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Keeping Teeth Clean.

Animals (and the Esquimaux) which live mostly on meat never have decayed teeth. But since we live to such an extent on vegetable foods, we must clean our teeth, gums and mouth regularly, or our teeth will decay. Clean teeth, if they have been kept clean since childhood, very rarely decay. We handle a full line of **Tooth Powders, Tooth Washes, Tooth Dentifrices, and Tooth Pastes** employed in cleaning teeth. We also make a special point of carrying a fine stock of **Tooth Brushes**. Let us supply you.

PERKINS BROS.

Where You Get What You Want.

Saw Mill for Sale.

I now own the Lightfoot & Walden saw mill plant located near Fitze in this community. This is an up to date mill with splendid new machinery 25,000 feet capacity, and will be sold on long time and easy terms at a price that will make it a very desirable purchase.

E. A. Blount.

District Clerk Wells has hardly made "coffee" during the present term of the district court. His fees in felony cases so far amount to the "princely" sum of \$24. Three negroes have been sent to the pen, and he gets \$8 in each case.

Wanted.

Teams to haul oak ties. Will give you steady work and good prices. For information, apply to my Supt., R. O. Baker, Huntington, Tex. drwtl A. D. Eglin.

Thrown by His Horse.

Dr. Mayfield was thrown from his horse this morning at the crossing on Fredonia street and the railroad, and was seriously hurt about the back and hips. The train was switching as he approached the crossing and his horse became excited and unmanageable and finally ran from under the doctor with the result as stated.

Makes a Clean Sweep.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, bruises, cuts, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Mr. H. A. Huntley informs the Sentinel that he intends to rebuild his store house at once. He will continue to engage in the grocery business and will open a new stock as soon as possible.

OUR APPELEY LETTER.

The News From Our Flourishing Little Neighbor.

Appleby, April 20.—Our red land is getting very dry and farmers are all wishing for rain. Cotton that has been planted is not coming up and several are not nearly done planting and can't plant now until it rains. So the farmers are very near done work till we have some rain.

Quite a number left from here last night to go to Clear Lake La., to engage in fishing for a few days.

Our telegraph operator, Mr. Ed. Blount, has been granted a ten days lay off and has gone with the crowd fishing. Mr. Oscar Seale will fill his place for ten days.

Mr. N. Payne and family spent last Saturday on the creek fishing.

Rev. Jno. Strode left Saturday for Burke, where he filled his regular appointment.

Rev. E. D. Blankenship, of Troupe, the pastor of the Baptist church here, preached to a very large audience yesterday on "What think ye of Christ?"

Mr. Robert Williamson of Garrison, one of our commissioners, spent Friday night in our town enroute to Nacogdoches to be present at court Saturday.

Dr. Walter F. Shepherd of Garrison, visited our town this week and left last night for San Augustine for his health.

Mr. Bob Green and family of Mt. Enterprise, have been here visiting his father and family.

Mrs. J. W. Hurst of Holbert, is here now visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Hartt.

Mr. W. P. Fears, formerly of Appleby, now book-keeper for Joplin & Son at Garrison, spent yesterday with the home folks at home. His mother returned with him.

Dr. W. G. Hartt was called by phone to Garrison last Friday to see his brother's wife, Mrs. B. F. Hartt, who was then very sick. He made another visit yesterday and found her much improved.

We have four new cases of small-pox 2½ miles south east of Appleby, and some measles in our vicinity.

Miss Lou Ella Hartt of Garrison, is visiting in Appleby this week.

The W.-O. W. met last Tuesday night in their new commodious Hall, with a very fair attendance; changed the time of meeting to Tuesday nights after the 2nd and 4th Sundays. Visiting choppers invited to attend. We will unveil two monuments and dedicate our Hall, on June 6 P. M.

Jno. W. Davis handles all kinds of feed, stuff at lowest cash prices.

MELROSE LETTER.

News Notes From Our Flourishing Little Neighbor.

Melrose, April 18th, 1903.—Miss Fannie Simpson's school at this place will close the first day of May. Some talk of a school picnic for the children.

We have several cases of that dreaded disease, Lagrippe in our community.

Miss Eva Wilson has gone to Nacogdoches for a couple of weeks.

There will be a tent meeting at the Public Well in Nacogdoches, beginning on Thursday night the 30th of April. Rev. Lancaster, the District Elder, will hold the Nacogdoches District meeting at that time. Also sister Lilly Snow, the great woman preacher will be there and do most of the preaching. Bro. and sister Stowe, the sweet singers, will aid with their songs. Come out, one and all, and hear the good news Jesus sends to the rich and poor, high and low. Sister Lilly says, "Lord take my lips and let them be filled with messages from thee." Sister Stowe says, "Take my voice and let me sing, always for my king."

God bless the people and may they say, "Lord take my will and make it thine. It shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, my heart, it is thine own, It shall be thy royal throne."

Will Close Outer Door.

Postmaster Cooper informed the Sentinel this morning that from this date, the outer door to the postoffice will be closed and securely locked whenever there is no one in the office. This order has been issued by the United States Postoffice department on account of depredations upon the lock boxes, of which there has been a great deal of complaint of late. This will be quite an inconvenience to some who have lock boxes, who live some distance from the office and are in the habit of getting their mail at times when the postoffice is not open. In fact we fail to see what especial benefit a lock box will be at all under this ruling. But the order must be obeyed, and Capt. Cooper gives notice that henceforward when there is no one inside the outer door will be locked.

Arrested on Old Charge.

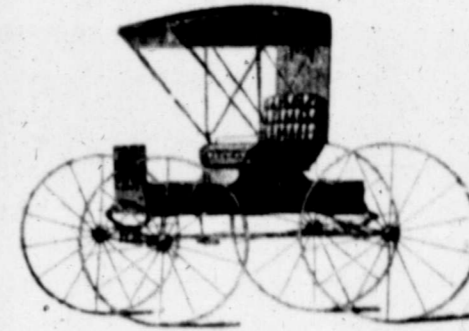
Constable Doc Watson arrested Lee Mullins at Jeans' mill yesterday on a charge of assault to murder. The charge is an old one and the offence was committed several years ago.

Mullins was lodged in jail yesterday afternoon to await an examining trial.

6 doz. bottles Hollaway snuff for 10c a bottle at C. W. Butt's

The Time

For taking Buggy rides has come again and we are here with the largest and best selected stock of **Columbus and Moon Bros. Buggies**, ever shown in Nacogdoches.



We have buggies, Buggy Harness, Buggy Whips, Buggy Lap Robes, In fact everything,

To Complete The Rig

At all kinds of prices. Come in and give us a call.

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Who handle everything in the Hardware, Furniture, Implement and Machinery line.

Nacogdoches, Texas.

Incendiary at Garrison.

The second attempt was made last Saturday night to burn Greenwood hotel. The work was evidently that of an incendiary and would have been successful in burning the hotel and the square, but for the cook at the hotel, who discovered the fire and gave the alarm in time to extinguish the flames before they get inside of the building. This second attempt exonerates the gentlemen that lived there when the first attempt was made to burn it.

Wm. Boles the night watch was on hand and heard the noise and went to where it was, but the torch did not ignite until he left the house. Vigilance committees should be organized and an effort made to save our town from destruction.—Garrison Signal.

A company was organized last night among members of Alabama tribe to publish a monthly Journal devoted to the interest of Redmanship in Texas. The capital required is very small, being limited to \$100 at present, but if necessary more will be put into it. The order has one paper in Texas but it does not appear regularly. Temporary organization was affected by electing A. P. Henning, president and R. W. Haltom secretary-treasurer. Another meeting will be held shortly.

Fire at Burke.

Burke, Tex., April 21.—Fire broke out last night in the store of A. J. Crager, totally destroying the building and contents. Loss estimated at \$4,000; insurance \$1,000.

A drugstore and feed store were also burned. Loss not known.

Oil Mill for Center.

Mr. E. W. Rogers, of Center, was in the city this morning on his way to Etoile in response to a message that his brother, Dr. Rogers who recently moved to Etoile, is dangerously ill.

While in the city Mr. Rogers informed the Sentinel that the organization of an oil mill company had just been perfected at Center, with a capital of \$30,000, and that an oil mill will be completed in time to handle this years crop of cotton seed.

The following officers were elected for the first year:

President, H. N. Runnels; Vice President, R. J. D. Ellington; Secretary and Treasurer, J. W. Saunders.

Directors, H. N. Runnels, J. W. Saunders, F. C. Powell, J. H. Horn, R. J. D. Ellington and C. M. Edwards.

County Court.

County court convened today, but Judge Berger immediately dismissed all jurors and witnesses, and continued all cases, except probate matters, until next term. Court will be kept open the full extent of the term for probate business, but there will be no jury cases, either civil or criminal, tried at this term.

Notice.

I have this day taken charge of the "Clifton" wagon yard, and will give it my personal attention. This is the handiest, most commodious and best arranged wagon yard in town, and I expect to conduct it on business principles, and will leave nothing undone that will add to the comfort and convenience of the traveling public. Come and see me.

Bob McLain.

You can buy a first class axe at Jno. P. Davidson's old stand for 55 cents.

Jno. W. Davis.

You Save Money

BY BUYING
FEED STUFFS, FLOUR,
MEAL, SUGAR, COFFEE,
GROCERIES of all descriptions from us, because our custom of buying for cash and selling for the same enable us to give you better prices than any other store.

Baucom & Son.

The Weekly Sentinel

R. W. HALTOM, Editor

THE fire fiend seems to have a fondness for the Beaumont oil field.

THE Shreveport Times gave us some more chestnuts on Wettermark yesterday.

THE best service the Northern politician can render the Southern negro, is to let him alone.

THE Houston Post has opened up a subscription list for a Texas exhibit at the World's Fair.

THE Mississippi river is rapidly falling at New Orleans, much to the relief of the people of the Crescent city.

THE grand jury has returned 27 bills of indictment so far, twelve of which are against Ben Wettermark.

WE are sorry we can't run the Sentinel to suit everybody. But, you know, such a thing would be "impossible."

THEY are going to build a railroad from Bagdad to Basra. Vale Arabian nights, Afrites and jinns. Enter Pierpont Morgan.

THE bronco busters are entertaining the people in Houston now. The horse show going on there is an enormous success.

THE dedication ceremonies of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis was begun on April 13th and will be finished May 1st and 2nd.

IT is reported that a gold mine has been discovered in Menard county. They must be planting truck and raising fruit and tobacco out there.

WAS'NT yesterday a feast of beauty and bonnets," says the Editor of the Houston Post for Monday, in a fervor of rapturous and admiration. Sorry for you old fellow. If you've eaten anybody's Easter bonnet, you're in big trouble.

IF the pistol toters would only victimize each other it might not be so bad, but outsiders and bystanders are generally the victims. The average pistol totter generally hits everything he isn't shooting at.

THE SENTINEL is ready to take off its hat to the "bucket brigade" of fire fighters in Nacogdoches, and solemnly affirm that they have no equal on this mundane sphere, but we have to insist that luck has been with them in every fire we have had here. It will be different some day and we will be sorry we have not provided them something to fight fire with. We can't trust luck always.

THERE is a case of leprosy in Liberty county and the State health officer is asking for an appropriation of \$5,000 a year to maintain a quarantine and for the treatment and isolation of the case. The patient is a woman of Arcadian descent. Liberty county has cared for her until the county is out of funds and unless the State takes charge of the case the disease is liable to become epidemic.

THE BLACK PROBLEM.

I grew up to regard the institution of African slavery as a monstrous evil. With a gray jacket on my back I abated no part of my abhorrence of it. The war over, I fully realized that the negro could not be suspended, like Mahomet's coffin, in the nether, air neither fish, flesh nor fowl; that he must be made a freeman in fact, as he was in name; that he must be habilitated to his new belongings, and I promptly accepted the three last amendments to the Constitution as the treaty of peace between the North and South, and went to work in good faith to help carry them out. I fought to remove the old black laws from the statute book in Kentucky. I fought the Kuklux Klan from start to finish. I fought in all possible ways to give the black man an opportunity to achieve the hopes which in common with many others of his friends, I had formed of him.

After thirty years of observation, experience and reflection—always directed from a sympathetic point of view—I am forced to agree with the Secretary of War that negro suffrage is a failure. It is a failure because the Southern blacks are not equal to it. It is a failure because the Southern whites will not have it.

If, making a hot answer to this, some over-jealous, and, as I must think, some mistaken partisan should say, we have the power, we have the numbers, and we will compel the whites of the South, my answer shall be, "you did, and behold what came of it!" And then, if my warm blooded friend should throw up his hands in despair and with a kind of disgust turn wearily away, I should continue—may you not have been from the first upon the wrong track? Is there not another outlet to these perplexities, another solution of this problem? After all, is not your disquietude based upon the idea that there are one set of moral conditions at the North and another set at the south, to which the whole racial trouble is referable? Believe me, there is no difference. Remove every white Democrat today living in the South and replace him with a Northern Republican, and twelve months hence the conditions will be the same, may be worse, since the Northern Republican would not be likely to have either the patience, or the personal sympathy and knowledge, possessed by the native Southerner."—Henry Watter-son.

WILL Nacogdoches do anything for the World's Fair? It is now up to the people of the State to make up the money for a Texas exhibition. Every little helps and if Nacogdoches is in a hard streak of luck she might contribute a small purse.

THE George Washington Institute Visitor is a new paper just started at Colmesneil. It is published in connection with the George Washington Institute, a colored school, and in the interest of the colored people of Tyler county and the colored race.

A BOLL weevil exterminating company has been chartered with a capital of fifty thousand dollars. Its purpose is not to kill boll weevils but to sell machinery to those who will try to exterminate them.

ENSIGN HUSSNER of the German army ran his sword through a soldier because the soldier did not salute him to his liking. The soldier is dead and the ensign soon will be, or would be if he was a subject of Uncle Sam.

THE city and county officials of San Augustine are after the wrong doers and violators of the law, especially the gamblers. They will have to be good or get out of town, says a San Augustine correspondent.

SINCE there is a prospect that the State will appropriate a sum for the treatment and isolation of the case of leprosy in Liberty county, leprosy cases are bobbing up all over the State. Two cases were reported from Laredo yesterday.

THE united efforts of nine Gigantic railroad systems is proving a great power in diverting immigration from the West to the East Texas and the coast country. Going West to grow up with the country is a thing of the past. God's country is doing business now.

THE appropriation bill which will probably pass the legislature carries with it \$500,000 more than the estimated receipts of the State treasury for the next two years. At that rate Texas will not be running on the cash basis much longer or there will have to be an increase of taxation.

AT a glance it would appear that the State's educational institutions were fairly well provided for during the ensuing two years. The appropriation bill carries the following amounts: Medical branch university at Galveston \$48,000; Sam Houston Normal, \$39,500; Southwest Texas Normal, \$106,381; Girl's Industrial School, \$137,737. The item for the A. & M. College has not been completed.

THE government weather and crop report for the past week says heavy soils throughout the state are in need of rain, otherwise the weather conditions of the week are highly satisfactory. In the red land districts of East Texas, cotton is retarded from coming up owing to the crust on top of the ground. Cut worms and grub worms are injuring the corn in places.

THE finance committee submitted its report to the grand jury this morning. The contents of the report have not been made public yet, but it has been intimated that the report puts nearly all the county officers and a good many ex-officials in the hole. There will be a great straightening out of tangles pretty soon. It is not believed that anybody is short, but careless book-keeping and failure to make reports make things appear in a bad light.

ME TOO.

A young man who sought a clerkship in one of the departments at Washington, once asked the late Robert Ingersoll for his endorsement, and this was Ingersoll's reply:

"Young man, I would rather have forty acres of land, with a log cabin on it and the woman I love in the cabin—with a little grassy, winding path leading down to the spring where the water gurgles from the lips of the earth, whistling day and night to the white pebbles—a perpetual poem—with hollyhocks growing at the corner of the house, and morning glories blooming over the low-latched door—with lattice work over the window so that the sunlight would fall checked on the dimpled babe in the cradle, and birds—like . . . songs with wings hovering in the summer air—than be the clerk of any government on earth."—Brann's Iconoclast.

THE editor acknowledges receipt of invitation to be present at the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the acquisition of the Louisiana Territory, to be commemorated by the dedication of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, April 13th and May 1st and 2nd. Sorry it isn't convenient for us to be present, but we expect to go to the Exposition when it opens up, or send a delegate.

TWO pistol toters met at Richmond Monday and one is dead and the other is in jail. If they hadn't been armed the quarrel might have been settled with a fistcuff, or possibly without violence at all. The parties referred to here, J. B. Wheat and Bob Pleasants, both members of prominent South Texas families, were in the habit of shooting at each other wherever they met and on a former occasion crippled a man for life in Houston, who was hit by accident. Wheat was killed in the last fight.

THE spirit of prophecy is abroad in the land. Papers and people are predicting every thing from weather to woe; from the end of the week to the end of the world. Zadkiel reads the stars and most other people read the papers, to see what's going to happen before it comes off. When the prophecy fails it is clearly the fault of the event and not the seer, for no one can blame a person with second sight for seeing double occasionally. Gazing into the future, and judging by the past, the shadows of the following coming events are seen, and the years to come will be the testimony of their truth. In twenty years Roosevelt will still be telling bear stories. Lipton will be building Shamrock the twentythird to compete for the American cup. Carnegie libraries will adorn every hamlet in the United States. The Democratic party will be certain of victory in the next election. The country will be on the verge of ruin and revolution as usual. We will have wireless telephones. Horses

will be merely for ornament and to race, and even amateur ball teams can all pitch the Meriwell double shoot. But a dollar will be just as hard to make, and the same old chestnuts will be in the newspapers.

THE editor of the Sentinel is individually "in the hole" for sixty nine dollars on last year's Carnival, and we expect to do five hundred dollars worth of talking or get that money back. There are four other individuals stuck for the same amount each, and none of us are able to pay it and lose it. The people must help us out or we will talk them to death. —Nacogdoches Sentinel.

LAND sakes! people, pay him. Remember we all have to suffer.—Orange Tribune.

HIS friends claim that Tom Campbell is far ahead of any other man who has yet been mentioned for the next Governor of Texas, because he is closer to the people, and he can marshal almost the "Solid" Labor vote of the State.—Carthage Mule.

NOT next year. We will have to carry out the old precedent of electing the Governor for a second term, and that means Lanham will be re-elected next year. But we haven't any doubt but that Tom Campbell will be Lanham's successor.

THE Greenville Banner proposes importing a little black spider that is a native of Mexico, and, it is said, eats boll weevils, into the weevil infested districts of Texas. The Mexican government is said to be experimenting with the spider in question. It seems to an unprejudicial observer, that the little black spider's disposition had better be inquired into before it is invited to this country. What will he eat, when the boll weevils are gone, and how hard does he bite? We'd rather be an innocent bystander in a street gun-play than be bitten by some little black spiders.

THERE is no negro problem. The agitation of the negro question is political buncomb pure and simple. Law abiding people, white or black, live at peace with their fellow-men everywhere. There is no peace for those who trample the laws of both God and man under their feet. The brute is naturally stronger in the negro than the caucasian, consequently asserts itself more frequently. This accounts for the fact that many negroes and few white people are lynched for brutish crimes. If the politicians of the North, who are so terribly disturbed about ill treatment of the negroes in the South, will find a way to change the nature of the worthless negro (there is a refined and useful negro element largely in the majority of the race) so that his brutish instincts will not predominate, the negro problem will be solved to the satisfaction of the entire nation. But it can't be done and there is no use keeping up a fuss about racial troubles that exist only in the minds of those who know least of the situation, or have political motives to serve.

PICK AND PIKE.

How great the victory humanity has won! Our President goes West without his gun. —Post-Dispatch.

A qualified victory, as might be guessed; He shoots off his mouth in the land of the West

Lives of fishermen remind us We may strive for prizes grand. And departing leave behind us Tales of fish we failed to land. —Washington Post.

Those fish must be like little Bo-peep's sheep that we used to read of in former years.

Cleveland has got his hat on straight as regards the negro question.—Houston Post.

But his pants "bag" awfully on some other questions.

What are you doing with the money which you are no longer permitted to lose on the ponies?—Houston Post.

Saving it to lose on the next election.

Patti will sing at Houston. Everybody sings at Houston; they can't help it; there is music in the air.—Post.

Some of them "horses" sing, too, don't they?

The Houston Post can see only good and great things for the city and section of state it's representing.—Kosse Cyclone.

And the Post sees straight. A pessimist should go out of the news paper business.

President Roosevelt will see in the Park some great gushers and hot spouters, but there is no reason why even Old Faithful should discourage him.—Galveston News.

The trouble is he might discourage Old Faithful. A Geyser that has to stay at home is always surpassed by a gay sir, that has been to roam.

Secretary Shaw is not particularly happy in his attempts at epigram-making. His productions in that line are decidedly boomerangic.—Washington Post.

"Boomerangic" is not a good word. Boomerangish is more euphonious; then, too, it will rhyme with orang outangish, if the Post man wants to say Shaw made a monkey of himself in poetry.

Rev. Dr. Banks says that American civilization is "like a pie. The top crust, or the Four Hundred," is steeped in champagne, while the bottom is soggy with beer." Dr. Banks should change his baker.—New York World.

Wouldn't that be pie for the editor of the Alkali Eye. He would give a year's subscription, for a pie of that description.

Planting trees is a good thing any time of year. It isn't necessary to wait for Arbor day.—Austin Statesman.

We are astonished at the Statesman. That sounds like a farm journal editorial. It is true a tree can be planted any time of the year, but whether it is good for the tree is dubious.

THE Matthews girl that was assaulted at the time her mother was killed at Shreveport, is recovering.

LOOK OUT FOR MALARIA.

An epidemic of Malaria is sure to follow the wet season and the high waters which have prevailed all over the South. Malarial and kindred fevers will develop to an alarming extent. General health conditions will be bad; every precaution should be taken.

The System Must Especially Be Fortified to Resist Malarial Attacks.

A trial of fifty years has demonstrated that for this emergency, Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic has no equal. Iron is the fighting element in the blood, and the kind of iron supplied by Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic is just the kind the system requires to successfully combat malarial conditions. Don't wait until you are attacked. Take it now and fortify yourself; it is an absolute safeguard and, at the same time, it is the best tonic and invigorant for the entire system. On the other hand, quinine disturbs the system and its cumulative poison begets greater physical troubles than those it is employed to remedy.

Where a bad case of chronic Malaria already exists, take DR. HARTER'S FEVER and AGUE SPECIFIC. It is guaranteed to cure. Price 50 cents. BUT IF YOU WILL

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Houston, Tex., Aug. 1, 1901. I have used Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic myself and in my family for over twenty-five years, and can heartily recommend it. I regard it as particularly valuable to ward off malarial and other fevers. J. H. HAYSEED, Land and Emigration Agent, Frisco Line. (50,000 guarantees that above testimonial is genuine.)

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Ask your dealers for them TOM PADGITT COMPANY Wholesale Manufacturers of Saddles and Saddle. WACO

R. W. HALTOM Notary Public. NACOGDOCHES, TEX.

The passenger department of the Southern Pacific Sunset Route announces a special low one-way colonist rate of \$25.00 from all main line points to California. Tickets on sale February 15th to June 15th, inclusive, and it is probable that an unusual number will take advantage of this exceptionally low rate to visit the Golden State. Tickets are good for continuous passage, though in California stop-overs will be allowed at all Southern Pacific stations, while special rates have been made to various points within California. Especially fine equipment will be provided, and the Pullman Excursion Sleeping Car arrangements which have been perfected assures the traveler every comfort. In addition there will be operated free reclining chair cars and comfortable day coaches. The nearest agent can supply all information desired as to rates, etc., or this may be obtained by writing to S. B. F. Morse, passenger traffic manager, M. L. Robbins, G. P. and T. A., or T. J. Anderson, A. G. P. and T. A., at Houston, Texas.

Things We Like Best Often Disagree With Us

Because we overeat of them. Indigestion follows. But there's a way to escape such consequences. A dose of Kodol will relieve you at once. Your stomach is simply too weak to digest what you eat. That's all indigestion is. Kodol digests the food without the stomach's aid. Thus the stomach rests while the body is strengthened by wholesome food. Dieting is unnecessary. Kodol digests any kind of good food. Strengthens and invigorates.

Kodol Makes Rich Red Blood. Prepared only by E. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago. The 50c bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 25c size. For sale by PERKINS BROS.

LETTER FROM HAYVILLE

Mr. Hayseed Discusses Pessimism and Optimism.

Dear Mr. Sentinel: You know we are forced now to shove ourselves up out of that old time flat footed walk, and take on a single foot move and double shuffle. We don't take time to see who it is we are meeting, whether it is our nearest neighbor, our father our brother or a blind horse or a mad dog. The thing before us is, "get there Eli."

A few weeks back however, we were wont to meet a slow trotter sticking in the mud who would take time to blow his lips against the weather and lead the air with despondency and Jonah like exhortations on starvation, bank failures, crop failures, theft, arson, murder and negro social equality. Now we have this same prophetic groaner comforting his won debt paying aspirations with a scorching drouth, legislative, incompetency, judicial bribery, cyclones, a dry moon, boll weevils, poor land, corn bugs, horse flies and seed ticks. I met an old Hayseed of the pessimistic order the other day, who told me the moon had a back, (and a stomach of course), and that it was now laying on its back; sucking all the water out of the earth, and I have been ciphering around in geometry and doing some figuring in astronomy and hydraulics to see if I could find out when the moon would get full enough to run over again, as I understood the old citizens to mean that would be the time of our next shower. Just as I was rounding up a solution entirely satisfactory to myself, I met another who took time to inform me he had visited every part of the earth except the North pole, and had made some observatory visits to the moon, Mars, Saturn, Venice, Jupiter, and many other stationary worlds, and that he had found no country which was as well fitted, adjusted and regulated for the Hayseed business as East Texas, and that the moon would get full and run over several times before it sucked up all the water that fell on the earth in the past three months. He told me that when Uncle Sam got the Panama ditch cut, that the universe would sniff the fragrance of our flower-gardens, grow hungry for our fruits, fatten on our vegetables and float in joy from the wine of our grapes.

I am mighty sorry for that fellow that is always looking for storms and boggy places and hunting for disasters and bad luck. Mrs. Hayseed has the most elastic energy of any one I ever saw. You know she never sees darkness anywhere and she is mighty stuck up in the poultry business, and as all the lads and lasses about the premises have a relish for eggs, Mrs. Hayseed has used many ways and means to persuade her hens to leave off their sedentary habits and go to bearing eggs more prolifically. She now informs me that she has succeeded in persuading them out of the habit of setting beyond all expectation, and that I need not expect a mess of spring chicken

this season. She also tells me that she has a duck that has layed 150 acres on the roost and then made a nest, layed nine eggs, set 24 hours on the nine eggs, then abandoned it and went to singing.

HAYSEED.

Walks Without Crutches. I was much afflicted with sciatica, writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedwick county, Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benefitted by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c and \$1 at Perkins Bros.

Miss Nettie Sanders, of Waller, is in the city visiting her cousin, Miss Virgie Sanders, on Iron Hill. Miss Sanders has a large circle of friends and relatives in Nacogdoches, who hope she will make an extended visit.

Beauty and Strength Are desirable. You are strong and vigorous, when your blood is pure. Many—may most—women fail to properly digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion depart. Remedy this unpleasant evil, by eating nourishing food, and taking a small dose of Herbine after each meal, to digest what you have eaten. 50c at Perkins Bros.

Homer Dotson stood a creditable examination and has been granted license to practice law.

Save the Loved Ones! Mrs. Mary A. Vliet, Newcastle, Col., writes: "I believe Ballard's Horehound Syrup is superior to any other cough medicine, and will do all that is claimed for it, and it is so pleasant to take. My little girl wants to take it when she has no need for it." Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for all pulmonary ailments. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Perkins Bros.

County Attorney Beeman Strong and T. B. Lewis, Esq., have formed a copartnership for the practice of law.

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Now is the Time to Think

A Saddle was returned at our expense a few days ago. Although it had been properly boxed, it was damaged by rats before being unpacked, according to customer's letter. Of course this was no fault of ours, but he got a new saddle just the same. Do you know of any other firm who would have given him the same liberal treatment? Why not buy your supplies from a firm with whom it is a pleasure to deal? All goods guaranteed and prices always lowest, quality considered.

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A MILLION DOLLAR FIRE

Half the Beaumont-Oil Field Swept Away.

Beaumont, Texas, April 15.—Fire last night swept what is known as the Hogg Swane Syndicate tract, comprising blocks 36, 37 and 38, in the Spindle top oil field.

The loss is estimated at from \$800,000 to \$1,000,000. Two hundred and sixty-five derricks were on the tract and only seven are left, five in northwest corner and two in the southwest corner.

Two hundred rigs were on the producing wells.

The fire started at 1 o'clock from a lantern at the Caldwell Oil Company's well.

The fly wheel of the engine struck the lantern, ignited the derrick and the flames spread with rapidity to the territory mentioned, it all being in ashes by 3 o'clock.

No effort to put the fire out was made.

It was impossible to get within 100 feet of the flames. No one was injured.

It is estimated that two-thirds of the companies in the burned district will be unable to recover from the damage done by the fire.

Pneumonia is Robbed of its Terrors

by Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the racking cough and heals and strengthens the lungs. If taken in time it will prevent an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Perkins Bros.

A Big Oil Tank

Lufkin April 15.—The oil tank of the H. E. & W. T. railroad one and a half miles east of town has been completed and the crew of men who built it will leave today for Illinois, their home.

The tank is 96 feet in diameter, 30 feet high and will contain 37,500 barrels of oil. Report is current that the turn table, round house and switch yard will be removed from their present location to the tank grounds as soon as the work can be done.

After La Grippe—what?

Usually a hacking cough and a general feeling of weakness, often leading to fatal results after the patient is supposed to have passed the danger point. Foley's Honey and Tar is guaranteed to cure the "grippe cough" and make you strong and well. It never fails to stop a cough if taken in time. Take no substitutes. Sold by Perkins Bros.

A Sweet Breath

is a never failing sign of a healthy stomach. When the breath is bad the stomach is out of order. There is no remedy in the world equal to Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for curing indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach disorders. Mrs. Mary S. Crick, of White Plains, Ky., writes: "I have been a dyspeptic for years—tried all kinds of remedies but continued to grow worse. By the use of Kodol I began to improve at once, and after taking a few bottles am fully restored in weight, health and strength and can eat whatever I like. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet." Perkins Bros.

Robbed The Grave

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at Stripling Hazelwood & Co., Druggists.

Bak-Ake Specific is the only kidney remedy on the market guaranteed to cure. Buy no other Sold by Stripling, Hazelwood & Co.

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Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, *E. W. Brown* on every box. 25c.

The Weekly Sentinel

E. W. HALTOM, EDITOR

THE cleaning up season is at hand.

THERE will be a Karnival. 'Deed there will.

IT is now time to take steps toward getting up the 1903 Karnival.

THERE are more people who favor the Karnival than oppose it. The majority ought to rule.

DON'T croak. If you can't help the procession along, get out of the way of those who will.

THE schools are to run another month yet. It's a shame they can't run to the end of a full ten months term.

THIRTEEN men were poisoned with free lunch soup in Chicago. It is hoped this will not injure the free lunch business.

THE potato growers of Louisiana are now getting \$14.50 a barrel for their new Irish potatoes in New York.

THE prohibitionists are threatening to invade Orange and Beaumont, and the antis in both plans are already scared up.

THERE are more than a dozen cotton mills now in operation in Texas, all in a highly encouraging and prosperous condition.

COLORADO and Massachusetts have each appropriated \$100,000 for an exhibit at the St. Louis Fair. We hope Texas don't feel bad.

THE eighth annual convention of the National association of Manufacturers has adjourned at New Orleans, after re-electing David M. Parfy, of Indianapolis as president.

THE Wm. M. Rice Institute of Houston has been awarded a judgement against the Wm. M. Rice estate for \$200,000 worth of property in Texas under the terms of the Rice will.

BRIGHAM YOUNG is dead again. That is, Brigham Young the second, eldest son of the original Brigham Young, the head of the Mormon church, died a few days ago.

THE Houston Post lectures the Beaumont Journal for saying "spiteful things," yet the Post recently referred to the Journal as an "obscure paper." The Post wants others not to do as it does, but do as it wishes them to do.

THE spirit of illiberality which characterizes the Houston Post has cost that paper the high esteem it once held among the Texas press fraternity. Newspapers as well as individuals have a right to their opinions and are entitled to have their opinions respected even by those who differ from them. Sneering at those we do not agree with is bad policy.

IT was really wrong in the Beaumont Journal to call Bowley O'Quinn a buzzard. There is a heap of difference between O'Quinn and a buzzard. A buzzard can't talk.

MEN, women and children, are joining the Civic improvement league in St. Louis so as to have the city clean for the exposition. When the city government tails the civic club succeeds.

PARKER of New York and Olney, of Massachusetts, are the favorites for the democratic presidential nomination next year, with the odds at this stage slightly in Olney's favor.

THE habitual pistol toter will have to be a little more careful with his gun in future if our officers keep up the lick they have been hitting of late. Let the good work go on.

THERE are nearly six million men in Texas. A dollar each from one-third of this number will secure a creditable exhibit for Texas at the St. Louis World's Fair. How many people who read this will give a dollar?

WE will have to abolish the corporation before we can settle the school district question, so we are informed by those that seem to know. If it takes that to get our school affairs straightened out lets do it p. d. q. We can reincorporate and take in the whole town, which would be the best thing we could do after all.

THE Houston Chronicle had a twenty eight page special edition yesterday in honor of the Horse show. A big red horse shoe adorns the first page, and leaves no doubt as to what the edition honors. The horse shoe shows, and the horse show—well the horse show shows too what Houston can do.

THE editor of the Sentinel acknowledges receipt of invitation from the De Zavala Chapter Daughters of the Republic to participate in celebrating San Jacinto Day and to attend a Patriotic Reception and ball on Tuesday evening April 21st 1903, Beethoven Hall, San Antonio, Texas. The invitation is deeply appreciated, and were it possible would be accepted. The De Zavala Chapter, which has the honor of existing "neath the shadow of the Alamo," has the thanks and best wishes of The Sentinel.

THE jury commissioners had to go over the tax rolls last week and "cut out" twelve hundred and eighty voters who had failed to pay their poll tax as prescribed by the new law before they could select the juries for the next term of court. All these voters are not delinquent, however, but they failed to pay their taxes before Feb. 1st 1903. A great deal of this was due to a misconstruction of the Middlebrook bill, which granted the tax payers of Nacogdoches county an extension of one month's time to pay taxes. Many supposed it included the poll tax as well as advalorem.

THE two telephone offices ought to be connected by telephone. The way it is arranged now, the only way to communicate with an official at the Southwestern Telephone Co., is to ring Lufkin and have Lufkin ring Nacogdoches at the Southwestern, which is like going round the block to get across the street.

THE unveiling of the Confederate monument was a great event in Austin Thursday. The monument was started two years ago and the funds for it were subscribed and raised by surviving Confederate heroes to perpetuate the memory of those who fell on the field fighting for a glorious cause. The erection of the monument has been under the supervision of John B. Hood camp of Confederate Veterans, and the camp has acquitted itself with laurels in the work which they set out to accomplish. A monster parade preceded the unveiling ceremonies.

THE trial of Jim Howard for the murder of G. W. Goebel, of Kentucky, has brought out some new evidence against Taylor. The witness Youtsey testified on the stand that Gov Taylor directed everything. "We regarded him as our leader," said Youtsey, "and he was morally responsible for all we did. We knew we had the governor and the pardoning power behind us, and we were not afraid of punishment for killing Goebel." Taylor has never been captured, but if he is brought to trial it will be hard to save his neck with all the testimony of his guilt heaped against him.

AN overwhelming public sentiment at Nacogdoches would like to suggest to the Legislature that in as much as large counties are being subdivided and named in honor of Texas heroes and patriots, that the name of Col. M. G. Whitaker of Nacogdoches be not forgotten and that the next new county to be named be named Whitaker County. Colonel Whitaker was one of the heroes of San Jacinto, and the hero on many a hard fought and sanguinary field. The original picture of Santa Anna before Houston the day after the battle of San Jacinto shows colonel Whitaker among the noble men who stood so near to General Houston during these trying times. We have the counties of Houston, Burnett, Gansales, Lamar, Henderson, Bowie, Travis, Crockett, Fannin, Rusk, Smith, Lubbock, Ross, Ector and many others commemorative of Texas heroes, and it has been suggested to continue the good work by naming the next county Whitaker.—Galveston News.

WE want a Whitaker county all right, but if all the Texas heroes are to have counties named in their honor, big as Texas is, the state will have to borrow counties outside her borders, to accommodate them all.

AN unknown writer in the Baltimore News remarked the other day "The subject is painful;—as the man said who bought a lot in Florida, and discovered that it was all quick sand,—we will not dwell upon it." What the subject was that the Baltimore writer found

so distressing, we have forgotten but the brilliant comparison sticks out from the gloom like a fire fly in a mud puddle. Is the jewel of wit original, or has it appeared before? We would like information on the subject. Since we stopped reading the Frank Meriwell series, that harbor to which all newspapers jokes finally drift; we, sometimes lose out as to the exact age of a witticism.

IS there any farmer in all the land who will admit that he can not make year after year one-tenth as much corn or cotton per acre as any man ever made? But over 200 bushels of corn and 2500 pounds of lint cotton per acre have been made, and the average is about 12 bushels of corn and 150 pounds of cotton. As many farmers make largely more than the average, a still greater number make less. No farmer can earn anything above subsistence by making less than the average of these crops.—Cherokee Banner.

"And a wise man layeth the matter to heart." The Cherokee Banner has some hard introvertable facts, and every farmer reading them can draw the conclusion that hits his case.

IT will not do in this country to plant fruit trees along the public highways, as is done with great success in many European countries. The great state farm of Hungary distributes 15,000 choice fruit trees without cost to townships and communities which will plant and care for them until bearing age. The characteristic American boy would never permit fruit, of any sort that can be eaten, reach the age of maturity, unless a full grown bulldog was kept chained to each tree.—Farm and Ranch.

HUMAN nature isn't any worse in the American boy than any other. He only needs restraint. If fruit bearing trees were as common in this country as they are in Hungary our boys would not be apt to disturb them any more than the Hungarian boys do. The trees and the fruit could be protected by a law making it a penalty to depredate upon them until the fruit is ripe, something similar to the game law that now exists in many states.

THERE is a good prospect that there will be no Confederate Reunion at New Orleans. A conflict has arisen over the question of negro bands. The committee of arrangements wanted twenty bands for the occasion, which could not be supplied in New Orleans without the use of several negro bands. The Confederate Veterans refuse to march behind negro bands and the Musicians' union says they must do it or be boycotted by all the labor unions in New Orleans. This means that carpenters and painters will cease to work on the big hall in which the veterans are to meet, the hack drivers will refuse to carry them, and many other branches of the laborers' union will refuse to serve them. The old ex-Confederates are indignant and will not yield, and in any event thousands of them will now refuse to go to New Orleans, even if the result is not finally the calling in of the reunion. Camp Raguet is red hot over the incident.

PICK AND PICK

You cannot keep a good town down; For it will rise or bust. Last month this town was in the hole. This month can raise the dust.

WE do not expect to meet the editor of Alkali Eye at Waxahachie. That's a prohibition town.

A correspondent of the Austin Statesman calls an automobile an orter-be-a-mule. It orter-be a plow too, if its to be any use in Texas at this season of the year.

Prof. Pickering, of the Harvard observatory, has discovered frost on the moon. We do hope it has not injured the tomato crop of the Lunarities, or they might be driven to drown their sorrows in moon shine whiskey.

Have you chosen your partner for the Horse Show?—Houston Post.

Yep, Alkali Eye.—Orange Tribune.

Oh my eye! We were just fixing to telegraph that gentleman. Too late, too late!

AND now comes more Oriental news saying that Yung Lu is dead. Wonder what killed her, and why her people ever let the child go into politics.—Austin Statesman.

SHE was probably a daughter of the Revolution who went in for womans' rights, which isn't popular among the Celestials.

AN exchange says: "Plant deep while sluggards sleep." We have known folks to plant things so deep they didn't come up.—Jacksonville Banner.

YOUR exchange must have intended to quote "Poor Richard," whose maxim was "Plow deep while the sluggards sleep."

WHAT has become of the old fashioned boy who was never without a stone bruise or stumped toe, and who exhibited them as badges of honor?—Hallettsville Herald.

HE grew up and moved to town and is now editing a newspaper. He is still "stumping his toe" and wearing bruises.

THE Greenville Herald contains a long article on the death of Jack, the printer dog. Jack seems to have been a character in Greenville, and the printers and reporters for the various papers in Greenville had "Jack" buried and went to see it done, not, as they said, in a sacreligious or maudline sentimental spirit, but,—well if you've never owned and cared for a dog, you can't understand.

ONE reads of easy methods of destroying the sharpshooter and they read all right; but when he sees his cotton patch teeming and roaring with the myriads his heart sinks and he loses faith in the doctors. It is much easier to say than to do.—Galveston News.

THE Galveston News has discovered an important scientific fact in regard to boll weevils,—they roar. Maybe we have been mistaken all this time, and what we took for dogs baying the moon, was the hungry sharpshooter roaring in search of prey.

THE biggest fish in the river is not always the best one to eat. Quality, not quantity, counts in this world.—Austin Statesman.

THE moral is all right, but the illustration is all wrong. The biggest fish in the river eats the most other fish and dont get eaten itself.

"A horse hates a drunken man," says an old statesman, but a dog seems to feel that a drunkard isn't responsible for himself and acts accordingly. A dog, no matter how fierce he is, will never bite a drunken man. He seems to know by instinct when a man is under the weather, and treats him as he would a child. A horse treats a drunken man with contempt—doesn't want to have anything to do with him.—Cherokee Chief.

THUS evidencing after all that the dog is man's best friend.—Austin Statesman.

AND speaking volumes for horse sense.

THAT "Chlorophyl of Spring" which Lewis sprung in The Post some time ago had nothing whatever to do with the backset which the early spring received. It was the ground hog that did the mischief.—Brownsville Herald.

THANKS. This puts the backset on the hog. And it certainly was.—Houston Post.

WE rise to defend the ground hog. It did not cause the backset, only predicted it. There was a prophethess named Cassandra once upon a time who only had the power to foretell evil. The foolish people killed her, which did not prevent the evil events from happening, but only left them helplessly without warning and preparation. Why are the Herald and Post abusing the ground hog for telling the truth and warning the tomato farmers?

THE INDIANOLA INCIDENT.

THE Negroes are the chief sufferers by closing of the Indianola Post-office.

THE reports of the inspectors and the information possessed by the officials of the postoffice department show that Indianola is still on the postal map. Mrs. Minnie E. Cox is still postmaster there, her resignation not having been accepted. She is still on the pay roll, although all of the mail that is addressed to Indianola is sent to Greenville under the order of President Roosevelt.

THE inspectors report that there is nothing to indicate that the citizens of Indianola have suffered any great inconvenience by the closing of their postoffice. The whites have hired a private carrier to bring their mail from Greenville, and are apparently satisfied with the arrangement. The negro residents of Indianola have made no arrangement for having their mail delivered and when one of them wants to know if there is a letter for him at Greenville he has a little walk of forty miles to inquire.

THE inspectors, report that thousands of letters, addressed to negroes, have accumulated in the Greenville office. The Greenville post master has been instructed to forward all of this unclaimed matter to the dead letter office.

MISS Rosa Sayers of Lufkin, returned home today on the noon train. She was the guest, while in the city, of Miss Fay Smith.

Bargains for the Spring Buyer.

The patterns we are showing are the best you will find anywhere. We have the colors that will stand wear and both sunshine and rain. They don't fade, don't crock, don't grow "slimsy." We are headquarters for the best.



SPECIAL.
175 pair Ladies' Slippers in Oxfords and Ties, all sizes, formerly sold for \$1.50 and \$2. Special Price
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Dress Goods.

100 pcs. Percale in 10 yard patterns just the thing for spring wear special price.... **5c.**
20 pcs. of Ruby Batiste 28-inch wide regular price 10 cents Special price..... **6c.**
50 pcs. Lawns in pretty summer shades, stripes and flower designs fast colors at..... **7c.**
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25 pcs. Fancy Zephyr Gingham, fast colors warranted regular price 12 1-2c. at..... **9c.**
20 pcs. Madras Skirting in book fold and fast colors, in bright colors, the kind you pay 15c for, our price.... **10c.**
30 pcs. Lawn in pink, blue, red and black, 30 inches wide and fast colors regular 25c quality our price.... **15c.**

The largest line of white goods ever shown in Lawns, Dimities and Organdies in plain, checked and striped. Prices range from 5 cents to 50 cents per yard.

We are showing a handsome line of fancy dress goods in all the latest weaves and colors and we sell these goods at extremely low prices. To appreciate their value you will have to see the goods. Give us a call.

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50 dozen fast black Hose regular price 10 cts.
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SPECIAL.
15 doz. Ladies' Waists in Percale and figured Lawns made up in all the latest styles, formerly sold for 50 and 75c. special sale **25c.**

Ready-to-wear Hats.

See our pretty line of Ready-to-wear hats, street and walking shapes. All new goods, all the latest styles and the very. Lowest Prices. Come in and try on some of those pretty hats. No trouble to show them.

How about your summer Corset? We will sell you a good one for 25c. A still better one for 50c. and an extraordinary fine one for 75c. We have all the leading brands in Corsets, such as W. B. F. C. and American Beauty.



If you are looking for the Best Goods at the Lowest prices call at

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Decoration Day.

The Stone Fort Chapter U. D. C. held a call meeting yesterday afternoon at the residence of the president, Mrs. G. H. Davidson, to arrange the program for memorial services to be held next Sunday April 26th, when the graves of the confederate dead are to be decorated.

The following committees were appointed to perfect arrangements:

Committee on band music, Mrs. A. Muller.

Committee on songs, Mesdames I. L. Sturdevant, Mc Daniels, E. M. Dotson, E. C. Branch and C. D. Stinson.

The town has been divided into four districts, and the ladies in charge of each district are requested to invite ten little girls to assist. The children are to be dressed in white with red sashes, and bring two bouquets already made. The ladies are, for the first district, Mrs. D. K. Cason and Mrs. W. F. Price. Second district, Mrs. W. I. M. Smith, Mrs. Geo. Matthews, Mrs. Vonder Smith, Mrs. E. B. Williams. Third district, Mrs. Milam Klease, Mrs. Dr. Mayfield and Miss Mary Hoya. Fourth district, Mrs. V. E. Middlebrook, Mrs. W. B. Pearson and Miss Ida Hillenkamp. All the members of the committees mentioned are requested to regard this notice as official and serve without further notice.

Mr. W. M. Imboden has been invited to fill the position of speaker for the day and has kindly accepted. Camp Raguet is hereby in-

vised most cordially to be present and participate in the exercises of the day.

The order of the program when fully decided on will be printed in the Sentinel.

Stone Fort Chapter,
U. D. C.

Just Think Of It.

Mrs. Kate Wolsey, of Covington, Ky., resigned from the Daughters of the Republic, of which she was a charter member, during the meeting at New Orleans, resigning because the government doesn't grant equal rights to men and women. Wonder if the advocates of woman's rights ever remember that the jury duty goes with voting? It's a circus to watch the average man dodge jury duty, but we'd hate to see ladies trying to.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

And just think of the man's wife being locked up in a room down town with eleven jurymen, while the husband is at home keeping house, making down beds and sleeping all alone!—Tyler Courier.

Mrs. Ed Gaston, of Nacogdoches, came up last Friday to visit her father, George Bowling and family. Miss Birdie Latimer returned with her Monday to spend a week in that city.—Garrison Signal.

Miss Rosie Sayers of Lufkin, arrived on the noon train to spend a few days with her friend Miss Fay Smith.

Miss Bettie Perkins returned Sunday morning from a protracted visit to relatives in Jacksonville and Austin.

At the Opera House.

From Saturday's Daily:

"The Musical Boquet" last night is the one subject discussed this morning. Every one did their part so well, and the whole plan of the entertainment was so bright, that every number was encouraged again and again. Mr. Robt. Lindsey as "Juniper" sang a solo that brought down the house. The girls in the urn as the curtain went up on the second act were too pretty for anything, and the house rang with applause at the charming picture. Miss Rachael Zeve as the grand mother, in an effection disguise sang an appropriate song. "The kissing bug" a duet by the "twins" Misses Mary Kulls and Jennie Bowers convulsed the audience. Miss Belle Zeve's recitation, "Curtew Shall not ring tonight," was warmly applauded, and the illustrated song, sung by Mr. Robt Lindsey to an accompaniment of violin and piano by Miss Karl Wilson and Mrs. Robt Lindsey, and illustrated by the members of the company, was beautiful and artistic. Misses Rose Jordan and Belle Zeve in the Balcony scene, were irresistible. Miss Rachael Zeve's original poem was one of the most appreciated features; and the duet by the "bashful girls," Misses Helen Mims and Clytie Harris was splen id. Miss Boger's monologue later, brought down a house that was already completely captured, and Miss Clytie Harris was persuaded to sing

Wagners latest, which proved to be "After the Ball." Charley Shindler as the messenger boy added greatly to the success of the performance, and Mrs. M. J. Dooley's solo with violin and piano accompaniment, was rendered with an artistic finish that delighted every one.

Every one knows that choruses and good orchestra music, are half of a play, and they both came in for high praise by every one. The house was crowded, and the audience so pleased that they begged for a repetition. So it was announced that a matinee will be given on Monday afternoon. The Musical Boquet was a complete enthusiastic, hilarious success from every standpoint.

Mrs. W. Heywood and little daughter, Marguerite, left on the noon train today on their way to Charleston S. C. where they will spend some time visiting both Mr. and Mrs. Heywood's parents.

J. T. Lucas returned yesterday from Sacul, where he has been on business the past week.

The meeting of the East Texas Presbytery at this place last week, was pronounced by experienced ministers who attended, one of the most beneficial and successful meetings ever held in Eastern Texas. The presbytery passed a vote of thanks to the citizens of Nacogdoches for their hospitality and courtesy, and the Press of the city for kindnesses extended.

On account of the National Assembly Cumberland Presbyterian church at Nashville Tenn. May 21st-29th the H. E. & W. T. will make a rate of \$22.80 for the round trip, tickets on sale May 18th, 19th and 20th, good to return June 4th.

On account of the Horse Show and Drivers Association at Houston April 20th-25th the H. E. & W. T. will make a rate of \$4.55 for the round trip, tickets on sale April 20th, 21st and 22nd good to return April 25th.

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THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

John Hardeman of Henderson, is in town today

M. M. Graham of Etoile is in the city on his usual business trip.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right. Don't delay taking. Perkins Bros.

Messrs. J. E. Jenkins, and Bird Gatlin, prominent farmers of Mt. Enterprise are trading in the city today.

Parents do not neglect your children's coughs, sore throats, colds etc., they often lead to fatal results. Try Simmons' Cough syrup. Pleasant, safe and sure. Guaranteed. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Miss Nina Day of Geneva, Ala., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. C. E. Butler of this city.

Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, and will not constipate like nearly all other cough medicines. Re-use substitutes. Perkins Bros.

Work is being pushed rapidly on the tobacco farm. Mr. Edler planted two acres yesterday, and by the end of the week will have five in.

Ne equal on earth has Hunt's Lightning Oil for Rheumatism and neuralgia, as well as sprains, cuts, burns, bruises and insect bites and stings. Guaranteed. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Mrs. M. A. Collins, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Lamar Blount, returned to her home in San Augustine the early part of the week.

You cannot afford to trifle with a cough. It may result in some serious if not fatal malady. Take time by the forelock and use Simmon's Cough Syrup. Guaranteed. Price 25 and 50 cents.

H. D. Power of Alto, is spending a day or two among his Nacogdoches folks. He is a son of Mr. H. D. Power, of North church community, and was a citizen of this county up to a few years ago.

Safe, swift and sure is the proper description of Cheatham's Laxative Tablets. Cure colds in a day. Can be carried in vest pockets. Easy to take. Guaranteed. Price 25 and 50 cents.

J. J. Trawick, of Traweck, for whom the little town was named, was in the city this morning and was a welcome visitor to the Sentinel office. Mr. Trawick brought down several bales of cotton for which he got 9 1/4 cents a pound. He says the bad roads is all that kept him from disposing of his entire crop for 8 cents or less, as he had sold 17 bales at that price and had only held back the remainder of his crop because of the bad roads. He has several more bales at home yet to bring to market.

Herbine Cures.

Fever, and Ague. A dose will usually stop a chill, a continuance always cures. Mrs. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, May 31, 1899, writes: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we have ever used, for la grippe, billious fever and malaria." 50c at Perkins Bros.

FRIDAY'S LOCALS.

W. H. Sitton of Appleby, is in the city trading.

J. M. Stalling of Melrose, is trading in the city today.

Mrs P. M. Sanders has returned from a short trip to Dallas.

Ed Johnson, of Beaumont, is in the city, the guest of Frank Robbins.

C. Blankinship, a prominent citizen of Attoyac, is in town today trading.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Russell and Miss Hope Russell of Nat, are shopping in Nacogdoches today.

Judge J. T. Polley of Center, is in the city on a business visit.

W. H. Sory, of Jacksonville, is in the city attending the East Texas Presbytery.

J. J. Doyal, of Wells, and his daughter, Miss Addie, are spending today in Nacogdoches.

Mrs. S. Mintz left yesterday for Shreveport with her son, Isaac, and her two little daughters to visit Mrs. D. H. Goldberg.

My friend, are you suffering from any painful and annoying skin disease, such as Ringworm, tetter, eczema or anything similar? If so, just try one box of Hunt's Cure. It never fails. Guaranteed. Price 50 cents.

The grand jury adjourned yesterday to meet Thursday, April 23. This was necessary in order for the attorneys to catch up with clerical work of the jury.

Miss Hattie Walker returned home last night from Lufkin, where she has been the guest of Miss Paralee Noblett, for the past week.

Rev. Mr. Ward, and Mr. W. J. Crow, of Henderson, are delegates to the East Texas Presbytery and are stopping with Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mayfield.

Mrs. Ray of Meridian, Miss., arrived in the city this morning on a visit to her sister, Miss Marshall.

Rev. C. W. Chambers and wife of Kiam Texas, are visiting the family of Mr. C. S. Southern. Mr. Chambers is attending the Presbytery.

E. M. Roberts left for Houston last night to bring Mrs. Roberts home. Mrs. Roberts has been in Houston for the benefit of her eyes, and her friends regret to hear that the treatment has not benefited them, and that her condition is much worse than when she went away.

Yesterday afternoon the sad news reached here of the death of little Ruth Watkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Watkins, of Jacksonville, age two years. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins have many friends and relatives here that extend a hand of tender sympathy.

The little crib is empty now, The little clothes laid by; A mother's hope, a father's joy, In Death's cold arm doth lie. Go, little Ruth, to thy home On yonder blissful shore; We miss thee here, but soon will come Where thou hast gone before. A FRIEND.

Notes of the Wreck.

The other man injured in the wreck on the Frost road on Tuesday afternoon is Mr. Heywood, a prominent real estate man, of Iowa, who had been in Texas some months. His arm was broken, and he was badly bruised up. The brakeman was entirely unhurt. Mr. Meisenheimer says that when the cars dumped, the engine went on and had run a mile or two before it was discovered that the cars were wrecked and left. Then it ran back and carried the wounded men to Lufkin, where they were shown every care and attention. Mr. Heywood went on at once to his home in the north. Mr. Meisenheimer is hardly able to speak this morning from the hurt to his throat, and in addition to other injuries one of his ribs are broken, close to the collar bone. He escaped death by almost a miracle.

Due Notice Is Served.

Due notice is hereby served on the public generally that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the only salve on the market that is made from the pure unadulterated witch hazel. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has cured thousands of cases of piles that would not yield to any other treatment, and the fact has brought out many worthless counterfeits. Those persons who get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are never disappointed, because it cures. Perkins Bros.

Died.

Mr. Wright Christopher, at his home near Nacogdoches Thursday night, April 16th, 1903. Mr. Christopher was an old resident of Nacogdoches county, a brother-in-law of Mrs. John P. Davison, of this place, and Mr. Polk Sutphen, of Abilene. He is widely connected, and belongs to one of the sterling and representative families of this section. He leaves a wife and family of grown children to mourn the loss of a good husband and father. To them in their grief, the sympathy of the entire community is extended. The funeral took place this afternoon at North Church, Rev. S. F. Baucom conducting the services.

For liver troubles and constipation There's nothing better in creation Than Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. They always effect a cure, and save doctor bills. Little Early Risers are different from all other Pills. They do not weaken the system but act as a tonic to the tissues by arousing the secretions and restoring the liver to its full performance of all its functions naturally. Perkins Bros.

Died at Forest.

Mr. W. S. Durham, postmaster and prominent business man of Forest, Cherokee county, Texas, died at his home on the 12th, inst., of pneumonia.

He leaves a wife and three children, also father, mother and a host of other relatives. He was a good citizen and an ardent member of the Baptist church, and was liked by all who knew him.

If your back hurts you, your kidneys are out of order. Don't neglect them. Bak Ake Specific is guaranteed to cure you. Sold by Stripling Hazelwood & Co.

FROM EDEN COMMUNITY.

Good Health Prevails--Fruit All Killed--Bad Roads.

Eden, April 17--The people of this community are enjoying good health generally and are quite busy with their crops. All are done planting corn and are now planting cotton.

We will have no fruit this year. No peaches, no pears nor plums and but few apples in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Leonard, who was so unfortunate as to have her leg amputated is getting along all right and is almost well.

Please inform me whether there has been any law passed forbidding the public roads being worked. It has been over five months since I have known of any work being done on any public road--at the very time when they needed work most. If men have to work on the roads five days during the year why not do some of the work while the roads need it? They will soon be dry and need but little work, and yet the hands will have to be called out to work the five days. A very few hands to work one day on the bad places now would make the roads passable.

There is one place on the road from here to Nacogdoches, this side of Moral creek at the foot of the hill, that is a reflection upon the overseer and the commissioner of the beat. Six hands with a wagon and teams could make it a good road in less than a day. It will have to be causewayed with polls twenty feet long, placed close together and two layers thick to break the joints. Then people will not have to throw down Mrs. Junge's fence and drive through her field.

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There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure. Similar cure of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Stripling & Hazelwood & Co. Trial bottles free



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us tell you some-
thing about the
care of
eyes.

Mr. Shindler has been fitting eyes scientifically for several years and is not only a graduate but having all the latest instruments, his experience is large and his patrons have the benefit of it without extra charge.

It is extremely sad that so many overlook the fact that the eye is the most sensitive and delicate of all the organs. The nerves that govern the sight and the muscles of the eye are intimately connected with the stomach, and of course with all parts of the head. While head ache and neuritis are frequently the result of other causes than eye strain, it is well known by the medical profession that stultious persons or those whose occupation requires constant and severe strain upon the eye are much more subject to headaches, dizziness and other like ills than others whose occupation does not demand constant use of the eyes for close work.

Book-keepers, seamstresses, school children, students of all kinds, artists, draughtsmen, especially if doing their work in a changing or insufficient light, almost invariably suffer more or less with headaches, vertigo or other troubles resulting from constant over-use of this wonderful organ, and in a very large percentage the strain can be alleviated, and in many cases entirely relieved by glasses properly fitted and adjusted.

The writer when a young man once had a sick horse—a druggist was handy, and friends and neighbors around, with help and advice. One suggested a remedy for colic, which was given, but he got sicker, another called it botulism and he was drenched with another sure cure, and so on from drench to drench and the poor animal was dosed, and with the best intentions, tormented until he died, when probably if he had been left alone he would have recovered, and no doubt an experienced veterinary surgeon would have soon brought him around, sound and well.

In the same way many persons go into a store and buy a pair of spectacles, trying one pair after another until they find a pair that can see through. Some people with one eye, sometimes with both, and if the frames accidentally happen to be the proper width, both eyes alike, the glasses properly focused, the purchaser goes off and recommends Jones & Co.'s spectacles as being the real thing.

Other purchasers, however, find something wrong with the spectacles bought of Jones & Company, and as their eyes have been irritated by misfit glasses, they either return them or go away dissatisfied.

Now, what is an optician? He is not a doctor, but a person who has made a careful study of the refraction of the rays of light with the purpose of correcting errors of refraction in the eyes of those calling upon him. If he is intelligent, experienced, patient and honest, and has all necessary instruments for accurately measuring errors of refraction, or to say, detecting the strain on the eyes, it is well to call on him, as he makes no charge for examination, and if glasses are not needed, he will take pleasure in saying so to you. In fact, he would be the last man to recommend glasses, except where benefit would accrue to the wearer.

The writer finds his eyes benefited by the constant wear of glasses, yet he assures all that if he could get along reasonably without them, he would not go in forty yards of a pair of "specs," except to benefit someone who really needed them, for a "consideration" of other-wise.

All intelligent physicians, oculists and opticians agree that no person reaches the age of fifty years without having needed artificial aid for perfect vision either near and at a distance. One who has done without spectacles and can read fine print without them at the age of fifty or more, was short-sighted in youth, and still remains so for distant objects. In our southern country this error of refraction is rare, and in many cases of this kind a diseased condition of the eye exists, though not in all.

The most common error of refraction is Hyperopia, mis-called farsightedness. Many, like the writer, reach manhood and early middle age without discovering the trouble, but on the headaches, dizziness and other worries that might have been avoided by going to a competent optician if such had been known thirty years ago.

Persons suffering from this trouble frequently do without glasses until the age of forty, and if the error is slight, perhaps forty-five, but if their occupation demands anything like constant use of the eyes at the near point, suffering ensues in proportion to the error, and the constitution of the sufferer.

Astigmatism is an error of refraction much more common than Myopia or nearsightedness, but far more uncommon than Hyperopia, though often combined with it, and stultious persons, or those compelled by their occupation to constantly use the eyes for near work, and are afflicted with either or both of these errors, suffer more or less intensely according to their temperament or the amount of error of refraction.

Strabismus, or crossed eyes, is usually the result of an error of refraction, which ordinarily if taken in time, can be permanently cured by properly fitted glasses.

A competent optician can correct with spectacles all of the above troubles, which are not diseases, and if expert in his profession can also detect diseases of the eye, in which case he invariably advises the patron to go to the nearest competent physician or oculist.

The object of this writing is to explain that the optician while in no wise setting himself up as a Doctor of eyes, or one who can operate on, or treat with medicine, diseases of the eye, or eyelids, yet by his knowledge of refraction, or diverting the rays of light by properly fitted glasses can in many cases relieve troubles of the eye that no physician or oculist could help unless himself expert as a refractician.

Mr. Shindler has just received a new Geneva Ophthalmoscope, which enables physicians to examine the eye for disease, without the use of a dark room, and is an immense improvement over the old-fashioned instrument. The profession are cordially invited to examine and use it at any and all times.

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THE HIDELOOK ROAD LAW

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the general road law for the state of Texas, including Chapter 6, Acts of 1895, Revised statutes of Texas, shall govern for Nacogdoches county, except as otherwise provided in this Act.

Section 2. The commissioners court of Nacogdoches county shall, at its regular November term in each year, apportion the various hands subject to road duty to the various road precincts of said county. The said court at said term shall appoint one competent road overseer for each road precinct, which overseer may be appointed from among the hands subject to road duty in said road precincts, or if they see fit for the more efficient working of the public roads of said county, may appoint an overseer for any road precinct in the county from any other road precinct or portion of said county; it being the intent of this Act to place the roads in the hands and under the supervision of practical road constructors.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the commissioners of each commissioners' precinct to annually review the roads of his said commissioners' precinct, and for his services in so doing shall receive the sum of three dollars per day for not more than ten days in each year, and shall make an official report to the November term of the commissioners court of said county, stating the condition of the roads in their respective commissioners' precinct.

Sec. 4. Private donations are hereby solicited to be expended upon the public roads of said county, and when a private donation is made for any road precinct in said county, the commissioners court shall immediately set aside from the treasury of said county, out of the road and bridge fund, an equal amount to the amount donated by such private subscription, and the same, together with the private donation, shall be expended upon the road precincts designated by the donor or donors of such fund.

Sec. 5. Citizens desiring to donate funds to be expended upon the public roads of said county shall deposit the same with the county treasurer of said county, and take his receipt therefor. Said receipt shall be written in duplicate, one copy of which shall be deposited with the county clerk of said county. The receipt shall show the name of the donor, and shall specify, by number and location, the road precinct upon which such fund is to be expended.

Sec. 6. Labor performed, teams and tools furnished, and timbers and materials furnished for the making of public roads, are hereby declared private donations, as the term donation is used in Section 5 of this Act, and shall be taken into consideration by the commissioners court of said county, as specified in Section 4 of this Act; provided, that a team and hand shall be rated at not more than three dollars per day of not less than eight hours' actual work, and not more than two dollars per day for team without hand, the term team shall be understood to include wagon, scraper or plow, and shall mean a double team; provided, that a single plow team, plow and hand may be rated at not more than one dollar and fifty cents per day; and provided, further, that the commissioners court or the road superintendent, if the office of road superintendent is created by said commissioners court for said county, shall value all materials such as lumber, timbers, etc., used in the construction of public roads, and when so valued the said commissioners court shall make an appropriation, out of the road and bridge fund, as provided in Section 4 of this Act.

Sec. 7. For the encouragement of the protection of the public roads of said county, one-fourth of the road and bridge tax collected from each citizen of said county shall be remitted to him upon his affidavit stating that all of his wagons have tires not less than three

inches and one-half wide, and the collector of taxes for said county shall keep a strict account of all such remissions of said one-fourth of the road and bridge tax as are remitted.

Sec. 8. All male persons between the ages of 21 years and 45 years of age shall be subject to road duty in said county, and they shall work upon the road designated by the commissioners court of said county; provided, that such persons as are exempt under the general statutes of the State of Texas are also exempt by this Act.

Sec. 9. Each person subject to road duty in Nacogdoches county may be required to work upon the public roads of said county, either by the overseer, the road superintendent, if the office of road superintendent be created by the commissioners of said county, or by the commissioner of the road precinct to which such person is assigned by the commissioners court to work upon the public roads of said county not more than eight days in each year; provided, that any person in said county subject to road duty may free himself from such duty by paying to the county treasurer of said county at any time after the adjournment of the regular November term of the commissioners court of said county, and before he is warned out to work upon the public road, the sum of four dollars, for which he shall take the treasurer's receipt, which receipt shall show the road precinct to which said hand was apportioned, and unless otherwise ordered by the said commissioners court, all funds accruing from this source shall be expended upon the road precinct to which such hand was assigned. Hands may likewise free themselves from road duty by paying four dollars and forty cents to the overseer, or four dollars to the commissioner of the precinct in which he is subject to road duty, as specified above, except that in such instance, the hand shall take the commissioner's or the road overseer's receipt, as the case may be, who in return shall take from the treasurer of the county, upon deposit of the same, the receipt as specified above.

Sec. 10. Each road hand shall work upon the road precinct to which the commissioners court assigns him, and in case of being assigned to two roads through mistake of commissioners court, it shall be his duty to report to the commissioner of his precinct that he has been assigned upon two road commissions, and it shall then be the duty of the commissioner in whose precinct such hand resides to strike him from one list, and let him remain upon the other list of hands, as in his judgment he sees fit. It is the intent of this Act to give the commissioners court of said county authority to apportion hands subject to road duty to the road precincts to which the commissioners see fit, whether the hand lives upon the road to which he is apportioned or upon some other road; provided, that extraordinary burdens in the matter of distance shall not be placed upon hands subject to road duty, and the penalties provided in the general laws of the State of Texas for failing to work upon the public roads shall apply to this Act.

Sec. 11. Immediately upon the going into effect of this Act, the commissioners court of Nacogdoches county shall divide the roads of said county into specific road precincts, designating them by number and location, and shall cause the overseers or the road superintendent, if the office of road superintendent be created by said court, to place a post with index board specifying the number of each road precinct as set forth by said commissioners court, and the county clerk shall carefully record in the road minutes of said county the number and boundaries and locations of the several road precincts of said county, and shall specify in said minutes the class of each road in which such precincts lie.

Sec. 12. The commissioners court of Nacogdoches county shall not divert from the road and bridge fund any money to any other fund. They shall not transfer any funds from the road and bridge fund. The road and bridge fund, including all amounts paid into the treasury under Section 9 of this Act, as well as the taxes collected under the general law for road and bridge purposes, shall be spent exclusively

and in full upon the roads and bridges of said county.

Sec. 13. This law shall be cumulative of all other general laws on a subject of roads and bridges not in conflict herewith, and where not otherwise provided herein, such general laws shall apply, but in case of conflict with other general laws, the provisions of this Act shall govern.

Sec. 14. The fact that there is now no sufficient road law for Nacogdoches county, and the further fact of the near approach of the close of this session of the Legislature, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

ORDER OF COMMISSIONERS COURT

Forbidding the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in Justice Precinct No. 7, Nacogdoches County.

Whereas, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1903, an election was held in justice precinct No. 7, Nacogdoches county, Texas, to determine whether or not the sale of intoxicating liquors should be prohibited in said justice precinct No. 7, and whereas on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1903, the commissioners court in special session, all members being present, opened the polls and counted the votes of said election, and said court passed the following order, to-wit: "March 28, 1903. The court having this day met in special session, and having counted the votes in a local option election that was held in justice precinct No. 7, Nacogdoches county, on the 14th day of March, 1903, and having ascertained that 134 votes were cast in favor of prohibition and 73 votes were cast against prohibition; it is therefore ordered by the court, and so declared, that prohibition has carried in said justice precinct No. 7, and the sale of intoxicating liquors in said justice precinct No. 7 is hereby prohibited, except for the purpose and under the regulations specified in the law, until such time as the qualified voters therein may at a legal election, held for that purpose, by a majority vote decide otherwise."

Therefore, I, Robert Berger, county judge of Nacogdoches county, Texas, have caused the foregoing order of said commissioners court to be published in the Nacogdoches Sentinel, a newspaper published in Nacogdoches county, for four successive weeks, the first publication being on the 1st day of April, 1903, and after the publication of the foregoing order for four successive weeks as aforesaid, the sale of intoxicating liquors in said justice precinct, shall thereafter be prohibited, except for the purposes and under the regulations specified by law.

Given under my hand this 30th day of March, 1903.
ROBERT BERGER,
County Judge of Nacogdoches county, Texas.

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M. M. Austin of Winchester Ind. knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured Only 25c. at Stripling Haselwood & Co.

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District Court.
District Court is as good as adjourned, so far as the business of the court is concerned, but the grand jury isn't ready to blow off yet. Judge Davis did all in his power to urge them to the final adjourning point last night, but they would not. They have a big lot of work on hand yet unfinished and they will not quit until their work is complete. They are now waiting on the clerical work; that is for the attorney for the State to draw up the bills yet to be reported.

The grand jury took a recess last night until next Thursday, which will hold the court in session another week.

So far 127 bills of indictment have been returned, 65 of them being misdemeanors that will be transferred to the county court, 14 of them misdemeanors' over which the district court has jurisdiction, and 48 felony cases.

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Obituary.
Margret Willingham, was born in the state of Georgia, June 7th 1829. She moved to Texas with her father in 1849 and was married to J. W. Power Dec. 30th 1859. And departed this life April 6th 1903.

Mrs. Power had borne four children all of whom survive her. Mrs. Martha Falkner, Mrs. Belle Hodges, Mrs. Dorra Patterson and Mrs. Kate Samuels. Mrs. Power was in life and character a most singularly pious, upright christian woman. She adhered to the faith of the Primitive Baptist, although she had not formally attached herself to the church. When questioned as to her faith she without hesitation avowed her faith in Jesus Christ and her spotless reputation and upright walk spoke in eloquent terms of her true christian character. She was kind, gentle, industrious and a keeper at home, who was faithful in her duties as a mother and wife, as a friend and a neighbor. She leaves her stricken husband and bereaved children together with a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn her loss.

Her earthly remains were buried in the cemetery at Old North church, where a funeral sermon was preached by Rev. A. J. Holt, in the presence of an immense concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, from which none ever wakes to weep."

A Friend.

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R. W. HALTOM, MANAGING EDITOR.

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MONDAY'S LOCALS.

Miss Lela Fall, of Chireno, is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Roberts.

Leonard Teutsch left for Chireno this morning to visit his home folks.

T. K. Rayner of Decoy, was in the city today and was a friendly caller at this office.

Mrs. John Teutsch, of Chireno, is in the city visiting the family of her brother E. M. Roberts.

John Vardeman from the northern section of the county, was in the city today on a trading trip.

Dr. J. R. Cox of Swift, was in the city today. He was a witness at county court but was discharged until next term.

Dr. Campbell returned yesterday from Tyler, where he was called to see his daughter, Miss Fannie. He reports her as out of danger and rapidly recovering.

W. H. Sory of Jacksonville, who spent several days in the city attending East Texas Presbytery returned home this morning. He was the guest of his cousin, R. W. Haltom, while in the city.

Mr. Wise Rogers of Center passed through the city today on his way to visit his brother Dr. Rogers of Etoile, who is suffering with inflammatory rheumatism.

R. H. Yarbrough has been appointed meat inspector under the city ordinance requiring all the beef cattle to be inspected before being slaughtered for the city markets.

Mr. J. R. Richardson, of Melrose, was in the city today. Mr. Richardson says the farmers on the sandy and gray lands are not particularly needing rain yet, but the red land farmers are almost stopped from their work for want of rain. The crops are not suffering but the ground is getting so hard the farmers cannot plow.

C. W. Butt and wife left on this afternoon train for Albany, Texas, where they go to spend a few days with their friends. During their absence Mr. Butt will attend the session of the Grand Lodge K. of P. at Ft. Worth, he being a member of the credentials committee of that body. They will also spend a few days with Dallas friends before returning home.

Messrs. Gallaher, Miller and Kellog, all officials of the H. E. & W. T. Ry., were in the city several hours today. They came up in a private car and were driven over the city by a committee of citizens. They also visited the water-works pond, in which the H. E. & W. T. has a water privilege, and inspected the work now being done on the dam, the railroad company being responsible for one-half the expense of rebuilding the dam.

Mrs. C. W. Chambers, of Kiam, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Scuthern, left this morning for Terrell and Abilene to visit friends and relatives in that section. Mr. Chambers and son, Hickman, returned to their home in Kiam.

TUESDAY'S LOCALS

W. M. Imboden went to Houston last night.

Nails 3 cents per pound at Jno. W. Davis'.

J. J. Trawick of Trawick, is in the city today.

Jno. W. Davis will sell Scovall No. 1 weeding hoe for 25 cents.

I. N. Buckner, of Chireno, was in the city today on a business trip.

Double stocks for \$1.95, and side harrows for \$2.50. Jno. W. Davis.

S. A. Willis, a prominent farmer of Mahl, is in town today.

Improved pony Avery turning plow for \$4.00. Jno. W. Davis.

Robt. Lindsey left yesterday for San Augustine, where he will spend a few days.

The Southern Baptist convention will meet this year at Savannah Ga., in May, from the 7th to the 14th of the month.

It is reported that the sanctificationists are going to stretch a tent on the public square and hold a protracted meeting soon.

About 4 doz. ladies shirt-waists meaning, every colored waist in the house, for sale at 50 cents for choice of the lot. Jno. W. Davis.

Kelly points 10 cents at Jno. W. Davis'.

Frank Tucker of San Augustine, is in town today shaking hands with his friends.

Frank James of Tyler, representing the Cormelly Hardware Co. of that place, is in town today on business.

Mrs. John Teutsch, and Miss Fall, returned to their home in Chireno today. Mr. E. M. Roberts accompanied them.

Misses Addie Weaver, Inez Muckleroy and Maude White, of Fairview neighborhood, were pleasant callers at The Sentinel office today.

After The Fire Was Over.

After the fire on Monday night was over, an unconscious form was borne carefully out from Tucker Zeve & Co.'s store, placed on a counter in the street, while men with sympathetic, anxious faces fanned it with their hats. A man who was just coming to town and had heard nothing of the fire, halted in horrified surprise at the scene which met his eye—the smoking fire-wrecked ruin in the back ground and the concerned group of workers around the unconscious form. He was told in answer to eager questions that the sufferer had been injured by the falling walls, and grave fears were entertained that he would never come too. Filled with pitying sympathy the latest comer took the place of one of the other men, who wanted to go to breakfast, and fanned the motionless figure, some say an hour and a half, before he discovered he was fanning—Tucker—Zeve & Co.'s dummy. We draw a veil over the subsequent proceedings.

FREE DURING APRIL

Dr. Sturgis, in order to be fair and impartial to all, and for the benefit of many who have not availed themselves of his liberal offer, has decided to extend the period of free treatment during the month of April.



He continues to make this offer for the same reason that he has been making it for the past three weeks—in order to become rapidly acquainted with all sufferers with chronic diseases and to convince all such that he can cure the most stubborn and complicated cases. He does not ask the people to take him in faith. He wishes to prove to them to their own satisfaction that they have at last secured the services of a true specialist. So well known has this become that even now the good he is doing has spread among the people and many visit his office without regard to this offer, but seek his aid because they will receive what they require in the way of a cure, as many have already been benefitted or cured by his superior treatment.

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Dr. Sturgis wishes to emphasize the fact that he is in no sense a traveling doctor, but is permanently located in Nacogdoches.

SAN JACINTO DAY.

From Tuesday's Daily:

"Remember the Alamo." Remember Goliad!—It was only sixty-seven years ago that the battle field of San Jacinto rang with this thrilling battle cry. How well they remembered, let Texas of today bear evidence. Men are yet alive who were young men then, who have, engraved on their memory the awful horrors of Alamo and Goliad, who fought frenzied, with the fateful slogan of war striking terror to the Mexican traitors, and who tell the story today, with their grand children and great grand children clustered at their knee. They are passing rapidly away, these heroes of San Jacinto; few, few are left, and they bent with the burden of years, but as long as Texas exists or a Texan breaths, the Alamo, and Goliad, will be remembered, and San Jacinto day celebrated, and kept as a sacred holiday. God was with the avengers on that memorable day. Only eight killed and seventeen wounded being the total loss to the Texan Army; while the Mexican forces were cut to pieces, the martyrs of the Alamo avenged, and the declaration of Independence, drawn up hardly more than a month before, an accomplished fact. From that bloody battle field rose the star of freedom for Texas. May that star shine forever with its glory undimmed! The changes in the Lone Star State since those dark and war troubled days, seem incredible. To look over this smiling land of peace and plenty and reflect that within the memory of man, Mexican and Indian and white man swept in the storm of battle from El Paso to Nacogdoches, that there was danger and peril in every foot of Texas soil, when to relax

vigilance for an instant meant death, and when a man fought for his life every hour of his life; seems beyond the bounds of reason. We in this fair land today acknowledge the debt we owe to the brave men who fell at the Alamo and fought at San Jacinto. We too "Remember the Alamo," and hold as the proudest anniversary of Texas history the twenty-first of April—San Jacinto day.

The "New Farmers Wagon Bolster Spring" is the best Bolster Spring ever used on a two horse wagon, it is cheap and handy and every one raising fruit and vegetables should have a set.

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The railroads serving East Texas have done their part toward helping along the development of that section as a fruit and vegetable producer. Let them now round out the good work by giving the iron industry a boost, for it lacks but the exploiting of the Cherokee and neighboring county iron deposits to fill the measure of prosperity of the red lands.—Houston Post.

To Truck Growers.

Come and examine our "New Farmers Wagon Bolster Spring," every farmer hauling fruit and vegetables should have a set.

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Mrs. Jessie Millard returned last night from Jacksonville, where she was called by the illness and death of her brother's little child.

The picnic crowd on Saturday report a fine time but very few fish. They were too busy having a good time to fish much.

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