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# BIG FIRE SALE

**Of the A. B. Frank & Co. Fire Stock Now on Sale at MISTROT BROS. & CO. is the Public Talk of the Country for Bargains in Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Notions.**

## Don't Fail to Take Advantage

of the Grandest Opportunity Ever Offered to the Public on First-class Merchandise at Half their Actual Value.

Greatest excitement prevails over the low priced merchandise now being sold by Mistrot Bros & Co. The little would-be competitors are looking on with wonder at the immense stock of goods Mistrot Bros. & Co. are selling at the dullest season of the year. Prices and merchandise tell the tale. The trade knows a good thing and is not slow to take hold of an opportunity that seldom presents itself. This stock is part of the A. B. Frank & Co. wholesale stock, of San Antonio, Texas recently damaged by smoke and water, comprising over $350 000 worth of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and Notions, and sold by the insurance companies to the highest bidders. MISTROT BROS. & CO. being the only concern in the state of Texas able to handle this stock, bought the entire stock at a greet sacrifice.

**Over 25,000 Worth of this Stock now on Sale by the Dublin Store at Sacrificing Prices.**

We quote a few prices at random, through the stock of merchandise now on sale. These prices are good only for one week or as long as the stock on hand will last. We cannot guarantee prices longer as we expect to close out many of the lots by that time, and cannot duplicate the goods for double the money. Most of hese goods are in comparatively clean condition; some only smoke damaged and sold on their own merits.

## Another Big Shipment Received This Week

Comprising big lot of hosiery for ladies, men and boys. Big lot of laces and embroideries, table linens, napkins and towels. Fifty pieces of matting in straw and cottonwarp. Big lot of rugs all in comparatively clean condition, not materially damaged. All on sale at sacrificing figures. The big crowds of eager buyers taking advantage of this sale the past week demonstrates the fact that people know a good thing when they see it. Prices and merchandise talk, this is the best and most substantial advertisement a firm can have. The goods will advertise themselves. Come quick while the assortment is still large and supply your need in dry goods, clothing and shoes.

One lot of men's odd pants fine cassimere and worsted pants, slightly damaged, 2.00 and 2.50 grades on sale this week at 98c per pair.

One lot men's odd pants, all wool cassimer and worsted, all in good condition, 2.50 to 3.00 grade, choice of this lot for 1.50.

One lot of men's odd vest 76c to 2.50 choice of this lot 50c.

One lot of men's odd pants, all wool, cassimere and worsted all in good condition, 2.50 to 3.00 grade, choice this lot 1.50.

One lot of men's suits, 7.50 to 10.00 grades on sale at 4.50

One lot of men's odd coats, 3.00 grade on sale at 1.50 per coat.

One lot of men's fancy neglige dress shirts, 35c grade, on sale at 18c.

One lot of men's fancy neglige dress shirts, 50c grade, on sale at 25c.

A big lot of men's fine laundried fancy dress shirts, 1.00 and 1.50 grades, at 50c.

A big lot of men's suspenders, heavy and medium, 25 grades, choice 10c.

One lot of men's suspenders, fancy web, extra quality, 35c to 50c grades, your choice for 15c per pair.

One lot of men's fine suits in black and fancy worsted meltons, cassimeres, blue serg, all fine wool suits worth 15.00 a suit, on sale choice for 7.50

Big lot of men's overcoats, heavy melton, 10.00 grade on sale at 5.00.

One lot of men's long ulster overcoats, 5.00 grade, on sale at 1.98.

One lot of men's 6.00 heavy ulster overcoats, on sale each 2.50.

One lot of boys' knee suits, 1.50 and 1.25 grades on sale at 75c.

One lot of boys' knee suits, 2'00 and 2.50 grade, choice of this lot each 1.50.

One lot of boy's knee suits, 3.00 grade, choice of this lot, each 1.25.

One lot of boys' knee pants, 50c grade, choice of this lot 25c.

200 pairs of men's odd pants, worsted, cottonade and cassimere, 1.00 to 1.25 grade, choice of this lot for 50c per pair.

One lot of boys' odd coats, 1.50 to 2.00 grade, on sale at 98c each.

One lot of men's duck coats, blanket lined, 1.50 grade, on sale at 98c.

One lot of men's bleach drawers, elastic seams, 73c grade, on sale at 38c,

One lot of men's bleach drawers, challenge 65c grade, on sale 35c.

One lot of men's bleach drill drawers, 50c grade, on sale 25c.

One lot of men's drawers unbleached 25c and 35c grade, on sale 15c.

Two hundred and fifty pair of men's gloves in buck, kid, mocha, all fine grade for work and dress gloves, 1 00 and 1 25 grades, your choice 50c.

One lot of men's socks in grey, heavy, 8 1-3c grade on sale 5c.

One lot of men's socks, black and tan, fine grade, 12 1-2c to 15c grades, on sale three pair 25c.

One lot of socks, in black and tan, 8 1-3 and 10c grades, on sale 5c.

One lot of men's socks in grey and black, 5c grade, on sale 3c.

One lot of men's fine fancy wool overshirts 1 00 to 1 50 grade, on sale 50c.

One lot of men's wool overshirts, all perfect and clean stock, 1 50 grade, on sale 75c.

One lot of men's fancy silk ties and scarfs, 25c grade, on sale 10c.

One lot of men's silk bows, 18c grade, on sale, each 5c.

Big line of neckwear in silk, windsors, Batwing four-in-hand, valnes from 50c to 75c, on sale 25c.

One hundred dozen men's handkerchiefs, all grades and qualities, some all linen, some cambric, worth from 5c to 25c each, on sale 2 1-2c to 5c.

2500 yards of laces and embroideries, all grades and qualities, some damaged more than others, all guaranteed to wash clean, some not damaged at all, value 5c to 25c per yard, on sale choice of the lot in lots of six yards at 1, 2, 3 and 5c to 8c per yard.

Fifty dozen ladies hankerchiefs from the plain fancy border to the finest enbroidered edge, all more or less soiled and damaged, values 5c, 10c, 12 1-2c to 25c, on sale in lots of six at 2c, 3c, 4c to 6c each.

200 pair of ladies fancy silk garters with buckles and bows, values 25c to 35 a pair, on sale 5c to 10c.

### NOTIONS.

Big line of notions, stationery, school supplies, blank books, tablets, note paper, etc., all from the fire stock, in good condition, only slightly damaged by smoke, on sale at small figures.

One lot pencil tablets, full size, 5c grade, on sale, choice 2c.

One lot of ink tablets, regular 5c to 10c grades on sale choice 3c.

One lot note paper, legal fold, regular price 25c, 1-4 ream, on sale 10c.

One lot fine note paper, regular price 35c, 1-4 ream, on sale 15c.

One lot memorandum books, 10c quality, on sale 3c.

One lot of pocket memorandum books, 25c kind, on sale 5c.

One lot Spencerian copy books, regular 5c grade on sale 2 1-2c.

One lot composition books, large size, 15c grade on sale 8c.

One lot composition books, half size, 10c grade on sale 3c.

One lot of day books, linen back, 25c grade on sale 10c.

One lot of day books, 15c grade on sale 5c.

One lot fancy mirrors, on stands, 35c grade on sale 10c.

One lot of note paper all in first-class condition in one fourth ream, 25c value, on sale 15c.

One lot ink tablets, note and letter size, 5c and 10c grade, on sale 3 for 10c.

One lot of garter webb, value 5c to 10c a yard, on sale 3c a yard.

One lot of finishing braid, extra quality, 12 1-2c grade on sale 5c piece.

Big line of ladies hose and children hose, fine grade, seamless, 15c to 25c grades on sale 10c pair.

One lot of ladies and children hose, in black and grey, 5c to 10c grade, on sale 3c pr,

One lot ladies fancy silk garters, all in good condition, 25c grade on sale at 10c pair.

One lot of ladies belts, all grades and kinds values 25c to 50c, on sale at 10c.

One lot ladies leather belts, 50c grade, on sale at 15 each

One lot hooks and eyes, 10c grade, spring back, on sale at 2 1-2c card.

One lot safety pins, patent hook, 5c grade, on sale at 2c card.

One lot dress bone for waists, 10 cent grade, on sale at 5c per dozen.

One lot agate buttons, large and small, plain and fancy, 5 to 10 cent grade on sale a 3c card

One lot fine pearl buttons, all styles and prices, 10 to 15c grades, on sale at 5c doz.

One lot of combs, 5 and 10c grade, on sale at 2 1-2c each.

One lot lead pencils with rubber ends, 10c grade on sale at 5c doz.

One lot pen points, value 10c, on sale at 4c per dozen.

### DRY GOODS DEP'T.

100 pieces of percales, ginghams, madras, lawns and dimities, all worth 8 1-3 to 10c, on sale at 5c.

Big lot calicoes, dimities and lawns, 5 to 8c grade, on sale at 2 1-2c yard.

One lot of ginghams, dress styles and madras, 12 1-2c grade on sale at 6 1-2c yard.

One lot table linen, full 70 inches wide 50c grade on sale at 35c yd.

One lot red table damask; 25c grade on sale at 15c yd.

One lot bleach towels, 10c grade on sale at 6 1-2c each.

One lot unbleached cotton towels, 10c grade on sale at 3c each.

One lot linen huck towels, 25c grade, on sale at 12 1-2c each.

One lot fancy lawn for dress wear, 10 cent grade on sale at 6 1-2c yd.

One lot fancy lawns, 12 1-2c and 15c grade on sale 7 1-2c yd.

One lot white check nainsook, 7 1-2 grade on sale 4c yd.

One lot white bed spreads, 1 50 grade on sale 98c

One lot of fine white bed spreads, 2 00 grade on sale 1 25.

One lot ladies vests, 25c grade on sale 10c

One lot lace curtains, 75c grade on sale 50c pair.

One lot lace curtains, 1 25 grade on sale 85c pair.

One lot lace cuatains, 1 50 grade on sale 98c pair.

Big line ladies shirt waists, 75c and 1 00 grades, choice the lot, 50c each.

One lot ladies parasols, 50c grade, on sale 25c ea.

One lot ladies parasols, the 1.00, 1.25 and 1.50 grades, choice at 50c each.

100 pairs wool blankets, 4.00 to 6.00 grades, choice on sale 1 98 pair.

25 cotton blankets, 1.25 grade, on sale at 75c pair.

One lot heavy cotton blankets, 1.50 grade, on sale at 98c each.

One lot cottonade for pants, 20c grade, on sale 12½c yard.

One lot cottonade, 15c grade, on sale at 10c yard.

One lot bed ticking, 8½c grade, on sale at 4c yard.

One lot white lawn, 10c grade, on sale 6½c yard.

One lot white lawn, extra quality, 12½c grade, no sale at 8½c yard.

One lot fancy curtain cretone, 10c grade, on sale at 6½c yard.

### SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Over 250 cases of shoes for men, boys, ladies and chtldren, high cut and low cut shoes, all in first-class condition. These goods were all on basement floor in solid cases and practically not damaged at all. Some cases only the cartoon smoked and damp.

One lot of mens' brogan shoes, 75c grade, on sale 48c pair.

One lot of children's shoes, all clean, 35c grade, on sale 10c pair.

One lot of men's dress shoes, satin calf, congress and lace, 1.50 grade, on sale at 98c pair.

One lot men's dress shoes in cap and plain toe, 1 75 grade, 1.10 pair.

One lot men's dress shoes in plain toe, 2.00 grade, on sale 1.25 pair.

One lot gent's fine congress calf shoes, plain and cap toe, 2 50 grade, on sale at 1.50.

One lot gent's oil grain plow shoes, in buckles and gaitors, 1.50 grade, on sale at 98c pair.

One lot gents' heavy brogans, 1.25 grade, on sale 75c pair

One lot gents' fine shoes, 3.00 grade, on sale 1.98 pr.

One line ladies' shoes, kid, button and lace, dress shoes, 1.50 grade, on sale at 98c pair.

One lot ladies' kid lace shoes, in plain and coin toe, 2.00 grade, 1.25 pai .

One line ladies' shoes in kid, lace, heel and spring heel, vici kid patent tip, 2.00 grade on sale at 1.25 pair.

One line ladies' fine dress shoes, kid, button and lace, coin and plain toe, 2.50 grade, on sale 1.50 pair.

One line ladies' fine dress shoes, kid, lace and button plain and coin toe, 2.00 grade on sale 1 25 pr.

200 pairs ladies' low cut shoes, 75c and 1 00 grades, on sale at 50c pair.

150 pairs ladies' low cut shoes, 1.25 and 1.50 grades on sale 75c pair.

### SPECIAL.

We place on sale from the A. B. Frank & Co. Fire Stock over 2000 pieces Silk Ribbons and Satins in all colors and shades, all in first-class condition, at less than half price.

No. 1 and 2 ribbons, value 2½c and 3c yard, on sale at 1c yard.

No. 3 ribbon, value 4c and 5c yard, on sale 2c yd.

No. 4 and 5 ribbon, value 6c and 8½c yard, on sale 4c yd.

No. 7 and 9 ribbon, value 10c and 12c yard, on sale at 7½c yard.

No. 16 and 22 ribbon, value 15c to 20c yard, on sale at 10c yard.

No. 30 and 40 ribbon, value 20c to 25c yd, on sale at 15c yard.

Big line of No. 50, 60 and 80 size at proportionate prices.

Big line of new shoes direct from the factory on sale at cut prices in connection with the fire stock, the goods comprise our new line of Drew Selby low cut, Goodman & Co's. low cut, and the Sachs shoes—all first class, up to-date footwear direct from the factories. 250 pairs of Drew Shelby's Low Cut shoes in heel and spring heel, Oxfords and Sandals, all the new shapes.

Drew Shelby's 2 00 line on sale at 1.50.

120 pairs Drew Shelby's low cut shoes, all the new shapes, Drew Shelby's 2.50 line, on sale at 1.85 pair.

72 pairs Goodman's low cut shoes, in vesting tops, southern button, 2.00 grade, on sale 1.50 pair.

72 pairs Goodman's low cut shoes, in all new shapes and toes, all solid stock, 1.75 grade, on sale at 1 25 pair.

120 pairs Sach's 2.00 low cut shoes on sale 1.50 pr.

One line Sach's low cut shoes, coin and plain toe, 1.50 grade, at 98c pair.

**SPECIAL NOTICE TO THE TRADE!** In addition to the A. B. Frank & Co. Fire Stock, we have just received and placed on sale a big line of new Spring Goods direct from the manufacturers, comprising a big line of low cut shoes from the best makers. Big line of ladies ready made shirt waists, wash suits, skirts. Big line of muslin underwear, big assortment of fancy wash goods and silks. Big line of fancy and staple dry goods, entire lot we place on sale at cut prices to make it more interesting for our little would-be competitors. Remember these goods are seperate from our big fire stock. We expect to have a hot time in the old town for the next two weeks. A word to the wise is sufficient. Come prepared to get the biggest values ever offered to the public on merchandise for the next two weeks.

# MISTROT BROS. & CO.

**LEADERS IN LOW PRICES. DUBLIN, TEXAS.**

# TURKEY IN A BAD FIX

## Affairs Are Rapidly Reaching a Dangerous Point.

## IS WITHOUT MONEY.

**Salaries Are Overdue and the Threatened Uprisings in Yemon and Macedonia Look Serious. Young Turks in Revolt.**

London, March 28.—Advices received here from Constantinople are to the effect that affairs are rapidly reaching a dangerous pass there. Turkish finances are in an inextricable confusion. All government salaries are from six to eight months in arrears. Upward of 1,000,000 Turkish pounds are due for war material, while military expenditures are daily increasing in order to cope with the rebellion in the province of Yemon, in southern Arabia, and possible rising in Macedonia.

There is no doubt the Ottoman troops received a severe shock at the hands of the Arabian insurgents, who issued a manifesto denouncing the sultan and have proclaimed his brother, Mohammed Reshad Effendi, to be sultan, with the title of Mohammed V.

The young Turks have adhered to the Arabian proclamation and open enmity to Abdul Hamid, the sultan, has spread to the palace and the sultan's advisers. Izzet Bey is said to be preparing for flight. The patrols of Constantinople have been doubled.

Mohammedans and Christians are arrested hourly and large numbers are shipped daily to Asia Minor.

The tension between Bulgarians and Mussulmans in Macedonia is extreme.

It is reported another band of marauders has crossed Bulgaria into Macedonia.

**Filipinos to Be Hanged.**

Manila, March 28.—General MacArthur has approved the sentence of the military commission which tried the leaders of the Philippine secret society, known as Mandoducats, who murdered Quisimbing, the native president of the town of Calamba, and took his head to the headquarters of the insurgent general of that district. Five ringleaders of the Mandoducats were sentenced to be hanged at Calamba April 5, one to imprisonment for life and four others to imprisonment for 20 years.

Captain August McManus of the Thirty-ninth volunteer infantry, who effected the arrest and secured the conviction of these Mandoducats leaders, has been highly complimented for his work.

Affairs in Laguna province are assuming a better shape since the inhabitants have been largely relieved of the terrorism exercised by the insurgents.

**Great Britain Makes Protest.**

Washington, March 28.—A dispatch has been received here from one of the foreign offices to its representative stating that the British government had made a protest against China's negotiating a convention with any power touching territorial or financial affairs until the present troubles in China are settled. The protest was made through Sir Ernest Satow, the British minister at Pekin.

**Manchurian Treaty Not Signed.**

London, March 28.—Officials of the Japanese embassy confirm the report that an imperial decree has been issued by the court at Sien Fu ordering the Manchurian convention not to be signed on March 26, the date fixed by Russia. An intimation of this decree had been telegraphed to the various governments concerned.

**China Did Not Sign.**

Pekin, March 28.—Chinese representatives had not signed the Manchurian agreement when the time for the signing had expired.

**Long Settles a Controversy.**

Washington, March 28.—Secretary Long has settled the controversy which has existed at the national observatory between Captain Davis and Director Brown by detaching the latter from duty and placing Prof. Walter Scott Harshman, already on duty there, in charge of the nautical almanac. Director Brown had admitted writing certain letters connected with the effort to secure a civilian management of the observatory.

**More Consolidation Schemes.**

Chicago, March 28.—President Hays of the Southern Pacific, President Burt of the Union Pacific, Vice President Bancroft of the Oregon Short Line and Traffic Manager Campbell of the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, passed through Chicago en route for New York. A conference will be held with H. Harriman in New York and it is understood negotiations will be made looking toward the consolidation of the Union and Central Pacific railway systems.

**Murdered by Burglars.**

New Orleans, March 28.—John Favalona and daughter, Annie, were discovered dead in their home on Peridos street. Both had been murdered by burglars during Tuesday night. The burglars ransacked the premises after killing their victims. Favalona kept a grocery store and fruit stand.

**Cold in Europe.**

London, March 28.—The weather in Europe continues as bitter as ever. The frost and snow is everywhere. Considerable thickness of ice on lakes. Heavy snow storms swept over northern France and there was several inches of snow on the streets of Paris.

## WILL NOT USE FORCE.

**United States Changes its Determination to Make Morocco Pay.**

Washington, March 28.—Secretary Long has cabled an order to Admiral Rogers on board the cruiser New York at Tangier, to proceed at once with that vessel to Manila. This is an abandonment of the plan to have the New York to convey United States Consul General Gummere from Tangier to Mazaragan in an attempt to collect American claims. It is the purpose of the state department to endeavor to adjust these claims and other outstanding issues against Morocco without any show of force and in the ordinary practice of diplomacy.

## WHOLESALE REJECTION.

**Chilian Claim Commission Breaks All Record in Denying Claims.**

Washington, March 28.—The Chilian claim commission promises to break all records in the rejection of claims. In all there were 138 claims presented, 16 by the United States and 2 by Chili, aggregating something over $3,000,000. Of these 80 have been decided and the total allowances are $5000 against Chili and $3000 against the United States. One of the chief cases against Chili involved upwards of $1,000,000 and its disallowance in toto makes an important reduction in the aggregate. The allowance in favor of the United States was that for a citizen arrested in Chili some 15 years ago. It grew out of claims of one of the consular offices.

The most important case is the ship Itata, which during the Chilian trouble some years ago left San Diego, Cal., with alleged arms and contraband goods on board. Chili has made a large claim for this alleged breach of neutrality. The case will be about the last one disposed of. It is expected two months more will complete the work and that the final report and adjournment of the commission will occur about May 27.

**Boers and British Scrap.**

Cape Town, March 28.—Indecisive encounters at widely separated points are reported daily.

Fighting took place Tuesday at Tarkastad and Henningfontein, both in Cape Colony. Casualties were few.

A commando numbering 200 under Commandant Fourie was dispersed at Thabanchu.

According to reports received here the hill above DeWetsdorp, just reoccupied by General Bruce Hamilton, was also the scene of a fight lasting several hours Tuesday.

**Jointists Fear a Raid.**

Fort Scott, Kan., March 28.—Evangelist Williams, who affected such an overturning at Hiawatha a few weeks ago, began a series of union meetings here Sunday in Convention hall and now every saloon in town closed its doors. The keepers are apprehensive of an explosion of sentiment that would land them in jail. It is the first time for two years saloons have not been running wide open here.

**Gamblers Give Up.**

Pine Bluff, Ark., March 28.—Nearly all of Pine Bldff's gamblers have gone to other states to ply their vocation. Gambling houses here have the aspect of deserted quarters. This city, with but few interruptions, has been for some time wide open with regard to gambling, and the change produced a marked effect.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

Rev. W. Hunter, aged 75, the oldest Episcopal minister in Georgia in point of service, died at Columbus, Ga.

The bondsmen of Estes G. Rathbone have refused to continue the guarantee and he has been taken into custody at Havana.

Postmaster General Smith denies emphatically that he intends to resign his office.

Three railroad men were suffocated in a tunnel near Seattle, Wash. The train stalled and the men could not get out fast enough.

Bob Ballard, a negro, was given the death penalty at Bryan, Tex., for the murder of a Bohemian.

Texas leads all states in the number of national banks organized in 1900. Sixty-four were organized.

One of the attractions at the Confederate reunion at Memphis, Tenn., will be a grand flower parade.

A block of buildings at Athens, Tex., was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of about $11,000.

A new packing house will be established at San Antonio, Tex.

Edgar A. Angier of Georgia has been made attorney of the United States for the northern district of Georgia.

Victor F. Lawsen, proprietor of the Chicago Record has sold that paper to H. H. Kohlsaat, owner of the Times-Herald and will be issued hereafter as the Chicago Record-Herald.

Tuesday was a record breaker in the horse market at Chicago. The receipts were 414 cars.

Governor Candler of Georgia has announced his retirement from office at the termination of his present term of office.

A. W. Hogan, the broker who was shot Monday night by the woman Doris Noble, died at St. Joseph's hospital.

Vice President E. P. Underwood of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad has accepted the presidency of the Erie railway.

Warren S. Reese, Jr., of Alabama, has been appointed attorney or the United States for the middle district of Alabama,

Dispatches from Russia indicate that disorder is spreading.

Consul Gunmere has been given discretionary powers in collecting the debt of $60,000 from the sultan of Morocco.

## WASHINGTON NEWS.

A native has been appointed treasurer of the island of Cuba by General Wood.

The United States minister to Venzuela has recently been twice arrested by the authorities there on improper grounds. The government has sent vigorous protests of the outrage.

The Philippine commission now in the islands, has promulgated an act for the establishment of free public schools. As soon as possible, the English language is to form the basis of all instruction. Authority is given for the employment of one thousand trained teachers in the United States at a salary of $75 a month to go to the islands. A normal school is also provided for at Manila to teach natives in the art of educating.

Great Britain has refused to accept the senate amendments to the Hay-Poncefote treaty, which stipulates the abrogation of certain sections of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty and allows the United States government to build, operate and defend the Nicaragau canal. The particular objections of the English government is the proposed right of the United States to "defend" the canal, claiming that the property should be neutral and open to all countries in time of war or peace.

**JORDAN'S $5 HAT DRAWING.**

Parties holding tickets in above drawing will please call at Jordan's store, bringing their tickets with them, and see what they get.

Fresh garden seeds of all kinds and seed potatoes at Brock & Bishop's. 35-tf

A gentleman who has had a large amount of experience in prospecting in Africa and Australia, besides our own country, advises us this week that he has found within five miles of Dublin, fine oil prospects and that he believes the territory surrounding Dublin will before long develop oil in quantities to surpass that recently found at Beaumont. We have but limited information in the matter at present but will try to get further particulars for next week.

Dr. Mullins of Fort Worth, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will be in Dublin at the Wiley Cottage April 5th and 6th. 42-tf

Dr. S. C. Morgan, the dentist. All work guaranteed. Office over G. B. Maloney & Co's. 23-tf

**Comanche County Court.**

Will Heathington, abusive language, dismissed, defendant having plead guilty before justice of the peace.

Sam Parish, disturbing religious worship, plea guilty, fined $25.

J. C. McKinzie, carrying pistol, plea guilty, fined $25.

J. C. McKinzie, aggravated assault, plea guilty, fined $25.

Jess Willis, theft, plea guilty, fined $1 and thirty minutes in jail.

Homer Key, aggravated assault, plea guilty, fined $25.

Daniel Long, aggravated assault, plea guilty, fined $25.

J. B. Clevinger, theft, plea of guilty, fined $1 and thirty minutes in jail.

Frank Robinson, shooting dog, verdict not guilty.

S. W. Carnes and John Rhodes, permitting gaming on premises, pleas guilty, fined $25 each.

Z. P. West, selling whiskey to a minor, plea guilty, fined $25.

Sol Ingram, carrying pistol, plea of guilty, fined $25.

Sol Ingram, abusive language, two cases, plea guilty and fined $1 in one case, other case dismissed.

F. M. Wagner, violating local option law, not guilty.

John Morgan, permitting gaming on premises, plea guilty and fined $25.

Frank Hastley, abusive language, plea guilty, fined $5.

Al Wasson, cursing in a public place, plea guilty, fined $1.

Joe Smith, aggravated assault, plea guilty to simple assault and fined $5.

James Landers, aggravated assault, plea guilty, fined $25.

Martin Renfro, aggravated assault, not guilty.

Sam Parish, carrying pistol, not guilty.

In a ton of cotton seed there is one hundred pounds of dirt, two hundred and fifty pounds of oil, and thirty to forty pounds of lint, all of which is valueless to the person who wishes to use it for feed. The Dublin Cotton Oil Co. can extract this worthless material and use a good portion of it at a good price and give you more pounds of feed, free from the worthless portion for it. It will pay both the mill and yourself for you to sell them the seed and take a larger amount of feed and hulls for it. This they will give. 20-tf


# EX-PRIME MINISTER OF HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

## Commends Peruna to His Friends as a Positive Catarrh Remedy.



Hon. Celso Cæsar Moreno, Ex-Prime Minister of Hawaii.

The Hon. Celso Cæsar Moreno, ex-Prime Minister of Hawaii, and projector of the Trans-Pacific cable, 1876, is a distinguished statesman, and the best known Italian in the country. In a letter from Washington, D. C., to the Peruna Medicine Co., he says:

*"I can commend your great national catarrh cure, Peruna, to my friends throughout the country as a safe, reliable medicine. I know of no other tonic that will build a person up as well as Peruna. It is a positive cure for the universal disease, catarrh, and those who will try this remarkable medicine will find a sure cure.*

*Very respectfully,* *Celso Cæsar Moreno.*

Charles B. Royer, 909 W. Washington street, Morristown, Pa., writes:



Malinda Royer.

"My oldest daughter Malinda Royer, is cured of deafness by Peruna. When she began to take Peruna we had to go up close to her and talk very loud to make her hear.

"After taking one-half dozen bottles of Peruna she can hear you in any part of the room. She can hear an ordinary conversation."

*Thousands of people have catarrh who would be surprised to know it, because it has been called some other name than catarrh. The fact is, catarrh is catarrh wherever located; and another fact which is of equally great importance, that Peruna cures catarrh wherever located.*

*Catarrh is an American disease. Fully one-half of the people are afflicted more or less with it in some form. Previous to the discovery of Peruna, catarrh was considered well nigh incurable. Since the introduction of Peruna to the medical profession thousands of cases are cured annually.*

Mr. W. M. Holland, of Hartwell, Ga., proprietor of the Hartwell Tin Works, writes of Peruna as follows:

"I am more than pleased with the benefits derived from Peruna. The winter of 1899 my weight was 150 pounds. I used several bottles during the winter and now weigh 211.

"I have recommended it to all my friends both as a tonic and catarrh cure. If I had been lucky enough to have used it several years ago Peruna would have saved me much inconvenience. I can never be too thankful to you for the benefits received from your valuable remedy. My mother has also been wonderfully benefited by your valuable remedy."

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for free catarrh book.


## AUSTIN HAPPENINGS.

Governor Sayers will call an extra session of the legislature, when, he has not yet decided.

An effort is being made to have the legislature make an appropriation for a suitable Texas exhibit at the St. Louis world's fair.

Representative Palmer of Erath county, has introduced a bill in the legislature to define and punish lobbying and to provide penalty.

The governor has accepted the resignation of Representative Dillard and called a special election to choose a successor. Information appears on another page as to the reason for Judge Dillard's withdrawal, which in brief is that he says the legislature has sold out to lobbyists and he could not afford to further associate in the session.

A bill presented by Senator Paullis for regulation of mutual fire insurance companies in this state has passed the senate and been favorably reported by the house committee. It provides for a deposit of $50,000 with the state treasurer as a guarantee fund and requires state investigation of the books of the companies and sixty per cent of income must be set aside for the payment of fire liabilities.

For Sale.—Several good red, full-blood Durham yearlings. Also good Johnson grass hay, at ranch, 15 cents per 100 pounds.—Dr. T. Y. Lewis. 42-tf

See Brock & Bishop about their prize offer of $5 actually given away to their customers on the last day of each month. 40-tf

**School Election.**

To the voters of the various school districts of Erath county, Texas:

By virtue of authority vested in me as county judge of Erath county, Texas, and by authority of law, an election is hereby ordered and directed to be held at the school house in each school district in said county, (except in the independent school districts of Stephenville, Dublin and Bluff Dale,) on the first Saturday in April, 1901, the same being the 6th day of April, 1901, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two school trustees for each of said districts, such trustees to be elected to succeed those trustees whose terms of office expire April 30th, 1901.

The trustees in each district so appointed (and requested) to hold said election and make due returns of same to me as the law directs, within five days after said election is held, showing who have been elected such trustees.

Said election to be held in accordance with the election laws of the state of Texas.

Witness my official signature and seal of office in Stephenville, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1901. L. N. FRANK,

[SEAL] Co. Judge Erath Co. Texas.

You can get a first-class assortment of fresh and reliable garden seed of us. We also have some fine Irish potatoes. Your patronage solicited.—Brock & Bishop.

Frank Dunn, the old Dublin blacksmith, would appreciate your work in his line.


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**A LUXURY WITHIN THE REACH OF ALL!**

MAKE no mistake! See that my head is on every package of

**LION COFFEE**

you buy. It guarantees its purity. No coffee is

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Watch our next advertisement.

Why has **LION COFFEE** now become the leader of all package coffees? And why is it used in millions of homes?

Because it does not sail under false colors. It is an absolutely clean, pure coffee. No glazing, no coating with eggs, mixtures or chemicals in order to hide imperfections.

Just try a package of **LION COFFEE** and you will understand the reason of its popularity.

In every package of **LION COFFEE** you will find a fully illustrated and descriptive list. No housekeeper, in fact, no woman, man, boy or girl will fail to find in the list some article which will contribute to their happiness, comfort and convenience, and which they may have by simply cutting out a certain number of Lion Heads from the wrappers of our one pound sealed packages (which is the only form in which this excellent coffee is sold).

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Our Klondyke Cultivators have won loud praise from all who have tried them. They tickle the ground and please the men who use them. Never before has anything created such a sensation among the farmers. The demand for them has simply been enormous—far beyond our anticipations, and we expected much. We are keeping the roads warm bringing us more, and shall try to supply the demand, but remember the first who come will be the first served. Please do not delay if you want a Klondyke. Only a few Standards out of a car load left.

**Baker Galvanized and Net Wire.**

Don't fail to preserve your garden from the ravage of rabbits and then curse your luck for not having vegetables like your neighbor.

**We can Protect You**

from the summer drouth. Ask for the remedy and the implement man'll look scrapers at you. Can you make a catch?

**In Cultery & Hollow-ware**

we have no equal. Latest designs in Aluminum.

**We Have Plenty of**

Planters, Double Shovels, Georgia Stocks, Sweeps, Plow Points, Plow Stocks, Plow Handles, Plow Harness, Wagon Harness, Buggy Harness, single or double, a full line—over 50 Sets—at prices consistent with the times.

**A Car Load**

of Corn, a car load of Cane Seed and Millet and Potatoes—the genuine Tennessee Triumph—that must be sold before the season is over. See us soon, for they must go.

**Paints.**

The best Roofing and House Paints on earth is here in car load lots. On every package will be found the manufacturer's guarantee—not merely for satisfaction when first applied, but for a time sufficient to properly test it's merits.

**Miscellaneous.**

Water Hose, Pipe and Pipe Fittings, Cresting, Valleying and Guttering, Barn Door Rollers and Tracks, Saddles, Buggies and Wagons—a large and varied stock to select from.

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## Largest Stock of Retail Groceries in West Texas.

## Very Latest Dry Goods, Clothing and Milllinery.

A call will convince you our prices will sell you. Don't fail to get them, no matter what others may tell you. We are the Leaders. Stores at Dublin, Stephenville and Alexander.

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THE DUBLIN PROGRESS

J. S. DALEY,....PUBLISHER AND FOUNDER.

DUBLIN, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAR. 29, 1901.


W. T. Alexander left Wednesday to spend a few days at Gorman.

Frank Townsend was down from Gorman yesterday and the day before.

A. J. Spencer returned Thursday from a trip to Eastland county.

Postmaster Weaver has been granted an original pension of $6 per month.

A postoffice has been established in Kaufman county to which the name "Kruger" has been given.

A large number of young people enjoyed themselves at a hop given at the Shamrock rooms Wednesday night.


**Sit up in bed.**

When it becomes necessary to sit up in bed to get your breath; when the least exertion such as walking, sweeping, singing, talking or going up and down stairs, causes shortness of breath, fluttering or palpitation; then it is time to do something to brace up and strengthen your failing heart. Take Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It is best of all.

"I could not rest at night and often had to sit up in bed to breathe. The least exertion would make my heart palpitate dreadfully. Our doctor prescribed Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and it completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. C. MCKELVEY,
Palin, Tenn.

**Dr. Miles' Heart Cure**

stimulates the digestion, increases the circulation and makes weak hearts strong. Sold by druggists on guarantee.

Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.


W. T. Daniel advises us that he has decided not to make the race for mayor, in fact that he was joking about the matter all along. This leaves the plum, so far as now known, between Messrs. Spencer and Daley, who are each anxious to serve the dear people in the honorable position of chief executive officer of the city.

The quail shooting season has closed and now the Dublin nimrods are jubilant over the arrival of plover. Several parties have killed a good number of them on the prairie near Dublin this week.

Last Wednesday night while Mollie Bailey's show was giving an entertainment at Alexander, someone litterally cut their parade harness to pieces, stealing one set and doing other damage. Warrants are now out charging two young men with the theft.


**To Cure Constipation Forever.**
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.


We don't follow. We lead.—Clay Drug Co.


**Guaranteed.**
Plantation Chill Cure, tasteless and plain, is guaranteed to be a permanent cure for chills and fever, dumb and third day chills bilious and remittent fever, liver complaint and jaundice, and to disrel-malaria. Pleasant, any child can take it. Harmless, but sure. No cure, no pay. Price 50 cents. Manufactured by VanVleet-Mansfield Drug Co. For sale by F. E. Shugart & Co.


C. S. Oates left Wednesday to renew work on the Townsend-Oldham building at Gorman, which he expects will be finished by the middle of next week. He later returned for the reason that the parties were not yet ready to renew operations.


**Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.**
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists. $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.


The Grayson county teachers institute has recently endorsed Prof. John C. Lattimore of Waco, for state superintendent of public instruction. Mr. Lattimore is a son of Mrs. S. C. Lattimore of this city.

Sam Jones may never pass this way again and all should hear him this time. You not only get the value of your money but a good part of the admission price goes to complete the new church.

You can be cheerful and happy only when you are well. If you feel "out of sorts" take Herbine, it will brace you up. Price 50c. W. J. Clay Drug Co.

### City Announcements.

ELECTION, APRIL 2ND, 1901.

For Mayor,
R. B. SPENCER.
J. S. DALEY.

For Alderman, Ward No. 1
J. D. BROCK.
S. A. GREEN.

For Alderman, No. 2.
W. H. NEEL.

For Alderman, Ward No. 3,
B. W. LAFFERTY.

For Recorder,
W. R. SHAW.
D. H. HURD.
F. C. OLDHAM.

The twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Pythian grand lodge will be held at Galveston April 16th and 17th.

A box car on the Rio Grande road caught fire and was burned on the side track at Comanche Wednesday night. We are not informed of what it contained.


**Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.**
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.


Lawyer W. S. Payne last week purchased the W. C. Bowden place in south-west Dublin at a cash consideration of $500. He has since occupied the place.


**Beauty Is Blood Deep.**
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.


C. S. Oates, who left this week for Gorman, has returned. The building upon which he intended to work was in abeyance for a few days.


**PIMPLES**

**"My wife had pimples on her face,** but she has been taking CASCARETS and they have all disappeared. I had been troubled with constipation for some time, but after taking the first Cascaret I have had no trouble with this ailment. We cannot speak too highly of Cascarets." FRED WARTMAN,
5708 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

CANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets TRADE MARK REGISTERED REGULATE THE LIVER

Pleasant. Palatable. Potent. Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken, or Gripe. 10c, 25c, 50c.
... CURE CONSTIPATION. ...
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York. 314

NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit.


Miss Fannie Northcutt left yesterday for a visit of several days with her sister at Gorman, Mrs. Clem Oldham.

Mrs. B. L. Shoffner is very sick with an attack of inflamatory rheumatism, with which she has been contending nearly three months.


**Femenina for Women.**
Femina, price 50 cents, contains four more doses than the average $1.00 female tonic. The most powerful mother's friend known to the medical profession. All physicians prescribe it. A trial will convince you that we offer the best female tonic that money can buy. Manufactured by the VanVleet-Mansfield Drug Co. For sale by F. E. Shugart & Co.


People are coming from neighboring towns to hear Sam Jones next Tuesday evening. They are coming in from the country too.

At Turkey Peak, nine miles south of Blanket, a school house was blown over Friday night. There was a heavy rain and some hail.

"Tennessee Triumph" potatoes, bucket 25 cents at Morrison's.

The postoffice at Lingleville will become a money order office after April 1st. The office at Hannibal, this county, has been ordered discontinued and mail sent to Ex Ray.

Just because jeans pants are working pants is no reason why they shouldn't fit and look well. The Buckskin Breeches have the most wear, best fit and best looks of any pants made, where pants are worn.

A. J. Spencer, at the M. A. Brown old shop, is now prepared to put in boiler tubes, refitting and babbiting gins, etc. If you are interested it is to your advantage to have the work done now while he is not especially rushed. 45-tf

Walter Watson has been so unfortunate this week as to be taken with a stroke of paralysis which has rendered his lower limbs entirely useless and at this time he is very ill. It is to be hoped that he will again soon regain the use of these members, but the case is reported as a serious one.

Cotton sold in Dublin yesterday for $6.65 to $7 per hundred in the lint.

Buyers want a large and varied stock to select from. In every line we are leaders. No other drug store in town can come anyway near meeting your wants. Come and be convinced.—Clay Drug Co.


**Night was Her Terror.**
"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained fifty-eight pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Overton Drug Co.


J. W. Walker of Waco, is here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Adams, of Dublin, and his daughter Mrs. Bob Barker of near this place. He is also prospecting and expresses himself as well pleased with Dublin and surrounding territory.


**Drink "Martin's Best" Whisky.**
Bottled and guaranteed by Martin, Casey & Co., Fort Worth, Texas. The best and purest whisky in the market when you get the genuine, which is guaranteed by us and speaks for itself. Do not be deceived by imitations or other brands represented as "Just as Good." Full measure quarts, pints and half-pints. For sale by Eakins & Day, Dublin, Texas. 45-4t


**Lost-Found.**

An especial low rate of one cent a word for first insersion and a half cent a word for each succeeding insertion without change given items under this head.

Strayed.—Three-year-old roan heifer, no brand or mark. Will give $5 reward for return to farm one mile west of Alexander.—W. Cowan. 45-4t

Strayed.—One sorrel horse, 14½ hands high, about nine years old; also gray horse, 14½ hands high, sway-back, about nine years old, unknown brand on right hip. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery.—S. Clark, Stephenville. Residence five miles east of Stephenville. 45-1t

Strayed.—Red roan pony mare, work signs on shoulders, four or five years old. Don't know if branded. Reasonable reward for delivery to W. R. Strong, Dublin. 42-tf

Col. A. C. Kirkpatrick, a popular knight of the grip, representing Sanger Bros., was registered at the Wiley cottage this week.

W. D. Kinsella, with the J. I. Case Plow Co., was in the city this week.

J. W. Peeples left Wednesday on a projected fishing tour on the Leon.

Mrs. Dora Wiley expects to leave some time next week for Marlin to try to recuperate her failing health.

Mrs. C. B. Long left Wednesday for Axtell, Texas, to attend the bedside of Mr. Long's father, who is seriously ill from a recent accident.

J. G. Steele has disposed of his crop on the Walton farm, seven miles south-east of Dublin and left yesterday for Thurber to take a position in the brick plant.


**D. M. BRITTON,**

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in and Manufacturer of

**Leather and Leather Goods, Harness, Collars, Etc.**

All hand-made leather manufactured from home product.

Repair work a specialty.

Opposite W. T. Miller's Store.






**At the Top!**

We lead and others try to follow We have first choice of all of the best paint made by the best factories.

Come in and let us show you why we sell HAMMAR and RUCHTER PAINT in preference.

**MOORE & MORGAN.**

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DUBLIN, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAR. 29, 1901.


The fourth annual session of the university summer schools at Austin will be held from June 13th to July 26th.

At a St. Patrick's day celebration in New York, David B. Hill spoke and was greeted with cheers as our "next president."

The Texas Farm and Ranch aptly says: The man who starts out to make a living by renting land from year to year without any intention of owning a home, may manage to live and perhaps keep out of debt, but that's all he will ever amount to.

The next meeting of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial Association will meet at Hillsboro April 25th to 27th inclusive. The Southern Industrial Association will meet at Philadelphia in June. The Hillsboro meeting will arrange for a delegated representation there.

Hon. W. W. Dillard, a member of the state legislature, last week gathered together his private papers at Austin, cleaned out his desk in the house and announced his departure from the body. Judge Dillard opposed the passage of the bill allowing railways outside the state to lease Texas railways not over 115 miles in length. The bill passed and Judge Dillard said: "I am going home. This legislature is controlled by a railroad lobby, and I have lost more self respect since I have been here than I will ever regain. I have been to the theatre, where I paid my money, and I saw the boxes full of legislators who were guests of railway lawyers. I will go to my people and tell them what I have seen and heard, and will ask them what they want me to do. I have my resignation written out and am ready to send it to the governor." He charges that the railway lobbyists have put the gag rule on the house. Judge Dillard was a member of the constitutional convention in 1875.

Within the space of one year and fifteen days the Standard Oil Co. has declared dividends amounting in the total to sixty-eight million dollars. Of this sum John D. Rockefeller received over twenty-one million, averaging for the time fifty-five thousand dollars a day or forty dollars for each minute during the time.

The Galveston News entered its sixtieth year of continuous publication last Monday. The two News' deserve the large amount of prosperity that has and is coming their way, for probably no other factor has done so much for Texas and the south. The News' are great newspapers, may they live long and grow greater.

The total amount given by Andrew Carnegie to the establishment of public libraries is now computed at thirty million dollars. He has said that he wants to to die poor and intends to try to do so. He figures that he will yet live ten years and in that time can dispose of his remaining three hundred million dollars in charitable enterprises.


## IT CAME BACK.

**The Doctor's Wife Found Her Complexion Again.**

**Coffee is no respector of persons when it comes to the poisonous effects thereof. A prominent physician's wife of Monticello, Ind., says that coffee treated her very badly indeed, giving her a serious and painful stomach trouble, and a wretched, muddy complexion.**

**Her husband is a physician of the regular school and opposed to both tea and coffee, so he induced her to leave them off and take on Postum Food Coffee.**

**The stomach trouble disappeared almost like magic, and gradually her complexion cleared up; now she is in excellent condition throughout.**

**There are thousands of highly organized people who are made sick in a variety of different ways by the use of coffee, and most of these people do not suspect the cause of their trouble. They think that others can drink coffee and are well, and they can, but about one person out of every three is more or less poisoned by coffee, and this can be proven by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee. In nearly every case the disorder will be greatly relieved or entirely disappear. It is easy enough to make a trial and see whether coffee is a poison to you or not.**

**The name of the doctor's wife can be given upon application to the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., at Battle Creek, Mich.**


### Alleged Illegal Incorporation.

A number of citizens of Stephenville have applied for and been issued an injunction out of the district court restraining the city of Stephenville from collecting taxes on the grounds that the incorporation is not a legal one. The town was first incorporated in the year 1872, with B. F. Wells, mayor, and J. M. Parnell, John S. Hyatt, John A. Frey, A. A. George and John A. Shelton, aldermen, and John W. Welch, marshal. About four years afterwards the city marshal and two or three other parties followed Ed Yarbro on the Granbury road two miles from town and killed him. Such a furor was created over this incident that the mayor and aldermen resigned. The county officials then took charge, collected the taxes and exercised the duties of the city council until 1889, when without abolishing the old incorporation a new corporation was voted and at the election less than one hundred votes were cast. The citizens who have filed proceedings desire the two old corporations abolished and a new one created, the legality of which cannot be questioned and hence will have a better moral influence to enforce it's ordinances. The case will be tried at the appreaching term of the district court.

Blank deeds, vendorse liens, vendorse lien releases, notes, mortgages bills of sale, breeders' contracts etc., are kept in stock and for sale by the Progress.

### Brick Yard Prospects.

Appropos of the recent statement in the Progress relative to the money to be made in a brick yard if located in the vicinity of Dublin, and the fact that plenty of good dirt for the purpose may be found about Dublin, we are in receipt of an application from a well-to do business man in Mississippi, who has had large experience in that industry, to send him samples of some of the best dirt for this purpose to be obtained in sufficient quantities near Dublin, and if same is satisfactory he would be willing to move here and establish a yard on a large scale. The gentleman has ample means to operate such an industry on as large a scale as is justifiable and the Progress is anxious to see that the proper and correct information is placed before him. We will be thankful to any number of of persons in or near Dublin who will be kind enough to bring us at once some samples of dirt which they think would serve well for this purpose, being careful to keep each sample separate and we will see that they are forwarded to the gentleman.

### A Bargain!

160 acres of land out of the Geo H. French survey, 1½ miles north of Victor. Price $7 per acre. Apply to Groesbeck & McClellan, Stephenville, Texas. 40 tf

Morrison has a large stock of wire nails and staples.

### Erath County Court.

John Gobel, violating local option law, two cases, having been reversed and remanded by court of appeals, were continued.

Manual Gozeneeche, aggravated assault. continued.

Sol Driver, gaming, plea of guilty, fined $10.

A. J. Crane vs. First National Bank, continued.

M. D. Lewell vs. F. M. Chandler, defendant demurs and exceptions sustained. Defendant has leave to amend. If no amendment be made case is dismissed.

J. Willis & Bro. vs. Mrs. C. M. Gentry, dismissed at cost of Mrs. Gentry.

O. D. Parker, gaming, continued.

Crockett Dunn, wilfully and maliciously injuring personal property of S. N. Borders, plea of guilty and fined $2 50.

Tin ware, granite ware and galvanized ware at Morrison's.

### Bosque County Court.

B. F. Keahey, theft of property under $50, verdict not guilty.

Erra Looney and Will Shannon, unlawfully maiming a dog, continued.

Chat Sadler, carrying pistol and disturbing peace, dismissed.

John Jordan, assault and abusive language, also carrying pistol, dismissed.

Jason Stephens, disturbing the peace and riot, fined $50 and costs. Motion for new trial overruled and motion of appeal filed. This charge was for shooting roman candles and other fire works during last Christmas week. Bills for the same have also been found against G. S. Cox and Josh Cox and all arrested. The defendants have filed suit aggregating $12,000 against the sheriff for false imprisonment.

Wayne Weaver, maiming animals, verdict not guilty.

Louis Sedberry, disobeying quarrantine, plea of guilty and fined $50 and costs.

Hilbert Loggins, violation local option law, dismissed for want of evidence.


**D. C. CARIKER,**

**Attorney-at-Law.**

Special attention to collections. Office over W. T. Miller's store.

DUBLIN, TEX.

**T. J. FARMER, M. D.**

**Physician and Surgeon.**

DUBLIN, TEXAS.

Office with Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co. Residence 'Phone, No. 54. Office 'Phone Dublin Drug and Jewelry.

**DAN T. FRY,**

Attorney-at-Law.
Dealer in Real Estate.

If you want to buy or sell land, see me. Office: Room No. 2 over Dublin National Bank. 37-1 yr


### Election Notice.

By virtue of authority vested in me as mayor of the City of Dublin, and in accordance with the ordinances of said city, an election is hereby ordered to be held in the city of Dublin, in the County of Erath, State of Texas, at the mayor's office in the Cagney building in said city. Said election to be held on the first Tuesday in April, A D. 1901, same being the second day of said month. Said election called for the purpose of electing the following officers for the City of Dublin, to-wit:

One mayor; one alderman from ward No. 1; one alderman from warn No. 2; one alderman from ward No. 3; each of the above named officers serve for a term of two years Also one recorder to fill the unexpired term of W. H. Key, resigned; said term expiring at the general city election in 1902. H. E. Brown is hereby appointed presiding officer to hold said election.

Witness my hand at Dublin, Texas, this, the 21st day of Februay, A. D. 1901.

Attest: R. B. SPENCER, Mayor.
H. E. BROWN, Sec'y.

### To Entertain New York Visitors.

Relative to the early visit of a party of New York financiers on a prospecting trip through Texas, the following notice has been issued by County Judge L. N. Frank and Mayor James Collins of Stephenville:

NOTICE.

Whereas, by invitation of the governor and the general assembly of the state of Texas, a committee of distinguished citizens and financiers of the city of New York are soon to visit Texas and are to make an itinery of the state for the purpose of learning it's resources and it's progress in development, and

Whereas, it is the desire of the citizens of Erath county and of the city of Stephenville, that they should join in the welcome extended and the entertainment to be given said committee of visitors and to make known to them the resources and advantages of Erath county, now

Therefore, L. N. Frank, county judge of Erath county, and James Collins, mayor of the city of Stephenville, do hereby appoint as a committee to meet, welcome and wait upon said visitors the following named citizens: E F Jones, N C Baldwin, G W Jenks, W K Gordon, J H Cage, R B Spencer, G W Harris, Sr., O S Houston, Lee Young, J C George, Eugene Moore, James Miller, John Groesbeck, L F Gordon, Jas U Vincent, A L Murphy, C C Oliver, R P Campbell, McD Reil, B F Wyly and J S Straughn.

Witness our hands and respective seals of office in the state of Texas and county of Erath, this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1901.

L. N. FRANK, Co. Judge
JAMES COLLINS, Mayor.


**How Are Your Kidneys?**

Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

## When You Need Drugs or Druggists Sundries

You always need and should have the best. It does not pay to take risks on getting adulterated drugs, or prescriptions not properly compounded.

You MAY get what you want elsewhere, but you WILL get what you want from us.

We make a specialty of Everything the best. Give us a trial.

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**of the Estimate Which You Place upon Yourself."**

That's why we are so well pleased when people say,—"You Don't Have to Apologize for Riding on the Denver Road!" We knew that we had the handsomest train and most perfect service in the Southwest when we put on those up-to-date Pullmans, modern Coaches and luxurious Cafe-cars. The people have caught on now. The ladies appreciate the extra large dressing-rooms in our sleepers, every one is delighted with those new Coaches,—and, it is a veritable joy to take your meals in the Cafe-cars! Because of these advantages, also our much the shortest time nearly everybody goes to Colorado our way. They enjoy going through without change.

W. F. STERLEY, G. P. A. A. A. GLISSON, G. A. P. D. CHAS. H. HULL, T. P. A.

FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

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It's for YOU to Say HOW MANY.

**SOAP.**

Deathon Dirt Soap, a Texas soap for Texas dirt, 11 bars..25c
The Good Busy Bee Soap, 10 bars for.....25c
Extra Olive Soap, a good Laundry Soap, 15 bars for.....25

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## City Announcements.

ELECTION, APRIL 2ND, 1901.

For Mayor,
R. B. SPENCER.
J. S. DALEY.

For Alderman, Ward No. 1
J. D. BROCK.
S. A. GREEN.

For Alderman, No. 2.
W. H NEEL.

For Alderman, Ward No. 3,
B. W. LAFFERTY.

For Recorder,
W. R. SHAW.
D. H. HURD.

N. O. Jackson has removed from Huff Dale to Tolar.

Morrison has a complete stock of queensware, glassware and oneware.

County court adjourned last Saturday and district court will convene the second Monday in April.

Garnett L. Jackson, dentist, office over Dublin National Bank. Prices moderate, work guaranteed.

Rev. Gady of Dallas, came in last Saturday to assist Dr. Wingo in the meeting at the Baptist church.

Rev. B. W. Huckabay, evangelist of the M. E. church, will begin a ten days revival meeting at the tabernacle May 2nd.

The Bosque county teachers have decided to have a summer normal at Morgan. J. M. Bettis has been selected conductor.

The oil prospecting well at Morgan has reached a depth of five hundred feet. Slight indications of oil is apparent.

The state comptroller has issued a letter calling the attention of confederate veterans who are receiving pensions to the fact that it is absolutely unnecessary for them to pay any fee to any one for collecting their pensions, that the system adopted for the distribution of pensions for every quarter is so simple that it is a waste of money to the pensioner, for which he receives neither value nor advantage, in paying a fee to a collector. Affidavits should be sent direct to Comptroller Love at Austin and he will return them state warrant by mail.

A young society man of Dublin, whose thoughts have lightly turned with the coming of spring, was asked a few days since by a fair damsel to tell her how to make "not enough" out of the word "enough." He was not long in figuring out that by taking in regular order the third, second and first letters of the word "enough" and the sixth, fourth and fifth letters to make another word, the result would signify something that is not enough.

John Bordeaux, living five miles northwest of Eastland, near the Yellow Mound school house, claims to have struck oil and coal at a depth of one hundred and twenty-eight feet, while boring for water last week. He bored eighteen inches in the coal and stopped. It is said that oil or coal and sometimes both have been struck in the boring of every deep well in the neighborhood.

W. H. Hamilton, well known in and a former citizen of Dublin, but who has for some time resided at Wilson, has recently purchased a tract of two hundred and fifty acres of land on the Jim Ned creek, in Brown county, fourteen miles northwest of Brownwood, for which he paid $5 an acre. As stated in these columns some weeks ago he has disposed of his land near Wilson.

W. C. Bowden last week removed his store to the Bratton building on Patrick street and the building vacated by him has been occupied by Gentry & Turbeville, who will put in a line of family groceries in connection with their saddle and harness business.

Messrs. R. E. and C. C. Austell of McGregor, arrived here Saturday last on a prospecting trip, with the expectation of locating.

### Personal.

E. F. Jones of Stephenville, was here Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Ragland of Stephenville, visited with friends here last week.

Capt. H. A. Smith returned Tuesday from Waco and other points east.

B. R. Pleasants returned Monday from a trip of several days at Carbon and Hico.

R. C. Jones returned last week from a visit of several days with his brothers at Lampasas and Temple.

Messrs. Elvis Edmonds and Ely Herndon spent Sunday in Stephenville.

Dr. S. C. Morgan, the dentist. All work guaranteed. Office over G. B. Maloney & Co's. 23-tf

Every variety of fresh and reliable garden seeds at Brock & Bishop's. 35 tf

A party of about fifteen colored people including men, women and children came in yesterday from Hico, where the men have been working at the oil mill the past season. They went on to Brownwood to accept work in the mill there.

Go to McCampbell & Son for the best cigar in town. 44-tf

Mr. Jas. Martin and Miss Alice Watson of Stephenville were married near Birmingham, Ala., Sunday, March 17th, and have since returned to make their future home in Stephenville. Miss Watson was visiting relatives in Alabama at the time. She is a sister to Mrs. John M. Baxley of Dublin.

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

The people of Gorman are asking the commissioners court of Eastland county for the justice court of that precinct to be held there.

See Frank Dunn for blacksmithing and horse shoeing. 41-tf

Elections are to be held throughout the county Saturday of next week for the purpose of electing school trustees for the various school districts.

E. E. Doggett of Hamilton, was here Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Jane Doggett, who resides at Santa Anna, and was en route home from a visit at Hamilton.

Farmers who have held cotton this season for a better price, as a rule, failed to profit by it, and many of them have lost amounts ranging from one hundred to five hundred dollars. This circumstance is to be regretted and all the more so that a large number of farmers have been the losers. They can as a rule ill afford such losses, for as their profits are more sure than any other line of industry, yet the margin is nearly always closer, and to be successful farmers must therefore figure closer than persons engaged in nearly any other avocation. When cotton is bringing a price of as much as eight cents it is rarely ever good policy to hold it for a better figure.

Phone 71 for all kinds of feed and fresh groceries.—McCampbell & Son. 44-tf

J. P. Crawford, Stephenville, has removed to Pigeon, G. E Leveritt to Harbin, L. A Lawson to Huckabay and M. L. Patton to Matador.

The Texas Central railroad last Monday paid to the state controller $455 85 tax on $45,585 32 of passenger earnings for the quarter ending December 31st.

Prof. W. L. Hancock, who has been attending the John Tarlton college at Stephenville for some time, will apply himself to teaching again this year. He was here Tuesday on business.

$5 in gold actually given away at the end of each month by Brock & Bishop. Their customers all have a chance at it. 40-tf

The sheep shed, feed house and about four hundred head of sheep belonging to Ben T. Prather, near Chase, Bosque county, was destroyed by fire on the 13th inst. The loss is estimated at $2,000.

### To Those Wanting Seed Cotton.

It is an important question to get good cotton seed to plant. I ginned the entire crop of A. J. Newby and for the benefit of those who may buy seed from him I give below the turn-outs of a few of the forty-eight bales raised by him last year:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Oct. | 16, 1,568 lbs. | net 600 lbs lint |
| " | 17, 1,512 " | " 565 " " |
| " | 18, 1,520 " | " 562 " " |
| " | 19, 1,496 " | " 540 " " |

The above is a fair average of all the bales ginned for him. He has seed for sale at 25 cents a bushel at his farm, the Whittenburg old place, three miles northeast of Dublin.—W. H. Armstrong. 45-2t


## Food for Reflection

### Fr Those Wh Buy Their Groceries in Dublin.

We would greatly appreciate your patronage and ask that when in want to give our stock and manner of doing business a thorough investigation. To the country people we would say, when in town make our store your headquarters. You will always feel at home and welcome here. We want your Grocery trade and realize that we will only get it as we make it to your advantage to deal with us.

We are constantly receiving fresh goods and carry many goods in our line that cannot be obtained elsewhere in the city, and at prices most reasonable. We feel proud of our large and increasing city trade, we hope to still enlarge. We are the only Grocery House in Dublin that own their delivery wagon and we don't have to add on your each purchase five or ten cents to get your goods home.

Highest Prices Paid for Chickens, Eggs and Turkeys.

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| 3. | SUIT FURNITURE | 35 00 |
| 4. | TEXAS DANDY CULTIVATOR, | 35 00 |
| 5. | COOK STOVE, | 35 00 |
| 6. | SEWING MACHINE, | 25 00 |
| 7. | SET HARNESS, | 20.00 |
| 8. | SUIT CLOTHING, | 15.00 |
| 9. | DRESS PATTERN, | 5 00 |
| 10. | LADIES CLOAK, | 5 00 |
| 11. | LADIES HAT, | 3 50 |
| 12. | GENT'S HAT, | 3 50 |
| 13. | PAIR SHOES, | 3 00 |
| 14. | TRUNK, | 2 00 |
| 15. | SHIRT, | 1 50 |
| 16. | CORSET, | 1.50 |
| | TOTAL, - - - | $350.00 |




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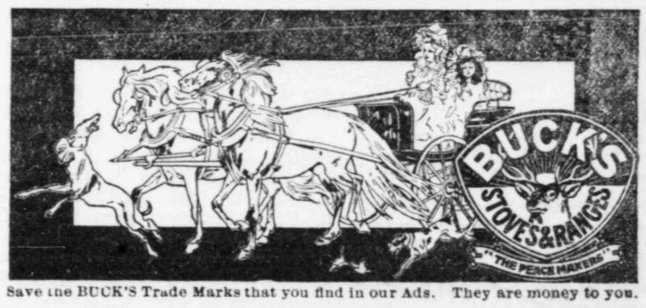
Each person buying Five Dollars worth of goods will be given a ticket, which entitles such person to one chance. This grand drawing will take place on Dec. 25th.-'01.

It will pay you to call at our store and get particulars of this offer.

No. 2782 drew the buggy in our offer of last year and it was drawn by J. D. Carter of Hazel Dell, Comanche Co.

Remember this costs you nothing, nor does it cost us, for the wholesale dealers furnish us the articles to introduce and advertise their goods.

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Save the BUCK'S Trade Marks that you find in our Ads. They are money to you.

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Our buyers will start East in a few days to buy a still more complete line of Millinery, Dry Goods and Clothing. Every department will be more complete than we have ever shown before. Shoes are no object to us. We bought big stocks before the advance and hence have the following choice bargains to close:—300 pair shoes at 50c on the dollar—200 Ladies', Misses and Childrens Slippers, same way.

Remember that you get tickets at either store—Dublin or Gustine—and that tickets are not given except when cash is paid for goods. We want you to come and see us.

YOURS TRULY,

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**Successors to Dublin Mercantile Co.**

# Pity and Beauty

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby, thin and in pain. And the mother does not know that a little fat makes all the difference.

Dimples and joy have gone, and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and color and curve--all but pity and love--is gone.

The little one gets no fat from her food. There is something wrong; it is either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that is gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick!

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**Young Man**—You are pale, feeble and haggard; nervous, irritable and excitable. You become forgetful, morose, and despondent; blotches and pimples, sunken eyes, wrinkled face, stooping form and downcast countenance reveal the blight of your existence.

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# AGUINALDO IS CAUGHT

Funston Captures the Filipino Leader after a Daring Risk.

## IS TAKEN TO MANILA

**This Places Funston Again a Hero of the War—The End of the War Is Now Regarded as Near at Hand in Philippines.**

Manila, March 28.—General Frederick Funston's daring project for the capture of Aguinaldo in his hiding place in the province of Isabella, island of Luzon, has proved completely successful. Aguinaldo was captured there on March 23.

The United States gunboat Vicksburg, Commander E. B. Barry, with General Funston and Aguinaldo on board, arrived here yesterday morning.

The province of Isabella, where the capture of Aguinaldo occurred, is on the island of Luzon, about 200 miles northeast of Manila, and about 75 miles north of Balero, the eastern coast, which place was made memorable by the capture of



COLONEL FRED FUNSTON.

Lieutenant Gilmore and his party from the gunboat Yorktown in April, 1899. Isabella province is wild and mountainous, especially along the coast, where the high range known as the Grand Cordellinas Oriente, extends for 100 miles or more from north to south. The highest point of the range being but a few miles from the shore.

Rugged trails, in some places but a foot or two in width, lead across the mountains frequently crossed by rushing streams and where these overflow their banks the trails were waist deep in mud. It was to this uninviting district that General Funston and his small band went a short time ago. It was a part of the island that has never been visited by American troops.

General Funston's plans as outlined a few days ago, were to make the trip accompanied by Surgeon Harris, Capt. Newton of the Thirty-fourth infantry, Lieutenant Admire of the Twenty-second infantry, Lieutenant Mitchell of the Fortieth infantry, six veteran scouts and a company of native scouts, all picked men. They were to be landed by the gunboat Vicksburg on a remote beach north of Bales, and were to proceed overland guided by a former officer of Aguinaldo who had betrayed to Funston the Filipino leader's abode. To deceive the enemy it was arranged that Aguinaldo's representative who had given the information to the Americans should lead the native scouts and assume the character of insurgents still loyal to the rebel cause.

The news of Aguinaldo's capture indicates clearly that the plans of General Funston were carried out successfully.

## SOURCE OF SATISFACTION.

**Officials Believe the End of the War Is Close at Hand.**

Washington, March 28.—Official news of the capture of Aguinaldo had not reached the war department up to a late hour last night. The president had retired before the Associated Press bulletin arrived and he heard the news for the first time this morning.

The capture of Aguinaldo is a source of great satisfaction to the president and his advisers. Coming so soon after the surrenders reported by General Mac



EMILIO AGUINALDO.

Arthur of prominent Filipino officers and the successful establishment of civil local government by the Taft commission, they feel that the end of the rebellion in the islands is near at hand. With the expected collapse of further opposition which it is confidently believed will follow, the hope is expressed that it will not be necessary to maintain such a large standing army in the islands as has been contemplated.

The disposition of Aguinaldo is an interesting one for the administration to determine. The possibility of his capture at any time always had been kept in view and that of his future had been a matter of informal discussion by the officials here. It is not believed, however, that any definite line of action was ever determined upon in regard to the matter. The attitude of the government for a long time past has been one of comparative indifference to Aguinaldo's capture, it having been determined to crush the rebellion without regard to his whereabouts. His recent adtivity in directing the course of operations against the American forces probably brought about the recent change in this attitude.

As the leader of an insurrection against the United States government, Aguinaldo may be tried and executed, a lesser punishment meted to him by executive clemency, or complete amnesty extended. While the question of punishment rests with the military authorities it is believed the president will make the matter one for determination primarily by the authorities here.

## PHILIPPINE ARMY.

**Fifty Thousand Men Will Be Maintained until Peace Reigns.**

Washington, March 28.—The present plans of the war department contemplate the maintenance of a army of 50,000 men in the Philippines until order has been established under the proposed new civil government and the garrisons can be safely reduced to a peace footing.

There are now about 65,000 troops in the Philippines and China and the original plan was to maintain an army of 60,000 men in the Philippines until a stable government has been established, replacing the volunteers, numbering about 25,000, with regulars to an extent sufficient to keep up all existing garrisons throughout the archipelago, but it has been found impracticable to do so under existing conditions within the short time intervening before July 1, when the entire volunteer army must be disbanded.

The failure of the plan is due to the lack of officers in this country to organize the new arrangements authorized by congress and not so much to the difficulty of recruiting.

**More Census Enumerators Arrested.**

Washington, March 28. — Director Merriam of the census bureau has received information of the arrest of three additional persons in St. Mary's county, who, it is alleged, are implicated in the census frauds recently discovered in that county. Two of these persons, Joseph Ching, a lawyer, of Leonardtown, and a former enumerator named Goyter, were brought to Baltimore. The charge against the former is that of aiding and abetting enumerators to make fictitious returns of the population while that against the latter is padding the returns.

**To Attack the Mayas.**

Oaxaca, Mex., March 28.—The government troops will probably make their attack on Chan Santa Cruz, the forfeited stronghold of Maya Indians, in Yucatan some time this week. The Indians have sent their families to Chunamich, where it is said, Chief Yada has his headquarters. The Indians have received a new supply of ammunition and foodstuffs from some source during the past few days. It is thought these supplies were obtained from Belize traders.

**Saved from an Illinois Mob.**

Galesburg, March 28.—A mob of 500 or more gathered here Wednesday night bent upon lynching Ed Jackson, a negro, who killed Engineer Charles H. Rowe Tuesday night. The mob marched on the jail in a body. News of its coming reached Sheriff Matthews and he smuggled Jackson out of jail into a carriage which was driven to Monmouth. A committee from the mob searched the jail and finding, Jackson gone the crowd dispersed.

**State Sunday School Convention.**

Dallas, March 28.—The Texas State Sunday School association elected the following officers Wednesday and adjourned sine die: President H. H. Godber of Waco; recording secretary, J. E. Bassett, Dallas; treasurer, J. M. Serger, Waco; chairman of executive committee, E. H. Conibear, Dallas. The convention will meet at Austin next year.

**Officer and a Negro Killed.**

Columbus, Ga., March 28.—Jim Little, a negro man, shot and instantly killed Officer W. S. Elliott and was himself shot and killed by Officer Woods. Little had been threatening to kill himself and went to carry out his threat. Officers were summoned and as Elliott stepped in the door he was shot in the breast. Wood, who was following, shot the negro three times, killing him.

**Promised Four Years More.**

Little Rock, March 28.—General Powell Clayton, ambassador to Mexico, who is here is attending a meeting of the Republican state central committee, announces that he has promised to serve four years more as representative of the United States in Mexico.

**Anti-Gambling Bill.**

Little Rock, March 28.—Governor Davis has signed the drastic anti-gambling bill passed by the legislature and it went into immediate effect. The chief of police of Little Rock issued orders at once for every gambling house in this city to close.

**Plague Raging in India.**

Calcutta, March 28.—Eight thousand people died of the plague last week in Bengal alone, including Calcutta. Whole towns are being deserted.

## TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

**Emergency Appropriation Bill Finally Passed by the House.**

Austin, March 28.—The proposition for the house to recall from the senate the resolution providing for sine die adjournment on April 9 for the purpose of undoing it still hangs fire. It was under discussion yesterday, but resolution time expired without a vote being reached. The speaker indicated that he does not think the resolution in proper form; that the legislature in order to rescind its action must repeal the resolution heretofore passed.

The house spent a great deal of time yesterday on the last few pages of the emergency appropriation, not making the rapid pace that it made when it first tackled the bill. The bill was, however, finally passed.

The house concurred in the senate amendment to the mineral survey bill by a vote sufficient to give it immediate effect.

The railroad commission appropriation went through the house as reported by the finance committee.

The house in the evening took up the report of the committee which investigated matters concerning the breaking of the house quorum on Thursday night last and adopted it.

The senate finally passed its full term appropriation bill and expects to get it over to the house in a jiffy and put it up to the house to do something concerning it before adjournment. The figures have not been straightened out and the total of the bill can not be ascertained.

The senate finally passed Mr. Kyle's bill for the reorganization of the Ranger force without amendment.

Mr. Thurmond made a determined effort to get an appropriation of $5000 in the appropriation bill to equip the Beeville experiment station, but was unsuccessful.

Many local bills were passed by both houses.

## COURTESY OF RUSSIANS.

**Americans Moved by the Kindness of Czar's Troops to the Dead.**

Pekin, March 28.—The bodies of six American marines who were killed during the siege of the legations and buried in the Russian legation, were removed Wednesday for shipment to the United States. In addition to the American troops in Pekin, the Monocacy, Commander F. M. Wise, sent a detachment of marines to be present at the disinterment.

The courtesy of the Russians deeply moved all the Americans. Two Russians companies participated in all the ceremonies. The Russians guarded the disinterred bodies all night and rendered all the Russian military honors to the dead.

General Chaffee wrote to M. DeGiers an expression of his feelings of the officers and men of the entire command. M. DeGiers, referring to the incident said: "It was only natural. The Russians and Americans fought side by side during the siege and were virtually brothers."

It is recalled that in the case of an American marine who had done duty beside a Russian soldier, and who was buried without a coffin, the Russian, with tears streaming down his face, leaped into the grave and arranged the earth as a rest for the head. Those who were present say it was a most affecting scene.

## APPEAL TO FARMERS.

**President Peters Urges a Reduction in Cotton Acreage.**

Waco, Tex., March 28.—Colonel E. S. Peters, president of the Texas Cotton Growers' Protective association, has sent out the following call:

"At the earnest request of Hon. Harvie Jordan of Georgia, president of the Southern Cotton Growers' Protective association, and prominent farmers in this state, I issue this call for the farmers in every county in this state to meet at their respective courthouses on the first Saturday in April to consider the advisability of reducing their cotton acreage for this year, and also to discuss ways and means for protecting the price of our staple from present manipulations. If the cotton acreage of the south be increased, the price for the staple will go down below 6 cents next fall, which will result in the greatest financial calamity that has befallen the southern farmers in years. Now is the time for action, because the price of the staple next season, will be fixed according to the acreage planted this spring."

**School Trustee Term Extended.**

Austin, March 28.—The senate yesterday morning passed the joint resolution making the terms of office of school trustees six years, also passed the house bill providing for the reorganization of the ranger forces.

**Believe Cubans Will Accept.**

Washington, March 28.—Representative Cesparian Warner of Illinois, who has just returned from an extended tour through Cuba, believes the constitutional convention will accept the Platt amendments.

**Yellow Fever in Mexico.**

Washington, March 27.—The marine hospital service has a dispatch from Vera Cruz, Mex., saying that yellow fever is reported af Tehuantepec, three cases being reported in Coatrcoalcos.

**A Canning Plant.**

Hico. Tex., March 28.—The citizens held a meeting here and agreed to build a canning factory at once and a committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions to stock.


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The famous Monarch brand of whiskies in all grades, ranging in price from $2.00 to $5.00 per gallon. Fine case goods a specialty. Telephone No. 41. Orders by telephone or mail will receive prompt attention.


**Financial Status of the City.**

Last Tuesday morning a Progress reporter took it upon himself to obtain the present financial status of the general fund of the city for the benefit of Dublin citizens, who certainly should all be interested.

On that date the total outstanding scrip, after deducting cash in the treasury to the credit of the general fund, was even $1,322.23. To meet this outstanding scrip there is now, or will be by next Monday, in the hands of the city collector an amount of $600, all creditable to this fund, which will yet leave unpaid scrip in the sum of $722.23. To meet this sum there can be no income figured to amount to anything before the fall collections of advalorum tax for this year. Probably $200 will cover all collections to the general fund from taxes from this date until January 1st next, and possibly $20 in fines for each month including March, which would total $200 more, still leaving $322.23 of present indebtedness in arrears on January 1st next by not including tax collections for this year. To this may be added say $200 each month for current expenses for nine months of this year, beginning with the month of April, which would bring the indebtedness of the general fund on January 1st up to $2,122.23, less whatever small amount of 1901 taxes may be paid in the meantime.

By April 1st of 1902 however, with proper economy, the city can be out of debt, with sufficient funds to meet all current expense until the fall of 1902, when matters can be placed on a permanent cash basis. Proper economy, however, will have to be observed if this desirable condition may be obtained.

**Working 24 Hours a Day.**

There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always busy, curing torpid liver, jaundice, biliousness, fever and ague. They banish sick headache, drive out malaria. Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste nice, work wonders. Try them. 25c at Overton Drug Company. *

E. C. Boynton, minister of the Christian church at Huntsville, will visit Dublin next Sunday and preach at the Christian church morning and night.

**Strikes a Rich Find.**

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take it's place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Overton Drug Co. *

Judge J. S. McEachin of Richmond, Texas, formerly county judge of Ft. Bend county, was here Friday last on business in the interest of the Houston & Texas Central railroad. The judge did not make the race for re-election last fall and is now giving his attention to the practice of law.

W. T. Miller has this week purchased a ranch of 2,800 acres in Jones county, seven miles from Stamford, at a consideration of dollars an acre or $12,500. The purchase was made from Col. U. Connellee of Eastland, who has acquired ownership in the deal to a considerable stock in the Dublin Ice Factory and the ownership of the two story business house in Dublin known as the Wasson & Miller building now occupied by the general merchandise house of W. T. Miller.

**Stops Cough and Works off the Cold.**

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. 25 cents.

G. W. Andruss returned on Monday from Stamford, where he has been looking after his business interests for some time.

The announcement of Mr. Oldham for recorder of the city of Dublin is authorized this week and may be found in the Progress column. Mr. Oldham is a citizen of the town and being known to the people requires no recommendation at the hands of the Progress.

The people of Texas should support Texas institutions, and those institutions are reliable and in line with what they want. The Continental Fire Association of Ft. Worth wants your insurance. It courts an investigation of its standing and its record.—Cariker, Agent, Dublin.

Pocket and table cutlery at Harrison's.

A lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was instituted here this week with a membership of twenty-three persons.

The grand opening of millinery goods at the store of G. B. Wasson & Co. Wednesday was one of the most notable occasions of the kind ever seen in Dublin. Miss Mason, who is the head of the department, has exceptional taste to please the ladies in the millinery line, as was evidenced by the heavy sales of hat patterns on opening day. A ladies hat trimmed with $5 and $10 bills amounting to $150 in value was a feature of the excellent display. The hat was sold for $160.

When we sell you a bill of goods we put our own guarantee in addition to that of makers. If the goods are not what we represent them we want to know it.—Overton Drug Co.

Oscar Kelly returned last night from Comanche where he has been employed since August.

**The Best Prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever,** is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price 50c.

The millinery opening of the Dublin firms this week was a success, not only from a financial standpoint but also a social standpoint.

**Killing in Bell County.**

Brief information by telegraph from Bell county gives the news that a man was killed there Wednesday night by Elmer Norris, formerly of this county, left here a month or two months ago respectively. His father lives there and his brother Alvin of this place. Further particulars yesterday. No details of the matter are obtainable.

# From Over the Country

News Notes, Gossip and other Items of Interest by Our Regular Correspondents.

### POINT LOOKOUT.

Regular Correspondence.

March 26th.—We are glad to report a nice little rain Friday night, which was badly needed to bring up corn and grass.

This scribe and better half visited the town of Alexander Saturday. While on this visit we had the pleasure of meeting some of our old friends from Gustine, Comanche county, and they report a nice rain and Gustine on a boom.

A letter from Hopkins county of recent date reports plenty of rain in that county, and wheat and oats looking well.

Peach and plum trees are at last in full bloom, later this year than for many years.

Mr. Pennington and family made a visit to near Gustine last week returning sunday.

The number of horses and mules that have died from disease, and the number sold last fall and winter, leaves the country almost destitute with barely enough to make a crop.

### CLAIRETTE.

Regular Correspondence.

March 27th.—We had a fine rain last Friday night which was a great blessing to us all and made us feel glad that we was not forgotten by our creator.

Health of our community is not so good as it has been, while we are not having any fatal sickness here are quite a lot of ailments.

"Uncle" Tom McFadden has been very sick but is better now.

Miss Annie Bishop of this place is visiting at Dublin.

Miss Allie Johnston visited her brother at Walnut Springs last Thursday.

Our gin put up four bales of cotton yesterday for J. L. Scott. How is that for March?

J. M. Reagor has bought the house and lot occupied by Reagor & McClanahan at Duffau.

The number of scholars in our school is increasing since the measles have begun to subside.

The Duffau constable is peramulating around these parts for something, but we don't know just what.

Mrs. B. Meeks is sick at present.

Carol Mayfield has been here a day or two but left for home this morning.

W. R. Hardin and Mrs. Gracie McDonald were married March 21st. We wish for them a prosperous journey through life and at last a resting place in the realms above.

We are indeed sorry to hear of the untimely death of Mac Tayor, who has been living with Mr. Sherman near this place. Mr. Taylor, it is reported, was shot and mortally wounded last Saturday by a doctor in Falls county.

### LOWELL.

Regular Correspondence.

March 27th.—The long looked for rain came Friday and it was greatly appreciated.

Will Wells of Stephenville is visiting at this place.

The young folks enjoyed a dance at the home of Robert Griffin Saturday night.

Nearly every one at this place attended court at Lingleville Wednesday. As the court house burned down at that place, the squire held an open session (on the prairie). The case tried was the state vs. Geo. Crenshaw for disturbing the peace. Defendant was found guilty and fined $1 and costs, amounting to $47.55. An appeal was taken.

Bob Quinn has returned from Oklahoma.

Miss Clara Watson has returned home, after a weeks' visit with Mrs. S. E. Hunt and family.

John Grogan will live on the E. Walls farm this year.

T. J. Fair visited Dublin one day this week.

Ira Millican is in Cisco this week.

The holiness congregation will begin a revival at this place next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims entertained their young friends Saturday night.

Lem McCall and sister, Miss Nora, have returned from a three months' visit with relatives in Benton county, Ark.

Tonnie Martin of Lingleville visited this place Sunday.

Tom Philips is very sick with the mumps.

Rev. Ike Sheridan of the Christian faith preached here Sunday.

There was quite a difficulty in Lowell last night, in which Geo. Crenshaw and J. O. Hilliard were the principals.

Hon. Clarence Nugent of Stephenville was among us Sunday.

Misses Harriet Ellison and Sallie Brown visited Hettie Fair Sunday.


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### PALUXY.

Regular Correspondence.

March 26.—No rain to amount to anything yet. Some talk of plowing up their wheat, and corn will not come to anything like a good stand unless it rains.

Charley Knott died on the 19th. He was a respected citizen of this section and leaves a young wife and two small children. They have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood in their sad trouble.

There was quite a crowd of young and old people at the musical entertainment at John Underwood's Saturday night.

James Head of Huckabay, was visiting his brother and family in this section last week.

### PURVES.

Regular Correspondence.

March 27th.—Miss Mae Paine, who has been attending school at this place, returned to her home in Ellis county last week.

Quite a crowd of our young people attended the singing at Palmer Sunday.

J. G. Connor made a trip to Stephenville to-day.

Mr. Purves is erecting a building a short distance from this place.

W. D. and A. L. Martin are digging a storm house.

The young people that attended the singing at Mr. Adams' Sunday night report an excellent time.

Mrs. Jennings is very sick this week.

Mr. Porterfield, who has been attending school at this place, visited his home Friday.

The Purves string band will give a concert on the 5th and 6th of April.

### DE LEON.

Regular Correspondence.

March 27th.—E. L. Woodley, wife and children, went down to Iredell Sunday, and Ed Ross is holding down the depot in the absence of Mr. Woodley.

Wm. Dale and lady visited Gorman Sunday, returning Monday.

T. L. Gates passed up the road for his home at Gorman on his return from Uvalde, where he has been visiting his brother.

Mrs. C. A. Tunnell and little son Floyd, late of Brownwood but now of Santa Anna, are visiting relatives here this week.

P. L. Pierson spent two days with the home folks this week, returning Wednesday.

Zollie Nelson came in from St. Louis Friday last and spent several days with his family. He has a position as drummer for a large house in St. Louis.

Hunt Cogburn sold nine bales of cotton here Monday. He, like many others, has been holding for a better price but failed to get it.

We learn that the school house bonds have been cashed, and work on the new school building will begin soon. The object is to get it ready for the next term of school.

Editor J. J. Switzer made a business trip to Comanche Wednesday.

The railroad men are putting the park in shape for planting a nice lot of flowers soon.

### STEPHENVILLE.

Regular Correspondence.

Mar. 27th.—It is said here that District Judge Oxford will exchange the whole of the next term of district court with some other district judge. This will make way for the trial of all cases on the docket.

There have been thirteen cases for divorce filed for the coming term of district court.

A second quo warrant has been filed praying that the city officers show by what authority they hold and exercise their official functions. The records disclose that both Stephenville and Dublin had been duly incorporated for community school purposes and that they were so incorporated when it was attempted to incorporate them for municipal purposes. The question is, can the same territory be incorporated for two different purposes at the same time?

A full jury has been summoned for each of the eight weeks of court.

The Book Club completed Monday night a study of Burns and his works. The Woman's Club are studying Texas history and parlamentary law.

President Bramlette of the Tarleton college is planning to have two nights of public entertainment during commencement week and he hopes to have Judge Howell Piner of Austin, the incomparable poetic genius of Texas, to deliver the commencement address.

The public school trustees last Monday night re-elected Principal Briles and Profs. Cain and Jones for the ensuing term. They deferred the election of the other teachers.

Judge Lee Young and family are visiting in southern Texas. They expect to remain several weeks.

The carpenters of Stephenville have formed a union and adopted rules governing their conduct and the prices of their services.

A machine shop for the making and repairing of all iron tools and implements has been added to the Baldwin Gin Co's. works.

Culled from the Tribune.

Sheriff Hume has recently arrested Mr. Bachelor at Granbury, on a charge of incest and placed him in jail here to be tried at the April term of court.

Dr. Naylor of this place is taking a course in medicine at New Orleans.

An entertainment will be given Friday night, the 29th inst., at the opera house, for the benefit of the public school library.

An unknown person entered Judge Oxford's home Monday night, and secured a purse containing some change and a $5 bill. The purse was found next morning in the yard, the silver had been removed but the bill was in a separate apartment among some cards and had been overlooked by the thief. The home of S. B. Watts was also entered, but some of the family was awake and the thief was frightened away.

W. F. Keith, a pioneer citizen of the county who recently moved to Alexander, is dangerously ill.

Wyly Talor and lady have moved from Skipper's Gap to Dublin.

The churches of this place contemplate organizing an anti-saloon league, and prospects are good for a local option election at an early date.

"Uncle Pap" Shelton, who has for a long time carried the mails from the depot to the postoffice, says he will resign his position, because he thinks Uncle Sam is trying to impose on him by requiring him to carry the night mail without aditional pay.

Protracted services will begin Sunday, 24th inst., at the Methodist church in anticipation of the arrival of Rev. Abe Mulkey on the 29th. This is done to have the meeting under good headway when he arrives.

Judge J. S. Watson is absent at Beaumont to look after a large tract of land which he is of the opinion he has fallen heir to. The judge is one of a family of five brothers and sisters and it is thought they are the rightful heirs to 4,400 acres of land situated near Beaumont that is now worth one thousand dollars an acre.

Henry Fooshee of Harbin, has left that place to locate at Malvern, Arkansas, and enter the mercantile business. They will visit at Santo, Texas, for several weeks before going direct to their new home.

A fine new boy has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terrett.


**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.


### CHALK MOUNTAIN.

Regular Correspondence.

March 24th.—We had preaching at the school house this morning by Elder Hammick of Duffau, and this evening at Plainview, with large attendance.

We had a light shower Friday night but the high wind soon dried it all up, and we are as badly in need of rain as we were before it fell.

We had the feather cleaners with us last week. They secured a good patronags here and their work is good.

We fully commend the work of Gov. Sayers in the appointment of Hon. C. K. Bell for attorney general. Glad to see one of our old friends honored with such a responsible position, and besides we know him to be well qualified to fill the office.

The good people of this place met yesterday and put a fence around the new school house.

Riley Brown's new store house will soon be ready for occupancy.

The infant child of John T. Hamic was brought here from Dublin last Thursday and buried at this place.

Harvey Hunter came in last week from Mineral Wells much improved in health.

Several of our neighbors went to Stephenville last week for fencing wire.

Your scribe has been suffering with a lame back since yesterday morning, though it is some better at present.

W. L. Shoffner and Bird Collins will go to Glen Rose to serve on the grand jury.


**CURED BY FOOD.**

**Nature's Way to Get Well and Keep Well.**

People who do not know how to select the right kind of food to sustain them become ill, and some sort of disease will show forth. It is worth one's while to know of these facts.

A young woman at Grindstone City, Mich., Mrs. A. P. Sage, began to run down while she was at school. She finally broke down completely and was taken seriously ill with a number of different troubles. The stomach trouble was the most serious one. Her heart also troubled her so she had to sit up as high in bed as possible. This was caused however by her stomach.

She says, "In the morning I would be so weak I could hardly move. I was kept on the simplest foods, principally liquids. After some months I seemed to get a little better, then I got worse, so that I finally was brought to the point of death from non-assimilation of food."

At this time a lady recommended Grape-Nuts Food. She says "Little did I think what a help it was to become to me. I became greatly interested when I read the description on the box, that the food was pre-digested and in the shape of grape-sugar.

I had not been able to digest anything starchy at all, but I began on Grape-Nuts and it was so grateful to the taste, and soothed my stomach so well that I have been using it ever since, and have never grown tired of it.

My stomach trouble is entirely gone. I am much stronger now and can ride a bicycle and take long walks, and have gained very considerably in weight, all of which I owe to Grape-Nuts Food."


### DUFFAU.

Regular Correspondence.

March 27th.—This part of the country was blessed with a very good rain last Friday night which was much needed.

Some of the farmers are planting their corn over.

L. Hollowood was visiting at Mineral Wells Tuesday.

The members of the Baptist church will hold their convention at this place commencing Thursday the 28th of this month.

Stock of all kinds are looking very bad here and the people can't account for it, as they are well fed.

## FOREIGN NEWS BRIEFS.

United States Minister Conger has sailed from Shanghai, en route home.

After April first ordinary domestic postage will be sufficient for the carrying of all mail from the states to Cuba.

Six thousand dollars has been contributed to a fund for the building of a residence for Admiral Schley in Washington.

The Irish members of the English house of commons object to the king's title "defender of the faith," and oppose its being placed on the coins.

It is believed in Washington the Philippine question is slowly but surely improving. Civil government is to be established in the islands by the middle of May.

The secretary of state has handed to the Spanish minister a warrant for $100.000 in payment for several outlaying islands of the Philippines, which were contended not to be in the former cession by Spain.

The American claims against Turkey are not yet paid and are said to be far from it. It is said the Sultan wants to pay but fears if he does so Germany will also press her claims at once and others will follow.

Recent dispatches say that all the allied troops at Tien Tsien, China, are now under arms and the feeling between them is becoming more bitter. The feeling between England and Russia is in particular becoming more intense.

The reported peace negotiations between the British and Boer generals in South Africa are daily repeated and denied. At Cape Town and Pretoria there is no sign of an early ending of the war and Gen. Botha declares that the Boers will never stop fighting until they procure or are granted complete independence.


**"A Horrible Outbreak**

of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Isbill of Morganton, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, pimples, sores, ulcers and piles. Only 25c at Overton Drug Co. *


W. J. Wasson has this week purchased the Harber & Baxley meat market and now entirely controls that business in the city.


**There's a great consolation in owning but one pair of trousers. You never forget your plug of—**





**Wetmore's Best**—*A Chewer's Philosophy.*

The world goes awry with the chewer who forgets his plug of Wetmore's Best. If he can't get another piece, work runs wrong and pleasure falls flat. The absent minded man has to buy a piece of Wetmore's Best every time he makes a change—the wise man keeps a piece in every pocket. There's no use trying to get along without Wetmore's Best. *The tobacco of quality.* No premiums are offered for chewing Wetmore's Best. It sells on its merit. Ask your dealer for it.




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**Onion Sets, Garden Seed.**

Produce Always in Demand.

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## DOMESTIC NEWS BRIEFS

New York will accept the Carnegie library gift.

The sixty-fourth birthday of Ex-President Cleveland occurred March 18th.

Six masked men broke into a bank at Somerset, Ohio, and escaped with $15,000.

James Callahan, one of the alleged kidnappers of James Cudahy at Omaha, is on trial there.

A new counterfeit bill that is hard to detect from the genuine, is puzzling detectives in New York.

Gen. Miles and party have returned from Cuba and say the people will accept the Platt amendment.

Lightning struck a negro school house, killing two negro girls and shocking others, at Kingston, Georgia.

The manufacturers of tin cans have combined to control the market and a raise of price is announced.

Sixty thousand acres of land in Arizona was opened to settlers last week. There was a lively rush to file on it.

A man has been arrested at Pineville, Ky., supposed to be the murderer of six people at Santa Clara, Cal.

A mine explosion at Connellsville, Pa., kills one man, injures five more fatally, and others are badly burned.

Charles Lattimer of Chicago, walked into his wife's millinery store, shot her dead and wounded himself fatally.

A big gold strike is reported near Vickenburg, Arizona. The mine is being opened by people from Clinton, Iowa.

A heavy snow storm raged Sunday and Monday in Colorado Nebraska and Wyoming, but the snow is now melting fast.

A German en route from Shreveport, La., to his old home in Germany, became insane on the train and tore up $2,800 in bills.

A New York special says that President Hadley of Yale University predicts that the United States will eventually become an empire.

J. P. Morgan is negotiating with Senator Hanna for the transfer of the latter's ship building plant to the United States Steel corporation.

It is estimated that the roll of Cherokee Indians being collected by the Daws commission will contain thirty-five thousand names when completed.

Three thousand barrels of crude petroleum from Beaumont has been received by the Standard Oil Cmpany at New York for experimental purposes.

It is stated on good authority that the Illinois Central will shortly close a deal for the purchase of the Minneapolis & St. Louis road and the Iowa Central.

A colony of one hundred negroes left Knoxville, Tenn., for the Hawaiian islands under a three years' contract to work on sugar plantations. Most of them had families.

George Chevrie shot and killed John Morris, city marshal of Pocahontas, Arkansas, last week and a mob of two hundred masked men took him out of the jail and hung him.

Assistant U. S. Attorney General Peck has decreed that the Philadelphia Record shall be disposed of at public sale, to settle claims amounting to over two million dollars.

Joseph Conlin, postal clerk in the New York office, recently disappeared with a mail pouch containing $40,000 in government money, money orders etc. He is now in jail.

Fire destroyed two blocks of buildings in St Louis entailing a loss of $100,000 of which Anheuser-Bush Brewing Ass'n were the chief losers. Loss was covered by insurance.

Chicago dispatches say everything is arranged for President McKinley's trip to San Francisco, in company with his cabinet, on the occasion of the launching of the battleship Ohio.

In the Pine Ridge reservation near Soux Falls, S. D., a full-blood Indian killed a half-breed at the latter's ranch. Rather than be taken by the officers the murderer shot and killed himself.

Jas. Schneider of Nashville has received a letter signed "kidnappers and dynamiters" asking him to leave $300 at a certain place in a public park. If he fails they will dynamite his house.

Wm. Hargart, a wealthy English mining man from Colorado, is said to be lost in the mountains of Mexico. He went on a hunting expedition in December last and has not since been heard of.

President McKinley and party on their trip to the Pacific coast will reach New Orleans April 30th, the aniversary day of the signing of the treaty of Paris, which closed the Spanish-American war.

The extensive lumber yards and saw and plaining mills of John B. Ransom & Co. at Nashville, has been destroyed by fire, estimated loss $140,000, insurance $115,000. The plant covered thirty acres.

At the St. Patrick's day celebration in New York David B. Hill delivered a stirring speech in which, among other things, he severely criticised the administration for not acting in behalf of the Boers.

Mrs. Carrie Nation had an interesting half hour in St. Louis Monday. During her stop there she visited the "Nation" saloon and tried to persuade the owner to change the name, but without success.

At Niles, Mich., W. J. Gilbert, former mayor of the town, committed suicide Saturday by shooting himself with a pistol. Financial troubles of a close friend, whom he was unable to help is said to be the cause of the deed.

A Memphis broker named A. W. Hogin, very prominent in brokerage circles throughout the south, was shot by a notorious woman on the streets of Memphis Monday night and will probably die. He accused the woman of drunkeness.

The Chicago & Great Western railroad has issued an oredr absolutely prohibiting any of their employes to use intoxicating liquors at any time and also makes it obligatory that they pay their honest debts or quit the employ of the company.

A United States marshal at Ardmore seized and liberated seven Hundred quail that were being shipped through there on a Santa Fe train to a commission house in Kansas City. A law in the territory prohibits the netting or trapping of quail.

The village of Glen Gardener, N. J., was almost totally destroyed by fire early last Monday morning. A freight train entering the town carried several cars of oil, one of them exploded and caused all the others to explode and catch fire and the burning oil poured out in the railroad cut and ran down into the village while the people slept.

Miss Jerusha Haltham, aged eighteen, was shot and killed by burglars at her home near Augusta, Oklahoma, Monday. She started to enter the room and finding the door locked and hearing a noise inside thought it was her brother. She called him and was answered by a shot through the door sent by two burglars who were ransacking the room.

$3000 dollars worth of diamonds have misteriously disappeared from the store rooms of Edwards & Sloan at Kansas City and a threat has been received by the firm that unless they immediately pay $1.000 for the gems, the young son of Mr. Edwards' will be kidnapped. The note stated where the money wrapped in a package should be left. Young Edwards has been taken out of school and a package looking like money, but filled with waste paper, was delivered and the goods returned.

A fearful tornado swept the southern section of the city of Birmingham, Alabama, last Monday morning about ten o'clock. The number of persons killed is estimated at twenty-five, only five of whom are white, as the negro quarters were mostly in the track of the storm. Property loss is estimated at $250.000. Fully five hundred houses were demolished. Another storm is reported about the same time at Rome, Ga but there was no loss of life and but small property loss. A mixed train on the Georgia Central was blown off the track near Columbus, but no one killed.

Thomas Kechum, (alias Black Jack) the most noted desperado of the south-west, has been sentenced by the chief justice of the supreme court of New Mexico to be hanged at Clayton, N. M., April 22nd. The criminal has for years figured in every train robbery committed in New Mexico, and in more than one instance has held up passenger trains single-handed and got off with the booty. Several times he has been captured but escaped by fighting and cutting his way through a cordon of officers who had charge of him. The last resort for his release has been tried and he will now hang.

**Notice to Sportsmen.**

Notice is hereby given that our respective places are posted and no fishing or hunting is allowed on them. Violators will be prosecuted.

WALTER BARBEE,
G. W. TACKETT,
W. F. STEPHENS.

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## STATE NEWS.

A light snow is reported to have fallen at Cleburne last Monday.

Bob Spencer of Hillsboro, accidently shot and killed himself while hunting birds last week.

At Marshall the smallpox, so pronounced in other parts of the state, is claimed to be Cuban itch.

A case of smallpox found in the depot at Texarkana Monday caused a stampede of the waiting passengers.

Claude Clifton, a boy, was run over and both legs cut off by an H. & T. C. train at Ft. Worth Monday.

The main building of the new colored orphanage at Gilmer, has been destroyed by fire. Loss $1,-700, no insurance.

The Texas Sunday school association is in session this week at the First Baptist church in Dallas. The meeting is largely attended.

The city of Ft. Worth is in arrears on interest payments to the extent of $47,000. An effort will be made to pay at an early date.

Capt. Moses Dillon, collector of customs at El Paso, has been tried and acquitted of the charge of giving out information to civil service applicants.

An appeal for aid for unfortunate citizens of Wills Point, who lost all their property in a cyclone March 9th, has been made by the mayor of the town.

William Jackson, colored, accidentally shot himself in the stomach with a charge of bird shot at at Waco Monday, from the effects of which he has died.

A storm, very much in the nature of a cyclone, swept what is known as Double Bayou, near Galveston Friday night. Two persons were killed and several others injured.

An attempt was made by an unknown person to burn the north-side school building at Greenville Saturday night. Oil was used but the blaze was discovered and extinguished with little damage.

A boy baby with neither arms or legs was born to Mrs. Walter Davis at Greenville March 10th. The child is otherwise perfectly formed and is doing well. The report is fully vouched for by reliable persons.

A divorce suit to be tried at Waco was settled in a novel way. Husband and wife were each asking for possession of their only child. The judge gave them a moral lecture and they withdrew the suit and went home happy.

C. C. Jackson, a workman on the Abilene section of the T. & P. railroad, has sued the company for $42.000, alleged personal damage from a timber falling on him last September. The suit was instituted in the federal court at Abilene.

A white girl baby has been found in the possession of a strange negro woman at Corsicana, who says that the mother of the child had gave it to her and left the country, saying she could not care for it and would never return. The story is being investigated.

An expert is conducting experiments at Sherman for destroying an insect that is a serious pest to the planters in the wheat belt. He says that paris green and other arsenical poisons will not kill the insect, because it cannot be applied in such a manner that the insect will eat it.

A test has been made of the great oil guyser near Beaumont and the most sanguine expectations of the owners is far excelled. The flow tests a capacity of seventy thousand barrels per day, which is twenty thousand barrels greater than any other well in the world. This output at forty cents a barrel will bring in $28,000 a day or the fabulous sum of $10.220.000 a year.

Two tramps were arrested for vagrancy Monday at Cleburne and on being searched a roll of money that looked as if it had been boiled was found on one of them. He said he picked it up near Galveston and that it was tied in a rag and was hanging on the end of a cross tie where it had evidently been washed by the flood. They paid their fines and left.

J. E. Smith of Hillsboro has been awarded judgment in the sum of $4.000 against the M. K. & T. railroad for a hand cut off in an accident on the road in Grayson county in 1892. At the time he instituted suit, but withdrew it to accept from the company $300 and a life time job. He worked for two years and was then laid off and has since been unable to secure employment, hence the suit.

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Carrie Nation spent last day at Leavenworth, while on her way to Cinc where she is booked for dozen lectures. She wa speak in the Leavenworth house but it was closed aga she then attempted to the public square but was by officers. She later a five hundred people on lot in the south part of t began abusing the gover inciting the people to ri was escorted to a street told to leave, which she went to Kansas City. route she spoke from the form at every stop.

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