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Pure, Fresh Drugs and Chemicals.

The main point which we are very particular. A great many inferior drugs and chemicals are on the market now and constantly being offered to druggists throughout the country, and a great many druggists are buying them because they are cheap. But we will not buy them. They are cheaper, of course, but we know they are not as good as the genuine, pure drugs, and therefore we will not have them in our store.

We have built up our trade by handling only the best articles. On that account doctors are glad to have their prescriptions brought to us and we are not going to abuse their confidence at this late day.

Bring your prescriptions and recipes to us and you will get the best to be had every time, sure.

PERKINS BROS.,

Druggists, Jewelers and Stationers.

Saved From Terrible Death.

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bargeton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physician and every remedy used failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed. Bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Stripling Hazelwood's & Co.

Hon. V. E. Middlebrook, of Nacogdoches, is in the city today on business. The Judge says that he will not practice politics anymore—that one term in the legislature satisfied him. He made a splendid representative and it is to be regretted that he will not serve again, because good representatives are scarce.—Center Daily News,

A Very Close Call.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters, and after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by Stripling Hazelwood & Co. Price 50 cents.

Mr. J. T. Chamberlain brought some magnificent specimens of Elberta peaches to the Sentinel office this morning. One of them weighed $\frac{3}{4}$ of a pound and it was not one of the largest either.

We Can't Tell a Lie.

When we say there is no shaking of bottles, no licking of spoons, no wry faces when Cheatham's Laxative Chill tablet are used. 25cts. No cure—no pay.

OUR CUSHING CALENDAR

Current News, Notes and Personal Improvements.

Cushing, July 9th, 1903.—The meeting conducted by Revs. Puthuff and Bond, of Jacksonville, continues. The interest manifested is good, and the citizens of Cushing are working to their religious affairs.

A Baptist church will be erected here in the near future, with other denominations to follow.

Hon. S. W. Blount and Mr. John N. Gilbert, of Nacogdoches, were here several days this week.

Work has begun on the store house of Mr. Irvin, of a successful business man and we welcome him to our town.

Miss Zula Orton, of Nacogdoches, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Davis this week.

Mr. Al Jones, of Mahl, is here and informed your correspondent he is preparing to erect a first class business house on his lot.

Work has begun on the residence of Mr. Jno. Banks.

The contract has been let for the residence of Mr. A. B. Marundale. Mr. Martindale has purchased an interest in the mill plant of the Texas Lumber Co. and will make Cushing his home. We are glad to have Mr. Martindale as a citizen.

Messrs. Dan Lang and Conrad Rusche, of Nacogdoches, are here working on the depot. We will be fully equipped in the way of railroad accommodations soon.

Mr. Tom Summers, of Nacogdoches, paid our town a flying visit Wednesday.

On account of the scarcity of building material the first houses of Cushing were roughly built, but these houses will be finished in an up to date manner this summer, and instead of "shacks" and "shanties" we will have a town equal to any for its age and advantages.

Mr. Oscar McMillian has opened a family grocery store. Quite a number of traveling men are visiting Cushing in the interest of their respective firms.

Mr. Guy Bains has opened an up-to-date family grocery store.

We are informed one of the leading business firms of Glentawn has purchased business and residence property here with a view of moving their business to Cushing this fall or early next year.

Cushing has a first class meat market and an up-to-date restaurant.

Mr. C. S. Suthera, of Nacogdoches, was in town last week.

We are having good rains and as a consequence we expect a bountiful corn crop.

THE SNAKE EDITOR

Swaps Fish Yarns With the Sporting Editor.

The snake editor entered the office last night, as all were working over time. He was bustling with virtuous indignation. "The sporting editor was fishing last Sunday," he announced, "and he said he was going to a protracted meeting."

"Sunday!" exclaimed the chief.

"Oh I was over in Panola county" answered the sporting editor airily, and you know there isn't any Sunday over there. Went with a man from Center and he could certainly tell tall fish fish stories. He told of a fish he caught that weighed 900 pounds. He said they had fixed an immense hook—

"Muss have been an anchor," put in the snake editor.

"To a half inch rope, and baited it with"—

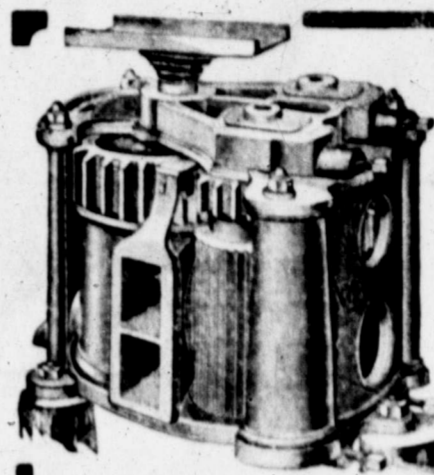
"A yearling?" asked the snake editor.

"Shut up. Who's telling this yarn," snapped the returned fisherman. "They had it baited with a large fish. Immediately the line was seized, run away with, and the united efforts of the entire party of 16 were powerless to draw in the rope. They were in despair, when they noticed that the railroad track ran close to the water edge. They beckoned the engineer of a locomotive standing on the track, and he backed his engine up, they fastened the rope to the smoke stack, and as the laboring engine, puffing as though going up the Fizzie Hill with a train of freight cars behind it, steamed away from the bank, up came a 900 pound tarpon and lay gasping on the beach."

"I'm just off a fishing trip myself," remarked the snake editor, breaking the deadly pause, "but as I propose to tell the truth, my story will sound tame."

"Tell it anyhow; it will be a relief," commanded the chief.

"One of our party," said the snake editor, "was one of these musical men, never happy unless they are playing something, and he had left his fiddle at home. He would have been all right if he could either sing or whistle, but he had caught a cold which was a hoarse on him, and as for whistling; in cutting down a bee tree he tried to stop a bee with his mouth, so he was left; but he went to fishing as hard as he could, and when he had caught enough fish, rigged up a bass-drum, fixed a perch for his music, and went to practising scales. Some of the other boys wanted a little game, so they fished till they had seven up, and I wanted



Cane Mills

and
Evaporators.

When in the market for a CANE MILL remember the

"VICTOR."

The "Victor" is beyond question the heaviest, strongest, most durable and lightest running cane mill in the market, and you get more juice out of your cane by using a Victor than with any other mill.

Galvanized Iron and Copper Pan Evaporators. A large stock and low prices.

For anything in the Hardware, Stove or Furniture line, or Buggies, Wagons and Farm Implements, call on

Cason, Richardson & Co

The best stock of mill supplies and machinery in East Texas.

to read so I catch an eel."

"An eel?" echoed the puzzled chorus.

"Yes, cochineal is red, you know."

Did you have any fish for dinner, using them up that way?" asked the chief.

"No," truthfully answered the snake editor. "We had a thousand pounder hooked, but the lyn gave way. And with a triumphant glance at the thoroughly subdued sporting editor he disappeared into the night."

A quiet wedding took place in Henderson yesterday morning, on North street, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, the contracting parties being Mr. Sam Stripling, of Nacogdoches, and Miss Lizzie Wright, of this city. Rev. W. P. Pledger officiating. Mr. Stripling is a member of the firm of Stripling, Hazelwood & Co., druggists, jewelers and newsdealers, of Nacogdoches, and bears the reputation of being a most exemplary young man. There is no worthier or more popular young woman in Henderson than Miss Lizzie. Together with a good education she has a gentle and loving disposition, which have drawn to her circle of friends and admirers. Ever since she was a school girl she has been a favorite in Henderson, and in each community where she has taught school her genial manners, dignified deportment and queenly character won the whole neighborhood. The Times extends the most cordial congratulations to these young people, and supplements the wishes of their friends for a long, happy and useful life.—Henderson Times.

Arthur Seale returned from Melrose this morning.

Pine Tops and Things.

From Saturday's Daily.

About three score of the friends of Morg Weeks, including the corps of carpenters, masons, tinners and other mechanics under the supervision of contractor W. H. Kulls, met at the new and magnificent building now going up on Logansport street, which when completed is to be the home of Mr. Weeks and family. The occasion of this meeting was the appearance of a pine top upon the summit of the immense frame, the meaning of which is well known to people who build houses in Nacogdoches. Morg did not hesitate to "come across" when he spied the pine top, and at the hour of 5 yesterday afternoon, by previous arrangement with Tom Smith, such a feast of eatables and drinkables came off as is not often enjoyed by "his carpenters." The "blow out" was enjoyed beyond measure, and the crowd lingered after the feast to express their genuine appreciation of the hospitality and to congratulate Mr. Weeks upon his prosperity and his good judgment in selecting a location for his new home and his superior taste in its design.

A Mammoth Radish.

Mr. A. T. Murphey, who lives two miles out on North street, had a mammoth radish on display today that was grown in his garden. The radish measured 20 1/4 inches in circumference and 24 inches in length. It grew about half its length above the ground, the upper part being dotty. If it had been sold it would no doubt have weighed twenty pounds.

Oscar Crain is in Center, this week attending court as official court reporter.

FLOUR

34 barrels in wood.

50 barrels in 48lb sacks.

All received last week. We are determined to sell at once as we have two more cars on the road.

Our supply of Oats, Shorts, Bran and Meal is complete.

SALT--Our Leader, 100 pound sack fine salt, 50c.

Remember we guarantee everything as represented. See us before buying.

Baucom & Son.

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R. W. HALTOM, EDITOR

TOBACCO DOCHES!

BROWN, the cotton bull, seems to have builded on a volcano.

EVANSVILLE Ind., is getting a good dose of the race problem now.

THE death of Pope Leo of Rome is expected at almost any moment.

NACOGDOCHES lifts her panorama to all the papers that have had so much to say about her of late. She believes in advertising.

WE haven't heard from our friend "Hayseed" in a long, long time. He must be busy shipping his tomatoes and Elberta peaches.

THERE seems to be difficulty in securing lumber for the local demand at present in spite of the fact that little is doing in the building line.

At Jeannette, Pa., Monday, twenty persons were drowned and \$1,500,000 worth of property was destroyed by the breaking of the Oakford Park dam.

EVERYTHING is on the "wobble" these days. They have even got to giving wiggle parties. Well, if we all keep wiggling there'll always be something doing.

NEW YORK is to put up a 45 story building that will tower, when completed, 650 feet in the air. We don't want to be on the ground floor. There is a limit to the safety of sky scrapers.

POPE LEO is 94 years old and is dying from sheer old age. His life is going out like the flickering of a candle, possibly hurried along a little by "certain functional disorders,"—quoting the doctors.

A NEW TOWN is being laid off about half way between Center and San Augustine, and is called Neuville. A big saw mill, a hotel and a drug-store are going up there already and other improvements are scheduled.

THE recent floods destroyed all vegetable crops in the Mississippi and Kansas river valleys, and vegetables are reported scarce in the markets. Then why will tomatoes not bring the cost of icing and transportation?

NACOGDOCHES could have had the biggest Stave factory in this part of the country if she had gone after it in time and in the right way. It is out of reach now, but we might profit by the lesson of procrastination and do better in future.

THE English sparrow, hawks, crows, buzzards, black birds, rice birds and owls are not included among the birds protected by the new game law, and no person is prohibited from killing any birds that are at the time destroying his growing crops.

THE EVANSVILLE AFFAIR.

Recent events in Indiana simply serve to emphasize the oft-repeated assertion of The Times that mob violence is by no means indigenous to southern soil, but thrives on opportunity. It is doubtful if there is a case in the history of the south where popular fury was permitted to hold such undisputed sway as in the case of the Evansville incident. The mob not only disputed the right of the negroes to live in harmony with the whites, but defied the ordinary instruments of justice when the latter were employed to defend the innocent blacks from Caucasian vengeance.

There has never been a similar case in the south within the memory of the writer. Southern mobs have invariably bowed to the military authority, not through fear, but wholly from the standpoint of respect for the supremacy of the state government. It remained for Indiana to set the example of defiance to martial law.

It is to be hoped that pulpit orators and public speakers who have been crying down the south for its alleged defiance of law and order will carefully note this Evansville affair. It stands without a parallel in American history for vindictiveness and malevolence. The charge of the white men on the militia was due wholly to a desire to foment trouble. The soldiers were protecting no individual prisoner sought by the mob. Men, women and children who joined in the assault were actuated by a blind fury born of race prejudice and they neither thought of nor cared for consequences.

Indiana has no excuse to offer for her unpardonable breach of the peace and defiance of justice. She had not even "southern prejudice" to guide her. What will the northern negrophiles say of her transgressions?—Shreveport Times.

THE school tax election will be held on the 24th instant. All people interested in the maintenance of first class schools in Nacogdoches Independent District will turn on all his energy and influence for the success of this election. Without a school tax it will be impossible to have a good school here more than four or five months in the year. This ought to be sufficient to induce every patron of the school to put forth his best efforts to carry the election.

THE candidacy of W. R. Hearst, the brilliant young editor of the New York Journal, for democratic presidential nomination is regarded as a huge joke by his opponents. But the joke is liable to turn on them. Hearst is a shrewd and successful politician and was elected to Congress from New York by the largest majority ever received by any candidate from his district. When he gets in this presidential race in full swing with his energy, experience, brains and money, he will make things lively and it will take a powerful influence to overcome the strength he has already gained in the democratic party.

It is rumored that the shops of the H. E. & W. T. and H. & T. C. Rvs., at Houston will be consolidated, enlarged and facilities greatly increased.

THE City Secretary of Dallas, I. A. More, was shot and killed by his own son a or two ago. He was on a rampage and full of fighting booze and attacked the whole family when he went home. The boy shot the old lusher to keep him from killing some of the family and now that family is in double trouble and another object lesson is furnished the anti-whiskey league.

THE room of a young lady, Miss Zelta Hamilton, in Bell county, was invaded by a transient young negro Tuesday night. The negro was captured and confessed that he had entered the room with criminal intent. He was speedily conveyed to jail to avoid contact with excited citizens who were gathering in large numbers. That he escaped mob vengeance is only due to prompt action of the officers.

THE Lutkin Daily Herald has installed an entirely new newspaper plant to meet the increased demands for enlarging and improving that paper. It began on a job press, printing a page at a time and in a couple of months has built itself up until it requires a power press and a new supply of type to keep it growing. We congratulate Lutkin on having a hustling up-to-date little daily, and the Herald for the earnest welcome and substantial support it is receiving.

UNDER the new administration it seems that there is real profit and a big margin in operating the iron furnaces at the Rusk penitentiary. Seventy-five thousand dollars worth of new machinery and equipments have been purchased, and operations will be continued on a larger scale than ever. The capacity will be increased from twenty to fifty tons per day. A competent chemist will be put in charge to secure the greatest possible uniformity of the output of pig iron. The pig iron from these furnaces, when run in the highest degree of uniformity will sell for \$28 to \$30 per ton.

THE Houston Chronicle says several dollars are yet lacking in Harris county's quota for the World's Fair. There is vastly upward of several dollars lacking in the Nacogdoches quota, and the prospects are that it will still be lacking when time is called. The people are slow to see the importance of the Texas exhibit at the Worlds Fair, and are loth to give up a few paltry dollars even when they do see it. Those whom we all know will be most benefited refuse to contribute, and those who get no especial benefit, but are liberal in these matters, refuse to help because they don't want to do everything to help those who will not help themselves. It is this spirit that is retarding the progress all over the state.

It is unlawful under the new Texas game law for any person to kill any bird not known as a game bird within this state for a period of five years from the 31st day of March 1903. People who are not familiar with the law had better look out, or they may get into trouble.

It is said that the Texas tomato crop fell on the market just when the big crops of other states began to come in, which accounts for the unusually low prices, and that it is not due to any mismanagement of the Exchange or its agents. We hope this is true, but the way things were working a short time back, unless we were wrongly impressed, gave grounds for just a little suspicion that some of the local clubs were being discriminated against. It will be real comfort to know that we were wrong in this impression.

UNDER the new game law it is a misdemeanor for any person to kill, trap or ensnare any wild deer between the first day of January and the first day of November of each year, and no person shall kill trap, or ensnare more than six wild buck deer during the months of November and December of any one year. The penalty for violating this law is a fine of not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail, or not less than five nor more than thirty days. The same punishment is inflicted upon any person who kills, traps, or ensnares any wild turkey during the period embraced between the first day of February and the first day of November of each year.

THE "Option Optic," the prohibition sheet which we announced was forthcoming, made its appearance in the journalistic arena last Thursday, but by an oversight failed to get its name in the Sentinel. As the Sentinel makes it a business to mention all new comers, as well as goers, (and the Optic lows its going to be one of the swiftest goers that is,) some may think it was a personal matter and that we simply "snubbed" our new contemporary. But that is not so. We extend a cordial grasp and a glad hand of welcome to the little Optic and trust that it may fulfill its mission to the fullest measure and that its usefulness may be as far-reaching as the view of the keenest "Optic" from the highest pinnacle of success. The Optic is ably edited by W. W. Watts and A. J. Holt pastors of the Methodist and Baptist churches respectively, of this city. The tone of the paper is conservative, yet too positive to mistake its intents and purposes. It is a free will offering in the cause of prohibition; and will be continued as a weekly publication until the approaching local option campaign is over at the expense of the editors, with any financial assistance they may receive from advertisers or subscribers. If the paper is a success it will be continued, we are informed by the editors; if not it will cease to appear after the election.

THE Bronson Bulletin is stirring up the people of Sabine county on truck farming and is gratified with the interest shown on the part of the farmers. Sabine county has a large area of fine tobacco lands, also, and the Bulletin is urging the farmers to add tobacco to their diversification. The Bulletin is doing a great work in urging crop diversification, and its efforts will bring good results in future.

THERE are 87,078 negroes in the State of Illinois. The "deep sympathy" expressed by the press and politicians of the North has attracted negroes to the Northern States in large numbers. As the brutish instinct ever remains in the ignorant negro, no matter where you put him, the North is beginning to find out what this race problem really means since she has opened her arms so wide to the "down trodden" race. Experience is a dear school, but no other will suffice in some cases.

WITH all her lynchings and whitecappings, nothing has ever occurred in the South half so horrible as the race riot now going on in Evansville, Indiana. A negro shot down a policeman who attempted to arrest him to prevent him from murdering another negro. The negro murderer was lodged in jail, from which a mob tried to take him and lynch him. The negroes of Evansville organized, broke open hardware stores and armed themselves. The negro demonstration only stirred the whites to more vigorous action and the mob continued to increase in numbers. The negro rioters fired into the homes of several white people and the enraged white people retaliated by destroying several negro resorts and dives. The Government ordered out the militia to quell the riot, and the result is a fight between citizens and militia in which six people are killed and twenty-five or thirty wounded. The streets of Evansville are flowing with the blood of her own citizens, the militia being the local companies. The negro that caused the riot was secretly removed from the jail at Evansville and is now dying in the State prison, where he was taken for safekeeping. From wounds received from the dying officer after he had shot him down. Altogether this makes rather a bloody chapter, the like of which has never occurred down in this Southland, which has been so much abused by the northern press and tin horn politicians for its outrages toward the negro and lawlessness in general. We congratulate the north upon its progress in redeeming the poor downtrodden negro from the hands of Southern mob violence. It is relieving the South of a great deal of its unpleasant work and is doing the South a great favor in proving that human nature is pretty much the same, always and everywhere.

NACOGDOCHES is the finest location in East Texas for a cotton mill, and cotton mills are paying institutions.

"ONLY A WOMAN"

Miss Lillian Sullivan, for twenty years the illustrator of the Bureau of Entomology died suddenly at Washington last week. The Washington Post says of her:

"As an illustrator of entomology subjects, Miss Sullivan had no peer in the world. She was able to draw insects not only from the outward appearance of the models given her, but from the intimate knowledge she possessed of the anatomy of almost every species. In addition to her special work she painted many pictures, which were favorably criticized, and which found ready sale among the art patrons of Washington."

This lady has improved anew the fact that in an exacting scientific position, women can be the equal of man. She has proved as well, that when a woman is really the peer of man she does not take the lecture platform and tell him of it, but is the same modest, unassuming character that all true women are, whether geniuses or not. Comparatively few had heard of Miss Sullivan until reading that "her death had saddened a host of friends in Washington and admirers everywhere." Every cross roads village had heard of Carrie Nations and the author of the "Woman's Bible," but which is the real, which the spurious exponent of woman's rights and abilities, needs no further pointing out. Whether a woman is any happier for being touched by the divine fire, is an open question. Ouida says "For when the laurel grows from the breast of a woman, ah heaven, it hurts!" But certainly Miss Sullivan has done her work faithfully and well. She led in her chosen profession, having no peer in the world, and has gone to her just reward, leaving her name enrolled on the enduring tablets of fame; and she was "only a woman."

THE dastardly, hellish, pusillanimous, contemptible, sneaking and shameless act of the craven coyote who will steal into a man's watermelon patch at night and destroy his entire crop by cutting the vines off at the roots surpasseth understanding. In reality he is bound to be a heathen and a fiend incarnate, and in our imagination we are unable to picture a human shape that low down. Such a deed was perpetrated upon the melon patch of Mr. J. R. Richardson, near Melrose recently, and where there was but a few days ago the finest prospect that the eye ever beheld now remains naught but shriveled, shrunken vines and unmat'ured fruit. In God's name what are we coming to? A man's barn, his home, his family, are not safe in a community where such depredations are practiced. Shame! Shame! Shame!

THE cotton crop of Polk county is a total failure on account of the boll weevil. Many farmers have abandoned their cotton patches entirely and are turning their attention to other avocations. It is believed that after this year there will not be a county in East Texas that will produce enough cotton to stuff a mattress.

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DISSOLUTION.

Six months experiment has proved that the business interests of neither The Sentinel nor The Plaindealer has been enhanced by the combination of both plants under the name of The Nacogdoches Printing Company. Therefore The Nacogdoches Printing Company has been dissolved by mutual consent, both papers and their respective appurtenances reverting back to their original owners, and the newspapers and printing establishments of Nacogdoches will continue under entirely separate and distinct managements and proprietorships as of yore. HALTOM & HALTOM, A. F. HENNING.

TOBACCO DOCHES! Have a smoke.

THE oil boom is beginning to envelop Nacogdoches.

HARRISON county went wet yesterday by a majority of 757.

JUST keep your eye on "Poor old Nacogdoches." There is no telling the luck of a lousy calf.

CHARTERS have been granted for cotton oil mills at Beaumont and Stephenville the past week. A cotton oil mill company has also been chartered at Dublin.

THE president has appointed Brigadier General Robert Shaw Oliver, of Albany, N. Y. as assistant Secretary of war, to fill the place of Colonel William Cary Sanger, resigned.

THE Lufkin Daily Herald announces that it will hence forward be issued as a morning paper. We are interested in this experiment and will watch the morning Herald with a selfish interest.

THE postoffice at Decoy has been reestablished. Nacogdoches county is still a little short on postoffices for the convenience of the people. Many people in the county have to go ten miles for their mail.

CENTER is fixing up some kind of a big "spread" for August 19th, and has invited all the editors in East Texas to be present. The Sentinel has already pledged a couple of hands on certain conditions, but the Center papers keep on talking so much about the "good time coming" that we are almost ready to promise one hand regardless of conditions.

WE hereby beg to call the attention of the railroad companies to the fact that the patrons of the Nacogdoches depot are roaring for drinking water with an exceeding great roar. The big water cooler marked "ice water" makes a very nice ornament when the thermometer is down to thirty, but they think there ought to be "something in it" when the temperature runs up to ninety in the shade.

POPE LEO got better a day or two ago and sat up, but he has taken a turn for the worse and the papers this morning report that his life is hanging by a thread.

THE SENTINEL feels grateful to Texas Farmer for its kindly offer to keep us on its regular list without asking our paper in return. We wouldn't give a cent to exchange with any old paper that does not want our paper in return. The Farmer has our permission to go to the deuce.

THE sharp shooters are helping the boll weevil along in the destruction of the cotton crop. Neither, however, are so very numerous, and it is possible that there will be an average cotton crop made in East Texas this year, in spite of the alarm that now exists. It is human nature for us to yell louder than we are really hurt.

TEDDY started out to handle these government scandals without gloves, but he couldn't do it. Congressman Littauer, of New York, R. E. Lyon, a government purchasing agent, and \$500,000 worth of gloves are involved. Congressman Littauer manufactures gloves and through Lyon sold a half million dollars worth of his goods to the government during the Spanish-American war, and it is alleged that they shared the profits.

T. J. Cox, of Independence, Texas, writes Postmaster Cooper asking information regarding Nacogdoches county. He is interested in the tobacco prospects here and wants literature "relative to our town and section's prospect." This is only one of hundreds of like letters that are received nearly every day, and there ought to be some literature prepared in condensed form and convenient size for mailing to people making inquiries.

THE business and professional men of Houston are preparing to give a royal banquet in honor to Col. S. F. B. Morse, retiring passenger and traffic manager of the Southern Pacific. Few men have attained the popularity with all classes and professions held by Col. Morse, and when he leaves Texas he will carry with him pleasant recollections of the proof of the high esteem and warm friendship in which he is held here.

THE Lufkin Herald is urging Lufkin to erect a canning factory. The truck growers at every shipping point of any consequence ought to have a canning factory adequate to taking care of the waste they are now compelled to suffer when prices are down. We would not advise a factory on too large a scale, and we believe that every dollar of the stock should be owned by the truck growers themselves. Lufkin, Nacogdoches, Garrison, Timpson and Tenaha could all maintain canning factories on this plan, thus enabling the farmers to save a large percent of their crops that they are now compelled to let rot in the fields.

THE street cars are running in Beumount but there are plenty of sympathizers with the striking men, who wear badges with "We'll walk," conspicuously displayed. A funny incident occurred the other day when two girls wearing "we'll walk" badges stopped a car and got on. They sympathized with the strikers all right but it was too warm to walk. The manager of the car line, a gentle man with a keen sense of humor, saw them get on, and directed the conductor not to collect fares from them. He said any body could walk on his line that wanted to and it shouldn't cost them a cent. The proposed Nacogdoches street car line seems to have struck also—struck out, and we too are walking all along the line.

THE experiments made by County Commissioner J. W. Byrd with the road machine owned by the city corporation and a short section of the Tyler road just outside the city limits has been put in excellent condition with very little expense. It would be economy and would insure greatly improved roads if the commissioners would purchase one of those machines for each commissioner's beat. There is plenty of money in the road and bridge fund and it would only take comparatively a small portion of the money to make this investment. The people of each beat should urge their commissioner to take this step. Good roads is one of our greatest problems, and as the country develops we are forced to make good roads—the very thing most needful to promote development. We can never successfully develop the rural sections without a better system of public roads.

SOUR LAKE was the scene of a riot Thursday night almost equal to the Evansville, Ind., affair. An unknown negro shot a white brakeman on a freight train near that place. It was at first thought that the brakeman was fatally wounded. The negro was stealing a ride and shot the brakeman for trying to put him off. The news of the shooting enraged the people of Sour Lake, and a notice was posted that the sun must not set on any negroes in Sour Lake that night. The negroes stampeded from the town, and the notices posted gave incentive to the rowdy element to avenge the stricken brakeman. All negroes who remained in the place that night were attacked by some five hundred white-cappers and some of them were severely beaten. No killings occurred and the next morning the wrath of the mob seemed appeased and all negroes who had employment were permitted to return to their jobs. It is quiet down there now and everybody is thankful that the excitement has blown over with no fatalities. The acts of the mob are condemned by the best people of Sour Lake and lawabiding people everywhere. The brakeman was not dangerously wounded and will get well. If he had been killed outright there is no telling might have happened.

NEARLY every citizen of Nacogdoches is now receiving letters from friends, acquaintances and prospectors at a distance, inquiring for literature and information concerning our tobacco and truck lands. There ought to be a lot of literature prepared in condensed and convenient form for answering such questions. Suppose we all "chip in" and get out a few thousand pamphlets that will furnish all the information in a nutshell and supply them to every citizen who takes an interest in answering questions from people abroad. A small pamphlet printed in small type with condensed information that could be slipped in an envelop with every letter sent away from home would prove a great advertising scheme and would bring "millions" in return. Lets try it.

Ex-Gov. HOGG thinks the cotton growers ought to support the Brown bull movement and thus free themselves from the bondage of the East, and asserts that if they will do this they will win in the present commercial struggle, and that victory means that New Orleans will once more be the cotton center. He is in favor of wiping New York off the face of the map as a cotton factor. Gov. Hogg did not suggest how the cotton grower should go about backing up the Brown bull movement, and the proposition is a little bit of a puzzle when we take into consideration that the Brown movement is all in the "pit" and has nothing to do with spot cotton. For instance, August futures were run up to 15 cents when in August there will be practically no cotton in sight. The prices (futures) then run down from month to month, as the cotton supply increases until they run below 10 cents. The prices are never up when there is cotton in sight, and the poor cotton raiser has no way of holding his cotton out of sight so that he may spring it on the market when these fancy prices are on. Hogg says truthfully, "the sugar planter, rice planter and tobacco planter have all been given aid, but nothing has been done for the cotton planter who has been manacled and ground down by a lot of Wall street speculative freebooters," but we see little chance for relief for the cotton raiser as long as he has to mortgage his crop that he may produce it. The greatest enemy to the wall street crowd is the boll weevil.

THE suspicion has grown that the postoffice scandal is only a beginning. Look out, Uncle Sam, the people are getting wise.—Lufkin Daily Herald.

AS the people are Uncle Sam, Uncle Sam is getting as wise as the people.

IT is said that the Shamrock's only chance will be in a light wind. The fortune teller should tell Sir Tom to beware of a dark wind.—Houston Post.

SUCH nonsense! The wind is blue. The Palmist should tell Sir Tom to prepare for a heavy blow, for it will be that to him when he loses.

SIGNOR Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, is said to have discovered a method by which oxygen may be extracted from air at a very slight expense.—Houston Post.

WE don't want it extracted from the air. We'll take our'n with oxygen.

NACOGDOCHES could have had the biggest stove factory in this part of the country if she had gone after it in time and in the right way. It is out of reach now, but we might profit by the lesson of procrastination and do better in the future.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

NEVER stove off a good thing like that—Orange Tribune.

WE are going to barrel it up, if we ever get another chance at it.

THAT Rest Room is bound to become a fact; a room, conveniently located and a good woman to look after it have already been secured.—Timpson Times.

IT seems as though Timpson were beating us to a few needed innovations, but things are not always what they seem. The ladies of the Civic club are very sensibly waiting until there is a city council to co operate with, before carrying out any plans. The merchants of Nacogdoches are most considerate and courteous to their out of town customers. The rest room is needed in Nacogdoches and will be an institution as soon as practicable, and till then, as always, the ladies from other cities and the country are offered every possible courtesy by the business men of the city.

A good many people from the country are buying Shreveport ice because it is cheap in preference to the home product. In this they are cutting their own throats. If Shreveport should succeed in crippling the local factory these same people who are now helping them to do this work would have to pay \$1.00 per hundred for ice. Stick to home.—Timpson Times.

"STICK TO HOME" is a mighty good motto, but the ice question was always a "vexed problem," all along the line. It is only when there is red hot competition that ice is cheap enough for "country folks" to use it, and it is human nature the world over for people to get things where they are the cheapest. We haven't even an ice factory in Nacogdoches, now, and ice is as plentiful and cheap as it was before the local factory was closed down. There is no kick on our ice nor the price, but the service gets awful poky once in awhile.

THE Nacogdoches Daily Sentinel gives the vandal who destroys a man's crop some hard words. But he is right. There is no punishment by law that is adequate for the treatment of such marauding villains.—Lufkin Daily Herald.

IT is really presumptuous in Nacogdoches to even suspect that a teacher would leave a school like Center's to go to Nacogdoches.—Center Daily News.

WE hope we may be allowed to presume.

WE people up in this end of Texas are going to petition the Santa Fe to capture Wm. Doherty from the E. & W. and make him the General Passenger and Freight Agent of the G. B. & G. N. We need him to help in the development of our fruit and truck industries here next year.—Center Daily News.

DON'T see how you can bring him any closer to the people of East Texas than he now is. He is entitled to at least half the credit for the progress East Texas has made since he has held his present position with the H. E. & W. T. Ry., and he has never neglected Shelby county. No railroad can be in closer touch with East Texas than the H. E. & W. T., and no railroad man has ever worked his way to the hearts of the people of East Texas as Mr. Doherty has by his earnest and untiring efforts to develop our fruit and truck industries and the encouragement of crop diversification. Unless it would induce largely to Mr. Doherty's individual profit and benefit we would prefer to see him remain in his present position until his turn comes for promotion.

Marauder Killed.

AT Joaquin Friday night four white boys went down to the home of Will Allen, a negro, and raised a disturbance. Allen stepped out on his gallery and fired his gun—he claims, to scare them. Next morning Lewis Collins, a white boy just about grown, was found in the yard dead, part of the charge having struck him just where his suspenders crossed in the back. Allen went to Center immediately and surrendered.—Timpson Times.

ON last Thursday Billy Epperson was working on a bridge near Goodrich and fell from a scaffold twenty-three feet high into water only eighteen inches deep. As the water was shallow, he was considerably jarred and unconscious for a while. He is now able to go on crutches and is improving.—Livingston News.

ALL white applicants desiring to take the examination for appointment to the state Normal schools, will please notify me by letter not later than July 27th 1903.

Truly Yours,
V. E. Middlebrook,
Rep. 17th District.

IT pays to tell the truth about your goods. Stripling Haselwood & Co., believe in this policy thoroughly. They sell John R. Dickey's Old reliable Eye Water because it is an honest eye remedy.

Card of Thanks.

WE wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kindness shown us during our recent bereavement. Gratefully,
J. E. Sanders.

Tripple Hanging.

SMITH Brown and Jones hang their hopes of recovery upon Cheatham's Laxative Chill Tablets. They will be around soon shaking hands with friends. 25c. No cure—no pay.

Corn, Corn, Oodles of Corn

The biggest Corn crop in the history of the country assured. But for fear our customers might run short before "Roasting Ear" time we are getting in Three Carloads of Corn this week.

COME EARLY AND AVOID THE RUSH

for our **Mitchell, Tennessee and Old Hickory Wagons** are going fast. They are all **Fast Goers, Light Running** and very **Handsome and Durable.** The "Fastest Going" things on wheels are our up-to-date

Buggies, Surries, Phaetons, Run-abouts, Stanhopes, Hacks and Spring Wagons.

Come and inspect and price them. Our repository is full of **Beauties.** For the **Next Sixty Days** we are going to make **Special Low Prices** on all pleasure vehicles.

See us Before Buying.

Cane Mills, Evaporators, Furnaces and Furnace fixtures

are going to be our strong point this season.

Save fully 25 to 33 1-3 per cent

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FURNITURE FIVE CAR LOADS OF FURNITURE

of every description and grade.

Don't say you didn't know we handled **Furniture.** We are in the **Furniture** business to stay and will sell you what **Furniture** you want for less money than you can buy elsewhere.

STOVES

the celebrated "Garland" Stoves any size wanted from a baby 7 to an Elephantine Range. Doors and Windows, Hardware, Guns, Ammunition, Crockery, Harness, Saddlery and the **best Rubber Belting on Earth.** Come and buy the Tools, Nails, Doors, Hinges, etc., necessary to build **YOUR NEW BARN—YOU ARE SURE TO NEED ONE.**

REMEMBER We haven't gone out of the Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoe, Furnishing and Tailoring Business. Our Mid-Summer Prices are the Cheapest in Nacogdoches.

YOURS TRULY,

Mayer & Schmidt.

P. S. A Carload of DELTA LOG WAGONS to arrive next week.

The Red Men.

From Tuesday's Daily:

Alabama Tribe No. 108, Improved Order of Red Men, had a big pow wow last night. There was an unusually large attendance of the members present and there was a general social good time.

Following officers for ensuing term were installed:

Prophet, A. F. Henning. SACHEM, R. H. Cariaway. Senior Sagamore, C. S. Southern.

Junior Sagamore, Robert Burk.

Collector of Wampum, E. C. Muckleroy.

Keeper of Wampum, Tom Smith.

Chief of Records, John E. Floyd.

After the routine work had been preformed the Tribe were permitted to be "at ease" for a half an hour or so, during which music was discoursed by the Tribal Orchestra and refreshments were served. It was a regular "smoker," held off in the improvise style and was one of the most enjoyable occasions ever held by this Tribe.

It is the purpose of Alaba-

ma Tribe to give these smokers frequently in the future and members are warned that it will be profitable to be in regular attendance hereafter.

The money was made up on the spot to run electric fans until the middle of October and it is real pleasant in the hall when the fans are running.

A moonlight picnic gotten up by the young folks on Irion Hill last night was one of the pleasantest social events of the summer season. About thirty were in the party, which was chaperoned by Mrs. J. P. Payne, and her daughter, Mrs. Cora Lovelace, of Comanche. The crowd went to Beeson's pond, about a mile from town and after enjoying the moonlight for a time, spread a beautiful and sumptuous repast on the ground, and enjoyed that as well. It was with reluctance that when the chaparones said "home" the crowd obeyed, for the evening had been perfect, and the scene of so much pleasure was left with regret.

U. D. C. Reception.

Thursday afternoon at 4 p. m., there assembled a number of ladies, U. D. C. s. at the hospitable home of Mrs. G. H. Davidson to spend a social afternoon. We were given a cordial welcome by this gracious hostess and her charming sister, Mrs. C. D. Stinson. Soon after our arrival, cards were passed which contained for the first part of the program a love story with occasional blank spaces which were to be filled with old time songs. Some of them were quite suggestive of unte bellum days with "the black mamies" and such characters as "Uncle Ned." The second part of the program were anagrams, from which were to be formed the names of Confederate officers, and prominent early Texans. Mrs. E. C. Branch and Mrs. Jno. T. Garrison, having made an equal number of solutions were asked by the hostess to cast lots for a souvenir. Mrs. Branch was the successful one, and received a copy of the poems of the Southland's sweetest singer, Father Ryan. The libations of Hebe to the Grecian Gods were no more delicious than the nectar with which the hostess refreshed us during the afternoon.

After the program frappa and cakes were enjoyed by all.

We made our adieux hoping for another social afternoon in the near future.

Sec. U. D. C.

Lost.

Meerschm gold trimmed pipe in grey morrocco case. Leave at this office and get reward.

We the undersigned agree to close our places of business from 12 o'clock Saturday night until 12 o'clock Sunday night. And we furthermore offer a reward of \$100.00 to any person who will prove that this agreement has been violated by giving or selling intoxicating liquors of any nature in or out of the saloon.

J. D. McKnight.
T. J. Smith.
D. W. Buchanan.
Scoggins Bros.
Hgb Saloon, Dick Coats Mgr.
Slay & Slay.
H. Dial.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on July 14th 1903.
(SEAL) E. M. Weeks,
County Clerk, Nacogdoches County, Texas.

Dr. Swearingen is entertaining fifteen Baptist preachers at his popular tavern and says he is going to make them useful. He has the town covered with circulars announcing that one of these ministers will preach from the hotel porch each night and inviting everybody to come out and hear him—Timpson Daily Times.

Mrs. Vondersmith and three of the children left on Sunday for Graball, Washington Co., on a visit to Mrs. Vondersmith's aunt, leaving Mr. Vondersmith and Eugene to keep house until their return.

Miss Paralée Noblitt, for merely of this place, but now of Nacogdoches, is visiting friends and relatives.—Livingston News.

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Little journeys to Northern resorts will be more popular this summer than ever. Many have already arranged their summer tours via

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul RAILWAY.

and many more are going to do likewise. Booklets that will help you to plan your vacation trip have been issued for those interested, and will be sent on receipt of postage, as follows:

"In Lakeland" and "Summer Homes," 6c.
"Lakes Okoboji and Spirit Lake," 4c.

M. F. SMITH,

Commercial Agent,

343 Main Street,

Dallas, Texas.

Estray Notice.

In compliance with law and upon the return of G. L. Muckleroy, County Commissioner for precinct No. 4, Nacogdoches county, Texas, I hereby give notice that there has been found running at large, and estrayed, the owner of which is unknown.
One deep red sorrel mare about 7 years old, about 15 hands high, no brands. Said animal now ranging 8 miles east from Nacogdoches and left in the care of Porter Sullivan.
If not legally proved away by the owner thereof within twenty days from the date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.
Dated, Nacogdoches, Texas, this 13th day of July, 1903.
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk

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One dun gray horse about 14 hands high, about 9 or 10 years old, Crestfallen. Said animal now ranging 10 miles southeast from Nacogdoches and left in care of Gill Chism.
If not legally proven away by the owner thereof within twenty days from the date hereof, the same will be advertised and said commissioner will proceed to sell the same according to law.
E. M. Weeks, County Clerk, Dated at Nacogdoches, Texas, this 13th day of July, 1903.

CELERY GLASSES

Just Received Big lot Plain and White Chinaw are at Racket Prices.

CAMPBELL'S RACKET STORE

THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

D. B. Hodges, of Appleby, is in the city today.

Tom Summers came down from Cushing yesterday.

The county Surveyor is a busy man these days.

Luther Swift, of Melrose, is in Nacogdoches today.

Harry P. Fall, of Chireno, is in the city.

S. M. Price, of Melrose, is visiting his sister Mrs. C. D. Mims, of this city today.

Frank Sublett, of San Augustine, is in Nacogdoches today.

J. M. Lee, a prominent farmer and citizen, of Melrose, is here today.

Sam Smith has the thanks of the Sentinel office for a nice watermelon presented this morning.

Miss Mollie Weatherly, of Garrison, is visiting in Nacogdoches, the guest of Mrs. Chas. Monzingo.

Mr. T. K. Raynor, of Decoy, came up today after his new postoffice, which he is to establish at Decoy.

Sam Smith, of Fairview community, was in town this morning with a big load of watermelons.

Mr. Edler thinks he will finish cutting the Nacogdoches crop of tobacco this week. The yield is full and heavy and the leaf is excellent. He is delighted with the results so far.

Mr. Shelter says it is not practicable to raise another crop of tobacco this year upon the ground that is now being cleared of this spring's crop, and suggests that the stockholders of the Nacogdoches Tobacco association plant the ground out in peas. It will make a fine crop and at the same time improve the land, especially if the same land is to be planted in tobacco again next year.

During the winter of 1901, Mr. R. O. Bell, Pontiac, Ill., contracted a severe cold. In speaking of how he cured it he says, "I had been suffering from the effects of la grippe, followed by a severe cough for several weeks last winter, had tried nearly every remedy known to myself and friends, but found no relief up to the time I began using Harts' Honey and Horehound. I received benefit even from the first bottle of this medicine, and three 25c bottles effectually cured me. Sold by Perkins Bros. druggist."

To the Public.

You are hereby notified not to purchase either of the following two notes given by the undersigned in favor of W. H. Alders, dated May 29th 1903, one for \$425.00 due 90 days from date and one for \$430.00 due 6 months from date retaining a lien on 221 acres of the J. M. Mora grant in Nacogdoches Co., Texas:

C. A. Jones.
W. L. Lloyd.
O. P. Stephens.

Oil Land for Sale.

20 acres off a 74 acre track, 2 and one half miles west of Oil Springs. Address W. J. Blackmon, Nacogdoches, d3w2

FRIDAY'S LOCALS.

Jesse Bruton Jr., of Douglass is in the city today.

Messrs. A. B. Seale, A. T. Stalling, and J. M. Stalling, of Melrose, were in the city this morning on business.

T. L. Moeller, of Indian Territory, is here looking for a location for a truck farm. He cannot find a finer locality, the world over.

Prof. J. A. Spear has returned from Livingston, where he has been conducting a summer normal school. The school was closed yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Mayfield left today on the 11:45 a. m. train for a week's visit to relatives at Clawson and Alto.

Riley Henson, the ten year old son of Josh Henson, is suffering with a terrible carbuncle on the back of his neck which the doctor lanced this morning.

Mr. W. T. Reedy and Miss Sallie Boozer were married yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Boozer in the Trinity neighborhood. The Sentinel joins their friends in congratulations.

J. D. McKnight returned last night from College Station where he went to attend the farmers' congress. He says he saw some wonderful agricultural displays and was well paid for his trip.

A barrel of acetic acid belonging to the Nacogdoches Drug Co. and stored in the room above the store was run against some way and the faucet turned enough to let nine or ten gallons leak out during the night. The mischief it did was quite sufficient. It ate a large portion of the paper off the ceiling below and the acid scent nearly paralyzed the clerks as they came in this morning.

Mr. Adam J. Tucker, and Mrs. Elizabeth Pruitt were married yesterday, Rev. C. W. Harvey performing the ceremony. They were married first and told their friends afterwards. Congratulations are in order, for both are well preserved and hearty, and have many years of happiness and usefulness yet in life. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker live near Chireno; both are leading citizens of the county and command the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends and relatives. May their days be long in the land.

The Foundation of Health.

Nourishment is the foundation of health—life—strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the one great medicine that enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all foods into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves and feeds the tissues. Kodol lays the foundation for health. Nature does the rest. Indigestion, dyspepsia and all disorders of the stomach and digestive organs are cured by the use of Kodol. Sold by Perkin Bros.

Dr. Campbell has moved to Trawick, where he has decided to locate permanently. He will build a nice residence in Trawick at once.

Stripling Wright.

Married, at Henderson on Wednesday July, 8, 1903. Mr. S. Stripling of Nacogdoches, and Miss Lizzie Wright of Henderson. The wedding took place at 8:30 in the morning at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright and the couple took the nine o'clock train for Shreveport, where they will spend a few days before returning to Nacogdoches where they will make their home. All Nacogdoches takes an interest in this wedding, Miss Wright may be a Henderson girl, but for the past three or four years she has taught in the college at Nacogdoches, and the city claims her, and is proud of her ability, amiability and charm. Her pupils worship her, and she is a universal favorite with all ages. Mr. Stripling is a Nacogdoches man, born and raised in the county. He is an example of the men the county is capable of producing. He has by his own unaided efforts, risen until he is one of that firm of enterprising young men, Stripling Haselwood & Co., which is one of the leading drug and jewelry houses in the city. In all the traits that belong to noble manhood Mr. Stripling has no superior. He deserves his good fortune in winning so fair a bride and The Sentinel joins with their numberless friends in wishing them every happiness and a prosperous journey on the voyage of life.

A Surgical Operation

is always dangerous—do not submit to the surgeon's knife until you have tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It will cure when everything else fails—it has done this in thousands of cases. Here is one of them: I suffered from bleeding and protruding piles for twenty years. Was treated by different specialists and used many remedies, but obtain no relief until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Two boxes of this salve cured me eighteen months ago, and I have not had a touch of the piles since.—H. A. Tisdale, Summerton S. C. For blind bleeding, itching and protruding piles no remedy equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Perkin Bros.

The news that Nacogdoches has fine soil for the raising of tobacco is hailed with joy throughout our county. In fact our farmers know that tobacco can be raised in Nacogdoches that it can also be raised here. We have lands here that will grow anything that Nacogdoches land will grow. If the tobacco industry means anything to Nacogdoches it also means something to us.—San Augustine Visitor.

Bak-Ake Specific is sold on a guarantee to cure all forms kidney disease. Have no other. Sold by Stripling Haselwood & Co.

Work on the compress is now being pushed at a rapid rate. Most of the machinery has arrived and will be unloaded as soon as the wood work is completed.—Timpson Times.

STOLE THE OFFICE MELON.

Another Internal Disturbance Involving the Snake Editor.

"Curious where that water melon Sam Williams brought yesterday went to," remarked the snake editor suspiciously this morning.

The sporting editor and ad man leaned over the cases and worked quietly but neither answered.

"I saw a rind out by the back door as I came in this morning" said the office boy.

The sporting editor had hurled a quoin, and the ad man, wiser, had displayed a quarter, but both were too late, the murder was out.

"What did you two do with that melon," sternly demanded the snake editor,—"I know you slipped round here after dark and ate it when the rest weren't round, and you call that square."

"I dont care," said the sporting editor, "heard you say myself that one melon wasn't enough to go round in this office."

"It wasn't 'going round,'" wrathfully retorted the snake editor. "It stayed where it was put, till you hid it behind the door, 'to be out of the way.'" And the chief caught up the words, "and then rushed the office with some hurry up orders until we had no time for either melons or mirth and had to wait till today. A man who would do a thing like that would—would—well he wont do it again. The snake editor and I will form a committee of two to see that you two dont get another bite of an office melon this summer."

"Me too," said the office boy. The ad man groaned. "And Hence Burrows is due, too," he said. The chief, implacable, marched down stairs, and as the door closed on him the sporting editor turned on the snake editor, but the latter made wise by experience, was already gone through a window, and the ad man and sporting editor left alone to chew the cud of bitter reflection, as they contemplated a melonless summer.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

When the stomach is overloaded; when food is taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucin, instead of natural juices of digestions. This is called catarrh of the stomach. For years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. R. Rhea, Coppell, Texas. Sold by Perkin Bros.

Trawick is reported as being on a decided boom. A new church, school house and Woodman hall, will be put up at once and citizens are moving into the little city at a gratifying rate.

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Special Sash, Doors, Moulding, Lumber and Shingles. Manufacturers of Interior and Exterior Mill Work. Special designs in Columns, Brackets, Spindles, Gables, jib and Cottage windows, Store doors, and Fronts, Counters and Shelving.

We especially solicit country trade and we are prepared to work and dress your lumber any way. We have the best planer foreman in East Texas and can make anything from your rough stock.

If you want bills of lumber figured on and plans for building call on us. We can most tell you what you want and how to get it.

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This signature, *E. H. Brown*

MISSISSIPPI TOMATOES
 Being the Highest Prices in the Northern Market.
 To the Sentinel:

As a matter of encouragement to our truck growers, please give space in your paper to the following extract from a letter written by our genial former townsman, Mr. Herman Staber, and dated at New York, July 6th.

"Douglass Crow is here for the East Texas Fruit Exchange and he and I have been together some. He went to Boston Sunday to be gone two or three days to sell a car or two of tomatoes up there, and while he is gone got me to look after things for him here. I was on the Dock this morning from 3 a. m. to 8 p. m., where the biggest business goes on. There happened to be a car from Nacogdoches, and I saw such names as "Cordova," "H. Burrows," and "Muckleroy" on the boxes. Texas tomatoes brought today from 60 to 70c, selling 10c higher than the Mississippi tomatoes as they were in better condition though the Mississippi stuff was wrapped in paper."

Such news as this convinces me of two or three things. 1st, that the East Texas Exchange is well organized, making an effort to handle East Texas truck and fruit in the right way by having bright active and capable agents in all important markets, in an endeavor to see that our products bring the very highest possible prices. 2nd, that the failure to secure fancy prices this year is not the fault of any defect in the way the exchange has handled our tomatoes, but because our tomatoes were two or three weeks late and went on the markets along with the crops from Mississippi and Tennessee, while heretofore we have always been earlier than these states by two to three weeks. 3rd, that if such men as Cordova, Burrows and Muckleroy, Burgess and many others, whom I could name, will only not lose heart and continue to raise just such tomatoes and fruit as they have raised the past two years, their efforts will eventually be crowned with great financial success, for it is evident we grow nner and fancier priced stuff here than in Mississippi, where a great deal of money has been made in tomatoes, and I dare say the Mississippi growers and shippers are not going to become discouraged and stop growing tomatoes on account of this years failure to secure fancy prices. Mr. Staber says our Nacogdoches tomatoes arrived in New York in better condition than the Mississippi tomatoes that were wrapped in paper, and our tomatoes had to travel hundreds of miles further and were no doubt delayed at first distributing point, St. Louis.

I think Maj. James P. Douglass, of Tyler, shipped the first car load of Irish potatoes from Texas some twenty-five years ago and not only lost his potatoes but the freight on them to the market where he shipped them. But before he died he had the satisfaction of seeing thousands of cars of potatoes, tomatoes, cantalou-

pes, peaches, cabbage, melons, and strawberries shipped from Texas at enormous profit.

I am out nearly \$200 on my two years experience in tomatoes, but am ready to lose that much more another year before giving up the fight.

Respectfully,
 Jule G. Smith

No False Claims.

The proprietors of Foley's Honey and tar do not advertise this as "a sure cure for consumption." They do not claim it will cure this dread complaint in advanced cases, but do positively assert that it will cure in the earlier stages and never fails to give comfort and relief in the worse cases. Foley's Honey and Tar is without doubt the greatest throat and lung remedy. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Perkins Bros.

Davis-Hughes.

Married on Sunday, July 5, 1903, at the Methodist parsonage, Mr. L. R. Davis, of Devers Texas, and Mrs. Ada Hughes, of Nacogdoches, Rev. W. W. Watts officiating. The groom is telegraph operator at Devers, for the Southern Pacific, and no young man in the state stands higher for integrity and honor. The bride, Mrs. Hughes, is a winning and popular lady with a host of friends. The happy couple are to be earnestly congratulated on their felicity and their many friends wish for them a future of unclouded joy. The wedding was very quiet, taking place at the Methodist parsonage after the evening services. The Sentinel joins in wishes to both Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure. Sold by Perkins Bros."

Ayer on Tobacco.

In an interview with our reporter, Mr. L. W. Ayer, the government tobacco expert, today said: "There is no reason why East Texas should not become the greatest tobacco producing district in the world."

"The experiments on the farm of Mr. Frank Davis north of the town of Lufkin are highly satisfactory. Nacogdoches and surrounding counties, having the red lands are extremely fortunate in this respect, but the light sandy soil of Angelina is adapted to the darker grades, being a fine class of tobacco.—Lufkin Daily Herald.

Two Bottles Cured Him.

"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney cure effected a permanent cure." Sold by Perkins Bros.

At the protracted meeting just closed at Melrose, \$165.50 was taken up for the state missions of the Baptist church and 24 members were baptized.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy by Foley's Kidney cure. Sold by Perkins Bros.

EAST TEXAS TOBACCO.

Harvesting the Crop of Principal Stations Will Soon be Completed.

L. H. Shelter, in charge of the United States experimental Stations at Liberty, in Liberty county; Woodville, in Tyler county; Manton and Lufkin, in Angelina county, and Nacogdoches, in Nacogdoches county, where the comprehensive experiments are being made in growing tobacco, was in the city yesterday in conference with the Southern Pacific officials in charge of the land and immigration bureau.

When seen and asked for an opinion as to what the result would be in growing tobacco in Southwest Texas Mr. Shelter said:

"Well, I'll tell you now, that I am positive of what I am talking about. The Southeast Texas grown tobacco is without doubt going to prove equal to any tobacco grown in Cuba or anywhere else in quality."

Continuing his remarks about the Texas tobacco, Mr. Shelter said that the work of harvesting the crops at Lufkin, Nacogdoches and Woodville, the principal stations, would be finished within the next ten days. He thinks that the work of harvesting at the other stations which are co-operative stations, will be finished about that time also.

"Yes I feel sure that within ten days time we will be stripping the leaves from the stalks and by the 18th of this month the tobacco will be ready to be subjected to the fermentation process which is the next stage of its curing before it is ready for commercial purposes."

"The crops at all the experimental stations at present lead me to believe that the results will prove an agreeable surprise to Texans generally and a very great surprise to people away from this state who do not realize the scope of the experiment the federal government is making in tobacco growing in Texas."

"The report of the United States' department of agriculture will be out soon as the tobacco at the stations is cured sufficiently to have the quality tested."

In connection with the above mentioned tobacco crops, Mr. Shelter says that the several crops of tobacco planted in South Texas to determine what quality of tobacco could be raised in that section, are about ready to be harvested and that the leaf and plant of the South Texas tobacco show that good tobacco especially adapted to the manufacture of cigars can be grown there too.

He says that this South Texas grown tobacco will be mentioned in the general report to be made by the government in the near future.

The peanuts got such a terrible roast Last night, from the roasting-ears,
 That the popcorn turned a deadly white
 And the black-eyed peas shed tears.

The onions said they had no scents
 And the potato winked his eye;
 But the melon said, "Don't blow me up,
 I'm already too high."

School Tax Election.

Whereas, the Board of Trustees of Nacogdoches Independent School District No. 3 has, by vote duly entered, resolved to submit to the properly qualified voters of said District the question of levying a special tax of twenty-five cents (25c) on the one hundred dollars valuation of property in said district for the purpose of supporting and maintaining the public Free Schools of said District, in addition to the pro rata of the available school fund received from the state, ten months in the year, therefore, I, John M. Weeks, President of the Board of Trustees of said Nacogdoches Independent School district No. 3, by the authority in me vested by law, do order an election to be held in said District at the court house in the town of Nacogdoches, on Friday, the 24th day of July, 1903, for the purpose of determining whether or not said District shall raise an additional amount of twenty-five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property in said District (or one-fourth of one per cent) for the purpose of supporting and maintaining the public Schools in said District ten months in the year.

And John S. Doughtie is hereby appointed manager of said election.

J. M. Weeks
 President Board of Trustees
 Nacogdoches Independent School District No. 3.

Just About Bedtime.

take a Little Early Riser, it will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. De Witt's Little Early Risers are different from other pills. They do not gripe and break down the mucous membranes of the stomach, liver and bowels, but cure by gently arousing the secretions and giving strength to the organs. Sold by Perkin Bros.

A FARMER near Waco claims to have made experiments with lights which have proved successful in exterminating boll weevils. It is the same old plant used to be carried out by progressive farmers against the army worm, and is simply putting up strong lights all through the cotton fields and leaving them to burn all night. A pan of water is usually placed beneath the light, into which all insects that come in contact with the light fall. All winged insects are attracted to a light at night, and as the boll weevil is a "flyer," he is caught same as the moth that makes the army worm, or any other bug or insect that flies at night. The remedy is an inexpensive one, comparatively speaking. It is estimated that 25c is sufficient to illuminate an acre per night, and it only requires a small outlay of labor to put them over the fields.

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SATURDAY'S LOCALS.

J. G. Strahan, of Melrose, is in town.

J. C. Boozer and wife are in town today.

Judge Thrash, of Mahl, is in town today.

Albert Brewer, a young business man of Trawick, is in the city.

J. W. Burt, of Libby, one of the best farmers in the county, is in town today.

Mrs. Mansfield Crawford, of Trawick, is in the city on a shopping tour today.

Mr. John Morgan died yesterday at five o'clock in the afternoon, at his mother's residence near Melrose. Mr. Morgan was about 50 years of age, and had never married. He had not been in good health for some time, was up and in Nacogdoches a week or two ago. He was a prominent man in his community, and had many friends all over the county. Belonging to one of the most influential families in East Texas, he leaves a host of relatives to mourn his death, as well as those nearest to him, on whom the grief falls most heavily. His aged mother is at the point of death today and it is feared that it she realizes her loss, the shock will be fatal. To the family in their grief and pain The Sentinel joins with their Nacogdoches friends in offering words of sympathy and comfort. The funeral took place this afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. S. E. Baucom performing the services.

Swapping Lies.

It is practiced, but don't swap off Hunt's Lightning Oil for a worthless article. Ask your druggist or merchant for a free sample bottle.

MONDAY'S LOCALS.

Rev. W. W. Watts left this morning on a short business trip to Rooster Garrison.

Frank Tucker, of San Augustine, is spending a day or two in the city.

M. G. Hazle and family have gone to Wooten Wells for the benefit of Mr. Hazles health.

Mr. D. J. Williams, of Pawnee, La., is visiting his brother, T. J. Williams of this city.

Frank Goldsberry, formerly of Nacogdoches, but now a citizen of Tyler is visiting friends in his old home.

Mr. R. E. Klease has accepted a position with Kranders Drug Co., of Dallas, and is now traveling for that well known firm.

Miss Ora Weaver came back from Alto this morning, where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Rucker.

The protracted meeting at Fairview is in progress, and several from town attended yesterday. Dinner was served on the ground.

Doc Watson went to Logansport yesterday after two men who had been arrested there. One is G. R. Whitton, charged with forgery, and the other is named Grant and is charged with theft. He brought them back this morning and they are now in the county jail.

The electric storm of yesterday was very severe. The lightning flashed through the wires at the residence of Mrs. E. M. Dotsons and shocked every one in the sitting room. Miss Louise Dotson being dazed for quite a few minutes from the severity of the shock.

After the hard rain yesterday evening the electric light wires developed a hot box, on the post between Mr. Tilley and Dr. Barham's residences and burned off several wires, the smoke from the box attracted every one's attention, it was very heavy and dense, for a few seconds. Several houses were in darkness last night as a result of the fire.

The lightning struck a tree just this side of the creek on Church street yesterday afternoon setting it on fire at the root and it was still burning this morning. A cow belonging to Mr. John Hartman, that was under the tree was killed.

Mr. J. H. Gibson, living three miles west of town, brought to this office Saturday five onions that weighed in aggregate a little less than five pounds or a fraction less than a pound each. Mr. Gibson raised these onions from seed planted by him last year, and says he harvested several wagon loads. They are red skinned, very solid and uniform in shape and he says they keep well in this climate.

Mrs. A. H. Morgan, living near Melrose followed her son John to the grave on Saturday night and was laid beside him yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Morgan was over eighty years old. She had out lived the time allotted to human life, and after a long and well spent life passed quietly into eternal rest. She leaves five children to grieve for her. Mrs. J. W. Seale of Melrose, Mrs. Mary Sanders, and Jim, Eli and Will, are her three surviving sons. She was connected by marriage or directly with nearly every one in that section, and though in the natural course of events, her friends knew they could not hope to keep her much longer she will be missed by all who knew the gentle old lady.

Mrs. D. M. Gladden died at her residence in South Nacogdoches, yesterday morning at ten o'clock. Her illness has been long and painful, but was borne with truly christian fortitude. While death was expected at any time it did not find her unprepared. Mrs. Gladden leaves a husband and three sons to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. The funeral took place this morning at North church cemetery, where, amid a large concourse of sorrowing friends all that was mortal and suffering of this earnest christian, was laid in the earth, while her freed spirit has entered into the joy of her Lord. The sorrow is only for the separation, and to the bereaved family, to whom the parting is so bitter, the Sentinel tenders its sincerest sympathy.

Aunt Lucindy.

Always carries Hunt's Lightning Oil around with her, says it's fine for swelling, toothache, colic, weak back, and back-ache, cuts, burns, neuralgia, catarrh. Aunt Lucindy has sixty-nine grand children and ought to know what she is talking about.

THE OLD RELIABLE



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

TUESDAY'S LOCALS.

D. E. Parker, of Cushing, is in town today.

Will Chancellor, of Linn Flat, is in the city on business.

County court will convene next Monday, the 20th instant.

Mr. Ghas. W. McAtee, of Henderson, is visiting Mrs. Dr. W. M. Terrell of this city.

Mrs. S. E. Hunt, and sister, Miss Hill, spent yesterday in Nacogdoches on a shopping trip.

Mr. T. K. Raynor was in town today and carried out the Decoy postoffice, which will be opened in his store at Decoy right away.

Domestic Troubles.

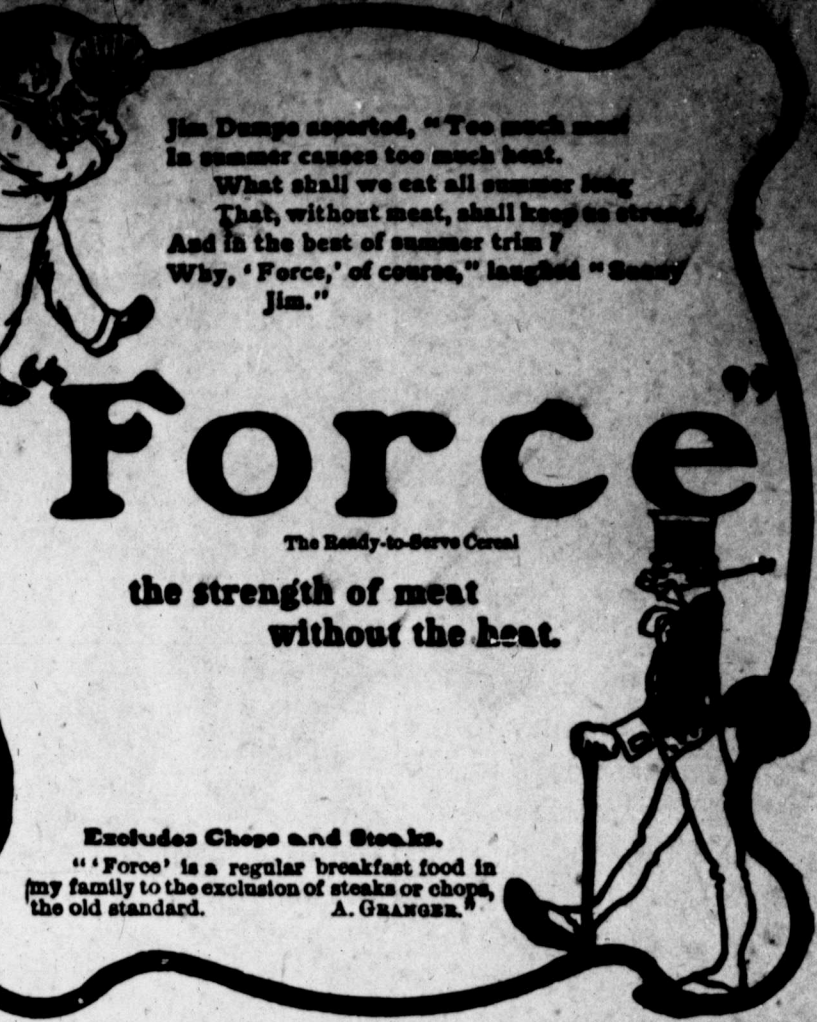
It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New life pills around. Much trouble they save by their great work in stomach and liver troubles. They not only relieve you but cure. 25c at Stripling Hazelwood & Co.'s drug store.

Another big oil well outfit went out to the oil field yesterday and will begin sinking another well in a very short while. There are now about half dozen "rigs" at work.

Heaven Help Us.

In our trouble, but use Hunt's cure for Itch, tetter, ring worm, itching piles and eczema. Guaranteed.

You can have old exchanges at your own price at this office.



I Want all Your Peach Seed!

Peach seed are very scarce this year and I will pay highest price for all I can get. None but this seasons seed wanted. Leave them at my nursery at Rose Lake, or at Cason, Richardson & Co.'s store. I have a general line of fruit trees and flowers, and would be glad to exchange for seed, but if you don't want the trees will pay cash.

Jno. B. Power.

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Has anybody "saw" my two fox hounds—Lead and Belle? Both small size, white with lemon colored spots, are necked together, and each has on plain leather collar with my name and address engraved on them. Will pay suitable reward for their return or information.

Neil Ingraham.

JULY SALE

Wishing to make sure that none of the following articles are left in stock after this month's sale we will make some startling reductions.

This Great Slaughter Sale on seasonable goods will begin on **Ladies' Underwear.** Our stock of Muslin Underwear is not large but very complete and composed of lots as indicated in price list below:

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| 4 dozen Corset Covers, nicely made with lace in neck, a good value at 25c, in July Sale - 15c | 2 1/2 dozen Ladies Underskirts, ranging in price from \$1.15 to \$1.50, in July Sale - 90c |
| 1 dozen Corset Covers, fancy style ribbon in beading for trimming, worth 75c and \$1, in July Sale - 55c | 1 dozen Ladies Underskirts, very superior quality, worth \$1.50 to \$2.35, in July Sale - \$1.25 |
| 2 dozen Ladies Drawers, a good value at from 45 to 75c, in July Sale - 35c | 1 dozen Ladies' Underskirts, best quality, beautifully made, 3 rows inserting round bottom, worth \$2.35 to \$2.50, in July Sale - \$1.50 |
| 1-2 dozen Ladies' Drawers, best \$1 garment in market, in July Sale - 65c | |

In Knit Underwear we have quite a good stock of popular priced goods and in this line we will show a perfect Land Slide in prices:

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| 10 dozen Ladies' Ribbed Vests, the regular \$3/4 to 10c kind, in this sale - 5c | 6 dozen Ladies Ribbed Vests, no better 25c garment on earth, but in July sale - 15c |
| 10 dozen Ladies' Ribbed Vests, better quality 15c or 2 for 25c, July sale \$3/4 | 5 dozen Ladies Ribbed Vests, all the way from 30 to 50c, any of them in this sale - 25c |
| 5 dozen Ladies Ribbed Vests best 20c value known to the trade, 12 1/2c | |

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