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Black Jack Budget.

A Newsy Letter from Our Regular Correspondent.

Attoyac, March 2.—There was a heavy rain fall in this vicinity Wednesday night.

The Attoyac river was on a boom several days last week.

A nice postoffice building is going up on the grounds of Dr. Blacksher. It will be quite an addition to our town and will be handy to the public.

Mrs. Billy Roberts has been very low with pneumonia for some time, and the chances for recovery are against her. Hope to be able to report her convalescent in my next.

Rev. Perry failed to fill his regular appointment at this place this evening at 3 o'clock, and disappointed a large congregation.

Candidates have not begun making their rounds yet, at least, none have showed up here that I have been aware of. The action of the executive committee yesterday may cause them to hustle out. It is owing to the time they set for the primary.

The farmers as a general thing are very backward with their work. No corn has been planted that I have heard of, but tomorrow many acres will be planted.

Mr. John Martin, the mill man, took a large load of cotton seed to Nacogdoches Wednesday.

The winter having been so severe on cattle and so many seed hauled off to the oil mill has caused quite a scarcity of that commodity.

Marrried, on Thursday evening the 27th, at 7:30, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. M. Fuller, Mr. Frank Palmer to Miss Grace Fuller, Rev. Carroll officiating. The guests were numerous and the bride and groom were the recipients of many congratulations. After the ceremony was over the young people enjoyed themselves in social

contab and "snap" until a late hour. The groom is a young farmer of this community and is well respected. The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady. The happy couple have the best wishes of their numerous friends for a pleasant and prosperous voyage over the matrimonial sea.

A building committee will soon be appointed to take steps in erecting a commodious and handsome church edifice. The one that we worship in now will do very well in the summer as the cracks in the end that the pulpit is in are large enough to furnish all the breeze necessary, but in winter they are too invigorating.

Attoyac could boast of a fine string band as a majority of her young men are musicians. Let's have one organized at once.

March came like a lion and according to the old saying it will go out like a lamb.

Melrose Musings.

Personal Paragraphs Picked up by Our Pencil Pusher.

Melrose, March 3.
E. S. S. S. S.

That monster lagrippe has at last invaded our town. It caught grandmother Mangrum first and has had several children in its grasp. We trust no serious trouble will result.

Our people are planting lots of vegetables to need that host of candidates on that will soon start on their campaign. Poor fellows, their road is hard to travel and we must do our best for them.

The nice rain we had this week has made the farmers wear a more cheerful face and some are planting corn.

We are wide awake to the fact that we need a railroad badly and if you have one up at your big town you do not need send it down to us and we will meet it with a depot

Our hearts were made glad when we heard the oil men were at work again at Oil Springs, as we consider that one of the most desirable pleasure and health resorts in the state. We have spent many social, pleasant hours there with our friends and hope to spend many more eating and drinking the best water in Texas.

Melrose is rather dull at present for the young people, so Misses Eva and Bessie Wilson have gone to Garrison on a pleasure trip for two weeks.

We had a phone message last Friday that our precious sister Emma Fall was dying. The funeral service was held at the Methodist church in Chireno Saturday by Bro. Terry and Jno. N. Wilson. We weep not as those who have no hope for we have an assurance that she will rise in the first resurrection to live with Jesus forever. The last few years of her life she was a devoted christian and all her life she had been patient, sweet and kind. God bless her heart broken husband and children, may they make an unbroken family in heaven. God has only taken her on to lovingly draw them to Him. How sweet to know our loved ones are at rest, and what a blessed privilege we have to follow them on to that bright heaven above where no more parting ever comes.

Truck Growers Association.

The Nacogdoches Fruit and Truck Growers Association met in regular monthly session in Nacogdoches last Saturday afternoon.

In addition to the usual routine of business following orders were made.

Secretary was instructed to order rubber stamps to be used by individual members at Nacogdoches.

Secretary was instructed to collect all arrears of assessments and dues and report at next meeting.

Executive committee instructed to select an available man to represent at Nacogdoches club and report at next meeting.

Several new members were added to the association.

The following members were named to the executive committee: Wm. Sharr, chairman; J. L. Burgess, secretary; J. L. Burgess, treasurer; J. L. Burgess, secretary; J. L. Burgess, treasurer.

J. L. Burgess, Tax collector delegate for the H. E. & W. T. associations to the East Texas Truck Growers association at Jacksonville on the 20th inst. See Robt. Lindsey will attend the Jacksonville meeting as a member of the executive committee from this association.

In asking for summary of acreage subscribed by the Nacogdoches association it was ascertained that 286 acres had been listed, being greatly increased since last meeting.

For County Judge

Emmett W. Smith, Esq., announces this week for county judge. His qualifications and fitness are well known to the voters of the county. He is a native Texan and with the exception of a few short absences has lived in Nacogdoches county all his life. He has been well educated in the best schools of his native state. When young he was a teacher in the public schools and being in close touch with educational affairs is well qualified for the judge's duties of ex officio superintendent of public instruction.

Since graduating in law at the University of Texas he has been a practicing lawyer of well known ability. In 1898 he was supervisor of the eighth census district of Texas, which comprises seven counties. He has a very large fund of general information and can give more fact and figures concerning Texas and the country generally than most any one. As county judge he would discharge his duties ably and impartially as he possesses the Jeffersonian qualifications, ability and integrity. He has been an active and loyal democrat all his life and deserves well at the hands of the democracy of the county.

Reason.

If you can and you will come to but one conclusion in regard to a cash house and that is, that the cash house can afford to sell you on a smaller profit than the credit concerns. Now it is not necessary for me to tell you why. Your own reasoning faculties will reveal that to you. We have something else besides close prices and small profits to offer you. We want to make it interesting for the cash buyers who don't belong to anyone and can take advantage of inducements offered them for cash. Our picture premiums are at an end and from right now until the 31st day of August we will give tickets with everything you buy from us at retail. For these tickets we will give you glassware, plates, cups, silverware, knives and forks, etc. etc. We will have a drawing every week with amount of tickets required to produce a prize of your choice. In addition to getting your goods at a bargain you get the premiums that are useful without a cent of cost to you. Call and see the list.

C. W. B. Cash Man.

Texas News Notes.

A big prairie fire destroyed grass on 200 square miles of range near Estacado.

The entire business portion of the town of Engle, near Schulenburg, was destroyed by fire Monday.

The legislative investigating committee is still at work at

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IRESON BROS.

Again, though nothing is being published for publication.

The condition of Judge Ferguson's health is such that he is unable to attend to his duties.

The sale of the Brown Hardware company at Belton was dynamited and about \$200,000 cash secured. There is no delay.

A chair car on the Katy Flyer was overturned near Luling. Though several were more or less badly injured, no one was killed.

Two fires in the oil field Monday frightened many of the operators. Both were extinguished, however, before any damage was done.

Marriage Licenses.

- Frank Palmer and Grace Fuller.
- Tom Crawford and F. J. Sumner.
- J. A. Green and Emma Curran.
- Wm. McGill Killebaker and Lena Day.
- Irving Scott, col. and Dulie Wade, col.

Notice.

All parties holding claims against Emory S. Huston, deceased, and all parties owing said Emory S. Huston will please report at once to V. E. Middlebrook for final adjustment. cod6. w4.

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R. W. HALTOM, Editor.

It is wonderful how "independent" some folks become after wearing the third party yoke until the party hizzled out.

THE State democratic committee didn't seem very much impressed with the idea of mid-winter primaries.

Now that Col. Garrison has declined to enter the race for congress, Mr. Cooper will have the field all to himself. There is hardly a probability that any one will oppose him in the present campaign.

THE Merchants Auxiliary would have made a rich thing of it had they carried out Mr. Sharp's suggestion and planted sixteen hot beds of tomatoes instead of eight. The demand can not be half supplied, and orders for several hundred thousand plants have been turned down.

THE little "squib" in last issue of THE SENTINEL about the editor's birthday brought forth good results. We are a five dollar Stetson hat, a twenty dollar suit of clothes and numerous other appreciated articles better off today. It pays to advertise.

THE islands of St. John, St. Thomas and St. Croix, known as the Danish West Indies and lying just East of Porto Rico, are now the property of Uncle Sam, acquired by treaty with Denmark and upon the payment \$5,000,000.

THE third issue of the Baptist Advance—or rather "The East Texas Advance"—makes its appearance today. It might be interesting to the public to know that the Advance goes to twelve hundred homes, and is read with as much interest by the public as any newspaper that circulates in these parts. It starts out under very favorable auspices, though it hasn't really got down to business yet, and there can be no doubt of its future success and greatness. Rev. W. T. Tardy, its editor, is a very able and forcible writer, as all must admit who reads his paper, and his words of wisdom and christian teachings will bring good cheer to those to whom the paper pays its weekly greeting.

THE SENTINEL would have cheerfully tamed over the chunks for Col. Garrison had he entered the race for congress, not the less because he is a home man than that he is a great good and true man, one in whom we have the greatest faith and in whom we should not hesitate to trust the affairs of the district. Neither should we have supported him because we love Mr. Cooper less, but because we love Mr. Garrison most. But now that Mr. Garrison is not to be considered we are ready to join the Cooper forces against any foe, provided Nacogdoches county does not put a Richmond in the field.

CANNING FACTORY.

Troupe is after a canning factory. Take the advice of people who have had experience, and let that thing alone. If there is any place in East Texas where a cannery can succeed it is Jacksonville, and we have had several failures here. Canneries in this country can't afford to pay as large a price as the grower can get by shipping fruit while it is fresh; consequently they cannot secure enough stuff to make the operation of a factory profitable.—Jacksonville Banner.

We tried it in Nacogdoches once and it failed. Messrs. Bridwell & Co., who are putting up a box factory, investigated the matter thoroughly, contemplating putting in a canning factory in connection with the box factory, and finally reached the conclusion that it could not be made to pay. Our neighbor, Garrison, however, is more sanguine of success and has organized a company and will put a plant in operation this summer. It does seem that such an enterprise would be a success in the midst of such a vast fruit and vegetable growing section, and we sincerely trust that Garrison will find her new enterprise profitable.

OIL BURNERS.

Upon the invitation of Mr. W. L. Lubbock, the editor visited the East Texas penitentiary Monday afternoon and saw in operation a new oil burner for heating and cooking stoves, which is Mr. Lubbock's invention. The burner is made of cast iron, and is constructed so that there is no danger in it, and any child can manage. Beaumont oil is being used and it is astonishing how little oil is necessary to keep the burner in operation. We see no reason why it should not be a great success. Mr. Lubbock has the burner patented, and will soon be ready to put it on the market, and then we will have more to say about it.—Rusk Correspondent Jacksonville Banner.

It seems that there is competition among the inventive genius as to oil burners. A most practical and simple device for burning oil for fuel, either in stoves or fire places, has been invented and perfected by Messrs. Barron & Demory, of Nacogdoches, who are now prepared and equipped for their manufacture at home.

THE postoffice at Angelina will be discontinued after March 15th. It seems difficult to get convenient postoffice facilities for the people between Nacogdoches and Lufkin.

THE State Democratic executive committee met in Dallas and elected Galveston as the place of meeting of the State convention. July 15th, is the time agreed upon. June 14th., was recommended as a uniform date for holding the county primaries.

THE suggestion to place the stones of the Old Stone Fort on the college grounds is a good one. Let the old building be duplicated in miniature form and make a public library in conjunction with the school. Let's settle the matter at once by adopting this plan.

ANOTHER HOGG DINNER.

The Big Texan Strictly in the London Swim.

New York, N. Y. Eeb. 27. —Former Gov. Hogg of Texas was entertained Wednesday evening at dinner given him by Henry Haig of Cadogan Square, says a London dispatch to the Journal and American. Those present included Mrs. Oglivie Haig, the Countess Craven, Sir Francis Knollys, Sir Nigel Kingscote, comptroller of the king's household; the Marquis of Northampton, Miss Muriel Wilson, Lady Evelyn Cecil, the Countess of Culloden Sir Edward Hamilton.

HON. JNO. B. PEYTON, of Trinity county, it is said will lock horns with Judge Perkins for the State Senatorship from their district. One thing is sure, the district will be ably represented, no matter which is successful. But we still have our money up on Perkins.

Congressman Wheeler was unfortunate in using language which republicans could misconstrue, but he was right in condemning the sending of special envoys to the coronation and he did not miss it very far when he suggested that some of our people are more interested in rubbing up against royalty than they are in showing proper respect to the official representative of the German government.—The Commoner.

THE Knights of Pythas are on the increase in Texas. The gain in membership during the last year was 1,814; gain in number of lodges, 18. Total amount paid for relief last year was \$31,677.75.

JUDGE REAGAN is reported very ill again at his home in Palestine. Really it seems that Judge Reagan's health has totally unfit him for the arduous duties of his position. He needs rest and quiet for the remainder of his days. He has served his country faithfully and honorably for more than half a century and is now a very old man and ought to be allowed to retire from public life.

COL. STERRETT seems grieved that interest is waning in spite of the fact that "the country is in the midst of a political revolution." It is apparent that there will be little political strife this year, and of course there will be "nothing doing" for Col. Sterrett's paper, the Dal Gal News. In Texas, there will be scarcely enough opposition to the democratic ticket to create a ripple and there is very little scrambling for democratic nominations.

At the meeting of East Texas fruit and vegetable growers last week at Palestine permanent organization was effected, and H. L. Hodges of this city was elected president. The next meeting of the association will be held in Jacksonville on March 21st, when it is expected there will be a very large attendance.—Jacksonville Banner.

ABOUT the most energetic man in Nacogdoches is R. J. Lindsey, commonly called "Bob." He is never in one place two minutes at a time, and he never moves unless there is something doing. Together with looking after the largest real estate business in East Texas, writing insurance policies, handling typewriters, playing treasurer of the Merchants' Auxiliary Association, secretary of the East Texas Fruit and Truck Growers Association, secretary of the Nacogdoches County Truck Growers' Association, and a half dozen other duties he is kept "on the hustle." Yet it would be difficult to find a more pleasant man to do business with. He seems to have developed the knack of seeing in a minute what it takes a whole lot of fellows an hour to figure out. It is doubtful if a young man could find a better model.—Plaindealer.

THE taxpayers ought to get up a big petition to the county commissioners to reconsider the proposition to issue \$60,000 worth of bonds for a new court house and jail. The amount ought to be increased to a hundred thousand dollars. A sixty thousand dollar structure would be a back number and out of date at the end of the twenty years, and the people would be in the same fix they are now—ashamed of their public buildings. Why should we be afraid of saddling a debt on posterity, when it can be paid in twenty years? We are building for posterity and why should it not help foot the bills? There should be no such sentiment in a transaction of this kind. It is business. Besides, if we build something cheap now, posterity will have to incur greater expense in building again.

THE Plaindealer is authority for the statement that Hon. B. A. Calhoun will be a candidate for reelection to the legislature.

THE president pro tem of the U. S. Senate has reversed his decision holding Tillman and McLaurin in contempt. So far Tillman's bluff works nicely.

SEVERAL farmers in Bee county have planted 500 acres each in watermelons this year. Bee county is famous for melon growing. The country around Coryus Christi is famous for cabbage.

THE Timpson daily papers have both ceased their visits to this office. Wonder what's the matter. We are sorry to see both of them quit the drive at the same time. They were little but they always contained something of interest.

TEXAS may not have participated extensively in the great New York banquet given in honor to Prince Henry, but she furnished strawberries for the occasion. They were shipped from Alvin and go on record as the first shipment of the season.

Historic Elm.

It is authoritatively stated that the great elm that turned aside the railroad from the course mapped out for it in entering Nacogdoches is not the storied tree of early Texas independence, as was generally supposed. Instead, the real one, beneath whose branches the first Protestant sermon was preached in Texas, and that sheltered Sam Houston and the first congress of the republic in their deliberations immediately preceding the war with Mexico, stands in what is known as Studevant's cotton yard, still lives and yearly shades the historic ground beneath it.

Ever since the building of the Houston East and West Texas railroad the land upon which the real elm stands has belonged to that corporation, and is now leased out to private parties. At the time of the change made by the Southern Pacific Railroad it was spoken of by officials of the other line, but the discussion gained no publicity. The recent publication of correspondence to its saving has brought forth the statement as made above. It has been confirmed by the most reliable sources.

As stated this afternoon, the elm that turned aside a railroad stands upon the property of Mrs. N. G. Wade. It is a large old and beautiful specimen of a tree, and its owner refused to consent to its destruction unless \$1000 was paid in recompense. It also is said to be of more or less historic interest, and the sentiment of the citizens of the old town was aroused. The matter was laid before Mr. S. F. Morse, and by him the situation came to the attention of Mr. Huntington himself. From San Francisco came the order to turn out from the line of route selected. As stated by one of the oldest and best informed inhabitants of Nacogdoches, and one who is thoroughly acquainted with the history of the city, the two trees stand on opposite sides of Banita creek.—Galveston News.

CANNING factories are not unlike newspapers—easy to start, but awful hard to keep going. Texas Farm and Ranch advises farmers to go slow in investing their money in enterprises of this kind, for the reason that they rarely pay. These small concerns are placed in direct competition with large canneries that put up from ten to a hundred times as much stuff and are prepared to utilize everything in the way of waste, and the little fellows can't possibly stand the pressure.—Cherokee County Banner.

THE widow of the late Collis P. Huntington has just returned from a tour abroad. She staggered the revenue collector by the statement that her personal purchases while abroad were \$75,000, upon which she promptly paid \$31,000 duty. A dispatch says: "There was a score of large, flat trunks, containing rich gowns, bought in Paris, London and Berlin. Most of the tax paid by Mrs. Huntington was 60 per cent on made up gowns of linen, silk and wool.

en. There was a large amount of jewelry and precious stones on which she paid 60 per cent. On a lot of pertumery 60 per cent advalorem was paid. Her rugs were taxed at 10 cents per square foot and 40 per cent on their value. Bronzes also paid 45 per cent on their value."

THE Old Stone Fort is slowly but surely passing away. First the brick floors, then the inside walls and chimneys, next the roof and then the sacred walls will be attacked. Well, this is not the first attack, though the first that has resulted fatally to the building. It has withstood the arrows of the savages, the bullets of the scarcely less civilized enemies of progress and independence and the ravages of time, but it cannot prevail against the mason and mechanic. Its days are numbered and are very few. Lets us hope for its resurrection and final preservation by a patriotic people in honor to the blessed freedom Texas enjoys, the keynote of which was struck within its walls over seventy-five years ago.

Favors Cooper's Suggestions.

ED. SENTINEL:

In yesterday's paper was a card from Captain Cooper about the Old Stone Fort. I heartily endorse, and hope the ladies owning the building and the trustees of the Nacogdoches University will adopt the suggestion. I would be willing to bear my part of the expense of removing the building and if it is placed on the college grounds on account of its historical interest, would suggest that it might be well as an educational matter, in some form or other, to collect and preserve all well authenticated history, that attaches to the building. And if your paper can delve into the dawn of creation, "the time when the morning stars sang together" furnishing the music of the spheres, the days of prehistoric man you might furnish us the history of the ancient ruins in the southeast corner of the square before mentioned in my letters. They stand there in their ancient grandeur divided by an artificial lake whose golden ripples flashing in the morning sunlight almost blinds the onlooker. There must be history or tradition behind them of some kind. Can't you dig it up? Their preservation in tact by the city government leads me to believe, that some one of the old legends of this country attaches to them.

Respectfully,
GEO. F. INGRAHAM.

March 1, 1902.

THE Democrats in the United States Senate deny the right of that body to deprive Senators Tillman and McLaurin of their votes while in contempt. This is upon the ground that a sovereign State cannot be thus deprived of representation. While there is no doubt about the constitutional correctness of this position, the Republican majority in the Senate will not surprise the country at all when it tramples upon the principle. They are more than accustomed to making a foot ball of the ancient instrument denominated the Constitution of the United States.—Texas Farmer.

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Meaning of Odd Names.

The following gives the meaning of the names of the principal Highland clans in Scotland: McIntosh, the son of the First; McDonald, the son of Brown Eyes; McDugall, the son of Black Eyes; McOnnechy or Duncan, the son of Brown Head; McGregor, the son of a Great Man; McCulthbert, the son of the Arch Druid; McKay, the son of the Prophet; McTaggart, the son of the Priest; McCleod, the son of the Wounder; McLean, the son of the Friendly One; McIntyre, the son of the Carpenter; Campbell, Crooked Mouth; Cameron, Crooked Nose; Stewart, High Stay or Support.

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Life by Time Table.

Probably since the world began there was never a period when men wasted their time as little as they do now. Whether they use it well or ill, they at least do not let it slip away empty. Never was the fascination of work so potent as at the present moment, and never before were the same keenness and concentration displayed in the pursuit of distraction. Energy is the dominant quality of the Anglo-Saxon race, the quality they can not choose but admire. Work is no longer regarded as a necessary evil or ever wholly as a means to an end; it is valued for its own sake. The richest men in America work as hard as the poorest—or at least pretend to do so—lest the society in which they move should suppose them men of leisure, a supposition which would be, we understand, against an American, whatever his position in life.

The greater number of men desire to be actively useful or actively amused from morning to night, and this fever of activity is not confined to one sex. The eagerness with which the unmarried women of the middle and upper class embrace work in any shape or form is a great sign of the times. It is not what is called occupation but regular employment which they seek and they will accept of drudgery, and even privation, rather than live in idleness, or content themselves with the irregular work which falls naturally to their share in an ordinary household. Those women for whom the nature of their circumstances or their brains make other employment impossible, play hockey with a praiseworthy industry and keep their playing engagements with businesslike exactitude.

Lawyer May Treat the Jury.

According to a Delaware superior court decision that an attorney in a case publicly "treats" members of the jury and holds private conversations with them will not cause the verdict to be set aside where the conversations are explained on oath by the attorney, jurors and saloonkeeper, and are shown not to have had any influence on the verdict.

The Swiss Take to Football.

The growing popularity of football in Switzerland is not looked upon by the military authorities with a very favorable eye, owing to the fact that the young men of the country are beginning to neglect rifle shooting, devoting all their spare time to the gridiron. In consequence the various cadet corps are suffering from lack of members.

Club Notes.

The "Art Exhibit" of the Federated Clubs will be exhibited here next Monday.

The ladies of the C. C. Club will be glad to have their friends call and take a look at the pictures which represent the skill and artistic ability of many American artists among

whom may be mentioned Gilbert Stuart, F. S. Church, Edward E. Simmons, Frank Reaugh, Walter Gay and S. Seymour Thomas.

The exhibit is entertaining and instructive and we hope everybody who can will take advantage of this opportunity to see and learn what our American artists are doing in drawing, painting and sculpture.

Adults will be charged 10 cents admission to help defray expenses. School children admitted free.

The Art Committee of Federated Clubs especially desire that some child, school girl or boy will write a paper descriptive of the exhibition and send it to the committee, one of whom is Mrs. R. C. Shindler, for publication in Mr. "Big Hat's" page of the News.

E. B. SHINDLER,
Cor. Sec. C. C. Club.

I wish to say to my friends and customers, or anyone else who might need my professional services, that I am now ready to wait on them when called upon.

Respectfully,
H. A. Hardeman.

Morgan Says No Crash.

J. Pierpont Morgan has put himself on record as a firm believer in a continuance of the tide of prosperity which has been declared by Wall street men to be upon the point of turning from flood to ebb. When asked if he thought the turn had been reached the founder of trusts said: "Such a question scarcely needs an answer, for the facts speak for themselves. The phenomenal prosperity of the country is so self-evident that you have the answer to your very hand. More: not only is the prosperity here, but all the signs, all the promises, all the indications, are that it is here for a long time to come. I have absolute faith in the future. As to recessions, as to setbacks, where is there a sign of anything discouraging? There is enough business already in hand to keep the country busy for a year to come."

A Kansas Graft.

"Speaking of grafts and grafters," said a Topeka man to a Washington interviewer the other day, "I knew a man out in my state who had your man beat to death. This fellow advertised a sure potato bug exterminator. He inserted the advertisement in all the farm and country magazines and journals, offering to send his exterminator for \$1. He received dollars by the thousands. What he sent them was a little package, containing two small, square blocks of wood, marked 'No. 1' and 'No. 2.' The printed directions that went with the blocks read something like this: Hold block No. 1 in the fingers of the left hand, the smooth surface up. Place the potato bug upon the smooth surface. Grasp block No. 2 firmly between the index finger and the thumb of the right hand, and bring it down sharply on the back of the bug. This device has never failed to exterminate the bug. Of course, it wasn't long until the post-office people were riding his neck. If I'm not mistaken, he got ten years."

For Another National Park.

Katherine Louise Smith tells in the Outing of the need—and the opportunity—for a new national park in North Central Minnesota: There stands today a piece of ancient forested America (in fact, the only great northern pine forest between the Rocky mountains and the Atlantic ocean) which it is possible still to save from destruction. Within the limits of the Chippewa Indian reservation, along the Leech's Cass and Winnebagoish lakes, there are, as if ready and waiting for this purpose, 611,592 acres of land and 218,270 acres of water surface. It is the land of the original Dakota and Ojibwas—the cradle of Northwestern story and tradition.

TENANNETTES.

Hill county summer festival will be held at Itasca.

Renton-Lambert county, reports some smallpox cases.

The Lockport oil well turned out ten barrels per day.

Edward Bray, a well known Lamar county farmer, is dead.

John E. Allen, one of Marshall's citizens, is dead.

Commodore M. P. P. county, held their primaries July 19.

Mississippi-Texas is the name of a county organized at Dallas.

Commissioners of Frio county have fixed the tax rate at 5 1/4 cents.

Two marriage licenses were issued by the Dallas county clerk on the 17th.

Kenneth McCoy suicided at El Paso by stabbing himself in the jugular vein.

First Baptist church of Terrell contributed \$200 to the Buckner orphan home.

Several north Texas parties were discharged in bankruptcy proceedings at Galveston.

The County Teachers' association of Lamar county will hold a normal this summer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tankersley, an early settler of the Concho country, passed away at San Angelo.

At Woodville, Mrs. Nancy Foxworth, 73 years of age committed suicide by taking strychnine.

Ed Hardwick, who was wounded over a month ago in a difficulty at Winkler, died last week.

Moline Plow company contemplates the erection at Dallas of a building 100x200 feet, five stories and basement.

A millman named McCloskey was found dead in bed near Naples, Morris county. Heart failure is supposed cause.

In the case at Dallas of H. M. Sutton vs. A. H. Belo & Co. the jury found for the plaintiff and awarded damages in the sum of 50 cents.

The decomposed remains of Mr. Keogh, an aged man who repaired clocks and watches, were found two and a half miles from Madisonville.

Rev. J. S. Baird, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Brookston, Lamar county, has accepted a call to the church of that faith at Port Arthur.

T. S. Foote, for twelve years foreman of the car department of the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway, died at Yoakum. He was 67 years of age.

Oil and gas were struck at a depth of 500 feet twenty miles southeast from Pleasanton in Atascosa county. Water and oil spouted seventy-five feet in the air.

Will Davis, colored, died at Houston on the 19th from a gunshot wound received in a street duel on the 16th. Peter Hall, the other combatant, gave himself up.

The Higgins Oil company of Beaumont has placed an order with the Weaver & Livingston shipyard at Orange for two oil barges with a capacity of 6000 barrels each.

The St. Louis Southwestern Railway company paid last week to the state controller \$1448.92 tax on \$144,892.14 of passenger earnings for the quarter ending on the 31st of December last.

Messrs. Carney and Cowart, who have been lecturing against the liquor traffic, while en route on a train to the Prohibition convention at Waco, were severely beaten between Mount Calm and Axtell. Arrests were made.

The appropriation to my special judges this year has been exhausted, and claims from now until Sept. 1 will be registered and presented to the next legislature. The deficiency, it is estimated, will amount to \$3000.

It is said that fully \$100,000 will be expended at Houston by the International and Great Northern Railway company in erecting a freight terminus. This will bring that railroad into the very heart of the Bayou City.

The Dundee block at Fort Worth has been sold by Alexander Henderson and Alexander Nicol of Dundee, Scotland, and John Smith of Alyth, to Edward D. Farmer of Aledo, Tex., a stockman. The amount of the purchase money is \$55,000.

Bill Harper, alias Bill Crawford, colored, who was shot by Nancy Moodle at Wolfe City, died of his injuries. The woman was placed in jail. Harper requested that she be not prosecuted, saying that he was to blame for the unfortunate affair.

The Southern Oil company of Corsicana has filed in the county clerk's office at LaGrange oil leases covering about 2000 acres of land in the vicinity of Carmine and Ledbetter. This transaction was done on the 17th inst.

Lawrence Huber was run over by a Texas and Pacific railway switch engine at Dallas and his body was horribly mangled. The legs were severed from the trunk and blood was splattered over the rails and ties for many feet.

Stevenson's "V."

Robert Louis Stevenson was particularly attached to the "v." in his name, and utterly adverse to the "b" form of spelling. Letters of acquaintances and correspondents did not always draw him in, but one day in London a letter arrived containing "Dear Mr. Stevenson." "Stephenson!" he cried, and crumpling the offending missive, flung it on the fire.

Didn't Want Her Immersed.
Flora Bender, of Frederick, Md., "got religion," as they sometimes say in that section, and wanted to be baptized. The preacher was willing, but as in her case baptism would mean immersion in a neighboring creek her parents objected. Miss Flora insisted, though warned that she was not strong enough to stand such an ordeal. Then her parents got out an injunction restraining her from the water, shall be at a more congenial temperature.

Shattue's Rescuing Vest.
Nothing quite so incident has been seen of late in Wilmington as the waistcoat now affected by Congressman Shattue, of Ohio. It is held around the wearer's expansive form by enormous buttons and throws a glow like an iron furnace.

Emergency Coffins Aboard.
The transport Buford which the government has just started for Manila, loaded with soldiers and supplies, introduced a new departure in one respect. She carried twenty coffins, that were placed carefully out of sight. They were taken so that in case of death en voyage, there need be no burial at sea, but the body be returned to the friends at home.

E. H. Grover

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

Where Cardinals Come From.
The influence of the Italians in the affairs of the church can be better understood when it is known that more than half the members of the college of cardinals are Italians. There are now sixty-seven cardinals, of whom sixty-one have been appointed by Leo XIII, since he was elected pope in February, 1878. Of these thirty-seven are from Italy and thirty from the rest of the world—eight from France, seven from Austria, five from Spain, two from Germany, two from Ireland and one each from Poland, England, Portugal, Belgium, Australia and the United States.

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My dear friend, I have been suffering from a cold for some time, and I have tried many remedies, but nothing seemed to relieve me. I had a doctor who said it was inflammation of the bowels, and that I should keep my bowels open. I got Laxakola, and in a few days I was feeling better. I have given my baby Laxakola, and it has done wonders for it. I have tried many other remedies, but nothing seemed to relieve me. I had a doctor who said it was inflammation of the bowels, and that I should keep my bowels open. I got Laxakola, and in a few days I was feeling better. I have given my baby Laxakola, and it has done wonders for it.

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The Weekly Sentinel.

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THE local truck growers association increases in interest at each meeting.

UNDER the charter and the requirements of law the T. & N. O. railroad is not compelled to be completed until May 1903. So Nacogdoches need not be counting on connection with Dallas for four months yet.

THE Weekly Bulletin has made its appearance at Timpson and the Daily Bulletin is a thing of the past. The Daily Times, however, continues to visit us once or twice a week.

HOUSTON and Galveston are congratulating each other over the prospects of deepening and widening Buffalo Bayou between Galveston and Houston. Congress has appropriated one million dollars for that purpose.

EX GOV HOGG refused to be presented to King Edward because he would have to don knee breeches and wear a sword, which is quite natural, but he hasn't said "by gatlins" a single time since he has been in London, and that doesn't seem natural. He will disgrace Texas if he don't get "by gatlins" in somewhere.

THE Nacogdoches Truck Growers Association meets on the first Saturday in each month.

THE East Texas Fruit and Truck Journal, published at Jacksonville, may do a great good and serve a useful purpose if properly encouraged by those interested in these industries. But it is like all other enterprises—even like the industries mentioned—it needs care and cultivation to carry it through the developing stage. It is evidently in the hands of good men, who are making fruit and truck growing a special study, and as they are aided and encouraged will be marked the degree of success their enterprise attains.

As an evidence that the Fruit and Truck Growing association is stirring up a keen interest among the farmers of Nacogdoches, we point to the fact that two hundred and eighty acres have been pledged for tomatoes. When the association was first organized there were about fifty acres subscribed and most of that was done in half hearted fashion. It is different now. They come up boldly and with confidence in the success of the undertaking and subscribe to membership and put down their acreage. Everybody is buoyed on by the good results that have been obtained by an alliance of the numerous associations of East Texas. In unity there is strength, and in the multitude of council there is much wisdom, are proverbs most fitly applied in this great move.

THE WORK OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The democratic executive committee of Nacogdoches county met at the office of Blount & Garrison in Nacogdoches Saturday afternoon. There was a quorum present together with a large number of candidates.

The chairman, Hon. Jno. T. Garrison, being unavoidably absent, P. M. Sanders was elected chairman pro tem. R. W. Haltom was elected secretary.

The committeemen present were P. M. Sanders, F. L. McKnight, J. M. Lee, J. C. McKey, J. H. Haltom, Jr., R. H. Baxter and A. W. Hunt.

It was decided that only one primary election be held for the purpose of nominating candidates, expressing choice for state and district officers and electing delegates to the various conventions.

The date set for holding primary elections is April 19th, and one week later, April 26th, was decided upon for the meeting of the county convention.

The following test was adopted, and on motion was ordered to be placed at the head of each ticket, viz:

"I voted for Sayers for governor at the last general election and I pledge myself to support the nominees of the democratic party from governor to constable"

On motion it was ordered that each beat chairman hold a convention at 2 o'clock p. m. on day of primaries for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention. Also that the polls be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and held open until 6 o'clock p. m.

THE TEST.

The test prescribed by the democratic executive committee is no more nor no less than it should be. It is liberal enough to let in all democrats and what right have others to participate in democratic primaries? It may keep a few out that desire to return to the democratic fold, but it will not keep them from voting the democratic ticket in the general election if they are really sincere in their desire to return. The voter who will refuse to vote the democratic ticket because he was not eligible as a voter in the primaries is a doubtful quantity to begin with. To have left the ticket open with no other test than a promise to vote for the democratic nominees would have been an invitation to the rankest and most uncompromising populist or republican to place his name on the ticket for the democratic nomination if he saw fit. It is understood that the populists will not put out a full ticket this year, yet they have at least two strong men in their party yet, who they will keep in the field. Suppose it were left so these men could have been run on the democratic ticket, is it not easy to see the result. We do not say that it would have been done, in fact we do not think that it would have been attempted, but it could have been done with an open test,

and no one would have had the right to question the propriety of the action.

The committee displayed wisdom in the test prescribed whether there is necessity for it or not.

THAT Huntington and the elm tree incident has brought forth quite a discussion among the members of the Daughters of the Republic at Houston, and the more it is discussed the less they seem to know about it. Whatever Mr. Huntington's intentions may be now, it is a fact that at the time he so "generously" spared the Old Elm Tree he had no more to do with the real historic elm than this writer. We doubt if he really saw the latter while in Nacogdoches. Mr. Huntington did consent to leave the tree in the corner of Mrs. Wade's yard standing but the track of the railroad was not changed. It was not necessary. The tree was a little close but it was not in the way. The route that it might have interfered with, however, was afterward abandoned and there was no necessity for "sparing" the tree. The Old Elm so much talked of is so situated that it is absolutely safe from destruction so far as railroad trackage is concerned. While it is the property of the Southern Pacific acquired after the incident referred to, and can be destroyed at the pleasure of the company, it is fortunate enough in its location to be safe from this danger. Mr. Huntington, no doubt, will keep his promise and spare the tree as it is now in his power to do, should occasion arise that would place it in jeopardy, even though his promise was given for another tree through the mistaken idea that it was the one so much praised for its historic associations.

IT is argued that canning factories are necessary to keep up prices and make absolutely sure a market for the crops. It is also argued that as a strictly business proposition they are not a good investment. In other words, it pays the grower to maintain factories upon the principal of self-protection. The idea is, for the truck growers associations to establish canneries for the purpose of utilizing that which there is no market for or which might be considered waste. In this way, all truck growers being interested, canning factories may be made profitable in two ways—in keeping up prices, and in utilizing and turning into money that which would otherwise be wasted. We understand that it is for this purpose the people of Garrison are putting up a canning factory, and they are to be commended for their farsightedness.

THE United States minister, John A. Leischman, has presented a note to the porte at Constantinople regarding the capture of Miss Ellen M. Stone by brigands, demanding the punishment of the guilty parties. The porte in replying repudiates responsibility and denies all liability.

THE CITY ELECTION.

The order for a city election has been issued by Mayor Nelson, to be held on Tuesday the first day of April. A Mayor and two Aldermen are to be elected. Mayor Nelson is a candidate to succeed himself. Dr. Ford and D. K. Cason are retiring aldermen, and so far no one is mentioned as their successors. They are both good men and are satisfactory to the people and it is not probable that any one will offer in opposition to them should they consent to stand for re-election. But in the event that two new men are elected it will be the part of wisdom for the voters to select from our midst the very best material. We are living in a progressive age and the present is a progressive period with Nacogdoches and she needs progressive men to conduct her affairs. We do not mean that conservatism should be laid aside, but that those who are steering her ship of progress should do a little more than serve as ballast. As the city builds up and widens out, new issues spring up and many new improvements are suggested. The question of street paving has been sprung, and it is a well known fact that a better system of street improvement is needed. These questions will be brought before the city council in a way that they can not be ignored much longer and we will need men at the helm who will be equal to the situation. Candidates will be few, and the best men are averse to holding these thankless positions. There is more cussing than compensation in them. If we would fill them with good men we must hunt for them and bring them out. They are here, lots of them but they are not office hunters.

WE desire to say to our Garrison friends that THE SENTINEL is not against the establishment of canning factories, neither do we begrudge Garrison any prosperity she might gain from the establishment of any kind of enterprise. The question of canning factories was sprung by the announcement that there was to be one started at Garrison and the statement of the Jacksonville Banner that canning factories do not pay in this country, and THE SENTINEL simply quoted the Banner as information to the people. Since the question came up, we have been informed by those who say they know that the statements of the Jacksonville paper are not the facts; that canning factories do pay big money, and are absolutely necessary to keep up the prices of stuff raised for shipment. This being the case, we take it all back and serve notice on that Jacksonville sheet that if it palms off any more of its big yarns on us we'll chop it off our exchange list. We certainly do not want to deter Garrison in her enterprise, but we can't see why Nacogdoches isn't doing something in this line it is really a necessity as well as a good thing. She ought to be able to see as far ahead as Garrison.

PRINCE HENRY is having a great time touring through the United States. He is receiving marked attention in all our great cities.

THE Patrick case has got down to the small points. Office boys, servants, valets and almost everything else that can talk that know any of the principals in the case, are being put on the witness stand and the prospects are that the trial will last many weeks yet.

ENGLAND brought an American all the way from New Zealand to London to try him for a murder he did not commit. Finding he had subjected an innocent man to such punishment, John Bull made reparation to him by paying him \$32,000 and giving him transportation back to the point from which he was taken. In this country when a man is acquitted the Government or State makes no amends for the injury done him. In some cases due reparation should be made.—Galveston News.

Times continues to make its diurnal appearance—fact is, folks say they can't get along without it—and if you brethren have further room to complain we shall order an inquest in the mailing department. You must have it.—Timpson Daily Times.

But, dear brother, as long as you mail two or three editions at a time instead of mailing them daily it will come like stale beer. In course of time the appetite for it will be destroyed.

JUDGE SHIRAS of United States supreme court has delivered the opinion of that court in the case of Wilson vs. Standifer affirming the decision of the court of civil appeals for the third supreme judicial district of Texas. The case involved the question as to whether the provision of the act of the Texas legislature of 1879 forfeiting the purchase of lands from the State owing to the failure to pay interest as prescribed was rendered nugatory by the adoption of a subsequent law dispensing with the requirement of a judicial inquiry in such proceedings. The opinion handed down to day holds that no contracts under the act of 1879 were impaired by subsequent legislation.

THERE will be a meeting of the Confederate veterans of Nacogdoches county in Nacogdoches on Saturday March 15th, for the purpose of electing delegates to the reunion of the U. C. V. at Dallas in April. This will be a grand meeting of the ex-wearers of the grey, as Dallas has already begun making elaborate preparations for their entertainment. It would not do for Nacogdoches county to fail to be represented, and all the ex-Confederate soldiers in the county are urged to attend the meeting on the 15th, and decide who shall have the honor to represent this camp.

UNCLE NED SIMPSON, colored, who has been very sick for several weeks, is out again but is very feeble. Uncle Ned is perhaps the oldest resident of Nacogdoches county—that is he has been in the county longer than any other man

living. He says he came here in 1828, and there is not a single person living who was here when he came. Uncle Ned says he could find the old ford on the La Nana where the old San Antonio road originally crossed that creek, but that it has been many years since he was on the spot. The road originally crossed somewhere in the vicinity of Sam Houston park and there are very few people here, if any, except Uncle Ned, who could locate the old crossing.

THERE seems to be a hitch again in the plans for preserving the stones of the Old Stone Fort. The proposition place them upon the University grounds met with so many amendments, conditions and provisos that the Club has abandoned that idea, and for the present the stones will be placed upon a vacant lot on Hospital street belonging to Jule Smith, to await the decision as to their final resting place. Many suggestions have been offered, among the last being one to place the stones upon the cemetery grounds in some sort of shape that would make them both monumental and ornamental.

THE opinion of the Houston Chronicle that Senator Mark Hanna would interest himself in the preservation of the Old Stone Fort, as published editorially in a recent issue of that paper, which criticised the course of the Senator in advocating large appropriations by congress for purchasing and maintaining public parks, has been exploded. THE SENTINEL wrote the Honorable Markas about it and received an answer in which he said "much as he would like to meet the demands of this nature which come to him from all over the country, it is utterly impossible for him to do so," and that he is "sure we will understand that it is impossible for him to extend his interest beyond the demands of his own city." We understand now, but we made him interest himself two cents worth anyhow to give us the information.

Women Office Seekers Aggressive.

Women office-seekers are more aggressive and persistent than men. The other day, says a correspondent, just after the senate had been called to order, two women sent in their cards and a letter of introduction to a Western senator. The moment he appeared in the door of the marble room, where senators receive constituents, these women, although strangers, leaped at him and each caught him firmly by the arm. They dragged him into a corner and did not for an instant relax their hold on his arms until he had promised in a positive term to find clerkships for them.

Looped-the-Loop and Went Crazy.

A suit for \$50,000 damages has been commenced against the company operating the "loop-the-loop" at Coney Island. A girl of 17 took a ride on this crazy machine and became delirious soon after returning home. A day later her mind gave way, and she is now in a New York state hospital. In bringing the suit her guardian declares that the machine is directly responsible for her condition, that it is dangerous to life and reason, and that these facts were known to the company before they permitted the girl to take the risk of a ride.

E. S. Huston Dead.

Mr. E. S. Huston died Sunday morning about sunrise at his room on Pillar street. of dropsy. He had been confined to his room but a day or two and his death was quite unexpected. He was buried at 5 o'clock Sunday evening, with Masonic honors, the funeral taking place from the residence of his half brother, F. D. Huston, Esq., on West Main street. The burial was attended by an unusually large crowd, many present being relatives and close personal friends of the deceased. Mr. Huston was 53 years of age and was a native of San Augustine county, though he was raised and lived the greater part of his life in Nacogdoches. In his early life he was an active business man, and experienced great successes and reverses. But in later years he was less venturesome though successful in business affairs. For several years he has lived an inactive life, having retired from the mercantile business with the dissolution of the firm of Richardson & Huston, and remaining out of business ever since. He was not considered a wealthy man, though he was independent. In addition to his property he had a life insurance policy in the Pacific Mutual.

The deceased has relatives in San Augustine and Cherokee counties, and was a half brother to F. D. Huston, Esq., of this city and Mrs. Zoe Ridley, of Beaumont and a step brother of Mrs. J. O. Ray. He was a Master Mason and an Odd Fellow.

His death is regretted by scores of friends as well as his relatives.

Mrs. Felix Dotson Dead.

The death of Mrs. F. A. Dotson, which occurred last night at 7:30 o'clock, has cast a gloom over our city. Mrs. Dotson had been confined to her room for several weeks and her condition was regarded serious, but her death was not expected, and it came as a shock to her family and the community at large.

Mrs. Dotson was a noble woman, a devoted wife and mother and a useful member of church and society. Her death is deeply regretted by all who knew her. She leaves a husband and several children and a large connection of relatives to mourn her death. She will be buried this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the City Cemetery.

Lawyer May Treat the Jury.

According to a Delaware superior court decision that an attorney in a case publicly "treats" members of the jury and holds private conversations with them will not cause the verdict to be set aside where the conversations are explained on oath by the attorney, jurors and saloonkeeper, and are shown not to have had any influence on the verdict.

The Swiss Take to Football.

The growing popularity of football in Switzerland is not looked upon by the military authorities with a very favorable eye, owing to the fact that the young men of the country are beginning to neglect rifle shooting, devoting all their spare time to the gridiron. In consequence the various cadet corps are suffering from lack of members.

R. Lee Brown was in the city today.

Claud Clark, of Lutkin, was here yesterday.

Sherman Grayson is here, and will remain until district court meets. His home is now at Coushatta, La.

J. N. Shofner, of Ora, Angelina county, was in the city yesterday on a trading trip.

Bill Smith, the market man of Lutkin, was here yesterday after beef cattle. Lee Ziegler was with him.

White's Head-Ease is the king of headache cures. For sale by Perkins Bros.

Ike Shepherd was in the city a few days ago and when "spoke to" about running for sheriff did not contradict the report that he would.

Remember we pay cash and sell the same way. Result is our goods are cheap. Try us. Wilson, Grimes & Co.

Jule Smith has tendered the use of one of his lots on Hospital street to the Cum Conclio Club for stacking up the stones from the Old Fort and has taken the lot off the market until they are through with it.

White's Head-Ease relieves any pain and has no other effect. For sale by Perkins Bros.

Mr. Kahn, advance agent of the Marie Fountain Theatre company, is billing the town for the appearance of that company which will play a week in Nacogdoches, beginning next Monday. This company has never appeared here before, but is said to be a splendid company.

The beautiful spring weather we were talking about a day or two ago, isn't so "springy" at present as we "lowed it was.

White's Head-Ease cures you while you wait. Guaranteed by Perkins Bros.

Don't you want a barrel of flour. Sold under a strict guarantee.

Wilson, Grimes & Co.

John Banks, of Appleby, was in town yesterday and said the report that a storm had torn up things at Appleby was a mistake. A gust of wind caused a house belonging to Mr. Law to slip off the blocks, but with little damage.

The brick foundation for the new Presbyterian church on corner of Main and Mound streets is nearly finished and ready for the wood work to begin.

J. E. Richardson and Will Franklin arrived last night from the Philippines. They came by way of San Francisco, Salt Lake City and Houston.

All the wood work has been torn off the Old Stone Fort and the stone walls are going, and for the present will be moved to a lot belonging to Jule Smith, where they will rest until a location has been decided upon for its re erection.

We have a fresh car of chops, meal, corn, oats, seed corn and sorghum seed to arrive at once.

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Corporal W. E. Franklin, who has just returned from

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Nacogdoches, Texas.

the Philippines, was a pleasant caller at the THE SENTINEL office this morning. He says he left Manila in company with J. E. Richardson on Jan. 16th and landed at San Francisco Feb. 19th. They came on to Nacogdoches by Salt Lake City and Denver, stopping at both places a day or two. Mr. Franklin will remain a few days visiting in Nacogdoches, the guest of Mr. Richardson, after which he will begin to think and act upon plans for the future.

Coffee, 10 lbs. for \$1.00
Wilson, Grimes & Co.

Our friend, Mr. I. H. Hollis, of San Augustine, was in the city this morning on his return from Dallas, where he spent two months for treatment for his hearing. He is greatly improved. Mr. Hollis says it is distressingly dry at Dallas and throughout that section and that water is very scarce. Farmers are complaining that there is not enough moist in the ground for corn planting.

Jesse Bruton, of Douglass, was in the city today. He says THE SENTINEL don't notice him any more because he is not a candidate, but he ought to give a fellow a chance to explain that we did not know that he was not a candidate. Jess has always been too good a friend to this paper and to its editor for us in anywise to ignore or slight him, and if we have seemingly erred in this particular it has been done by honest oversight, and never intentionally.

For Constable.

Doc Watson authorizes us to announce him for the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the democracy. Doc has filled the office of deputy sheriff, deputy constable and deputy marshal until he knows exactly how to do it; and it elected will do his duty to the full extent of his ability and the law. He is fearless, bold and vigilant and will, if elected, fill the office to the satisfaction of the people.

At the Opera House.

"Ten Nights in a Bar Room" by the Hall company brought out a good crowd to the opera house last night. The play was fairly well rendered and for all that can be heard was satisfactory to the theatre goers of Nacogdoches. It is strictly a temperance play and brings out the terrible evils of strong drink and teaches an impressive lesson.

Mr. Hall has a company of good actors and the leading characters in the play are well represented.

The next attraction at the opera house will be Blind Tom, billed to appear here Thursday night.

For Mayor.

We are requested by Mayor Jno. B. Nelson to announce him for re-election at the city election to be held on the first day of next month. He does not promise to fill up all the holes in the ground nor remove all the "mole hills," but will continue, if elected, to do the best he can for greatest good to the greatest member. He has served two years to his best ability, consistent with honesty and conscientiousness, and will continue to do the same as long as he holds the office.

Election Proclamation.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by law, and the order of the City Council, I, Jno. B. Nelson, Mayor of Nacogdoches, do hereby order a city election to be held at the Mayor's office in the city of Nacogdoches, Texas, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, 1902, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Aldermen (to succeed D. K. Cason and F. C. Ford) and I hereby appoint J. S. Doughtie presiding officer. This March 5th, 1902.

Attest: JNO. B. NELSON,
P. M. SANDERS, Mayor.
Clerk.

Center Letter.

Center, Tex., March 4.—Mr. Ben Pearce and Mrs. Tempie Jones were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. W. J. Lester, last Sunday night, Rev. J. A. Smith officiating.

Miss Pearl Henry returned to her home near Timpson last week, after a several weeks visit to Center friends and relatives.

Prof. T. R. Day, of Henderson, attended the teachers institute at this place last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Mamie Stephenson returned from St. Louis Monday, where she has been selecting goods for Y. W. Rogers & Co.

Mr. T. G. Boyd's children, who have been very low with pneumonia are improving.

Miss Cannon, of Shelbyville, entered school here Monday, also Miss Monroe of the same place.

J. R. COX, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
SWIFT, TEXAS.
L. S.
All calls made day and night.

Everybody May Go To California.

In order to stimulate California travel, the Southern Pacific—Sunset Route has decided to put on extremely low rates from all points along its line in Louisiana and Texas. The rate from New Orleans to San Francisco will be \$30.00, from Beaumont \$27.50, from Galveston \$26.45, from Houston, Austin, Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio and Denison \$25.00. Tickets will be one-way, second class and will be accepted on payment of the through Pullman tourist sleeping car rate on all Pullman Excursion sleepers operated over the Sunset Route. Tickets will be sold daily during March and April and are limited to continuous passage. This is the chance of a life time to make the trip to California. The through excursion sleeping cars are the very best of their kind, are personally conducted and equipped with every convenience of travel. For further information address local Southern Pacific agent or, M. L. Robbins, G. P. & T. A., T. J. Anderson, A. G. P. A., Houston, Texas.

Strayed or Stolen.

Small pony, right hind foot white, was hitched in front of Perkins Bros. drug store, new bridle, good large saddle with bull horns on sweat leathers. Any information leading to recovery will be suitably rewarded. John Burrows.

Belmont's Ten-Story Collar.

Oliver H. P. Belmont is wearing in Washington—perhaps because it was not constructed in time for the New York Horse show—a stand-up collar three inches high in the back with flaring points in front which conceal his chin almost completely. The affair looks like the neckwear attributed to Gladstone by the cartoonists of London Punch.

Gaskell's Marked Progeny.

Mr. and Mrs. Zachariah Gaskell, of Dresbach, Minn., have ten children, and five of them possess twelve fingers and as many toes. It is equally curious that every alternate child in point of age has an extra finger, those who are not blessed in that direction having six toes and only the normal number of fingers.

Five Cent Concerts in Gotnam.

The nickel concert is the latest thing in which a number of good hearted society women are interesting themselves. They are members of prominent music societies and have come to the conclusion that others ought to enjoy what they are permitted to possess. The idea is to furnish good music to the poor people and working people at 5 cents a head. The concerts will be given in the public school buildings, which have been gladly tendered by the board of education. All the music will be high class, although the programme will naturally vary, so as to fit the locality in which the concert is given. The first idea was to charge no admission, but, on second thought, a charge was decided upon, so that self-respecting men and women could attend, without feeling that they were objects of charity. The price was placed at 5 cents, so that the concerts might be within the reach of all.

Abbey's Grail Pictures.

The second series of Edwin A. Abbey's paintings of the quest of the Holy Grail are to be seen at the American Art galleries in New York city for two weeks. There are fifteen pictures, and they carry on Sir Galahad's adventures from the time of his failure in the castle of the Grail to the moment when, as king of the holy city of Sarrae, he beholds the Grail borne by Joseph, of Arimathea, and a company of angels, and his crown and scepter fall from him, since they are now meaningless, as he has attained his spiritual quest.

A Stutterers' School.

Courses of instruction for children who stutter have been started in various German schools. In Berlin six specialists, engaged by the municipal board of education, devote twelve hours a week to this work. One and a half per cent of the children attending German schools stutter.

Lane's Gift to Harvard.

Mr. Gardner M. Lane, class of '81, has made a gift to the Harvard corporation that will enable the classical department to invite eminent European scholars to lecture at the university on subjects connected with Greek and Latin literature.

Greatest Woman's Ranch.

Mrs. C. N. Whitman, of Denver, owns the largest ranch of any woman in the world. It is located in Texas, near Tascosa, and is called the L. S. ranch, from Lucien Scott, the first owner. The ranch is thirty miles square, and hundreds of cowboys are employed upon it.

Financial Statement.

In compliance with Article 824b, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, I hereby publish a financial statement showing the balance to the credit or debit of the different funds as follows:

GENERAL FUNDS.	
To amount on hand Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 3,879 18
To amount received since Feb. 13, 1901	10,089 30
	\$13,968 48
By amount disbursed since Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 10,616 02
To balance on hand this date	3,352 46
	\$ 13,968 48
JURY FUNDS.	
To amount received since Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 5,824 97
By deficit Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 3 16
By amount disbursed since Feb. 13, 1901	4,869 14
To balance on hand this date	952 67
	\$ 5,824 97
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDS.	
To amount on hand Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 2,716 39
To amount received since Feb. 13, 1901	7,219 48
	\$ 9,935 87
By amount disbursed since Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 6,469 58
To balance on hand this date	3,457 29
	\$ 9,926 87
SCHOOL FUNDS.	
To amount on hand Feb. 13, 1901	\$11,473 81
To amount received since Feb. 13, 1901	26,740 58
	\$ 38,214 71
By amount disbursed since Feb. 13, 1901	\$ 26,974 91
To balance on hand this date	11,239 80
	\$ 38,214 71

THE STATE OF TEXAS, I, E. M. Weeks, County Clerk, in and for Nacogdoches County, Texas, COUNTY OF NACOGDOCHES, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement showing the balance of each fund now on hand as shown by the Finance Ledger of Nacogdoches county, Texas, in the clerk office of said state and county. Witness my official signature on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1902.

E. M. WEEKS,
County Clerk, Nacogdoches County, Texas.

The Old Rocks.

TO THE SENTINEL:

The sentiment being divided as to the disposition of our historic landmark, and there appearing more or less friction, I want to propose an olive branch. Why can't the Fort be torn down and the best rocks used in erecting another building? Why can't that building be put on the college grounds and be used for a "kindergarten," or even for a school building—a primary department, or any other educational institution? Our posterity may then have an object lesson, both as to our desire to preserve history dear to our State and to our desire to give facilities to the growing youth who wish to embrace opportunities not afforded many of their forefathers. You may ask who will pay the bill. I answer that I will more than pay my share, and there are plenty of others who will concur in the same move. Respectfully,

H. H. COOPER.

The Vice Of Nagging

Clouds the happiness of the home but a nagging woman often needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spell, she needs Electric Bitters, the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used it, and become healthy and happy. Try it. Only 50c. R. T. Shindler drug store guarantee satisfaction.

A Cannery.

At a meeting of Garrison's business men last Wednesday the Garrison Cannery company was organized with a capital stock of fifteen hundred dollars with A. I. Simpson as president, Isaac Lawler, secretary, and W. M. Tinkle treasurer. The board of directors are J. H. Garrison, O. C. Dotson and S. L. Harris; over one thousand dollars stock was taken at the meeting. A contract was made with Stanley H. Watson, of Brenham, Texas, for the plant and one hundred dollars earnest money paid on the same. S. L. Harris will furnish the lot and build the house for the plant. Now that the contract for the house and machinery are let and a cannery assured, the truck growers of this community are doubly assured of a market for their tomatoes.—Garrison Signal.

The Perkins Building.

Messrs. Perkins Bros. have received and accepted the plans for their new building to be erected on the site now occupied by the Old Stone Fort. The new building will be a real ornament to the city and will be complete in every detail for the purposes for which it is intended. The main building, or the one to be used as a drug store will front one hundred feet on Fredonia street and twenty-five feet on the public square, with a corner entrance. There will be two stores fronting on the

square, which together with the drug store will be two stories high. There will also be two one story store houses fronting on Fredonia street. There will be thirty rooms for offices, etc. in the upper story of the building. The building will be finished with stone, pressed brick and plate glass fronts, stone cappings and shell roofing, with skylights and perfect ventilation. There will be a basement under the drug store, entered from Fredonia street in regular city style.

The plan adopted was drafted by, M. R. Sanguinet, architect, of Ft. Worth.

Bids for the building will be received until March 10th, when the contract will be let.

It is estimated that the building will cost about twenty thousand dollars.

Having a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Between the hour of eleven o'clock a. m. and closing time at night on Jan. 25th, 1901, A. F. Clark, druggist, Glade Spring, Va, sold twelve bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says, "I never handled a medicine that sold better or gave better satisfaction to my customers." This Remedy has been in general use in Virginia for many years, and the people there are well acquainted with its excellent qualities. Many of them have testified to the remarkable cures which it has effected. When you need a good, reliable medicine for a cough or cold or attack of the grip, use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are certain to be more than pleased with the quick cure which it affords. For sale by Perkins Bros.

Burned to Death

A most shocking accident happened at the home of Mr. T. J. Stovall Thursday morning of last week. His thirteen year old daughter, Fannie, while ironing clothes, had her dress catch on fire, and there being no one in the house able to render assistance, was unable to extinguish the flames until she was burned in a most frightful manner. Medical assistance was at once called, and everything that was possible was done to relieve the suffering girl. She lingered until 2 o'clock Friday morning, when death came to her relief. The remains were laid to rest at 3 p. m., Friday, and were followed to the cemetery by many sorrowing friends. Public school was closed, and teachers and students attended in a body to pay their last respects to their school mate. The sorrowing family have the sympathy of the entire community.—Rusk Journal.

Negro Woman Shot.

Joe Clevenger reports a shooting scrape that occurred at his mill yesterday. A little yellow negro named Kid Finley came to his mill several days ago from Shreveport with a negro woman and went to work at the mill. Yesterday Finley and the woman had a fight in which the woman was shot in the foot. Finley skipped out. The woman is not badly hurt.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure. No pay. Price 25c

A Printer Greatly Surprised

"I never was so much surprised in my life, as I was with the results of using Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says Henry T. Crook, pressman of the Asheville (N. C.) Gazette. "I contracted a severe case of rheumatism early last winter by getting my feet wet. I tried several things for it without benefit. One day while looking over the Gazette, I noticed that Pain Balm was positively guaranteed to cure rheumatism, so I bought a bottle of it and before using two thirds of it my rheumatism had taken its flight and I have not had a rheumatic pain since." Sold by Perkins Bros.

Killed at Lufkin.

News was received here this afternoon that Prof. J. V. Curlin, principal of the Lufkin High School, was run over and killed by a railroad train. Particulars not given.

For Sale.

200 acres of fine land 2 1-2 miles east of Nacogdoches. Plenty of ever running water. Will sell all or part. d&w tt.

G. M. Haltom, at SENTINEL office.

White's Head-Ease relieves any pain and has no other effect. For sale by Perkins Bros.

There was a meeting of the business men last Monday night, and a Board of Trade organized by electing John Schmidt chairman. There will be another meeting next Monday night at the Commercial National Bank for the purpose of going into a permanent organization.

Would Smash the Club.

If members of the "Hay Fever Association" would use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the club would go to pieces, for it always cures this malady, and Asthma, the kind that baffles the doctors it wholly drives from the system. Thousands of once-hopeless sufferers from Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis owe their lives and health to it. It conquers Grip, saves little ones from Croup and Whooping Cough and is positively guaranteed for all Throat and Lung troubles. 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottles free at R. T. Shindler drug store.

Perkins Bros. inform us that we missed the mark about five thousand dollars in estimating the cost of their new building. They have their figures set for about \$15,000 instead of \$20,000 as stated in this paper yesterday. Well, we expect that by the time they get the "trimmings" and the "frills" and odds and ends all gathered up they will be out mighty near twenty thousand.

Can't Keep It Secret.

The splendid work of Dr. King's New Life Pills is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for Liver and Bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Jaundice and Indigestion. Try them 25c at R. T. Shindler drug store.

Last week Judge Geo. W. Riddle, president of the Polk County bank, together with the business men of Living-

ston, organized a National bank for this city, with a capital stock of \$25,000. However it will be about April 1st before the bank will be in operation.—Livingston Local.

White's Head-Ease is the king of headache cures. For sale by Perkins Bros.

The Art Exhibit of the club will be held Monday afternoon and Tuesday in Mr. Bateman's large office over Summers & Tucker's store. School children come Tuesday afternoon and receive special attention. E. B. S. Cor. Sec. C. C. Club.

You Know What You Are Taking.

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure. No pay. 50c.

The newspaper controversies in East Texas are getting to be quite numerous. One is on between the NACOGDOCHES SENTINEL and Plaindealer, one at Rusk between the Journal and Press, and at Tyler between the Courier and the D-R.—Jacksonville Reformer.

There is no controversy between the Plaindealer and THE SENTINEL. The Plaindealer man is running his paper for money, and we are running ours for glory and we are both happy. Please correct your statement Mr. Reformer.

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.

Little Boy Dead.

The little son of Mr. Henry Chisum, Jimmy, who was kicked by a mule more than a week ago, an account of which appeared in this paper, died yesterday evening at 5 o'clock. The little fellow was brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee in this city last week and an operation was performed, but only to prolong his life and continue his suffering. The back portion of his head was crushed so badly that hope had been almost despaired of from the first.

The remains were taken to Simpson's Camp Ground this forenoon for interment. Quite a number of relatives and friends to the family came up from Pea Ridge to attend the sad rites and follow the remains to their final resting place.

I have placed the accounts of the late firm of R. C. Shindler & Son in the hands of David Greer for collection, who is fully authorized to make settlement. See him and save trouble and expense. d28-wtf R. C. Shindler.

He Married Roosevelt's Parents.

The Rev. J. B. Dunwoody, who married Roosevelt's parents, is still living in a little town in Colleton county, S. C. He is 86 years old, and performed the ceremony in Roswell, Ga., December 18, 1853. Mr. Dunwoody knows by heart the family tree of the president on his mother's side.

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THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

John Weatherly, of Appleby is in town.

Another fine rain fell last night.

Tell us all the news you know.

The weather is beginning to take on the appearance of spring.

The ground is in fine condition for farming.

J. W. Prince, of Garrison, was in the city this morning.

Harry Newman of Lufkin, was in the city yesterday.

Don't fail to register a kick when the carrier boy fails to leave your paper. That is what we pay him for.

Mrs. E. J. Conn and Miss Jodie Denman are in the city visiting. They are the guests of Mrs. Chas. E. Davis.

J. C. Martin, of Attoyac, was here today and had another notch made on THE SENTINEL'S "measuring stick."

Uncle Wm. Collins, of Appleby, was in the city today. He said he ran away from home just because it was a pretty day.

Ireson Brothers are turning out some cabinet work during the lull in the building boom that is not only a credit but a good advertisement for their plant. They have just supplied the Woodmen and Red Men lodge room with a desk that is a real ornament to the hall.

H. S. Edler returned yesterday from a trip to Jacksonville, Tyler and the fruit and truck growing sections of East Texas. He says everything is on the move and laying plans for a rich and bountiful harvest this summer.

The merry-go-round was the center of attraction yesterday and last night until ten o'clock. The Cemetery Association netted a nice little sum from the proceeds of the two days run.

Mr. J. H. Padon and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Attoyac, were pleasant and friendly callers at THE SENTINEL office yesterday.

L. W. Furlow, of Mt. Enterprise, was in the city today. He complains that THE SENTINEL is too old to be of interest when it reaches Mt. Enterprise. The delay is evidently caused in transit, the paper having to go all around by Longview, Overton and Henderson to reach Mt. Enterprise.

Uncle Buck came in a little late yesterday and had to "judge" a little on today. He is due in San Augustine today, but owing to the heavy rain last night he was in no hurry to start for the Red Land City this morning. Uncle Buck is suffering with a severe cold and says he does not feel like hustling with his usual energy and activity.

Mr. Nabors was indeed a good man. He was a loyal citizen, a high minded gentleman and a true friend. He leaves a large connection, with whom THE SENTINEL joins sincerely in regretting his death.

Mr. Dell M. Willis, advance agent of the Blind Tom Concert company, is in the city. He is advertising for an appearance of the original Blind Tom at the Nacogdoches opera house on next Thursday night, February 6th.

Dr. Mayfield reports a case of scarlet fever at Mr. Balkman's, four miles down the Procella road, a little child.

Mrs. S. O. Gartman, who was brought to the Hart Hotel last week to be convenient to medical treatment is reported much improved. Mr. Gartman is with her.

FRIDAY'S LOCALS

M. C. Hutchinson, of Linn Flat, was in the city today.

Sam Watkins, of Linn Flat, spent last night in the city.

W. H. Gray, of Chireno, was in the city this morning.

W. C. Todd, roadmaster of the H. E. & W. T. Ry., spent last night in Nacogdoches.

D. King and family, of Nat, are moving to West Texas.

J. R. McKinney from Texarkana, is in the city.

R. O. Ferguson of Chireno is in the city.

Misses Genie Parks and Bal-four Skilern will leave for Omen tonight to enter school.

J. V. Bone, of Eden community, was in the city today.

Jas. Bigham, of Douglass, was here today.

Dr. H. A. Hardeman, of Melrose, was in the city a few hours this morning.

The new livery stable is about completed and is strictly up to date in every detail. Mr. Ogg will move into it in a few days.

Pink Allen, from Shawnee, Oklahoma Territory, is visiting his sister Mrs. W. G. Ratcliff.

Messrs. Jeanes & Burnaman are erecting a big saw mill on the Dorman place four miles from town on the Marion road.

The Angelina river is said to be all over the bottom and travel is stopped between Douglass and Alto.

Tom Martin, of Martinsville, is in the city. He reports his father, Dr. J. D. Martin very low and his recovery very doubtful.

W. G. Wade, of Looneyville, is in the city with a bale of cotton. He says this is absolutely the last bale from his section of the country.

The Cemetery Association will meet with Mrs. W. D. Peevey tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Cemetery Association netted \$26 with the merry-go-round Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Campbell says he has been called to visit a patient somewhere up about Linn Flat that is suspected of having small pox. He has not seen the case yet, and cannot give out an opinion.

Jesse Beck, of Looneyville, who recently had his residence burned, was in the city today. He says his neighbors came to his relief and put him up a new home, for which he is truly thankful and grateful.

Emmett W. Smith, Esq., will probably announce for county judge. Besides being well educated he is a graduate of the law department of the University of Texas. He is well fitted for the place and has many friends that would be glad to see him in the race.

Mr. J. A. Richardson is in receipt of a letter from Willie Franklin, dated San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 19th, stating that himself and "Little Bud" had just landed back to the United States from Manila. They came over on the "Meade," and will come on home as soon as they can secure transportation. Steve Richardson, the letter says, did not return to the United States with them but remained in the Philippines.

The Garrison Signal announces Ike Shepherd for county commissioner of precinct No. 3, which includes Garrison. The Signal says: "Mr. Shepherd has served one term as commissioner of this precinct and he proved an efficient and trusted officer and at the earnest solicitation of his many friends he offers again for the position. No man stands higher in the estimation of his home people as a prudent, successful and public spirited business man than he does."

Capt. J. H. W. Y. and G. F. Garrison, John Hines, John Adams, J. A. Kelly, Allen Parrott, Charley Rhodes, Dr. E. S. Adams and Geo. F. Rainbolt were summoned to Houston last Sunday to attend the trial of J. F. O'Connor vs the H. E. & W. T. Ry. that was to come up on Monday. The case was continued for sixty days. Some of the party staid over until Tuesday evening.—Garrison signal.

SATURDAY'S LOCALS.

Beeman Strong returned this morning from Houston.

A few of Miss Mary Doughtie's friends called on her last night and had music.

Geo. W. Cavin has got so he spends Saturday in Nacogdoches with perfect regularity.

W. M. Weaver, of Etoile, is in the city. He reports the death of Mrs. Jas. Miley, which occurred near Etoile last Wednesday.

Capt. F. L. McKnight, of Douglass, is in the city to spend a day or two with his children and grandchildren, which are numerous.

The new warehouse of Hardeman, King & Co., will soon be completed. It is a tremendous big building and covers a lot of ground.

A. K. Layton, of Cove Spring, was in the city today. He says its mighty lonesome out in the country considering the number of candidates in the field.

It is reported that the Attoyac is from "hill to hill" and that the mail is being transferred by skiffs across the river between Nacogdoches and San Augustine.

J. P. Mettauer returned to Colesmehei this morning after a trip to San Augustine in search of samples of asphalt for the University of Texas. He reports a rich mine down there.

Several candidates in town today. Thought you might not know it.

Mr. Henry Lewis, of San Augustine, is in the city visiting Mr. E. S. Huston, who is still quite sick, though a little improved this morning.

Miss Hester Buchanan entertained a large number of her young friends last evening with a "sociable." It was largely attended and all had a very enjoyable time.

Dr. W. H. Campbell, county health officer was called to see about a supposed case of small pox near Linn Flat, and when he got there the sick man, Mr. Wingate, had died, the doctor thinks it was small pox. It was at Wingate's saw mill.

Club Notes.

Thirteen club members and four guests met with Mrs. Jno. Garrison last Thursday, 27. Response to roll call were "Objects of Interest around Athens."

After reading of minutes by secretary, the treasurer made report. The corresponding secretary then read several letters. A great deal of time was taken up discussing ways and means of work in regard to the Stone Fort. Motion was made and carried to invite the Daughters of the Confederacy, Chautauqua Circle and Shakespeare's Class to assist the Club, and the president to ask that a committee from each to be sent to confer with the club or have a general meeting of all the clubs.

It was decided also to ask a committee of gentlemen to lighten the labor of the ladies and those named were Messrs. R. D. Whitaker, P. M. Sanders, June Harris, John Schmidt and Judge Middlebrook. Committees were appointed for finding lot available and other necessary work.

The Club "Traveling Art Gallery" will be on exhibition next Monday. It will consist of the work and reproductions of American artists. Admission 10c, school children admitted free.

Mrs. Cox will act as librarian on Saturday afternoon 4 o'clock at Mrs. G. H. Davidson's. All persons wishing to read the books are cordially invited to come and see them.

Mrs. Robt. Lindsey was elected delegates to represent the club at the district Federated clubs meeting in Temple, March 20th.

Hostess served delightful refreshments. Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Jackson next Thursday.

E. B. S.
Cor. Secretary.

J. H. Nabors Dead.

J. H. Nabors, an aged and much respected citizen of this county, died at his home in the Trinity neighborhood Tuesday night of general debility. Mr. Nabors was a good citizen and his life, measured by the standard of christian usefulness, was more than the average. He was a good man, a useful man, an honest man and a christian. This is all sufficient; and besides fulfilling all requirements here, will meet all the requirements in the "great and sweet forever." Peace to his ashes. —Plaindealer.

Changed Hands and Improved.

The Firm of Stripling, Hazelwood & Co. Have Bought the News Business of Neil Ingraham and Considerably Enlarged it.

The enterprising firm of Stripling, Hazelwood & Co. are fast adding every new and meritorious article that belongs to the drug and jewelry business. Besides having bought a handsome soda fountain, they have just bought out the news stand formerly owned by Geo. C. Ingraham, and have placed it in a very attractive position in the front part of their store. They will have in a few days all the late magazines, periodicals and new books, that this market will demand, and will take your subscription for any publication or magazine published. This is the only news stand in the city, something that we are very much in need of. They also say they will have the prettiest soda fountain in town that will be here and in operation about April 1. It will be placed in the center of the store which will show it up to fine advantage. It will be in charge of a first-class and experienced operator.

This firm commenced business with the idea that it pays to buy only the best. Nothing is too good for their customers and the cordial treatment accorded to them will certainly warrant them a mighty pretty business.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democracy of Nacogdoches county:

For Representative:
HOMER A. DOTSON.

For County Judge:
ROBT BERGER,
THOMAS BASCOM LEWIS,
EMMETT W. SMITH.

For County Attorney:
G. B. LAYTON
BEEMAN STRONG

For Tax Collector:
W. J. (Willis) GRIMES
H. L. TURNER

For Sheriff:
W. J. CAMPELL
GEO. W. BLACKBURN

For Tax Assessor:
GEO. W. CAVIN
JOHN WEATHERLY
N. T. SISCO,
N. Q. MAYFIELD,
R. H. BURK,
R. A. HALL.

For County Treasurer:
J. F. SUMMERS,
J. A. PIRTELL,
Wm. HILLENKAMP,
J. O. RAY,
ZENO COX.

For District Clerk:
CLIFTON WELLS, re-election.

For County Clerk:
I. F. MILLER,
E. M. WEEKS.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:
ROBT. MOSBY,
J. W. BYRD,
JOHN BURROWS.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1:
J. M. JONES,
W. D. PEEVEY.

For Constable: Precinct No. 1:
W. J. GREEN,
DOC WATSON.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1:
W. J. BLACKMAN.

MONDAY'S LOCALS.

Sam Dixon is in the city.

T. B. Jordan, of Martinsville, was in the city today.

H. G. Kennard is in Houston on a business trip.

W. H. Pleasant of Stoker, is in the city to-day.

Bob Smith, of Lufkin, was in the city Saturday.

E. P. Corley of Lufkin spent Sunday in Nacogdoches.

The merry-go-round has folded its tent and silently gone from us.

G. H. McDaniel, representing Hicks Co., of Shreveport, is in town.

H. D. Power, of Alto, came over and spent Saturday with his Nacogdoches kinfolks and friends.

Editor Cannon, of the East Texas Fruit and Truck Grower, of Jacksonville, is in the city in the interest of his paper.

We will meet competition. Try us and see.

Wilson, Grimes & Co.

The meeting of the Business League that was to have been held at the Commercial National Bank tonight has been postponed until Friday night on account of several parties interested being out of town.

G. W. Nettles, of Beach Creek Farm, was in the city Saturday. He had four Poland China pigs, which attracted a great deal of attention. He has been engaged in raising fine hogs for several years and has sold hundreds of these pigs, besides a vast amount of pork and bacon. He has realized a great deal of profit from this industry.

C. B. Martin, Esq., of Houston, spent last night in the city on his return from a business trip to San Augustine. He was accompanied by Col. Grigsby E. Thomas, Jr., of Athens, Ga., who is looking after business interests in this section. They left this morning for Beaumont. They reported a thrilling experience in crossing the Attoyac. They started from San Augustine Wednesday morning and arrived in Nacogdoches Friday evening. They built a boat to cross the Attoyac on, the river being all over the bottom, and just as the new boat was finished one which was already in use, which they knew nothing of, landed from the opposite side of the river with the mail, and which they could have had several hours sooner by calling for it. Thus a half a day was lost because they were "strangers in a strange land."

TUESDAY'S LOCALS.

Luther Wade is at home again for a day or two.

Robt Hall has gone to Carthage on a business trip.

Eleven bales of cotton came in this morning from San Augustine county.

J. R. Cunningham of Linn Flat, was a caller at THE SENTINEL office yesterday afternoon.

R. M. Wilkinson, of Aikin, was in the city to-day and had his name enrolled on THE SENTINEL subscription list.

A new express office is being erected at the new passenger depot.

Mrs. J. F. Grubbs went to Colmesneil this morning, where her home is at present.

The store of B. B. Haltom at Swift was burglarized at Swift last night, but nothing of great value was taken.

Esquire W. D. Peevey is building a residence in the southwestern suburbs of the city and is talking of moving out there to live.

R. C. Grambling has sold his residence on Hospital street to B. F. Hardeman, and will build again southwest of town near the home of Clifton Wells.

Misses Cora Murphy and Sudie McKnight, of Douglass, are visiting in the city, the guests of Mrs. R. W. Murphy.

Miss Mary Todd, of Lufkin, is visiting in Nacogdoches, the guest of Mrs. Wallace.

The rise in temperature of the weather will soon bring forth the spring verdure. So far vegetation is very backward.

Mr. S. C. Kelly is building a nice residence near the home of Mr. C. D. Clark in the southwestern suburbs of the city.

Go to Dotson Bros. for Triumph seed potatoes, and Landreth's and Ferry's garden seed.

It was reported this morning that a wind storm swept over Appleby and completely demolished the dwelling house owned and formerly occupied by Mr. J. W. Law. Later reports say that very little damage was done.

Just a few of those No. 25 and No. 26 Bureaus and No. 3 Solid Oak Dressers to close out at wholesale prices. These are a big bargain. Get one quick.

Cason, Richardson & Co.

R. W. Murphy is now employed on the abstract work being done by Lindsey & Harris, and will "hang out" at the court house until the work is finished.

The wind has been terrible blustery today. For awhile this morning it was terrific, and blown down signs, raised the dust and made things disagreeable generally. A fine show case standing in front of Kaplan Bros. was hurled to the ground and the glass completely demolished.

In the earlier days of the republic, when a United States senator's honor was impugned, there was no rough fights. With studied politeness he invited the offender out to be shot at, and the invitation was usually accepted. The parties met and exchanged shots, and, if either, neither or both were killed, the matter was regarded as honorably adjusted. That of Henry Clay and John Randolph was a case in point. Randolph, in the house of representatives, charged that John Quincy Adams' election to the presidency and Clay's appointment to be secretary of state were the result of bargain, intrigue and corruption. Clay invited Randolph out, as we have said, to be shot at. Randolph went out, was shot at and missed, but did not return the fire. He had given Mr. Clay the satisfaction he demanded, and that settled it.—Beaumont Journal.

enough numerically or financially to build a large up-to-date factory for canning everything, then build a small one so your surplus can be utilized to an advantage. Don't expect a canning factory to pay like a gold mine right from the go, do not expect it to pay a large per cent on the money invested, for if you do you will more than likely get disappointed in your expectation. If it does not make a cent of interest on the money that it takes to build it. Yet it makes good money for the grower who would otherwise lose the truck utilized by the factory, it will furnish employment to many people who would possibly be idle if there was no factory to give them employment.

A factory cannot be built without an outlay of capital, but small factories can be put up with a small outlay, and any firm who may sell you a plant can and will furnish necessary instructions for successfully operating it. Again the greater portion of the canned goods eaten in Texas are put up in Maryland, and as heavy as they are it appears to the JOURNAL that a Texas factory should make money if the Maryland factories can make money and pay freight from there to Texas, on their goods. They must make money or they couldn't stay in business. It is only a question of nerve and business judgment, Have you got it?—East Texas Fruit and Truck Journal.

Teachers Institute.

Program for Teachers' Institute for Nacogdoches county, March 22, 1902, 10 A. M. at Nacogdoches, Texas:

Roarks' Method (Lesson from page 52 to page 80)—T. R. Howard and G. I. Watkins.

Roarks' Method (drills, reviews and examinations from page 80 to page 95)—W. P. Williams and L. W. Raney.

Value of History in School—H. A. Dotson and Miss Zillah Langley.

Value of Literature in School—Mrs. Watts and F. P. Marshall.

How to gain and hold the attention of a class.—J. A. Spear, Frank Miles and Miss Mary Elkins.

Primary Numbers—Geo. E. Hale and Mrs. Nettie Marshall.

Spice Box. The latest Fad in Teaching.

Where does the day begin? Show the distinction between a regular and an irregular verb.

Other topics to be selected by conductors, O. Orum and R. F. Davis.

For J. P. Precinct No. 3.

We are requested to announce W. J. Blackman, of Melrose, as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 3. Mr. Blackman is an upright, lawabiding, honorable man, worthy and qualified to fill the place he seeks, has always been a staunch democrat and a good worker in the ranks. He announces subject to the action of the democracy of Melrose beat.

JOHN P. DAVIDSON,

If It's Good, It's Here.

Bacon, Lard, Hams, Etc., At Prices to Please.

LENT IS WITH US

when the Easter guests arrive it is best to have everything in readiness so that the day may prove a restful and pleasant one to you as well as to your friends. I have many excellent ideas, special things that help out the pleasure of the meal, dainty and substantial foods, and if you buy them here there is always that satisfaction that you are securing purest foods and at the lowest prices. Choice Mackerel 3 for 25c; choice Teas 50c. per pound and up; Tomatoes, Peaches, Pickles, Blue Lable Catsup, L & P Sauce, Prices 1lb Baking Powder, Soda, Starch, Pepper, Allspice, Soaps at prices to please you one and all, so give me a call.

E. FABER

will wait on the cash trade and requests the buyers to call and get prices before making purchases. Stetson Hats and Boys Knee Pants just arrived. Clothing cheaper than ever before sold in this town. Woolen Dress Goods and Trimmings to please you, Selz Fine Shoes and Work Shoes at prices to please those who desire good honest goods, Gents' Furnishings, Men's and Boys Shirts in all styles and prices, Plates, Cups, and Saucers, Glassware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, finest Parched and Green Coffee, my Leader Flour will please you all.

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T. B. Lewis came in from Mahl this morning. He says everybody up there has been vaccinated since the small pox scare broke out.

C. D. Teutsch, of Waxahatche, is still visiting among his friends and relatives and looking after business in Nacogdoches.

Mr. S. J. Thompson, of the Mammoth Oil, Mineral and Land Company, now operating near Chireno, was in the city today. He says he has found lots of oil, but the water is so strong that he has been unable to save the oil so far.

Stolen.

From my house Feb. 22, 1902, a breachloading shot gun, made by Eclipse Gun Co., pistol grip pattern, and small piece split off of stock under right hand barrel. Initials C. W. B. are scratched on stock. \$5.00 reward for its return to me.

Charlie Birdwell, Nacogdoches, Texas.

Canning Factories.

Each grower's association in Texas should get together at once and devise plans for putting in a canning factory. If the association is not strong