little fellow was doing well. The little fellow crept into the lot where the family horse was eating and got up from behind, took hold of his hind leg, whereupon the animal kicked striking the child as above stated.

SHOT INTO A HOUSE

Too much wild cat wine and a pistol got Will McEntire of the Selden community into serious trouble here Saturday evening. He and a party of friends had spent the day in the city imbibing pretty freely and as they rode out through the suburbs of town he drew a 32 from his pocket and fired three shots into the residence of Joe Smith. The shots struck the wall of the room occupied by Mrs. Smith and the children, but luckily neither of them penetrated it. Deputy R. J. Platt went out Sunday and brought McEntire to town and he spent Sunday night in the calaboose. Monday morning he plead guilty to carrying a pistol before Esquire Farrow and was fined $50 and cost. He refused to pay the fine and cost and was carried to the county jail. The case against him for shooting into the house will come up in county court.

From the Review.

Nov. 25th. C. S. Cosby of Alman, who had the misfortune to break his ankle a few weeks ago, was in town moving among his friends on crutches.

Miss Hattie Steward of Sipe Springs, is in the city after having visited friends at Dublin, spending a few days at the home of her old teacher, Prof. Ben Randals.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Scarborough of Haskell, parents of our popular young pharmacist, D. Scarborough, spent Friday and Saturday of last week in the city, guests of their son. They were en route to Louisiana on a visit.

Local officers are hot on the trail of cotton thieves who recently disposed of a few bales of the fleecy staple in Hico. Many depredations of this nature have been reported throughout the state and all officers, farmers and cotton buyers should be on the alert.

Thursday morning about four o'clock the electric light and ice plant in Hamilton was burned to the ground. The plant was opened for business last June and had just completed a very sucessful five months run and was the pride of its town. We have not learned how much insurance was carried. It is presumed that the plant will be rebuilt.

The Carlton gin at the progressive little town of Carlton, has turned out so far this season nine hundred bales of the fleecy staple. This gin is quite popular with the public and enjoys a large and increasing patronage. Mark and Elmer Carlton, managers, are well known by everyone as young men of hustling qualties and sterling business worth.

While out hunting last Tuesday C. H. Malone accidentally discharged a shot gun, the charge entering the left hip of his big family horse Brit. Veterinary A. L. Moore was called to dress the wound and reports same as doing nicely this morning. At the time of the accident Mr. Malone, his wife and baby were in the buggy and Mr. Malone was getting ready to take a shot at some crows when the wheel of the buggy struck a fence post causing the discharge. The horse made a sudden lunge, breaking loose from the buggy, at the same time throwing Mrs. Malone and baby out, however they were not seriously injured. The horse after running a few yards was caught and brought back by Mr. Ross.

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COMANCHE.

From the Visitor.

Dec. 1st.—Mrs. J. E. Chilton died at her home in this city Sunday morning at 3 o'clock after a painful illness several days of pneumonia.

Mrs. S. E. Short, died at her home in the eastern part of town Thursday night and was buried the following day in Oakwood cemetery.

Dr. J. W. Applewhite of Hazle Dell was in to see us Monday. He informed us that he was arranging his affairs so that he and family can again come back to Comanche to reside.

W. P. Hulsey and Miss Cora Morrison of Downing were united in holy wedlock by Judge Williamson Wednesday. Again on Thursday he was called upon to marry Poke Pate and Miss Rineheart. Both couples were married at the court house.

J. H. Kimmel, whom we mentioned last week as being arrested for disposing of mortgaged property, was released after being examined by the county attorney. People should not be too hasty in swearing out complaints as they are liable to injure some good man.

Two young gents about eighteen years old had an altercation in town last Saturday and one of them received an ugly gash on the head, thought to have been inflicted by brass knucks. The city marshal took them in charge and they will likely contribute to the finances of the city in the way of a fine.

J. P. Rye, of Sipe Springs was in town one day last week and in conversation with a Visitor reporter stated that he had just finished selling sweet potatoes off of three acres of land and this sale had netted him just a little less than $300 besides the amount he had on hand for home consumption. Mr. Rye further stated that he had bought his year's supplies and did not owe a dollar and yet had several bales of cotton on hand. He is a firm believer in diversification and has made money in this way.

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Killed by a Cow.

Ira Cummings, a farmer near Marshall, Oklahoma, was accidently killed near there Thursday while attempting to remove a cow and calf from a pasture. Cummings carried a loaded shot gun. The cow became angry, chased Cummins and in so doing caught her horns on the gun trigger, discharging the weapon, the contents entered Cummings' breast, killing him instantly.



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OVER THE COUNTRY.

LINGLEVILLE.

Regular Correspondence.

Dec. 1st.— Our little town is still growing. Mr. Hank Tudor moved into his new home this week. Mr. J. M. Holder moved in from Strawn this week for the benefit of the school at Christian College. Every dwelling house is now occupied and still there is a demand. But there is plenty of building room here and we need the good people.

The box supper, as a Thanksgiving entertainment at the public school building last Thursday night was quite a success financially and otherwise.

The entertainment at the Christian College last Friday night was said by many to be the finest ever given in this part of the country. The proceeds of the entertainment are to go to help seat the auditorium.

Mr. Tom Haggard and his sister, Miss Dora, were up to "take in" the entertainment Friday night. They remained over Sunday visiting with friends.

Miss Iris Vandergriff and her brother, Clyde, were here from Stephenville to see "Jumbo Jum" at the Christian College last Friday night. Among the other visitors here to see this great show were Mr. Tom Sorelle and Misses Price and Lewis of Lowell, Mrs. Dr. Snodgrass of Desdemona, Messrs. Jess Bowen of Topaz, Alvin Copeland and sister, Miss Clara and Miss Maude Watson of Huckabay.

The doctors say they have nothing to do these days.

Singings are the order of the day here now. The regular Sunday afternoon singings are as good as ever. Of course we have the finest singing here of any place in the county for we have won the gold medal in the county contest for three years in succession.

POINT LOOKOUT.

Regular Correspondence.

Nov. 30th—I very much regret to report the death of the four-year-old son of our neighbor Mr. Alex Jones, which occurred last Saturday. Also the death of little Richard, son of B. L. Richard, which occurred Sunday morning. Mr. Alex Jones' son died of slow fever and Mr. Richard's of diptheria. The scribe being confined to his bed with lagrippe did not know of the children being sick until their death occured.

J. V. Stephens has two sick children, which is about all the sickness to report.

Cotton picking is about over with. Farmers are anxious to see cold weather, so they can kill hogs.

James Brigance is working for W. G. Stephen and Tye Timberlake is working for V. S. Stephen.

Mesdames Sam Richards and John Neal are this week helping to clean and fumigate the house of their neighbor, Mr. B. L. Richards, to prevent further sickness, as diptheria is thought to be contagious.

Mr. Charley Johnson from the Territory, and his sister, Mrs. Gevin Scroggin from Stephenille, visited V. S. Stephen and family last Friday and Saturday.

Much excitement was aroused by two boys shooting into the four o'clock train Saturday evening. A drummer was hit with some glass from the window and the nergo porter scared very badly, so he says. Efforts are being made to find out the guilty partiy but no clue has been discovered.

Fight Will be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by Overton Drug Co. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

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"Now," she said, slowly, "as every boy has ambition. I would like to know how many boys would like to be president of the United States?"

Every boy save one raised his hand. The teacher looked in a surprised manner at one little fellow whose hands remained in his lap.

"Why, Willie," she exclaimed, "haven't you any desire to become president of this great country?"

"I'd like to alright," replied the boy mournfully, "but 'tain't no use, I'm a democrat."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears and a threatened attack may be warded off. Hundreds of people use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

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CHOICE OF ANY SUIT or OVERCOAT FOR $10.00

We have made the greatest slaughtering of prices that was ever made on HIGH CLASS MERCHANDISE. We cannot give a description and price of every article but we earnestly invite your inspection of our immense stock of

Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Clothing, Etc.

CHOICE OF ANY $2,50 HAT FOR ONLY $1.50

We Give a Few Prices to Give You an Idea as to How We Sell Everything

Clothing.

If you want to buy a suit or overcoat that is worth $15.00 for $10.00 this is the place for you to come. Or if you want to buy a nice pair of dress pants that is worth $3.00 for $2.00 this is the place. Any $3.50 or $4.00 boys suit in the house for only..... **3.00**

Don't forget that you have choice of any mans suit or overcoat for only..... **10.00**

EXTRA SPECIAL

A big lot of embroideries that is worth from 7 1.2 to 15c cts per yd. that we put in this sale at the very low price of **5c**

All that bought any of our embroideries in the big sale we had last fall know what bargains they got. These are just as good.

Ladies Jackets

Our stock of jackets is the largest in town and are the best values to be found anywhere. Prices from $2.00 to $15.00. Children Jackets from $1.00 to **5.00**

Try us on Ladies Dress Skirts for the biggest bargains you ever got.



YOUR CHOICE OF ANY SUIT OR OVERCOAT IN THE HOUSE FOR ONLY $10.00. OUR LINE OF $2.50 HATS ARE UNEXCELLED ANYWHERE FOR PRICE AND QUALITY. CHOICE **$1.50.**



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Fancy Vest.

We have the swellest line of mens fancy vests to be found in the city. They range in price from $2.00 to **3.50**

25 per cent discount on all fancy vests.

Mens Underwear

We have a lot of odd sizes in the 50c grade of underwear that we put in this sale at the small sum of **25c**

Mens Work Pants

When you want work pants you can get good ones here that are worth $1.00 and not have to pay but **60c**

Dress Goods

Our line of dress goods is just about twice the size we ever bought and embraces all the latest weaves and colorings.

50 in. Brilliantine 50c.

50 in. Suiting Cloths 50c.

54 in. $1.50 grade broad cloth 90c.

Our entire line is beyond comparison.

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Shoes.

Our line of shoes is without doubt the "Greatest on Earth". The Hamilton Brown shoes are known all over the world as being the best shoes that money can buy. Prices run from $1.50 to **5.00**

We have one lot of ladies heavy calf and oil grain shoes that we are selling at the very low price of **75c**

Ladies Corsets.

We have just received a new lot of the celebrated Henderson Corsets with hose supporters in front and on the hips. They are the most comfortable. Try one and you will always wear them.

Everything in Our Store goes at Correspondingly Low Prices.

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Erath Commissioners Court.

Among the acts of the late commissioners court were the following:

The petition of Lasker Real Estate association to have the tax on their property in Dublin reduced from $3,750 to 3,200 was rejected.

The bonds and reports of all county and precinct officers were received and approved.

Ordered that the justice court heretofore held at Highland be transferred to Lingleville.

The room in the court house heretofore occupied by the band boys will hereafter be used for the storing of ballot boxes and election supplies.

The court ordered a warrant issued in favor of Mrs. Correnda M. Cassady of McClennan county for the sum of $260, which amount was due from Erath county to Mrs. Cassady's late husband.

An election was ordered held in the Jennings school district for the purpose of determining whether the people of that district will tax themselves 20 cents on the $100 for school purposes. Said election will be held on Saturday, Dec. 17th.

It was ordered by the court that field notes of Mount Pisgah school district and the Gilmore school district be so changed as to include the land of J. C. Stringer in the Gilmore district.

The petition of A. Maloney and others praying for a remittal of the amount due Erath county on judgment rendered in the district court against J. I. McLeod in a case wherein he was sued on liquor dealer's bond was granted.

Pranks Came Near Causing Tragedy.

A number of girls, chaperoned by Mrs. E. W. Harris and Mrs. M. S. Gaines, says the Comanche Chief of last Saturday, were out Thanksgiving night playing pranks on their neighbors with a string and a can, usually called "tick tacking." By tying a string to the corner of a house, all sorts of peculiar sounds are made by manipulating the string.

Prof. J. A. Donaldson's home was one of the places visited. He had been annoyed by men or boys prowling around his home of nights—these window peepers—and had secured a gun to protect himself against them. Unfortunately he mistook the party of innocent girls for boys with evil intent, and going to the door with his gun fired twice. The gun was loaded with bird shot, and Mrs. Harris, Estelle Reese and Mary Harris were hit, several shot striking Mrs. Harris, one grazing Mary's neck and one making a slight wound in the back of Estelle's head. None of the wounds are at all serious. Prof. Donaldson is very much grieved over the affair and deeply regrets the injuries he has caused.

Later—Complaint has been filed against Prof. Donaldson and the case will come up at the next session of county court.

An Open Question Solved at Last Touching Cause of Russo-Jap War.

It has long been an open question whether the common soldiers forming the armies of Russia and Japan, realized what they were fighting for, at last his question has been settled, and there no longer remains any doubt on this subject. J. J. Pendergast Murphy, a Frenchman of much renown, and correspondent for the United Press of Paris, France, writing to his paper under date of Mukden, Nov. 15th, says: "I have given much time and thought on the subject of what the soldiers of Russia and Japan consider the cause for which they are spilling so much blood and killing so many men on each side, and at last I am able to say without the least question of doubt that each have the same idea in mind, and the real difference between the opposing great armies is the route to the end in view.

It has been proclaimed from headquarters that Mistrot Bros. & Co., Dublin, Tex., U. S. A. are closing out their large stock of goods at Galveston wholesale cost, and each army is striving to get there first, the Russians claiming the quickest route is via Port Arthur, while the wiley Jap considers it the road leading through St. Petersburg. Thus we find the two largest armies massed for real conflict in years, of one mind as to where to buy goods the cheapest.

What a bonanza it would be to the Mistrots if they removed their Dublin business to Mukden after Jan. 1st, 1905. Read their full page ad in the Progress.

Erath County Statistics.

COUNTY BIRTHS.

T. Featherstone, Lingleville girl.
Regeo Echols, Lingleville, girl.
George Barton, Lingleville, girl.
Wm. Pennington, Lingleville, girl.
S. Underwood, Alexander, boy.
Buck Rogers, near Lipan, boy.
M. N. Keith, Lingleville, girl.

DEATHS.

James Walton Langdon, near Pilot Point, thirty years.

Redding Vandergraff, Stephenville, eigthy-five years old, heart disease.

Mrs. S. Underwood, Alexander, of convulsions.

Miss Pearl Pickett, Bluff Dale, eighteen years of age.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk John Frey since last report:

J. D. Bishop and Mrs. Jennie Seats, Harbin.

B. S. Salton and Miss Abbie Pitty, Dublin.

S. B. Leveret and Miss Mary Chapel, Stephenville.

Elmo Head and Miss Rosa Gordon, Stephenville.

Ben Smith and Miss Annie Timberlake, Dublin

Lee Thompson and Miss Mary Hefner, Huckabay.

John Martin and Miss Clyde Kelley, Stephenville.

J. H. Stone and Miss Eva Laney.

R. W. Skipper and Miss Estelle Shofner, Skippers Gap.

Will Price and Miss Bessie Briles, Ex Ray.

Bosque County District Court.

State of Texas vs. J. A. Court, continued by defendant.

S. E. Mitchell vs. Henry King, continued by plaintiff.

Mattie J. Allen vs. A.G Ghorton, plaintiff takes a non-suit.

Cora L. Searcey vs. P. E. Schow, re-set for fifth week.

J. C. Gravitt vs. Carrie Gravitt, divorce granted.

Carrie Lequarn vs. C. J. Lequarn, divorce granted.

C. Paulson vs. G. Paulson, divorce granted.

Zella B. Elledge vs. J. C. Elledge, divorce granted.—Morgan News.

Carrie Nation in This Section.

Carry Nation, the famous "smasher," lectured in Brownwood Saturday night, says the Bulletin, and afterward visited the clubs where she appealed to the proprietors to give up their damnable business for the sake of the mothers and boys of the community. Mrs. Nation did not arrive in the city until a late hour, but found a large crowd assembled at the court house waiting to see and hear her. It was 10:30 o'clock when she arrived but she began talking as she entered the door of the court house and for thirty minutes kept the crowd well entertained. As Mrs. Nation mounted the platform she called for her grips, saying that she could not talk without her hatchet. Without a sound the people waited until she unfastened her grip and then a mighty cheer arose as she held up a bible and said: "This is my hatchet." In her speech Mrs. Nation scored the attorney who filed a petition before the Galveston judge for an injunction in the Brown county local option matter. She further said that when the local option law was not enforced it was because the omcers were in sympathy with those who violate it. In offering her books and souvenir hatchets for sale Mrs. Nation made mention of the origin of the great "hatchetation" movement and told how many times she had been in jail. She sold quite a number of her books and souvenirs.

After the speaking several ladies and gentlemen were accompanying Mrs. Nation to the hotel and on passing a club one of the large crowd of followers called out, "Here is a club." "Where," came the quick response from the famous "smasher," as she turned and made straight for the door. She searched out the proprietor and told him how he was conducting a business in direct opposition to the expressed will of the people. Then she plead with him to give up such a life for the sake of mothers and boys of the community. After the little episode the party jurneyed on toward the hotel but on passing John Martin's billiard hall, with a club in the rear, the procession again came to a halt and Mrs. Nation, followed by several other ladies, entered. Like the former place she was quickly in peaceful possession of the entire building. She did not attempt to smash anything, but delivered a regular curtain lecture to the men pointed out as those in charge.

Mrs. Nation went to Comanche on the early train yesterday, where she was to deliver an address at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

'Phone 146 if you want fresh oysters. Hallmark gets them fresh every day.

Everything you need in the blacksmithing, horse shoeing, buggy, carriage and wagon work. Bring it in or 'phone to us and will call and get it.—Bateman & Boyes. 28-tf.

Local Option Case Decided.

The court of criminal appeals sitting at Tyler last week, rendered a verdict in the case of Jim Keith, colored, which was appealed from this county as a test of the validity of the local option election last held here. The court sustained the validity as appears from the following report from Tyler:

"In exparte, Keith from Erath county, the court remanded him to custody. The court held that as to notice of elections the Terrell election law did not replace or take place of the local option law. The local option law requires as a prerequisite that five notices shall be posted at least twelve days before the election in the territory to be effected. The Terrell election law provides that the notices for special elections shall be posted twenty days before. The facts showed that twenty-seven notices were posted, one at each voting precinct in the county, twenty days before the election was held, and it was also agreed that the notices were legal and posted by the county clerk. "In regard to posting, the court reached the conclusion that this was sufficient compliance with the local option law, both as to notices and length of time of posting. In a recent case Judge Bryant of the federal court held the reverse—in other words, sustained that provision of the Terrell election law."

Says Guessing Contests are Lotteries

United States Attorney General Moody rendered a decision Monday regarding the legality under the lottery laws, of guessing contests, which have been conducted by many newspapers and magazines.

Some time ago on the request of the postmaster general the president directed the attorney general to submit to him an opinion as to the propriety under the law of restricting the operations of lottery enterprises through the mails of guessing contests of various kinds. That opinion was submitted Monday and was turned over by the president to Postmaster General Wynne, who hereafter will be guided in his direction of the department by it.

The opinion is of a most sweeping character, and while the postmaster general has no inclination to work a hardship upon anybody, he will put the attorney general's judgement into effect as soon as practicable. He realizes that many thousands of people have invested small or large amounts of money in the various schemes in the hope or expectation in the words of the opinion that luck would enable them to win large turns.

A comparatively small percentage of the participants will realize their expectations, continues the opinion. Thousands will get nothing. The attorney general says that these schemes are in effect lotteries under guise of contests.

Postmaster General Wynne indicated that it was not his purpose to apply the opinion of Mr. Moody indiscriminately saying it was his intention to consider each case brought before the department on its individual merits.

Why Roosevelt Smiles.

A lady of the official circle in Washington claims she has made discovery as to the origin of one of of president's best known traits. It is the habit of keeping a smile on his face on all occasions. "If ever saw the president when he forced to banish a smile," this confided to a friend the other "you would understand why he has acquired the habit of wearing it on all possible occasions. I never saw him without a smile until the other day at Mr. Hoar's funeral and I give you my word I dont' want to see him without it again. No one would call his face handsome or attractive even when he looks his best and smiles his genialist. But when his face is in absolute repose and not only serious but solemn—well, enough to startle a timid person. It is the most solemn human countenance you ever saw. He probably found out long 'ago, and that's why he wears the smile that doesn't come off. He is entitled to wear it."

Last Monday while Grover Lambert of Johnson City was driving a team of mules hitched to a wagon across the Colorado river bridge at Marble Falls, the mules, upon meeting another team, balked and reared, finally lurching against the bridge rail with such force that it gave way, precipitating team and wagon over the edge of the bridge. The driver escaped by a very narrow margin by jumping. Both mules were killed. The distance fallen was about forty feet. The balustrade was of wood at that point, being the approach to the iron bridge.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Orton Drug Co.

OUR TALE IS SOON TOLD

Great crop prospects—large trade anticipations—immense purchases in the markets—biggest stock, best stuff, we ever owned—farmers holding cotton—season advancing—clothing go slow---must get rid of it, hence in order to make it move fast we have concluded to inaugurate the

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All New, Stylish, Up-to-Date Stock, Ever Held in Dublin.

We do not quote prices, neither do we ask you to take our word for it, but come to our store and let us "show you". Look through this immense stock of stylish, well made and durable clothing, note the prices, and then if we do not convince you that we are offering you the Greatest Clothing Bargains ever heard of in this town, you may go elsewhere to buy and we will never utter a protest. We are also making big reductions in other departments that it will pay you to investigate.

Sale Begins Saturday, December 3, and Continues Two Weeks.

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...l bucket of fresh oysters received ...y day at Hallmark's restaurant. ...ne No. 146.

...e Dublin High School girls will ...the Hico team a match game ...sket ball in Hico Saturday after-...

...e Brownwood public school has ...rollment, counting white and ...ol, of 1002 and an average attend-...during the past month of 784.

...y a sack of the Red Cross flour ...a high grade flour that will give ...the best bread you ever ate. ...s and Friend are exclusive ...ts.

...e Erath county teachers associa- ...will meet at Purves Friday and ...day of next week. The pro- ...for the meeting appears in ...er column of this paper.

...r Sale:—My property in east ...n, five acres, five room house, ...barn, etc. Easy terms. A ...n if sold soon. Address L. B. ...ms, Peniel, Texas. 28-3p.

...e examination for teachers' cer- ...es will be held at the public ...building in Stephenvile today ...morrow, beginning at 8 o'clock ...orning.

...Rassmusson, who now resides ...Pinto county, was here the ...the week to close up the sale ...Shoffner house to R. F. Dick- ...Mr. Rassmusson was the own- ...he property.

...p. Stephens who has resided ...e time fifteen years two miles ...t Purves moved last week ...little city in order to get ...ge of the excellent schools

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...n the liver becomes torpid it ...upon the kidneys extra work in ...the body free from impurities. ...tra work they will perform for a ...ithout serious disturbance, for ...e tough organs, but at last the ...becomes too heavy, they are ...ed and disordered, and unless ...r is promptly stimulated they ...own and the more serious trouble ... When this stage is reached the ...e liver regulating and kidney ...ening properties of Prickly Ash ...are badly needed. It is safe to ...no one would ever die of Bright's ...if he would apply this remedy ...critical time. Unfortunately, ...the kidneys do not at first ...any decided symptoms. The ...is conscious that something is ...but fails to apply a remedy for ...struggles on until the disease ...prostrates him completely, ...le the deadly work of destruc- ...on steadily in his vital organs. ...neys being weakened and pow- ...re no longer able to extract the ...uric acid from the blood, so it ...into the system and gradually ...changing to uric acid poison ...tends its malignant influence ...part of the body. The albumen ...ould nourish the system passes ...through the liver and kidneys ...pes with the urine, so the pa- ...trength fails for want of food. ...point the disease takes on a ...character, dropsy sets in and ...of uraemic poisoning rapidly ...The importance of checking ...es of the disease at the earliest ...moment cannot be over-esti- ...When the trouble is confined to ...it is bad enough, but when the ...break down it at once becomes ...d death struggle with the cer- ...t death will win the race unless ...helped in its effort to restore ...The prudent and best course is ...the use of Prickly Ash Bitters ...t signs of disorder in the liver. ...symptoms are plentiful and ...noticed when the stomach fails ...food properly. The victim be- ...ons, languid, constipated and ...om indigestion, headache, diz- ...l breath and flatulence. A ...of Prickly Ash Bitters will ...t the bilious impurities, ...and revive the torpid liver, ...and regulate the bowels and ...feeling of strength, vigor and ...

...no substitute. Insist on having ...ine Prickly Ash Bitters with the ...ure 3 in red on the front label.

...Druggists, $1.00 per bottle.

...g & Jewelry Co., Special Agents.

The Eastland Chronicle of last Friday says: J. H. Latham and Preston Morgan of Dublin came up last Sunday to see Will Dixon.... The children and grand-children and great-grand children of "Grandma" Hargus, celebrated her eighty-first birthday at the home of her son, B. L. Hargus, two miles east of Eastland, last Tuesday, the 22nd..... Sheriff Bedford and Deputy Jim Steele, went to Bear Springs last Monday evening and arrested Frank Eaton and Will Webb. The boys were charged with an assault with intent to murder. They readily gave bond to await the action of the grand jury and returned home.

W. Y. Reid has disposed of his 135 acre farm two miles from Purves to J. W. Haynes late of near Gatesville and M. L. Copeland late of Hazle Dell, who took charge of their respective portions of the property yesterday. The trade was consumated through J. G. Conner & Co., of Dublin and the consideration was $2,900. Mr. Reid will continue to reside on his farm of 213 acres, adjoining the one sold.

Rev. O. P. Kiker, the new pastor of the Methodist church at this place arrived the first of the week with his family and has assumed charge, while Rev. Wiseman left the first of the week for his new field of labor at Moody. The new pastor comes to us from Italy, Texas, but was practically raised in Erath county and is a nephew of "Uncle" Johnnie Kiker of near Dublin.

Strayed November 7th—Smutty blue horse mule, five years old, 14½ hands high, harness mark on left shoulder, mane and tail roached and ring around tail, wire cut on point of shoulder. Information will be thankfully received or reasonable reward paid for delivery of mule four miles west of Highland.—W. H. Lester, Route 3, De Leon, Tex. 29-2p.

Comanche is really negotiating with contractors in regard to a new three story brick hotel. It is belived that all arrangements will be completed by Christmas and the building be erected at once. If Comanche with one railroad can afford a first class hotel, how about Dublin, the headquarters for drummers and cotton men.

W. J. Rosamond came up from Hico the first of the week to remain here during the remaining cotton ginning season. The Armstrong gin will shut down for the season tomorrw evening and the Wasson gin stopped several days ago and Mr. Rosamond will finish up crops here. He says the season is practically over at Hico.

Chas. Faulkner was hunting Saturday, says the Brownwood Bulletin, and shot a rabbit which on examination he found to have five well developed horns. The horns protrude from all parts of the head and are from one to two inches long. Mr. Faukner thinks he has killed a real curiosity in the way of a rabbit.

The remodeling of the heating apparatus at the school building has been completed and the board accepted the work Friday last. For the best results an additional furnace should be installed but the present arrangement is expected to furnish plenty of heat except in the case of extremely cold weather.

Joe Broyles of Alexander was in Dublin yesterday. He sold his property near Alexander some month ago, as stated in the Progress at the time and he will remove within two weeks to near Lamkin in Hamilton county, where he has purchased a 375 acre tract of land at a consideration of $8,200.

Thomas Keyser of Stockton, California, is in the county on a visit to his brother, H. B. Keyser at Stephenville and others. He made a considerable present to his brother a day or two ago in presenting him with a fine bunch of cattle in Jack county.

Jno. E. Boynton has recently been making some improvements on the residence property in east Dublin, which was taken in some months ago by him from L. H. Capell in the trade of a stock of goods. Mr. Capell moved the goods to Edna.

C. M. Dodgen of Alexander has disposed of his house and lot there to Rederick Bryan of Stephenville Mr. Dodgen will remove to Italy in Ellis county and enter the ginning business and Mr. Bryan will open a livery business at Alexander.

Carrie Nation last Sunday night was introduced to a large Comanche audience by a strong anti. She sold $150 worth of hatchets and books to the church people and others of the town, even if she was introduced by an anti and on Sunday night.

Services at the Presbyterian church morning and night, next Sunday. Subject of the night sermon, "Preparation." This is the second service in the series for young people. The public is cordially invited.—Gaines B. Hall, pastor.

Erath County Teachers' Institute.

Following is the program of the Erath County Teachers Institute which meets at Purves Friday night and Saturday December 9th and 10th.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

Welcome Address—J. T. Russell.

Response.—George Tummins.

Attitude of the Parents toward the Educational Welfare of their Children.—E. I. Hall.

The remainder of the program for Friday night is to be supplied by the people of Purves.

SATURDAY 9:30 A. M.

Language without a Book—Mrs. Tummins.

Language with a Book—Miss Sloan Jones.

Grammar in the Intermediate Grades—Miss Lucy Moore.

Grammar in the High School Grades—J. S. Long.

Business Meeting.

SATURDAY 1:30. P. M.

Welsh's Composition, When Taught and how to Teach it—Jas. F. Cox.

Rhetoric, as to its Relation to Grammar and Diction—Henry Sims.

Rhetoric as to Figures and Literature—C. H. Hale.

Literature in the Public Schools—D. P Parker.

The visiting teachers will be entertained by the citizens of Purves.

Carrie Nation in Dublin.

Mrs. Carrie Nation of Kansas passed through Dublin Monday morning on the early train from Comanche and while the train was keeping its schedule of twenty minutes for breakfast she took a shot at a number of men who were in the waiting room at the depot enjoying a smoke. Mrs. Nation entered the depot to get some change and as she spied the men with the cigars she promptly gave them a lecture of the strenous kind.

Lowney's reputation is built on quality, so is Overton Drug Co's.

Have moved my 'phone from my residence to Bateman & Boyes.—W. H. Boyes. 28-tf.

Carrie Nation spoke at the court house in Brownwood Saturday night and at Comanche Sunday afternoon.

Last week five more divorce suits were filed for the coming term of district court in this county, making a total now on the docket of twenty-eight cases.

Try a sack of the Red Cross flour that will give you the best bread you ever ate. Rawls & Friend are exclusive agents. 14-tf

A coated tongue foul breath and clogged condition in the bowels, suggests the use of Prickly Ash Bitters. It is just suited for such ailments. For sale by Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co.

Mose Arnold charged with the murder of Shirley Stewart, was found guilty in the district court at Glen Rose last week and punishement assessed at seven years in the penitentiary.

Lost—Ladies gold brooch, set with pearls. Lost between residence of Rev. E. L. Compere and Patrick street. Five dollars reward will be paid for deilvery at this office 28-2t.

County court is in session at Stephenville. The Empire says that Attorney Pannell is making it warm for violators of the local option law, though none of them have been convicted on account of a lack of evidence.

T. W. Hall, proprietor, has sold the Farmers restaurant, opposite the Progress office to A. M. Stricklen, late of Stephenville, who took charge yesterday. Mr. Hall finds the work injurious to his health and will farm next year.

Dr. L. O. Morian, the celebrated ostheopathic physician is in Dublin to remain several weeks and is located while here at the O'Neal hotel. Dr. Morian comes to Dublin well recommended and he has already demonstrated upon a number of patients the remarkable power of ostheopathic treatment given by him.

Ayer's

One dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral at bedtime prevents night coughs of children. No croup. No bronchitis. A

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doctor's medicine for all affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs. Sold for over 60 years.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for eight years. Have nothing equal to it for coughs and colds, especially for children."—MRS. W. H. BRYMER, Shelby, Ala.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Night Coughs

Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

Yesterday afternoon a young man from San Saba county went into Spangenberg & Trone's and bought an overcoat, which he had wrapped up and marked with his name on the bundle and laid aside, says the Brownwod Bulletin of Tuesday. Last night he appeared at the store and called for the bundle which was delivered to him, but as the people in the store were busy no particular attention was paid to him. He called for a package with that name on it, and no more thought was given the matter until morning, when he appeared again and called for the coat. He was told that it had been delivered the evening before to a man who had called for it At this he grew indignant and intimated that as no one in town knew him, the firm was merely trying to do him out of a top coat, which he must have or get his money back. The firm gave him another coat and notified Officer Bud Rhone of the transaction. Rhone went to the young man's buggy and found one of the overcoats wrapped up under the buggy seat, while the man had the other on. He was arrested and lodged in jail to explain the transaction to the court, which he has so far been unable to do satisfactorily to the firm or the officers.

Letter to J. H. Latham
Dublin, Texas.

Dear Sir: The way to reckon the cost of paint is to put both costs together: the cost of the paint and the cost of putting it on.

It would save this country hundreds of millions of dollars a year; it would save you alone (if you happened to be a victim) several dollars each year.

See how it works. It costs as much to put on one paint as another, don't it?

Yes, if you use the same number of gallons.

Well, don't I?

No, you'll use twice as many gallons of adulterated paint as of Devoe; and you've got to pay twice as much for putting it on.

Mr. N. Avery, Delhi, N. Y., has two houses alike and in same condition. Painted one house with Devoe: 6 gallons. Painted the other house with a paint that was half aduleration: 12 gallon. Same painter, Geo. Gilbert, did both jobs. One cost $27; the other $54.

Better go by the name. Yours truly,

F. W. Devoe & Co.

Claimed it was First Offense.

Fourteen dollars for eleven months service is not very good pay, though this is what Jake McKinney of Hico is giving, says the Meridian Tribune of last week. McKinney was reading the advertisements in the papers a little more than six months ago, and noticed one in which a man at Sherman wanted several thousand tobacco tags, the kind that is offered by some of the big concerns. He wrote to the advertiser saying that he had them and would be glad to sell them. The man sent him fifteen dollars for the supply of tags that he had on hand, but the tags were never heard of again, neither was the money. The letter written by McKinney was turned over to Post-Office Inspector Bass, who arrested McKinney on charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes. He was arrested and placed in jail and has been in jail for five months.

In the district court of the United States at Waco Wednesday of last week McKinney entered a plea of guilty to Judge T. S. Maxey and placed himself at the mercy of the court. He said that he had never committed an offense before. He expressed sorrow at his transgression this time and promised that he would do so no more.

After hearing the statement of the defendant, Judge Maxey gave him a short lecture and said this being his first offense he would not send him to the penitentiary, but would fix his punishment at six months in the McClennan county jail, and would fine him one dollar. His fifteen dollars was thus reduced to fourteen and the six months term in jail and the five months he has already served makes eleven months that he will have served for fourteen dollars.

We are exclusive agents in Dublin for the celebrated Red Cross flour—the best ever brought to this section.—Rawls & Friend.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of H. B. Gentry & Co. has this day by mutual consent been dissolved, W. G. Gentry retiring and W. J. Grissom purchasing his stock in the business, which will hereafter be known as Gentry & Grissom with the undersigned as proprietors.

H. B. Gentry
W. J. Grissom.

Dublin, Texas, Nov. 17th, '04. 27-3t.

Epworth League.

Topic—"Conscientious Stewardship."—Leader Miss Richardson.

The program will be left open for all Leaguers who will express themselves on the above topic and they are requested to look up the references. A cordial invitation is extended to all and strangers are especially welcomed.

You'll Have To Hurry

Christmas Photographs

Last year we worked day and a good part of the night just before Christmas yet many were disappointed in getting photos from the fact they put off sitting for negatives too late. We have some swell things in the way of mounts, folders, frames and new things for the holidays.

Edmonds' Studio

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Make This Bank Headquarters When in Dublin.

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OF DUBLIN, TEXAS.

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We are going to change our prices and sell you goods so cheap that you can't help buying. We are going to cut the price to 10 per cent above cost on every article in the house. All we ask is that you get our prices before buyiug. We'll make prices for cash that can't be beat. Your for business,

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DUBLIN, TEXAS.

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DUBLIN, TEXAS.

New Office Created.

The retiring commissioners court, which has recently been in session, numbers among its last acts the creation of the office of county superintendent of schools and appointed to that position the retiring county judge, L. N. Frank at a salary of $1,200 per annum. $800 of this sum will be taken from the ex-officio salary of the county judge, the other $400 coming from the school fund. The office was created by a vote of three to one, the hold over commissioner, Mr. Herring, of Duffau, voting against it.

Purify the sewers of the body and stimulate the digestive organs to maintain health strength and energy. Prickly Ash Bitters is a tonic for the kidneys, liver, stomach and bowels. For sale by Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co.

If you need nursery stock get W. H. McKnight's cut prices. 25-tf.

Grandson of Travis Dying.

Charles De Causey is critically ill in the home of strangers in Austin, with little prospect of recovery. He is a grandson of William B. Travis, the hero of the Alamo. Young De Causey is the last of the family and is also said to be the only living descendant of a martyr of the Alamo. De Causey's father, who was a noted soldier, died not very long ago, and was soon followed by his wife, the young man's mother. The elder De Causey had been wealthy in his day, as well as a soldier, but in his last years he was poor and served as a watchman or guard at the state capitol.

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TEXAS SPECIALS

Interesting and Important Bits of News Happening Over the State Recently.

Stephens county redeemed an issue of $6,000 of bridge bonds Monday.

A gasoline engine exploded at Valley Veiw Monday and slightly injured two men.

A party of enigneers are said to be in the field locating a route for a railroad from Amarillo or Canyon City to Ballinger.

A mild case of small pox has been discovered at Ennis, the afflicted one being an old negro, who has been quarantined.

Two candidates in Hays county have made oath that they did not spend a cent in their canvass for office in the recent campaign.

A fine cotton gin was destroyed at McGregor Wednesday morning of last week with an estimated loss of $5,000 with insurance of $3,500.

On account of the reported yellow fever case in Havana, Cuba, all ships from the island arriving at Galveston will be fumigated.

J. J. Tripp has been acquitted of the murder of Constable Lew Clark, whom he killed in front of the court house at Gainesville in July of last year.

Deputy Sheriff Noble of Lampasas, accidentally shot himself through the calf of the leg last Sunday morning while hunting on the Colorado river.

The Hill county Truck growers association has organized at Hillsboro with E. V. Smith of Woodbury president and P. M. McDonald of Peoria secretary.

Dan Patch the noted pacing record making horse failed to beat the Star Poinaer record of a mile in 1.59¼ minutes on the Dallas track Thanksgiving day. His time was 2.01 1-5.

It has been ascertained that the amount paid by Bell county to election judges and clerks for holding the late eelction, amounted to a sum equal to 33⅓ for every vote cast.

County Treasurer John Farmer of Houston, state chairman of the County Treasurers Association, has called a meeting of the association to assemble in Waco next Monday December 5th.

A large barn belonging to C. C. Ussery, twelve miles north of Gainesville, was destroyed by fire a few nights ago with sixty-five tons of cotton seed, 150 bushels of corn, and a quantity of hay and implements.

A baby boy weighing only three pounds was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hewitt of Texarkana. It has been placed in an incubator and will be kept there until it develops strength enough to withstand outside atmosphere.

County Clerk Lee Blanchette of Beaumonnt has been sued for $6,950, by James W. M. Carley of near there for issueing a marriage license to his daughter, who was but fourteen yeras old. The petition sets out $1,950 as the value of the girls help from her marriage date to the time she would arrive of mature age and $5,000 for damages.

A farmer residing near Paris got drunk at that place and was put in the calaboose while in town after a coffin for a deceased neighbor. Others came to town to see about him before the police knew his errand and released him.

Under an ordinance of several years back the heatlh officer and city physician in Ft. Worth are making rigid inspection of samples of milk extracted from the cans carried by the milk wagons there to see if there are any impurites in the milk.

The paymaster of the rural delivery carriers of Texas says there will be a very large expanison of the rural delivery system in Texas on December 1st. The pay roll for December will be about $7,000 over that of November, which was $65,000.

It is approximated that there were as many as twelve thousand bales of cotton being held at Paris last Saturday, one third of which belonged to farmers and the balance to merchants and cotton buyers. It is declared that it will take ten cents to move it.

United States deputy marshals arrived at Houston Tuesday with Chinamen from Texas, Alabama and Mississippi, there being a total of fourteen Chinks to be taken to San Francisco for deportation. Others are to be picked up as the special car proceeds to San Francisco.

Len Spencer, an employe at the mills at Abilene, was mangled by a belt Monday morning while attending to his duties. His right arm was broken and a great deal of flesh torn off. He was also seriously injured about the head, though his injuries are not likely to prove fatal.

Arthur M. Armwsorth surrendered to officers at Denton Saturday and said he was wanted in Bowie county for homicide of a man committed there six years ago, Armsworth has been in the army service in the Phillipines for four years and says that he is tired of dodging the officers.

Officers from Galveston arrived at Houston Monday, for John Nelson, a negro wanted on a chage of highway robbery. They had located him at the infirmary. Shortly after the negro had been apprized of the arrival of the officers he was seized with hemorrhage of the lungs and died within a few minutes.

J. R. Kelley, a Santa Fe brakeman, was accidently killed Monday at Valley Mills. He was chaining up a car and was caught between the engine and a box car. His home was in Temple and he leaves a wife and two small children. The body was taken to Junction City for burial, where his parents reside.

President O. P. Pyle of the fruit and truck growers state association has called a meeting of the fruit and truck growers to assemble at Jacksonville on December 15th to discuss the growing, packing, classifying and marketing of products and the freight rates on them. Railroads will give special rates to the meeting.

Mac Marble of the Rosedale settlement near Beaumont, voluntarily surrendered one day last week and said he had shot and instantly killed Todelle Bourderauz, another farmer of that section. Young Marble claims the deceased tried to shoot his father and he shot him in the back just in time to save his father.

The state canvassing board, consisting of Governor Lanham, Attorney General Bell and Secretary of State Curl, began Monday counting the returns of the vote in the several counties of Texas for presidential electors. That for state officers other than governor and lieutenant governor will not be counted until Dec. 18th.

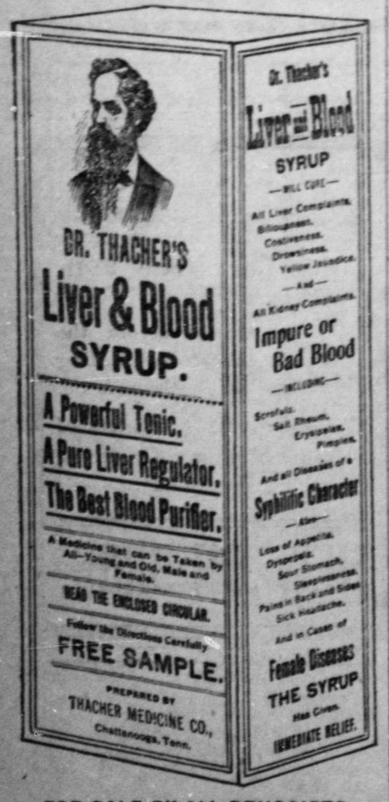
Tom Laughlin, a farmer residing near Farmington, was almost instantly killed by a stalk cutter Saturday afternoon. He was driving out of a field in which he had been at work and a wheel of the cutter ran off of a small culbert. He was attempting to get it back on when his mules lunged and ran a tooth of the cutter through his body.

The sheriff at Belton made a timely discovery Saturday night when in taking a search through the jail to see that all was right he found two prisoners under penitentiary sentence, who had in their possession several files, pocket knives, razors, bottles of acid and other things with which they intended to escape.

Two farmers on their way to Sawyer, Texas, from the territory had a peculiar mishap. They tied one team behind the other wagon and were riding in the front one, when suddenly the rear mules began to plunge. The rear wagon was found to be on fire and in getting the mules lose one of the farmers was badly burned.

An Italian boy who left Italy on September 23rd, bound for Corsicana, has arrived there after quite an experience. The boy reached New Orleans Oct. 17th and had forgotten where to go. His failure to arrive at Corsicana resulted in a report to police officers, who traced the boy to an Italian camp on the Mississippi river about forty miles north of New Orleans.

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Unexplored Regions.

"There is a popular notion that every bit of the earth's surface has been explored except its poles," said Dr. Cranch B. Young of Boston at New Willard. "Nothing could be farther from the truth. Why, at our very doors there are lands as much a mystery as was the interior of Patagonia half a century ago. The waters of the Gulf of St. Lawernce, the gateway to the ocean for a large part of the continent of North America, wash the southern shores of Labrador, about the interior of which almost absolutely nothing is known.

"The fishermen of the northern banks know every inlet and headland of its bleak seacost, but fishermen are not explorers, and they do not penetrate to its interior. I have heard of white men who went fifteen or twenty miles from the coast in search of game, and nearly every one of them told the same story — a story of oppressive wastes and barrenness that inspired nameless dread and terror. I don't believe there has ever been a scientific exploration into the interior of Labrador. Who knows what treasures are hidden away in those bleak and rocky mountains? Isn't the prospect one to stir the blood of youth? If I were a young man I should like to undertake such a venture. There is danger and hardships enough to tempt the most strenous, and the glamor of a new land ought to furninsh a sufficiency of incentive. Why should not gold fields be found in Labrador? They would be easier to reach than California was in the early days or the Klondike is today."—Washington Post.

Judge Reagan's Reminisences.

One of the pictouresuqe figures of the south is Hon. John H. Reagan of Texas, and a fine, staunch old gentleman he is, and last surviving member of the associated pilots who tried to steer the bark of confederacy into the harbor of a national existence. He sat with party of friends during one of the thunder storms of convention week, and at last he said, in a tone of reminisence: "I never pass through one of these storms that it doesn't bring back the siege of Richmond to my mind. The booming of the great guns was exactly like thunder, and we almost ceased to notice. Strange what people can get used to. Why, the town would turn out into the streets at night and watch the bursting shells, very much as your people watch the illumination out at the Pike. Strange that the sense of fear and danger should have worn off but it did and we would even admire some especially brilliant burst. Among our party was a little woman for whom I used to feel a great pity. She was a beautiful girl from the north, who had surrendered to the chivalry of the south, and had come among us to live several years prior to the outbreak of hostilities. Of course her husband donned the grey, while her father, a regular army officer and two brothers wore the blue. 'Twas one of these sad combinations of circumstances that brought the quartette into direct opposition before Richmond—the husband commanding one of the fortifications against which the father was making determined assault. So every shot sent the iron into the soul of that little woman. 'Well,' I once said, teasingly, 'I half believe that way down in your heart, you are three-quarters traitor and do some earnest praying for those blamed Yankees out there. Now, honest Injun, dont' you hope they'll win?' Quick as a flash the little woman replied: 'I don't give the flip of a copper who wins. I just hate the whole nasty old war. All I want is for Tom and papa and the boys to get home safe and sound, and all this horrid noise to be over and done. It is no way to do—taking all the joy and comfort out of life. If I had it to say, every man would be sent home tomorrow.'

"Now, wasn't that just like a woman?" The old war horse beamed a comprehensive smile over the company and the observant woman, wishing to know more, said tentatively: "And general, in the light of events, don't you think that would have been a pretty good way to have settled it?"

For a moment there was a great chunk of silence that the general broke with a sigh: "Eventually that was the way it was settled. I thank God that 'tis stettled—and forever, I hope."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.



GIRL'S SECRET.

"Aunt Cassie came to visit us and she saw I was nervous, had the fidgets all the time, and she asked me many questions, and finally said, 'Why, you dear, sweet girl, it's not your temper that's bad, it's your constitution that's out of kilter. You sit right down now and write a letter to Dr. Pierce, at Buffalo, N. Y., tell him all your symptoms'—and so I did. It wasn't long before I had a long reply, carefully going over my case and telling me just what to do. I date my present happiness and little Cupid's return to the very day I sat down to write that letter to Dr. Pierce, for his advice was so good and his 'Favorite Prescription' worked such a complete change in me that now my former cheerfulness and good health—not to say anything of good looks—are restored to me. I have summoned Tom back to my side and we are to be married in June."

The proprietors and makers of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in *offering to pay $500* for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of the Womb, which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

It is natural that a woman who has been cured of womanly disease by "Favorite Prescription" should believe that it will cure others. It is natural too that she should recommend to other women the medicine which has cured her. It is such commendation which has made the name of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription a household word for the past thirty-eight years.

Pigs on Alfalfa Pasture.

It is well understood by many hog raisers that Alfalfa is a splendid crop for hogs. It is further been observed that young growing pigs and until the time they weigh about one hundred pounds show the beneficial effects of this crop in the greatest degree. Brood sows also give excellent returns from a field of alfalfa. While young pigs are growing and are producing muscle and bone they need food rich in the constituents which go to build up strong frame work. An abundance of protein is needed for that purpose and this is found in alfalfa, hence its value. When hogs are pastured on alfalfa it is more economical to feed some grain in addition as more economical gains are made in this manner. About half of the regular grain ration fed in connection with alfalfa will give splendid results. Alfalfa should never be pastured the first year, and as a rule it is better not to do so the second year, but rather cut the crop for hay. By the third year the roots have become well established, are strong and have grown a good way down into the soil and pasturing may be begun. It is estimated by some that an acre of alfalfa when the hogs are fed a one-half grain ration, will produce two thousand pounds of pork during the season. If we credit one-half of this gain to the alfalfa the profit per acre from this crop at five cents per pound for the pork would be less than $50, which would be a handsome profit considering the fact that no harvesting was necessary. The great value of green feed for hogs is not generally so well appreciated as it should be. Let us have more hog pastures in the future.—Successful Farmer.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S

Ashburnham, Ontario, Testifies to the Good Qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy'

Ashburnham, Ont., April 19, 1903. —I think it is only right that I should tell you what a wonderful effect Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has produced. The day before Easter I was so distressed with a cold and cough that I did not think to be able to take any duties the next day, as my voice was almost choked by the cough. The same day I received an order from you for a bottle of your Cough Remedy. I at once procured a sample bottle, and took about three doses of the medicine. To my great relief the cough and cold had entirely disappeared and I was able to preach three times on Easter Day.

I know that this rapid and effective cure was due to your Cough Remedy. I make this testimonial without solicitation, being thankful to have found such a God-sent remedy.

Respectfully yours,
E. A. Langfelf, M. A.,
Rector of St. Luke's Church.

To Chamberlain Medicine Co.

This remedy is for sale by Overton Drug Co.

Judge Terrell Forgetful.

Under the Terrell election law all sucessful candidates in an election are required to file with the county judge of their respective counties an itemized statement of all campaign expenses, and same must be in hand within ten days after the election.

It transpires that all but two of the Houston candidates complied with that provision of the law, one being a county commissioner and the other A. W. Terrell, the father of the election law. Judge Terrell was re-elected to the legislature and can be said to be among the first to violate the provisions of a state law, of which he was the author.

The said law provides a penalty for failure to file the itemized statement mentioned.

First Newspapers in America.

Uncle Jerry Herrington, of near Mulhall, Oklahoma, has in his possession a copy of the first newspaper printed in the United States. It is the "Boston News Letter," and bears date of April 17th, 1704. The paper was given Mr. Herrington by G. M. Benson of Belle Plane, Kan., more than twenty years ago, and had been in the Benson family from generation to generation. It is now yellow with age, and bears very little resmblance to the newspapers of today.

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Mrs. Maud Adams, Goldthwaite, Tex., writes:—"I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup and find it the BEST medicine for croup, coughs and colds. My children use it and it is pleasant to take and quickly cures."

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FARMS.

10—Farm and store—60 acre tract of good land, with 40 in cultivation, located nine miles from Dublin, good orchard and tenant house. Also a store house and stock of drugs and groceries worth $5 0. Will sell altogether or reserve store. Price of land $1,500 with one-half cash.

20—100 acres mixed land eight miles south of Dublin, 35 acres in cultivation, 40 acres more good land to put in; near good school. $1,750; one half cash, balance to suit.

21—273 acres in the Kiker's Gin settlement. 75 in cultivation; over 50 more acres good land can be put in. Good house, barn, crib, three wells, wind mill, fine tank etc. $6,000; good terms.

22—108 acres 12 miles from Dublin. 40 acres in cultivation, 40 more acres good tilable land; plenty of timber and lasting water good young orchard and good five room, well finished house. $2,250; one half cash.

29—100 acres 20 miles northwest of Dublin, one mile of store, postoffice, good school, two churches; 40 acres in cultivation, more to put in, one 6 room and one 4 room house, two good wells, extra good grass with good tank in pasture; 1500.00.

31—150 acres 5 miles from Dublin; 55 acres in cultivation, as much more to put in; new 3-room house, good out-buildings, plenty of timber, level; well and windmill. This is in fine shape and cheap at 3000.00.

34—143 acres four miles from Dublin with 70 in cultivation and 30 or 40 more to put in. A good house of four rooms with gallery; windmill, tank, plenty of good timber; within one-fourth mile of good church and school. This is a good place and everything up in good shape. 20.00 an acre.

37—128½ acres 8 miles from Dublin; ¼ mile good gin, 2 miles 2 good schools; 3 room house with gallery; small barn; young orchard; 25 acres in cultivation, 40 more to put in; extra good grass, everlastidg water in pasture; shallow well. 2 miles small town. Price 2200.00.

39—160 acres, 13 miles of Dublin, one mile of Lingleville, House has three rooms and gallery, good well and new barn. 40 acres in cultivation with 12 in apples part of which are bearing, there are also four acres of all kinds of fruit. This is all good sandy land with plenty of timber and no blow sand, and this is a bargain at $3000.00 with $2000.00 of it cash.

42—340 acres prairie land with 85 acres valley land in cultivation. Two houses, good well and windmill. Good grass and some timber. Will sell for 4000.00 with ¼ cash and balance to suit purchaser,

We have in our hands for sale or trade a good many farms and ranches from 100 up to 5000 acres. Space does not admit of description.

44—204½ acres 110 in cultivation, good five room house, well and wind mill, orchard, cribs, and all necessary out buildings Convenient to school, church, gin and stores. About ten miles from Dublin, southeast. Price 3200.00.

45-170 acres 100 in cultivation, three room house, well, and necessary out buildings, good grass land with tank in pacture and plenty of timber. Close to good school and church. Ten miles from Dublin and 3½ from Purves. $4000.00 half cash balance easy at 5 per cent.

46—100 acres with 75 in cultivation and more good land to put in. Land is and lies well, plenty of fruit on place, orchard contains apples, peaches and plums 14 miles from Dublin, south. Will sell place for $1500.00 and will take good spring mules or horses.

51-160 acres 6 miles east of Dublin, 90 in cultivation good sandy land, roomy house and out buildings, well orchard, plenty timber and good 2500.00 on easy terms.

52-201 acres in Comanche Co. two miles from Gustine. Small house and well. is all good timbered land part sandy part bottom land. 28 acres in cultivation Will sell this place for 7.50 per acre, cash balance 1-2 & 3 years.

54—170 acres fine sandy land three miles from Dublin, two good sets improvements one bored well and wind mill, one dug well good young orchard apples, peaches, plums grapes and berries. 100 acres in cultivation $30 per acre. This place will cut well two or three small farms.

55—147½ acres 10 miles from Dublin two from Purves, 90 in cultivation, nearly all sandy. Good house, timber, water and grass. This is a very desirable place, it will about the same this. Price $3000.00 cash and balance to suit.

56- 200 acres close to Proctor, half in cultivation, good improvements. First class land, level, plenty of timber, grass and water. We will sell this or trade it for smaller place. Want sandy land well improved within reach of good school.

57— 100 acres 4 miles south of Dublin in cultivation and all of it first class sandy land that can be put in, all is good timber that is not in. Good house and plenty of water.

58— 160 acres in Palo Pinto county, 55 in cultivation, 9.00 per acre.

59— 60 acres 1 mile west of Bunyan 46 acres in cultivation. We will sell within the next week for 1200.00 with small payment and easy terms at 8 cent on deferred payments.

60—136 acres, 100 acres good, level, tillable land, 50 now in cultivation. Three room house with gallery, good well and orchard. This is all sandy land, lies well and is four miles from Dublin. Will sell at $25.00

We have three fine farms that all that we will sell all to one man for one farm or we will sell any one of them. These are all close to a first class grist mill, school, gin, churches all denominations, stores, and are well improved.

64—160 acres 3 miles west of Bunyan 80 acres in cultivation, good grass and timber, good house, well and wind mill, $3.00 per acre half cash.

65—160 acres two miles west of Alexander 80 acres in cultivation, good grass and timber, $4,000.00 with good terms. This place must be sold within two weeks.

66—160 acres with 35 in cultivation, four room house with wind mill and all necessary out buildings and lots; $1750, half cash, good terms on balance.

67—53 acres with 35 in cultivation, good room house, will rent 30 more acres joining this.

68—116 acres, 75 in cultivation, 6 room house, 1¼ miles from Purves. $2500.

69—133 acres 6 miles from Dublin, 60 in cultivation. $2500.

CITY PROPERTY.

110—Stone business house 25x100 feet in best business block on Patrick street, always occupied at good rent. A fine investment at $4000 with easy terms,

112—44 acres inside of corporate limits of South Dublin, first-class land, is fenced and in good state of cultivation. Fine building site and would make a desirable home and an excellent truck farm, Price $2000. A big bargain.

113—Residence property in southeast Dublin. Good small house, well, etc. A good bargain at $500.

115—Good five room residence property on Elm street, east Dublin, large lot, stable, city water an other conveniences. Rents at $6 a month. Should sell quickly at $600 with one-half cash.

116—5 room house in Dublin; 4 acres land and orchard. Will sell for one-half cash and balance to suit. Will trade whole place for stock cattle. Price $850.

119—5 room house in south-west Dublin, 8 acres land all in cultivation. All good land. Good young orchard. First class well of water. This is a bargain at $800.00, ¼ cash, balance to suit purchaser.

120—Five room house in east Dublin, city water and other conveniences $550. Will take a good horse in on this.

121—Five room house in east Dublin, built, nearly new and in perfect condition inside and out, large verandas, good some young trees, city water, good barn buggy shed. Price $800 with $300 down balance to suit.

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GENERAL NEWS

From Far and Near Boiled Down for Convenience of Busy Readers.

...ident Roosevelt has announced ...e will retain Mr. Hay as secre... his cabinet during the com... years from March 4th next.

... vote at Esopus, Judge Park... home, was 173 for Roosevelt ... for the judge. So he failed ... votes of carrying his own box.

...ident Roosevelt has promised ... Louis committee to visit the ...'s fair on Saturday, November ... and will probably remain until ...llowing night.

... United States naval estimate ... fiscal year ending June 30th aggregates $114,530,638, an in... of $17,372,448 over the previous ... The sum includes all naval ... yards, docks, hospitals etc. ...val purpose.

...er Johnson, the man who gave ...lf up at Jonesboro, Okla., a few ...since for a murder committed ...ttanooga, Tenn., sixteen years ...ut his throat with a pocket ... Wednesday severing the wind... ...nd he will die.

... Basley, a negro whiskey ...ger, was shot and killed at ... I. T. Saturday night by a de... United States marshal, who ...st in time to keep the negro ...killing another marshal who ...tempted to arrest him.

...well B. Hoskins of the insur... ...m who are state managers at ...ille, Tenn., of the Aetna Life ...nce Co., cut his throat from ear ... Friday night in an alley of the ...s district of the city. Fin... ...reverses was the cause.

... Sante Fe passenger engine ...running at a moderate rate of ...jumped the track near Ard... ...I. T., one day last week, ran ...iece on the ties and turned ... its side. The engineer was ...d and scalded beneath the en...

... grand jury at Roanoke, Va., ...dicted Charles R. Fishburn, a ... banker and broker for the ... of a prominent physician, ...led a week ago from a knife ...in the breast made by the ac... ...during a difficulty two weeks ...

...e negroes were killed in a des... ...battle with shot guns and pis... ... a fourteen foot room at ...port La., Wednesday. There ...ix in the room and they ...over a colored woman and her ...who were both present and ... hurt.

...inarice Hernandez, a Mexican ...r San Antonio has been ...ed to hang December ...r the murder of his wife ... 10th. He shot her in the ...with a rifle because she refused ...longer with him owing to his ...eatment.

...al farewell exercises in honor ...Liberty Bell, which for sever... ...al months past has been on exhibition in the Pennsylvania building at the world's fair in St. Louis, was held Tuesday, at the conclusion of which the bell was started on its return trip to Philadelphia.

Alton B. Parker, late democratic candidate for president has removed to New York and will spend the winter in that city at the hotel Netherland. He has engaged the suite formerly occupied by Marcus Daly, fronting on fifth avenue, the most expensive in the hotel.

Prince Fushimi, the kinsman and representative of the Mikado of Japan, now in the United States, says that it is but a matter of a short time when the English alphabet and language will supplant the more cumbersome and elaborate alphabet and language now used in Japan.

A magnificent bronze statue of Frederick the Great, presented to the United States by Emperor William of Germany, was unveiled at Washnigton Saturday. The ceremony was marked by a great military and official display and the cheif address of the occasion was made by the president.

A Chicago woman dreamed that her savings had been stolen from a hiding place in the bottom of a sugar barrel in the pantry and got out of bed to look. She dropped the lamp and it exploded and burned her to death and seriously injured her husband and their baby and partially destroyed their home.

James P. Storm, former county treasurer of Yavapai county, Arizona, was who was found bound and gagged in the vault of his office on November 9th and who reported that he had been robbed of $13,000 by two men and then placed in the vault, where he claims he remained for fourteen hours, has been arrested and charged with embezzlement.

The steamship Taunton from Dakar, west Africa, tried to land four nergoes from Africa at Galveston last Saturday but failed under the action of the immigration laws. Three of them could not speak a word of English and one could only do so in a broken manner. The owner of the ship will have to take care of them and return them home.

A new sect known as John the Baptist Pilgrims are conducting a mission in the north of Ireland, and are gaining fresh adherents daily. They believe in baptism by immersion, in having "no certain dwelling place and in depending upon God for the necessaries of life." They have all things in common and address one another by their Christian names.

The jewels and costumes of the late queen Draga of Servia, who was murdered with her husband, the king last year, are to be sold at auction in London Dec. 8th, says a Times dispatch from that city. One of the articles to be sold is a bracelet given to the queen by the emperor of Russia as a wedding present. The sale is exciting great interest among collectors.



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THE FARMERS' UNION

The East Central district union will meet at Morgan on Saturday December 9th.

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The Abilene Farmers Journal puts it thusly: The credit system comes high. Do we have to have it?

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Co-operation is not only desirable —it is absolutely imperative to the prosperity of the producing millions, says the Pass Word.

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A Hillsboro dispatch of Friday says the low price of cotton is making business very dull, as the farmers thereabouts will not sell for less than ten cents.

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The Farmers' Union Life Insurance association, with principal offices at Mineola, was chartered last week, with the following incorporators: O. P. Pyle of Mineola, J. D. Montgomery of Gordon, Texas; Newt Gresham of Point, Texas; N. C. Murray of Kingston, Texas and others.

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It is a source of genuine gratification to us to be able to chronicle the fact that the banks and merchants of many of our towns have come up nobly and assisted materially in the farmers effort to hold their cotton for a profitable price. Banks have been liberal in making advances, and merchants have been lenient as possible in extending accounts.—Pass Word.

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The secretary of the Nolan county union has a say in this issue of the Journal about women joining the unions. When this editor was secretary of a local Grange in Hopkins county back in the 80's there were almost as many sisters answered to roll-call as brethren. Yes, they ought to join and enter into the spirit of the work.—Abilene Farmers Journal.

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The Central district union which met at Harbin on the 19th was one of the most enthusiastic union meetings ever held. An excellent dinner was served by the good ladies of Harbin. Speeches were made by Rev. H. M. Courtney, J. L. C. Nunn, T. B. McAdams and several others and Williams & McNinch, the gin men, furnished cigars, while Bob Raney also presented with his compliments a box of cigars and a barrel of apples to settle the repast. The next meeting of the union will occur at Corinth on Saturday December 16th.

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One class of farmers is selling wheat, and trying to force the market up to the highest notch. Another class of famers is buying flour, and trying to force the market down to the lowest notch. Between these two classes somebody gets a good rake-off. Is it the miller? We are not after him. Is it the transportation company? We are not asking them to haul cheaper—no use. Is it the wholesaler? He is where we can't get at him. Is it the retailer? He certainly gets the thinnest slice of all. Yet, he is so situated that he has to face the music when cheap flour is demanded.—Abilene Farmer's Journal.

Holding their Cotton.

"Farmers east of the Mississippi river are holding more cotton than are the farmers west of the river," said A. L. Parker, assistant manager of the Gayoso hotel of Memphis, who was in the city Friday, says the Ft. Worth Record. "All the warehouses, cotton yards and other places for storing cotton are now full up. It will take ten cents to secure this cotton, and the universal belief is that this price will be obtained before the season is more than a few weeks older.

"I am perhaps in as good a position to judge the cotton conditions that exist in the upper country as anyone. I daily meet dozens of people who are interested in the cotton movement. Buyers tell me that they have scoured the states of Mississippi, Tennessee and Alabama in the hope of being able to buy cotton. I know of one buyer who was out for six weeks and he informed me after the trip that he saw worlds of cotton, but was not able to buy enough to make expenses of the trip much less make a profit.

Government Says Twelve Million.

The preliminary statement issued lately by the census bureau, showing the quantity of cotton ginned up to November 14th, in 475 counties, says a Washington dispatch, discioses that there was ginned in these counties 1,727,042 bales of cotton, counting round bales as half bales, in excess of what was ginned during the same period last year. This is a gain of 43.11 per cent. Those who make a study of figures say that if this same proportion of gain is maintained throughout the remaining counties, the total to Nov. 14th will show 10,118,593 bales.

The comparison between this year's ginning and that of last year for the same period is also interesting and significant. Up to November 14th last year 69.42 per cent of the total crop had been ginned, showing that there has been more ginned this year, so far,, than was ginned last year for the same time. Assuming that 80 per cent of the total crop has already been ginned, this would, those who study figures say, make the present crop aggregate 12,648,115 bales. It has already been estimated that 84 per cent of the crop had been ginned, in which event, assuming that this estimate is correct, the crop will reach 12,045,825 bales. Both these estimates would, therefore, seem to indicate that the returns when all in, will show that the crop will be in excess of twelve million bales.

A Frightened Horse.

Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, cuts, sores, eczema and piles disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c at Overton Drug Co.

Claims Simple Cure for Consumption.

When the theory of Edward Beckham of Brooklyn, university graduate and 'longshoreman, is accepted there will be no more consumption and every man will wear long hair and a Russian admiral's beard, says a New York dispatch.

"I have discovered," he said yesterday, "that man is simply a plant turned upside down. Hair is to man what the roots are to a plant. Air and light are the soil from which mankind draws energy. The hair supplies the ether which is the nutriment an energizer of the entire brain and nervous system. Understanding this, it is easy to eradicate consumption."

Beckham is a negro born in South Carolina and educated in Claflin and Howard Universities. Leaving Howard to enter Cornell, he fell ill of consumption. In Philadelphia hospital he noticed that the hair of consumptives stops growing and turns gray at the tips; so he concluded that this had some connection with the origin of the disease. He let his hair and beard grow, lived outdoors without a hat, recovered and today is a giant. He is working as a 'longshoreman, he says, to earn money with which to go to France, where he believes his color will not hamper his success in exploiting his views. Here is his theory of consumption:

"The hairs are minute canals. They absorb ether, conducting it to the roots where it is condensed by the etherial presure from outside and thence conducted directly to the brain. It is of ether that brain matter is made.

"Systematicaly cut your hair, or pull it, or wear it covered tightly, or in anyway abuse it, as with oil and the brain is instantly affected. Through the brain the nervous system and the lungs are temporarily starved, and the microbes always present, get in their work of destroying the lung tissues and the decimated blood fails to repair the damage done—and you have consumption. Of course some systems are strong enough to stand constant abuse of the hair. But I demonstrated by killing the hair roots of a dog that nervous disability follows.

"Therefore we should wear our hair long, in its natural state, and as sunlight and air are best foods for hair, consumptives should live bareheaded out of doors."

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None should confound Hyomei with the patent medicines that are advertised to cure catarrh. It is as far superior to them all as the diamond is more valuable than cheap glass. Their composition is secret, but Hyomei gives its formula to all reputable physicians and is prescribed by them generally.

Its base is the valuable eucalyptus oil, famous for its antiseptic qualities. This is combined with aromatic and healing gums and balsams, making a pure liquid which, when used in the Hyomei pocket inhaler, fills the air you breathe with germ-killing, disease destroying and healing powers that restore health to every part of the nose, throat and lungs.

The only way to cure catarrh and all diseases of the respiratory organs is to breathe Hyomei.

This treatment has been so sucessful in curing 99 per cent of all who have used it, that Hyomei is now sold by Overton Drug Co under an absolute guarantee to refund the money in case it does not benefit. You run no risk whatever in buying Hyomei. If it did not possess unusual powers to cure it could not be sold upon this plan.

The complete outfit costs $1.00 and comprises an inhaler a bottle of Hyomei and a dropper. The inhaler will last a life time; and additional bottles of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents.

Discuss Growing Evil of Divorce.

A meeting of ministers, lawyers, doctors and other professional men from all parts of the state was held at Dallas Monday and the growing evil of divorce discussed. Nearly every religious faith was represented and all deplored the enormity of the evil and were unanimous in its denunciation and in favor of a reform of the divorce laws.

Father Hayes of the Catholic church in an impassioned appeal, among other things said:

"As the world knows the strong, uncompromising position of the Catholic church on the divorce question it is needless for me to assure you that in this movement to reform the divorce laws of the state the church in Texas will lend every assistance and co-operation. The church has jealously guarded the sanctity of marriage against the wild, savage lust of centuries, and to people and to nations, to emperors and kings, her voice has ever been an echo of the voice of Christ, 'What God hath joined together let no man put asunder.' Her attitude today is the same as of old and you can rely upon us for any assistance we can give to the movement which this meeting inaugurates, and upon which I ask our blessed Lord to pour down his grace, that it may be instrumental in aiding our people in building up our state and in advancing the divine glory."

Woman Cowboy Discovered.

An attack of appendicitis has just revealed the life story of a woman who for six yeavs has posed as James Brown and ridden horses with the roughest cowboys in Wyoming, says a Denver dispatch of Sunday.

"Jim Brown" was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Denver a few days ago. The surgeon discovered her sex only when about to perform the operation which saved her life. The woman gave her name as Mary Collins, and returned to Wyoming last night.

In telling her story the girl said she was born on a cattle ranch and being an only child early learned to ride and manage horses in helping her father about the farm. Her parents both died shortly after her marriage to a cowboy, and when separation from her husband followed she decided to don male attire and make her own living on the ranches.

Asked if she would again take up the old life in Wyoming, the young woman replied with some emotion:

"Yes, I guess I will. Riding horses and herding cattle are all I know."

South as Dear as the North.

A Washington dispatch says that Colonel John S. Mosby, received a few months ago a letter from Judge Routhac, of Birmingham, Ala., commenting upon the attitude of the southern people toward the president personally. Colonel Mosby sent the letter to Oyster Bay, as he thought the sentiments expressed in it by a confederate veteran would be gratifying to the president. He received a reply which he did not publish during the campaign as he felt that the president's motives in writing the letter would be misconstructed.

The letter from the president written from Oyster Bay under date of Sep. 10th says:

That is a fine letter of Routhac's and I appreciate it. I have always been saddened rather than angered by the attacks upon me in the south. I am half a southerner myself and I can say with all possible sincerety that the interests of the south are exactly as dear to me as the interest of the north.

Worsted in a Fight with Mosquitos.

The French steamer. Provincia, arrived at Norfolk, Va., Saturday from Sabine Pass, Texas, for Hamburg, with Captain Courtade disabled, her first mate so ill he was sent to a hospital, and several other of crew suffering severely on account of an encounter with a huge swarm of mosquitos which settled upon the Provincia's deck while the ship was in the gulf. Captain Courtade's right arm is useless and Mate Vincontelle, in addition to hundreds of mosquito bites, is suffering from bronchial disorder.

The crew of the ship fought the insects for hours with smoke and improvised fans. Almost every man on board has a swollen face and lacerated arms.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for dyspepsia, dizziness, headache, liver or bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at Overton Drug Co.

Used His Coffin for a Pantry.

Nicholas Sutton, aged fifty-one years, who died in Rome this week had lived all alone for eighteen years, says a New York special. In a corner of one of the rooms stood a coffin which Mr. Sutton made fifteen years ago. In this coffin he had three shelves, on which he kept his food, using it for a pantry. After his death the shelves were taken out of the coffin and

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If your liver does not act regularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the constipated bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

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$15.00	mens overcoats cut to	$11.50
$12.50	mens overcoats cut to	$9.00
$10.00	mens overcoats cut to	$8.65
$8.50	mens overcoats cut to	$6.85
$6.50	mens overcoats cut to	$4.50
$5.00	mens overcoats cut to	$3.90
$4.00	mens overcoats cut to	$2.65

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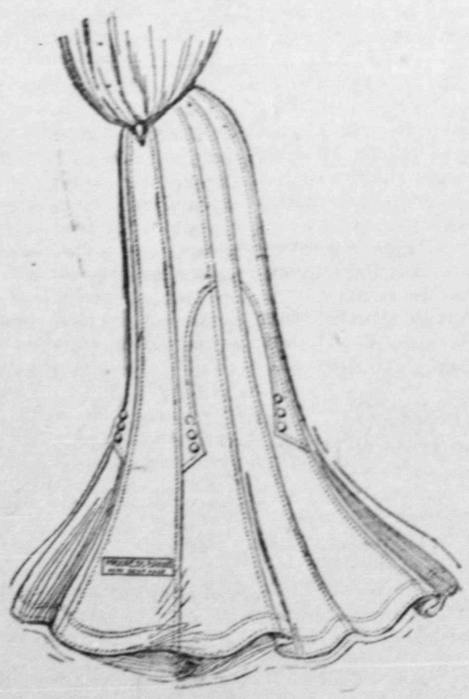
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Persons Shot at Bluff Dale.

differences, which have ing for some time, resulted morning in an attack by Wodall upon John and Lum the latter's little boy and at Bluff Dale.

were brother-in-laws and some time been at outs and have had trouble. Wednesday Wodall saw the four near the depot cotton platat a distance of about rds began firing at them shot gun loaded with bird fter emptying the two bargun he drew a pistol and but neither of the latter effect.

Barron received forty-eight ring from his right cheek and his wounds are severe considered dangerous. Lum received a slight wound in the little eleven-year-old slightly hurt in the side but was hit in the left eye abdomen, and his condiconsidered extremely danger-

has been lodged in jail at ille.

man Bones Found

Saturday afternoon several who were picking cotton on Salyers farm, eleven miles Dublin, found a number of deemed to be human teeth s, the latter being decomsuch a degree as to hardly zable. They took the spethe house and on the folorning Messrs. J. R. Starn. Salyer, Lem Burnett, Rodgers and several other visited the spot to make a vestigation. By removing es of the soft dirt they p a quantity of the bones to more than fill a water d every evidence went to were the remains of a ing. The teeth were in state of preservation and these were found, five of g yet in their proper place bone.

ones were found in a new tton patch which was cul- the first time during the of the crops just being and the plow had turned up of the skeleton that were d.

dea is advanced that the those of an Indian, as it is that there is one Indian thin a few hundred yards of , but it is stated that the aves are always marked by stones and the location of discovered has no appearever having been marked. y that a number of years hite man was hanged some out the location of this find and that the bones reclaimed from the dust are those of the unfortunate man; in either event it would be interesting to know the history of the person whose bones are thus rudely disturbed by the march of civilization and yet this may never be.

PROCTOR.

From The Press.

Dec. 2nd.—Mrs. Dr. Eargle and little daughter, Johnnie, were in Dublin Tuesday.

J. B. Smith and little daughter, Vera, were in Dublin Wednesday.

The free delivery route from Hasse started up yesterday.

J. W. Reid, has been quite sick for the past week, but we understand he is slowly improving.

Misses Willie and Carmen Crider were in Dublin shopping Wednesday.

Mrs. Alice Kellar and Mrs. Kiker came in from Dublin Wednesday to visit the family of Hogan Stevenson.

"Grandma" Parrock, who lived four miles east of Proctor, died last week from old age, she lacked only one month of eighty-eight years.

Mr. Hood, populist, who was elected constable in this district, has declined to qualify and a petition has been circulated asking the court to appoint W. J. Crider.

We asked a farmer yesterday if he had any news for us, he said yes, I have more corn in my crib than I have had in three years. This is good news and there are others that are in the same line.

J. Frank Luker began his school at Rock school house last Monday morning. He will be assisted through December by his sister, Mss Julia. who goes January the first to Lewisville in Denton county.

The public school will open next Monday, December the 5th. The desks have not yet arrived, and it is suggested that each pupil bring a chair from home to sit on until the seats, which were purchased several months ago, arrive.

If its something that's sold in a drug store, Overton Drug Co. has it.

Arrested for Horse Theft.

Sterling Hudson and Thurman Sexton of Comanche and Lib Boyd of Blanket were arrested this week on a charge of having stolen two horses from W. P. Payne of Whitville and having shipped them in a car of horses to Mississippi last week, says the Comanche Exponent.

Mr. Payne went to Vicksburg, Miss., to identify his horses and after his arrival there also found four young mules belonging to him. On his return here Wednesday he swore out a complaint against Sam Miles, whom he found in charge of the mules, and he was immediately arrested at Vicksburg upon telegraphic instructions from the officers here. Sheriff Smith left Wednesday night for Vicksburg to get Miles.



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Dublin, Texas, Nov. 27, 1904.

Dear Old Santa Claus: I was just wondering how I could let you know what I wanted for Christmas, for I know you would never guess. You've always promised good little boys and girls that you would bring them whatever they wished. I am a little girl ten years old, but I am afraid you would think I was a boy when you find out what I want for Christmas. I will be just as good as I can if you will bring me a bicycle. Bring the kind editor a big lot of new subscribers for being so good to us children.

Your little girl,
Lillian A. White.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy nine years old. I go to school and nearly alway have my lessons and I do not cut up in school nor cause my parents trouble when at home. I hope that you will bring me a toy gun and a little wagon and plenty of bon bons and apples and a whole lot of good things to my chum who is a little orphan boy and has no papa and mamma to buy things for him. If you do not have plenty I will give him some of what you bring to me.

Yours, Willie Meyers.
Dublin, Texas, Dec. 1st, '04.

My Dear Santa: You have always been so good to me that I do not wish to ask you for many things, but I would like to have a pretty doll with blue eyes and golden hair. Our little baby has pulled all the hair off the head of the doll you brought me last year and I will try to take good care of this one.

Your little girl, Rosa Bowers.
Dublin, Dec. 1st. '04

Dear Santa: I guess I've been good enough that you will come around here. So I will tell you what I want. I want a magic lantern, a bat and ball, some story books. a pistol that will shoot blank cartrides, a good four bladed knife and a nice game, and if you can, I want a bicycle. I want lots of fire works and any thing else you have to spare.

Very truly, Carl Daley.
Dublin, Dec. 1st, '04.

My Dear Santa Claus: Will you please bring me for Christmas a new doll and a little stove and vessels and a doll bed and cradle. Bring Jim a tricycle and a little train and a horn and some blocks. You can bring Berthol a rubber dollie if you will be so kind.

Your friend, Vivienne Daley.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a doll and a stove, a little set of dishes, a little trunk, a doll buggy and a piano, nuts, oranges, apples, bananas, etc. I am seven years old.

Yours truly, Ina Oates.
Nov. 28th, '04.

Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me a slate and slate pencils, a book satchel, a ring, some roman candles, fire carckers and a nice game.

Corley Moragne.

Automobile vs. Road Roller

An automobile belonging to millionaire Harry P. Whitney, met its match on Long Island, New York, a few days since when the machine collided with a road roller, weighing several tons. Mr. Whitney and his chauffeur were thrown into a ditch and the former severely shocked but not seriously hurt. The automobile was badly wrecked and they telegraphed to New York for another to take them home.

Asaias Willis, a Choctaw boy, seventeen years old was sentenced to ninety nine years imprisonment at Atoka, I. T. for the murder of Sarah Roberts, a little girl twelve years old. The little girl lived with an old Indian woman who was said to have money hid aobut the house and the young murderer went there after it. The little girl was by herself and made resistance, when she was kicked into insensibility and her throat cut.

A Norwegian steamer which arrived at Santiago, Cuba, Sunday, reports the rescue of three men in a naptha launch, which was drifting in the open sea off Guantonamo. The three men left Wednesday for a short cruise down the coast and the machinery of the boat became deranged and they dropped anchor. During a heavy sea the chain parted and the launch was blown to sea, the men being without water or food for three days.

About Japanese Women

The Japanese woman is said to be the most placid of humans. She has prefect poise and self-possession, and nervous prostration is unknown to her. It is said that Japanese physicians are rarely rich.

There as on for this feminine placidity, travelers say, is not far to seek. In the first place the fashions never change in Japan. The same old kimona or at least, kimonos of exactly the same style may be worn year after year. Then Japanese housekeeping is greatly simplified, for the servants are good, there are no draperies to catch and hold dust, and people put off their shoes in entering a house to keep from tracking up the floors. Think of that, now!

Japanese women have no heartburnings over Bridge stakes; they do not stay until the wee small hours playing that fascinating game; they do not bother their heads over marrying their daughters to rich foreigners, nor about how they can manage to dress as well as their neighbor on half the latter's income, nor what to have for dinner.

They live happy, peaceful lives, and they look young when old because they do not bother about the small things of life. It is said they don't even worry very much when they send their sons to war to be killed for their country because they consider that the heaven-sent destiny of the young man.—Baltimore News.

Prominent Palitician Assassinated

Col. R. Francis Chaves, peobably the best known republican politician in New Mexico, was assasinated at Pinos Wells in that territory last Saturday. The colonel was eating supper as the guest of a friend when a shot was fired through the window and he fell from his chair dead. It is thought to have been the work of a political enemy. Col. Chaves was a native of New Mexico born in 1833. He served as a soldier under Kit Carson in many Indian wars in New Mexico, and in 1861 was commanding major of the New York infantry under President Lincoln, and afterward promoted to colonel. He took part in several civil war battles. served in congress from '65 to '71 inclusive and has been in territorial legislature since 1876, besides at the time of his death being territorial superintedent of public instruction and historian of New Mexco.

Missing Mans Body Found

The body of Alford Benson, aged forty years, an employe of the Sheldon Canal company, was fond in a badly decomposed condition Sunday morning, about four miles down the bayou from the town of Sheldon and near where the company's canal is under construction.

Around the dead man's neck was knotted a cloth strip torn from his trousers. A piece of the strip still dangled from the limb of a tree, beneath which the body was found. The last and only message from the dead man in more than a week, are a few words scrawled on an old shipping tag which was found nailed to a stick of wood near the body. They were, "I am innocent of wronging my brother. God forgive me." The man has been missing from his work since Friday, Nov. 18th, and it is believed that he has been dead since the afternoon of that day.

The body was found by a negro laborer, who reported the matter and it has since been buried near the spot. The man had previously attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor and it is believed that he hanged himself. He was a good worker and sustained a good moral character but was extremely morcse and uncommunicative.

Gun Accident at San Angelo

A very unfortunate accident occurred at San Angelo last Sunday morning at the home of a Mr. Barnett. His little eleven year old boy shot and dangerously wounded Charlie Weber, a little orphan boy. Both of the boys were playing when young Barnett said, "I will shoot you," or something to that effect. He immediately produced a thirty-eight calibre pistol and in some way the trigger was pulled and the bullet shot into the head of little Weber. The ball entered the left eye and passed through the ethnoid bone and was taken out of he flesh above the right cheek bone.

The attending physician says the wound will not necessarily prove fatal though the boy is in a critical condition. The sight in the left eye, however, will be destroyed and it is feared he may become entirely blind.

School-Mate Caused Death

As a result of being struck in the head a week ago by a schoolmate, Willard Hessey, the ten-year-old son of Nathan H. Hessey, died one day last week at the family home in Houston. His death was due to lockjaw and his demise was most agonizing.

While returning from school a week ago, Willard became inolved in a fight with another small boy, aged eight years. They were accompanied by another schoolmate, aged about twelve years. It appears from what was learned of the affair that the twelve-year-old boy tried to get the two smaller boys to fight, and Willard declared he did not want to fight, as his mother had admonished him never to fight, but the larger boy, eager to see a fight urged them to go on with the contest, and suddenly the eight-year-old boy picked up a rock and threw it at Willard. The missile struck the unfortunate boy on the forehead, rendering him unconscious. It is believed he suffered concussion of the brain. He was taken to his home and his condition became more serious as time went on. He finally contracted lockjaw, which speedily causesd his death notwithstanding the efforts of loving parents and the family physician to save his life. For four hours before he expired he suffered terrible agony, and it was with great difficulty that he could breathe. Willard was considered a very bright boy at school and was the idol of the hearts of his fond parents.

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Home Made Automobile

Corsicana's first home made automobile appeared on the streets yesterday afternoon, and attracted considerable attention because of its home manufacture and light nobby appearance, says a dispatch from that place of last Sunday.

The inventor is J. Clarence Thomas, a hardware merchant of this place, and his object is to make a light attachment which will convert any vehicle into an automobile. He has attached it to a light pneumatic tired buggy, and the trial run was made yesterday, proving very successful.

The only undesirable feature which has developed is noise, and it is thought that this can be easily overcome by the use of a muffler as is used in the high grade gasoline machines.

The Thomas attachment weighs about one hundred pounds, is three horse power and gasoline is the motive power.

An Old Time Newspaper

Robert Glover of Dallas has in his possession a paper published at Boston in the year 1770. Mr. Glover received the paper from Albert Brashaw, a resident of Dallas, and he keeps it locked in a safe as he would precious stones. The name of the periodical is the Boston Gazette and Country Journal, and it is dated March 12th, 1770. The editor claimed that this paper contained the freshest advices, foreign and domestic, and then starts off with a story several days old. The periodical is filled with news of the troubles with English sailors who were interferring with the peace of the community. The withdrawal of the soldiers from the city is published and black borders surround an article which tells of the shooting of several Bostonians in a disturbance.

Mr. Glover has another old newspaper which he values very highly. It is the Ulster County (N. Y.) Gazette and is dated Jan. 4th, 1800.

The Dying Californian.

Published by request.

Lay up nearer, brother, nearer,
For my limbs are growing cold,
And thy presence seemeth dearer
When thine arms around me fold.

I am dying, brother, dying;
Soon you'll miss me in your berth,
For my form will soon be lying
'Neath the ocean's briny surf.

I am going, surely going,
But my hope in God is strong;
I am willing, brother, knowing
That he doeth nothing wrong.

Tell my father when you greet him
That in death I prayed for him—
Prayed that I might only meet him
In a world that's free from sin.

Tell my mother—God assist me—
Know that she is growing old;
That her child would glad have kissed her
When his lips grew pale and cold.

Listen, brother, catch each whisper,
'Tis my wife I'll speak of now;
Tell, oh, tell her, how I missed her
When the fever burned my brow.

Tell her she must kiss my children,
Like the kiss I last impressed;
Hold them as when last I held them
Folded closely to my breast.

Give them early to their Maker,
Putting all her trust in God,
And he never will forsake her.
For he said so in his word.

Oh, my children! Heaven bless them!
They are all my life to me:
Would I could once more caress them
Before I sink beneath the sea.

'Twas for them I crossed the ocean,
What my hopes were I'd not tell
But they gained an orphan's portion
Yet he doeth all things well.

Listen, brother, closely listen,
Don't forget a single word,
That in death my eyes did glisten
With the tears her memory stirred.

Tell them I never reached the haven
Where I sought the precious dust
But have gained a port called Heaven,
Where the gold will never rust.

Tell my sisters I remember
Every kind and parting word,
And my heart has been kept tender
By the thoughts its memory stirred.

Urge them to secure an entrance,
For they'll find a brother there,
Faith in Jesus and repentance
Will secure for them a share.

Hark! I hear my Savior speaking;
'Tis, I know his voice so well;
When I am gone—oh, dont' be weeping—
Brother, hear my last farewell.

—Anonymous.

J. G. Conner & Co. have a number of good horses and mules for sale.

MINIATURE AERIAL HOME

Santos-Dumont Builds Balloon to Keep Aloft For Days.

EQUIPPED LIKE A PULLMAN CAR.

Well Known Aeronaut's Latest Airship Is to Contain Many of the Comforts of Home — Small Steam Balloon Will Keep His Larger One Inflated.

Navigation of the air discounting all previous daring as heavily as ballooning itself discounts surface transportation is to be essayed soon by M. Santos-Dumont, the well known aeronaut, who is hard at work on his thirteenth airship, says a Paris cable dispatch to the New York Press. This newest invention of the world famous aeronaut is called a balloon, but the word fails in two ways to describe it. In the first place, it is not one balloon, but two, for inside the giant gas bag is to float a much smaller sphere. The inner balloon will be inflated with steam. It is intended to offset the leakage of gas from the larger bag. Santos-Dumont is convinced the compensation will be adequate, and experts who have seen his plans agree with him. He is not prepared to divulge to the world the secret of the arrangement whereby the smaller globe will keep the larger in continuous full inflation. It is said by the few friends in whom he has confided, however, that it will astonish scientists by its extreme simplicity.

The second respect in which the balloon falls short of conveying a complete idea of the invention is in its accommodation. Santos-Dumont expects to stay aloft for several days at a time, and he is providing for his comfort in such aerial cruises by equipping the car like a miniature Pullman sleeper. The car is to hold four passengers. It will be a tiny home in the air and not so terribly small at that, for it is to be divided into several sections.

One part will be given over to the steering gear and other machinery, and in it will sit the conductor or whoever may be "the man at the wheel" in his stead. Another section will be a combination dining and observation compartment. There the passengers not engaged in running the airship will be able to enjoy incomparable views while taking their meals. A third compartment is the sleeping section and lavatory. It is to contain two beds, with all the other comforts of home possible to so small a space. The berths will fold against the sides much in the fashion of those in an American sleeping car. Both will be made so that they can be let down by day as well as by night, being useful as divans as well as couches.

The almost microscopic lavatory will be supplied from a water tank. Of course the host and his guests will be careful not to waste the fluid, but it is expected enough can be carried for a four day cruise. Back of the lavatory will be a kitchen, where the passenger acting as cook will hold undisputed sway. The kitchen is to be a reproduction in little of the now widely popular kitchenette invented in New York and quickly adopted in Paris. It will contain everything essential to such culinary achievement as the inventor will attempt in midair. All the utensils will be made of the thinnest aluminium, which metal will enter largely into the interior construction of most of the compartments.

M. Santos-Dumont thinks his new airship will travel about ten miles an hour on an average, although it is possible he will attain higher speed in short flights. He hopes to have it ready for trial this year. The next balloon he builds—that is to say, the fourteenth—it is expected by his friends, will be capable of making six day cruises and of going fast enough to cross the ocean. Even the projected thirteenth, it is said, will be useful for cruises over the Mediterranean. The inventor attaches no significance to the number, but superstitious acquaintances shake their heads gravely.

The Heathen Devil.

[The empress of China has purchased an automobile.]

On the Sacred Central City now a new enchantment lies,
And the image of Confucius looks around and blinks its eyes
While the golden dragon wags his tail in horror and surprise—
For Tsi An's gone out riding in her auto!

All the ugly little idols in the Temple of the Fan,
Who have sat serene and quiet since the dynasty began,
Now are shuddering and whispering opinions of Tsi An,
Who's gone out buggy riding in her auto.

In the courts the stately mandarins with trailing plumes of blue
By many a lily maiden with a number zero shoe
Sit idly in flirtation—for they've nothing else to do
Since Tsi An's gone out riding in her auto.

No more with past offenders are the royal fishes fed,
No more the pale reformer is to execution led,
And the sly provincial viceroy serenely keeps his head,
While Tsi An's gone out riding in her auto.

"Great Scott!" remarks the Lord High Ying, whose indignation grows,
"There's a marquis to be poisoned and a princess to depose,
Yet no one tends to business when the queen of heaven goes
Choo-chooing in that heathen devil auto."

Yet every Chink in gay Peking his lady's skill attests,
While corps of pigtailed surgeons are repairing legs and chests,
And the Royal Chinese hospital is full of groaning guests
When Tsi An's been out riding in her auto!

—Wallace Irwin in New York Globe.

FASHION'S FLOWERS.

Violets, Orchids, Gardenias, In Vogue. Chrysanthemum's Knell Sounded.

When fashion's fancy says 'tis so
And when insists that it shall be,
The rarest, fairest bloom must go—
Sweet victim to her harsh decree.
—Tucker's "Fashion."

It's all settled and fixed. Fashion has arranged it. The knell of the chrysanthemum as a buttonhole ornament has sounded. To wear one of the great shaggy blooms on one's coat lapel now stamps one as in bad form, says the New York Mail. Fashion has even made the decree more pronounced. A male being who decks himself with one or more chrysanthemums in this, the autumn time of 1904, is vulgar.

Time was when the ambition of the callow college swell was a chrysanthemum. He aped the man of fashion. Now that is all changed. The man of fashion wears violets in the morning, and he wears violets in the afternoon. A post luncheon addition is a gardenia nestling snugly among pale blue violets. An orchid violet in hue may likewise be used to vary the beautiful monotony. This is one of the changes evident today on Fifth avenue and on Broadway in New York. The fall fashions in posies now are in force.

Here's what an ultrafashionable florist who knows all about it said recently:

"No gentleman or gentlewoman ever wears roses on the street. That's a relic of barbarism in which smart persons have no part. Chrysanthemums never now adorn a gentleman's buttonhole, and rarely are they worn by gentlewomen. They have reached their proper place as a decorative church or house flower. Solid colors in white, yellow and pink are smart for church weddings and house functions. Autumn foliage, oak leaves and the like are their natural accompaniments.

"Violets and orchids divide the honors for street wear with modish femininity. The bunches of violets at the corsage are varied by the addition in the center of a spray of lilies of the valley or violet orchids. Virtually no other flowers are worn by smart persons."

The particular sort of violet is quite as important as the flower itself. The Maria Louise, a heavy scented, double violet, and the Lady Campbell, which is more delicate in shade than the Parme, have the call. Parme violets are about out of the market, these varieties having succeeded them.

JAPANESE WAR GARDENING.

Scenes of the Conflict Reproduced In Miniature Designs.

Japan's war with Russia has also suggested a variety of new designs for that charming object the toko-niwa, or "alcove garden," says the late Lafcadio Hearn in the Atlantic Magazine for November. This is a miniature garden, perhaps less than two feet square, contrived within an ornamental shallow basin of porcelain or other material, and placed in the alcove of a guest room by way of decoration. You may see there a tiny pond, a streamlet crossed by humped bridges of Chinese pattern, dwarf trees forming a grove and shading the model of a Shinto temple, imitations in baked clay of stone lanterns—perhaps even the appearance of a hamlet of thatched cottages. If the toko-niwa be not too small you may see real fish swimming in the pond or a pet tortoise crawling among the rock work. Sometimes the garden represents Horai and the palace of the dragon king.

Two new varieties have come into fashion. One is a model of Port Arthur, showing the harbor and the forts, and with the materials for the display there is sold a little map showing how to place certain tiny battleships representing the imprisoned and the investing fleets. The other toko-niwa represents a Korean or Chinese landscape, with hill ranges and rivers and woods, and the appearance of a battle is created by masses of toy soldiers—cavalry, infantry and artillery—in all positions of attack and defense. Minute forts of baked clay, bristling with cannon about the size of small pins, occupy elevated positions. When properly arranged the effect is panoramic. The soldiers in the foreground are about an inch long, those a little farther away about half as long, and those upon the hills are no larger than flies.

Britain's Triumph In Tibet.

As a result of the British expedition an agreement has been established whereby Tibet, while still nominally a part of the Chinese empire, virtually passes under the suzerainty of Great Britain, says the Army and Navy Journal. Lassa will thus become a center of British influence in Asia. A new neutral state will grow up to serve as a buffer for the northwest frontier of British India against the long dreamed invasion of that region by Russia, and the Buddhist millions of China, Mongolia, Burma, Manchuria and Siam will learn to think of the head of their mystic religion—more their god than their high priest—as the agent and representative of British power.

Somewhere.

'Tis always morning somewhere, little heart;
Somewhere the sky is ever fair and blue.
No night can wrap in darkness all the world.
Some rift the sun is ever shining through.

There's always happiness somewhere, sad heart;
Somewhere are always love and hope and cheer.
No sorrow can forever hide God's smile.
No life is toil and grief from birth to bier.

Look up and bide with patience, then, dear heart.
The sacred promise of the dawn is true.
Beyond the cloud a glad new day shall rise,
And what of joy is yours will come to you.

—Jessie C. Glasier in Christian Standard.

REFORM IN TEACHING.

Educators Say Schools Must Have Up to Date Pedagogues.

DOOM OF OLD TIMERS SOUNDED.

Speakers at a Recent Session of the Northern Illinois Teachers' Association Held at Evanston Declare Modern Teachers Must Be "Humanized" and Take an Interest In Life.

The sallow faced, irritable, frowning, spectacled pedagogue was recently advised to "jump into the lake," says the Chicago Tribune. At the same time the teacher who can dance, play billiards and pool and roll balls down a tenpin alley was invited to come into the public school and fill the chair made vacant by the old time pedagogue. Both invitations were given by the Northern Illinois Teachers' association at the closing session of its fall meeting held in the Northwestern university building at Evanston, Ill.

Speakers from all parts of the northern section urged that the greatest need of the public schools of today is the "humanization" of their teachers. They declared the pedagogue, mummified by fifty years of "standing still" while the educational procession has passed by, should be buried in a deep grave and never resurrected for work in the schoolroom.

The most important requirements for the modern teacher, as gleaned from a score of addresses, are as follows:

Must be human.
Must be a good "mixer" in the polite usage of the term.
Must be able to dance, play pool, billiards and other games enjoyed by the community in which he lives.
Must be a church member.
Must be magnetic.
Must take an active interest in civics and the welfare of the city, ward, village or town in which he is employed.
Must go into society and make himself popular in the community.
Must keep in touch with twentieth century life.
Must understand the child and get into the good graces of the parent.
Must be dignified and command respect and obedience in the schoolroom.
Must get out of the beaten tracks.

Superintendent W. H. Hatch of Oak Park was the first of the speakers to urge that there is no place in the schools for the old time pedagogue.

"The mere pedagogue," he said, "is unfit to train the twentieth century schoolboy," and then recommended cooperation between parents and teachers. This view also was taken by President Cook of the Northern Illinois Normal school, who held there is no place for the frowning, disagreeable pedagogue who keeps in the ruts of a half century ago.

"This teacher does no good and hampers the progress of education," said Dr. Cook. "He'd better go out and jump in the lake," cried a voice, and this declaration was applauded.

Dr. Cook then said the doctrine of personal liberty has been carried too far, both in the school and outside of it.

Superintendent Upton was the educator who advocated the employment of teachers who knew how to dance and were not afraid to be caught gliding across a polished floor with an arm around a young woman.

After a score of educators had expressed their views regarding the qualifications of the twentieth century teachers the conservative element gained control of the meeting and by an overwhelming majority killed a resolution indorsing phonetic spelling. This action was in direct opposition to that taken by the National Educational association at its last meeting.

The convention adopted resolutions asking that instruction in practical and theoretical agriculture be added to the courses at all rural schools and that courses in domestic science be established in all city schools. Another resolution advocated the consolidation of country schools.

Moonlight Scene In a Hotel.

Patrons of the Hotel Astor, in New York, were surprised shortly after 8 o'clock the other night when the lights in the dining rooms went out. The diners believed it to be a recurrence of the incident of a few weeks ago, when the electric lighting plant got out of order. This surprise was planned, however, says the New York Herald. Partly hidden blue incandescent bulbs began to glimmer among the palms and greens of the dining room, giving the effect of moonlight. Waiters were marshaled and provided individual lamps for the tables shaded with red and pink mantles. While the patrons were expressing their delight over the beautiful effect two orchestras played Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata."

Underground Peril For Sparrows.

Slap! bang! came something against the forward panes of the head car of an express train in the New York subway bound downtown the other day at Cathedral parkway, says the New York World.

"Somebody in the subway throwing stones," said a passenger.

"No," said a guard; "English sparrows. There are a lot of them in the subway. They come in at the entrances along the Boulevard and at Manhattan street, and the trains drive the poor things up and down the ditch till they get rattled and are struck by a train and killed. Too bad, but it can't be helped."

Effect of a School Rule.

Under a new rule women inspectors visit the public schools of London and inspect the pupils. Those that are not clean are sent home. But already it has been found that some of the children smear themselves with mud before entering school in hope that an inspector will pay a visit.

WOMEN'S RURAL CLUB.

Northwestern University Society to Erect Summer House Near Chicago.

On the bank of some lake or beside a stream within fifty miles of Chicago the Woman's Columbian club of Northwestern University settlement will erect a summer home for the organization, says the Chicago Tribune. By a large majority it recently decided to buy the site and construct the house.

No woman's club ever before has attempted to extend its work through the summer by moving its headquarters into the country, and by this innovation the women of the Columbian club hope to accomplish great things in the way of education.

The site of the clubhouse has not been selected, but several places are in view, and the one which meets the following requirements will be chosen:

The lake or stream must be shallow, so the women and children can go boating and swimming with safety.
The water must have a sandy bottom, so the toes of the bathers will not be bruised on sharp stones or bowlders, and there must be no snakes.
The forest surrounding the site must be primeval and abounding in wild flowers, to give opportunity for nature study.
The land must be fertile, so flowers and vegetables can be grown by amateurs.
There must be a village near the site, where supplies may be purchased cheaply.
There must be good fishing.

Nearly all the money required to purchase the land and build the home has been subscribed, and the members pledged themselves to work to raise the rest by spring.

The plan is to accommodate thirty families at a time. After the first thirty have enjoyed a two or three weeks' outing they will make room for the second thirty. Husbands and children will be invited to accompany the women to their rural clubhouse.

ST. LOUISAN'S NERVY ESCAPE

Crawled Along Cornice and Leaped From Burning Building to a Sign.

A large crowd watched the remarkable escape of Ellsworth Adams from a burning structure in Broadway, St. Louis, early the other morning, says a special dispatch from that city. Adams was asleep on the fourth floor, and when he awoke escape by the elevator and stairway was cut off.

Adams appeared at a fourth floor window, with flames playing all around him. The crowd cried, "Don't jump!" Adams had no such intention. He slipped out of the window to the narrow cornice below, along which he crawled on his hands and knees until he came to the corner building and five feet away from the next nearest building. Almost before the crowd realized his intention he had thrown himself outward and with outstretched hands had grasped the corner of a big sign on the other building. He drew himself up and scrambled to a window within reach and a few moments later appeared at the front door of the store below.

The Christmas Fellows.

Gettin' close to Christmas, an' you hear 'em every day—
"How long is it away;
"How long is it away—
They're thinkin' of the runnin' of the reindeer with his sleigh—
"How long is it away
Till Christmas?"

Bless 'em, little fellows, with the rosy cheeks of May!
"How long is it away;
"How long is it away—
There is no sweeter language that the shiny angels say—
"How long is it away
Till Christmas?"

An' the old folks get to thinkin', with furrowed brows an' gray—
"How long it seems away—
How long it seems away!"
An' they are as little children as for those they love they pray:
"God keep the little fellows
To their Christmas"
—Atlanta Constitution.

A story of stay at home Japanese heroism was brought in to San Francisco the other day by the whaling bark California, which arrived from the northern seas, says a San Francisco dispatch. Last July the California put into Hakodate after a cruise in the south seas and while there learned of the attempt of Captain Itaki of a little 118 ton schooner, the Scuko Muru, to blow up a Russian warship.

When the Vladivostok warships left there for the raid along the eastern coast of Japan and were reported off the straits near Hakodate Captain Itaki placed magazines filled with high explosives on either side of his schooner and left Hakodate with the intention of blowing up as many as possible of the Russian men-of-war. He was well out to sea before the Japanese authorities learned of his plan, and a launch was sent out to intercept him. Captain Itaki reluctantly returned. He would have sacrificed himself and all hands in his enterprise if he had been allowed to proceed.

Life, Full Life.

Full flowered, reared from homely earth,
Rooted in duty, and through long calm years
Bearing its load of healthful energies;
Stretching its arms on all sides; fed with dews
Of cheerful sacrifice and clouds of care,
And rain of useful tears; warmed by the sun
Of calm affection, till it breathes itself
In perfume to the heavens—this is the prize
I hold most dear, more precious than the fruit
Of knowledge or of love.
—Lewis Morris.

The Best Thing.

All the breath and bloom of the year in the bag of one bee!
All the wonder and wealth of the mine in the heart of one gem!
In the core of one pearl all the shade and the shine of the sea!
Breath and bloom, shade and shine, wonder, wealth and how far above them,
Truth that's brighter than gem, trust that's purer than pearl,
Brightest truth, purest truth in the universe, all were for me
In the kiss of one girl.
—Robert Browning.

Occasional Notes.

The eastern war is in statu quo. Kuropatkin holds the fort at Mukden, Stoessel proclaims that he will never, never give up, and Kuroki telegraphs that he is not yet entirely dead.

President Roosevelt is doubtless correct in assuming that the tariff is a legislative question and leaving the initiative to the other end of the avenue. Nobody need fear that he will veto a bill reducing or even obliterating duties on war material.

General Stoessel seems to be dreadfully obstinate. He sends word that he can hold Port Arthur for several months yet. Well, we can endure it, if Chefoo doesn't telegraph every afternoon that Port Arthur has just been captured.

It would seem as if the limit of luxury and extravagance had been reached in this country in the matter of sumptiousness, when one hotel in Philadelphia has to pay an annual tax of $82,500. Of course the guests pay the taxes.

Electric railroads are multiplying so rapidly that it will shortly be possible to go from Boston to Denver by trolley. In 1900, less than four years ago, there was only 311,016 electric horse power in the whole country. Today there is 850,000 electric horse power.

Theodore Roosevelt is the second president of the United States to wear on his face a moustache only, the other having been Grover Cleveland. Almost all our presidents have worn a beard, not being as sensitive as the sultan of Turkey, who never shaves through fear of having his throat cut by the barber.

Government engineers have approved the plan of New Mexico for a dam at Elephant Butte for storing the flood waters of the upper Rio Grande. Work on the dam will soon begin. The water thus conserved will reclaim two hundred thousand acres in New Mexico, Texas and Mexico above and around El Paso. Irrigation is the watchword of the west.

America has stirred the wrath of Russia by loud and perhaps unseemly demonstration of joy over Japanese victories. But the great land of the czars still hates John Bull worse than Uncle Sam, and orders will probably be given to American ship yards for some of the new battleships that the Russain admiralty yearns to possess.

There is a good time coming, boys. There is every reason to hope for better days. England, France, Germany and the United States have five hundred million dollars worth of battle ships and modern big guns in the course of construction and are expecting to send a full line of delegates to the International Peace conference.

Susan B. Anthony finds enormous encouragement in the ballot crop of the west, where women voted for president in four states, and in one state actually elected a governor and defeated the masculine majority. She also smiles over the fact that her brother, Col. David R. Anthony of Kansas, who recently died, left her an annuity of $600 and paid for a $1,000 monument to be erected on the spot where her remains will repose. This fulfills all her expectations of the future, for Susan is an agnostic.

Kentucky sadly needs a weather bureau to predict "gentle rains and variable winds." It has been suffering for two months with an unprecedented drought, and the dust has so saturated the atmosphere that there is an epidmic of what the doctors call the "dust cough". Seed planted weeks ago refuse to germinate and the famous blue grass has turned brown and yellow. Even the men are dry and Henry Watterson was blown away to Europe "to give politics a rest" and Jack Chism has girded on his armor and permitted an admiring constituency to send him to the legislature.

Young men, take ccurage! If you are poor it is a sign that great nature intended to give you a chance to make somebody of yourself.

Johnson, the governor elect of the great state of Minnesota, is a washer woman's son, and for that reason was made the victim of an asinine attack at the hands of his political opponets. This attack was bitterly resented by many in both parties, and there were enough republicans who were fond of fair play to elect the target of abuse to the governor's chair and yet in the election Roosevelt carried the state republican by a hundred thousand and Johnson was elected on the democratic ticket by thirty thousand.

An eighteen-year-old daughter of Charles Robinson, living near Olney, Okl., was burned to death Sunday while starting a fire for cooking dinner. She was alone in the house. In the same locality a three year-old daughter of Clyde Darnold, while playing with matches, ignited her clothing and was burned to death.

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DUBLIN, TEXAS FRIDAY, DEC. 2 1904.

'Phone 146 for fresh oysters.

W. E. Powell spent Wednesday in Stephenville.

Mrs. F. M. Browne spent Tuesday in Comanche.

Miss Dona Saye spent last Sunday with home folks at Comanche.

Miss Mabel Prideaux of Lot was visiting Mrs. C. L. Flack this week.

Fresh oysters received every day at Hallmark's restaurant. 'Phone 146.

Wanted—Girl to do general house work.-Apply to Mrs. J. L. Hall. 29-2t

A ten pound boy was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Will Ables.

W. A. Flower is very sick with pneumonia at his home in south Dublin.

Bebe Goodwin and J. B. Olinger of Lingves were in Dublin yesterday selling cotton.

W. F. McMillan, general passenger agent for the Texas Central railroad, was in Dublin Monday.

Yesterday was another bill collectors day. We understand that payments of bills were fair.

Overton & Jones, the meat market have have purchased a new gasoline engine for grinding their sausage.

The census report gives 9,786,546 as the correct number of bales of cotton ginned to November 14th.

J. M. Bowers of the Huckabay country was here Tuesday en route to Waco to attend the Masonic grand lodge.

M. Pressley of Ft. Worth, a number of years a citizen of Dublin, was in Dublin several days this week.

When in need of job printing only the place to get it is at the Progress office. We make a specialty of prompt work.

Albert Bailey of Eldorado is visiting his daughter, Mrs. I. T. Valentine of North Fort Worth, says the Record of Wednesday.

J. F. Swan of near Harbin returned Monday afternon from a brief trip to Waco man, where he went to attend a Masonic meeting.

A big shipment of the famous Whitneys Candies, which are made the day of shipment, received this week by Overton Drug Co.

J. H. Neel, Ed Powell and Tom Weasley spent Monday night on Paluxy valley and returned Tuesday morning with twenty ducks.

The court of criminal appeals at Austin yesterday rendered a decision reversing the case of Ed Goodman convicted of murder in Erath county, and remanding the case for new trial.

Capt. Wiley Smith, who is under the treatment of Dr. Morian, the osteopathic physician now at at the O'Neal hotel, said to a Progress reporter yesterday: "I have been affected with a severe attack of inflamatory rheumatism since last May and have gradually but surely been getting worse, notwithstanding I have tried many of the best physicians, numerous patent medicines and even spent some time at the hot wells at Marlin. A month ago my limbs, fingers and hands were so swollen that I was unable to dress myself but in two weeks treatment unde Dr. Morian I am so greatly improved that I dress myself without assistance. I confess that I began the treatment with little confidence but am bound to say that I am being greatly benefitted."

Jno. L. Spurlin, the live Hamilton merchant sent a drove of about four hundred turkeys to C. H. Strong of Dublin last week, the drove arriving here in good condition on Friday afternoon. The bunch of fowls was driven overland behind the chuck wagon, which took the lead with an ample amount of feed to give the turkeys a daily allowance. They were driven by Messrs. Hard Hill, Dan Hamilton and W. P. Huddleston and a couple of adventerous youths, who fell in with them on the way. Three days was consumed in making the journey of thirty-five miles and it is said that not one turkey was lost on the trip.

Frank Potts, a former well known citizen of Dublin, was here several days last week on business. Mr. Potts resided near Dublin until eight years ago, when he sold out here and removed to near Cheek postoffice in the Indian Territory, where he has since been farming and incidentally working at the carpenters trade. Mr. Potts likes his new home very much with the single exception that every one in that country except the Indians are renters. This he says changes, however, after Jan. 1st, 1906, as it is then expected the Indians will be premitted to sell their lands.

Rev. E. L. Compere writes from Cleburne that he will return to Dublin tomorrow and that all the regular services will be held at the Baptist church in this city next Sunday. Rev. Compere has for more than ten days been conducting a revival meeting at the second Baptist church in Cleburne and from the Ceburne Daily Enterprise we note that the meeting is proving most sucessful in all respects and that Rev. Compere is capturing the people of that city by his earnest and eloquent work and also the cause of Christianity is receiving an impetus at his hands in Cleburne.

About four miles below here last Saturday some one shot into a Central passenger train, breaking a coach window and cutting the neck of a passenger with some of the broken glass.

A baby girl was born last Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Will Dobkins and another on the 24th of November to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown of east of town.

From Our Neighbors.

Yesterday morning while J. W. Howard was cutting wood on Henry Harrison's place, his axe got caught in a vine, glanced and cut an ugly gash in his leg. The wound is about four inches long and reaches to the bone.—Valley Mills Protectionist.

Sunday morning a Mexican burglarized the drug store at Thurber. He was promptly arrested and placed in the calabcose and was taken to the county jail Monday by Sheriff Creswell who came up for that purpose. —Strawn Enterprise.

The Dallas News agent informs us that after December 1st the Dallas News will reach Brownwood by 10 or 11 o'clock a. m , or just a few hours after if is published. It is said that the early morning Frisco will be changed to that time.—Brownwood News.

J. D. Bond tells us of a fine kind of cotton of which he got a start this year. His Uncle Joel Bond in Georgia sent him one bushel of the seed. 1,675 pounds in the seed turned out a bale which weigehd 654 pounds. —Carbon Herald.

Two young gents about eighteen years old had an altercation in town last Saturday and one of them received an ugly gash on the head, thought to have been inflicted by brass knucks. The city marshal took them in charge and they will likely contribute to the finances of the city.—Gorman Progress.

Mrs. M. J. Mayes returned Friday from a visit wtih her daughter at Dublin....E. J. Tidwell and wife of Dublin visited their daughter, Mrs. E. D. Wallace Sunday....Sheriff Sandlin of Granbury was at Morgan Wednesday on his way to the state farm, where he was taking three fine blood hounds.—Morgan News.

Geo. Johnson, who was arrested some time ago and lodged in jail charged with violating the local option law at Iredell, was indicted by the present grand jury. On Wednesday he plead guilty to two cases before Judge Word in the county court, and was fined $25 and twenty days in jail in each case, this together with costs amounts to $97 and forty days in jail.—Meridian Tribune.

Here is the way a Benton county man confessed at a revival: He had been pressed to repent, and finally got up and said: "Dear friends, I feel the spirit moving in me to talk and tell what a bad man I have been, but I can't do it while the grand jury is in session." "The Lord will forgive," shouted the preacher. "I guess that's right," said the penitent, "but He aint' on the grand jury."—Warrensburg Journal.

"Red Boy" Wilson was driving one of John Mayfields' horses to a buggy Saturday night and let the animal get drowned in the river above town. He drove into the river and stopped to let the horse drink. By some means he dropped the reins and they became tangled up with something and pulled the horse's head under the water and held it there until the animal had drowned before the driver hardly knew what was happening.—Valley Mills Protectionist.

Some of the country press have already figured out that in the next cogressional campaign counties outside of Tarrant and Parker will control the nomination. They are felicitating themselves that the end has come to Fort Worth domination, as if Fort Worth domination had been a bad thing for the remainder of the district. As Fort Worth is the largest city in the district, she is certainly entitled to some sort of consideration, and if she offers the most available man he should be elected. —Ft. Worth Telegram.

J. H. McKay of Dublin, visited relatives here the first of the week....Mrs. W. A. Bettis spent Thanksgiving with her son, Pack at Dublin ....A freight wreck occurred on the Texas Central just this side of the Brazos river last week in which eight cars were derailed and a hundred or two yards of track torn up. Only one man was injured and he was only sligthly hurt. Passenger trains were delayed on account of having to transfer over the wreck. —Walnut Springs Hustler.

W. L. Douglas covered every bill board in Massachusetts with posters giving reasons why he should be elected; he inserted page advertisements in every newspaper in Massachusetts calling attention to the real issues of the campaign. His advertising agent directed the campaign from Brockton, where the great shoe factories are located. At seven years of age W. L. Douglas was pegging away with an awle in a shoe factory. At fifty-eight he is worth five million dollars, employs three hunderd men. and says intelligent and well directed advertising is largely responsible for his success in life. Printer's Ink rules the entire world.——Dalias Times-Herald.

Saturday night, while a party composed of eighteen Ballinger young people were enjoying a hay ride in a farm wagon, Maurice Crows, who was seated on the front end of the wagon bed was thrown out by a sudden lurch of the wagon and two wheels of the heavily loaded vehicle passed over his chest injuring him so that his life has almost been despaired o since. He was removed on a cot to the home of his parents and physicians summoned as quickly as possible.

On account of more unfavorable symptoms setting up Sunday night Dr. Marberry of San Angelo was called in consultation and an operation was decided to be necessary to relieve pressure on the heart, which had forced that organ out of its normal position. After the operation Monday night the patient appeared to rest easier for awhile but became worse Tuesday when all hope for his recovery was given up. During Tuesday night there was a change for the better and up to the time of going to press he was apparently slowly improving, though he is still in a critical condition.—Ballinger Leader.

Shot at Judge in Court Room.

Rev. Isaac Selby of Australia, plaintiff in a damage suit instituted at San Francisco, shot at Superior Judge Hebbard Saturday, while the latter was on the bench. The bullet came within an inch of the judge's head and lodged in the back of his chair. Selby was at once removed to the city prison charged with attempt to commit murder.

Selby was recently sued for divorce. He conducted his own defense but was unsuccessful, a decree against him being granted.

Judge Hebbard, who issued the decree, was trying a case Saturday when Selby arose from a seat in the court room and fired point blank at the judge, who, hearing the bullet whistle past his ear, rushed from the bench and grappled with his assailant, preventing him from firing another shot.

Before taken to his cell, Selby said: "I shot at Judge Hebbard because that seems the only way for a man to get justice in this country. My only regret is that I seem to have bungled matters considerably. My intention was to kill him, but I was a trifle nervous."

The contract for building the Hondo reservoir near Roswell, N. M., has been awarded to the Taylor-More construction company of Hillsboro, Texas. The reservoir is being constructed by the government and will probably be the first one completed in the United States. It will cost $250,000.

Governor's Ungentlemanly Action.

Governor Vardaman of Mississippi has shown his unfitness as governor of a great commonwealth by a recent exposition of prejudice in meeting a compliment offered by the president of the United States with a snarl. The governor received a telegram from President Francis of the world's fair stating that President Roosevelt had visited and greatly admired the Mississippi building while at the fair. The governor answered as follows: "It is, of course, gratifying to the people of Mississippi to know that they have done one thing that the present president of the United States approves. Doubtless the president's admiration of the Mississippi building is due to his admiration of Jefferson Davis, of whose last home it is a replica." The people and the press of the state are indignant at the ungentlemanly action of their executive.

L. B. Russell received a telegram Wednesday notifying him that the remains of his son, Capt. Ernest Russell, who died in the United States military service in the Philippines some two years ago, had arrived at San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Russell left at once for San Francisco to attend the interment which will take place at the military cemetery at once upon their arrival.—Comanche Chief.

Geo Cargile, the enterprising bicycle man in Dublin, is at work on a small automobile, which he intends shortly to supply with a little gas engine and make a demonstration of its mechanical exactness. The carriage, which is now nearly completed in the rough, will be a handsome and very light little vehicle.

The Missouri building at the world's fair was destroyed by fire last Saturday evening, resulting from an explosion of a hot water heater in the basement. The building cost $145,000 and there was $75,000 of furnishings in it. There was no insurance.

For Sale or Trade—Residence property in southwest Dublin, nine rooms besides hall, all conveniences. Lot high and dry. Will trade for farm or sell on reasonable terms.—Apply to J. B. Lilies at Latham Co. 28-3t.

The account last week of the injury to "Grandma" Leverett inflicted by her unfortunate grand-daughter contained an unintentional error. The young lady mentioned was Miss Lillie Kennedy instead of Miss Lena.

J. G. Conner & Co. have a number of good horses and mules for sale.

We are exclusive agents in Dublin for the celebrated Red Cross flour—the best ever brought to this section.—Rawls & Friend.

D. M. Britton is again on his feet from the injuries received some months ago and is now back into the hide buying and tanning industry.

When you have any pipe fitting and plumbing, 'phone W. H. Boyes at the Bateman & Boyes shop and he will give it prompt attention. 28-tf.

Sunday morning Mrs. Joe Chilton, one of Comanche's most beloved women died of pneumonia. She leaves a husband and three children.

Try a sack of the Red Cross flour. It is a high grade flour that will give you the best bread you ever ate. Rawls & Friend are exclusive agents.

A large number of people from the surrounding towns and country left on the Central morning passenger Tuesday to attend the Masonic grand lodge meeting at Waco.

Dr. J. J. Mulloy, practice limited to the diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Office over the Grange Store, Dublin, Texas.

Jno. E. Boynton has this week sold the territorial right for the state of Michigan on his patent wire stretcher. J. H. Joslin of that state was the purchaser.

Tom Shaw of San Angelo was here this week on business. He and "Booger" Privet will give a broncho busting exhibition at Comanche December 5th. and at Dublin the 10th.

Dr. R. A. Miller left Sunday night for Ft. Worth for a professional visit to R. N. Guest formerly of this place who is dangerously ill at his home in that city.

Our city was thrown into a furor of excitement last Saturday night between eight and nine o'clock by the report that a criminal assault had been made on a little girl. Upon investigation it was found that little Lilli Wood, the eleven year old daughter of Mr. Mrs. and J. R. Wood in this city had actually been outraged. Complaint was at once filed charging Meada White, a man about fifty years old, with the crime. Officers were on the gronud in a few minutes, but found that the accused had fled. They, with the assistance of numerous citizens at once began searching and searched until about nine o'clock Sunday night when White was caught near Oglesby and immediately brought to town and placed in jail where he remains. —Gatesville Star-Forum.

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Begin now, and make all the words you can from the letters contained in the words.....

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The girl who has made the greatest number of words by December 24th gets the prize, which is a handsome nickel plated cook stove worth easily $10.00 No slang words or proper names count. No letter can be used more times in a word than it appears in the words "Bucks Stoves and Ranges."

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During the month of December we will sell all our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, Etc. now in our Dublin stock at G-A-L-V-E-S-T-O-N WHOLESALE COST. The goods must be sold and you should take advantage of this sale, and buy $1.00 worth of goods for 62 1-2 cents. You save the retail profit. We are known as price cutters and profit smashers and during this sale, which will be a record breaker, we will turn loose the remainder of our Dublin stock

At Prices Never Before Offered You

They may never be offered you again. Don't miss the chance of your life. Read the prices. This sale will only continue during December as the stock will be closed by January 1st.

ALL GOODS GUARANTEED AS SOLD

Brown cotton flannell worth 7c for this sale..... 5c

All calico is now going at per yd only..... 4c

Mens suits, were $10.00 now only..... $6.50

Boys suits, knee pants, worth 4.00, now..... $2.50

You can't buy standard calico anywhere in Erath county for 4c, you buy it in this closing out sale.

4-4 heavy domestic for this sale only..... 4c

Embroidery and lace at actual cost

We thank you for the information, we have been told the same thing by others, we know you are sorry we are going to close out at Dublin every man ought to be when he knows he will pay more for his goods when we are gone.

we lead others may follow, 5c outing now 4c. 7c outing now 5c. 10c outing now 8⅓c. 12½c outing now..... 10c

Gilt Edge shoe polish worth 25c now..... 15c

Boys knee pants for less money than the goods are worth.

we have an elegant line of dress goods, prices less than the goods cost. Now is your chance to buy.

we have a few pair left of the kid gloves special sale at 63c, will sell till monday only at 50c, then they will not be on sale longer.

Are you going to buy a comfort? If so, go to the mistrot closing out sale they're cheap there, comforts from 50c up.

ALL GOODS GUARANTEED AS SOLD

Mens felt hats all marked down to Galveston cost.

$1.00 hats now 80c.
1.50 hats now 1.20
2.00 hats now 1.40

All of John B. Stetson's hats marked down to Galveston cost.

See our $2.50 rugs, worth $4.00.

You cant buy tinware and granite wear as cheap anywhere as you can at Mistrots closing out sale.

Largest size galvanized wash tubs at only..... 63c

2-quart cups at only 4c.

Only December Left In Which To Buy Goods At Galveston WHOLESALE COST.

Sanatas oil cloth, very fine, can't be had anywhere else, only per yd.. 23c

Ladies skirts worth $3.50 now $2.75
Ladies skirts worth $4.50 now $3.00
Ladies skirts worth $5.00 now $3.75

You can't afford to miss this sale and buy goods cheaper than ever before offered in Dublin. Our prices are the lowest.

You will find it at Mistrots closing out sale, for less money than anywhere else in Erath county. Ask for what you want.

9-4 bleached sheeting, worth 22½c will go in this sale at..... 19c

Mens underwear, 85c suits worth 1.25. We sell the $1.00 suit for 80c.

Special attention is called to our ladies fine jackets, all this seasons new creations, prices all shattered just the same for the selling out sale.

Ladies Jackets worth $5.00 go so in this sale at..... $3.75

5c embroidery 2c. 7c embroidery 4c. 8c embroidery 5c. 10c embroidery 7c, at our closing out sale.

Lace worth 5c at 1c.
Lace worth 6c at 2c.
Lace worth 7c at 3c.
Lace worth 10c at 5c.
Lace worth 12c at 6c.
Lace worth 15c at 7½c.

See these goods at Mistrots closing out sale.

Ladies corsets, you can't buy them anywhere else for less than 75c and $1.00, in this sale at..... 15c

Your money will buy the largest blanket at the least price at the closing out sale of mistrots, the leaders of low prices.

Drew Selby's fine shoes all go in this closing out sale. $2.50 fine shoes now $2.00, $3.50 fine shoes now $3.00.

5c outing will go in this sale at only..... 4c

Ladies vests for this sale 15c, worth 25 cents.

We will sell you ladies muslin underwear at a less price than the material is worth and save you the making.

ALL GOODS GUARANTEED AS SOLD

Brass King wash boards for this sale only..... 25c

Glass King wash boards for this sale only..... 25c

Brooms at 10c.

we buy our trunks direct from the factory, ship by water to Galveston and save all the railroad charges and sell to you at Galveston wholesale cost. That's why they are cheaper. See.

OVERCAOTS
OVERCOATS
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You can't afford not to wear an overcoat when we have the $8.00 grade in this sale for $5.50

Our $6.50 cuts are worth $10.00 of any mans American money. See them.

Apron check gingham, for this sale only..... 4c

The 10c grade we sell for 6c.

Fine zephrys gingham for the closing out sale will be offered at..... 8⅓c

Fine percales, new colors, new designs. book fold, go in this sale at only..... 8⅓c

Our Dublin stock must be sold out by January 1st. During December the sale will continue. You can buy more goods for your money than you will buy when mistrot Bros & Co. leave Dublin, we are price cutters and profit smashers and hold others down in their prices.

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We are one of the 52 Mistrot Bros. & Co's stores in Texas and buy direct from the Galveston wholesale house. The Galveston house buys direct from the factory and don't employ drummers to sell their goods, hence we don't have to charge an extra profit to pay for big fat drummers to travel over the country and sell us. By buying your goods from us you save all such profits.

Mistrot Bros & Co

F. S. COFFIN, Mgr. **Dublin, Texas**

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