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BABY'S DRUG STORE

That means this store. We believe that we look after the baby's needs and comforts far more than do most drug stores. The baby should have the best. It is here in every infant medicine, in every infant article, in every infant food, every drug store article that baby needs. When you think of baby's wants in the drug line, think of this store. Beside the quality, our prices make it well worth the extra trouble to come here. With our complete stock of baby goods it is much easier to bring up a baby than it used to be. Colic, midnight floor walking and other annoyances have about been eliminated.

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The only drug store giving premium stamps.

Wedding at Appleby.
From Monday's Daily:

Yesterday afternoon at half past three o'clock, Mr. Mark Marshall and Miss Mattie Hunt were married at the residence of the bride's parents in Appleby.

Mr. Marshall is a young man who has every qualification for success, he belongs to one of the finest families in the county, his brother being Prof. F. P. Marshall, who was Principal of the Nacogdoches High school last year.

Miss Hunt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hunt. The Hunts are one of the leading families in Appleby, and Miss Mattie is one of the most attractive and loveable young ladies in a town noted for its pretty girls.

The two young people are leaders in society, and the Hunt home was crowded with guests on the occasion of the wedding.

The bride was dressed in cream colored crepe-de-chine. Miss Louella Hart of Nacogdoches, in a street costume, was her attendant, Mr. Ford Hale being best man. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Blakenship of Troupe, the large bride cake

was cut. The ring was found by J. L. Summers and the dime by Mr. L. Burrows, both guests from Nacogdoches, and cousins of the bride.

An elaborate supper was given in honor of the wedding at a later hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall will make their home in Appleby.

They were recipients of many handsome presents and overwhelmed with congratulations.

The Sentinel extends its best wishes to them both, and hopes now that the groom's Hunt for happiness has been crowned with success, that every incident of life will be Marshallled in their favor to scatter joy and gladness over a long life.

We have a big lot of plow shapes, plow stocks, Avery Steel Plows, Kelly Blue cast plows Steel points, cast points and all kinds of plow goods. The prices are right. Please call and see them.
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Made of only the best material and by expert workmen. The way a harness is made is the way you can tell how it will wear.

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The Saddle and Harness Men.

ED SKILLERN SHOT

And Mortally Wounded by Cal Scott Last Night.
From Thursday's Daily:

A little after dark last night Ed C. Skillern was shot and very dangerously, if not fatally wounded by Cal Scott. The shooting took place at the junction of the Melrose and Marion roads, at the foot of Orton Hill in the eastern suburbs of the city. So far as particulars can be obtained, it seems that Skillern had hauled a load of wood to Mrs. Takalero, who lives at the foot of the hill on South Church street and that Mrs. Taliaferro, being sick, requested Skillern to stop at her daughter's on his way back and inform her and ask her to come to her. The young woman lives in one of the little houses on the Marion road at the foot of Orton Hill. Skillern in obedience to the request of the old lady, stopped his team at the forks of the road and walked down to the house of the young woman to deliver the message. When he knocked at the door he was answered by Scott, who it is alleged spoke harshly to him. Skillern went back to his team, but before he drove off Scott and the woman came up to him. He asked Scott for an explanation of his conduct and the shooting resulted. Three shots were fired by Scott, one taking effect, entering Skillern's body under the left arm and lodging in the spine, right side of the back. Skillern was removed to Dr. Tucker's residence, where he still remains in a critical condition.

Skillern is about 44 years of age and has a large family. Scott is a livery man, about 30 years of age and has a family.

Scott gave himself up immediately after the shooting and was placed in jail.

The affair created quite a sensation, and aroused a good deal of indignation, at the first, but the excitement soon passed off, and now the whole community is waiting gloomily the turn for better or for worse of the unfortunate victim.

From Friday's Daily:
Ed Skillern, who was shot Wednesday night, is still alive and there is a possible chance that he will recover, though he may be a paralytic the remainder of his life. He is still at the home of Dr. Tucker.

Yesterday afternoon he was taken to the office of Dr. Smith and exposed to the X-Ray in order to locate the bullet, which it is believed either entered or is lodged against the spine. The machine worked successfully and Dr. Smith says that they got a good picture of the bullet, which is located just to the right of the spinal column. Skillern was not doing so well this morning, and an operation is to be performed this evening.

In reporting the shooting

yesterday, The Sentinel erred as to the exact spot where it occurred. Scott had passed across the lot back of the colored Methodist church opposite from where Skillern's team was located, and intersected Main street some distance this side. It seem that Skillern had followed, or intercepted him in order to demand an explanation for what had happened before. The shooting took place somewhere near the entrance to Austin & Herrin's brickyard.

Scott gave bond in the sum of one thousand dollars for his appearance at the examining trial and was released from jail yesterday.

Skillern is Dead.
Ed Skillern died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, surrounded by his family and near relatives. The scene at his death was one of the saddest ever witnessed in the city. He leaves a wife and ten children, an aged father and mother and several brothers and sisters all of whom were at his bedside when death relieved him of his sufferings.

Cal Scott was re-arrested immediately after the death of Skillern.

With thanks for past favors, and wishing each and all of our customers a happy and prosperous New Year, we beg to announce that we are still handling the good old Jno. Deere plows and their full line of Farming Implements, also a complete stock of Buggies, Surries and Farm Wagons, together with the most up-to-date line of Furniture ever shown in Nacogdoches, and will be pleased to have our friends call and lay in their supplies in this line at our store.

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Suits.		Overcoats.	
All our \$15.00 suits now	\$10.00	All our \$15 overcoats to go at	\$10.00
All our \$12.50 suits now	\$8.50	All our \$12 overcoats to go at	\$8.50
All our \$10.00 suits now	\$6.50	All our \$10 overcoats to go at	\$6.50
All our \$7.50 suits now	\$5.00	All our 7.50 overcoats to go at	\$5.00
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All our \$5.00 suits now	\$3.50	Boys Overcoats from	\$1. to \$6.
All our \$4.00 suits now	\$2.50	Pants.	
Boys Suits from	25c to \$5.00.	\$5.00 pants now	\$3.50
		\$4.00 pants now	\$3.00
		\$3.50 pants now	\$2.50
		\$3.00 and \$2.50 suits now	\$2.00
		\$2.00 pants now	\$1.50
		\$1.50 pants now	\$1.00

Don't miss it. "He who hesitates is lost." Back your better judgment and buy some of these undervalues.

Seale & Morgan,
Outfitters for Men, Women and Children.

Weekly Sentinel.

HALTOM & HALTOM, Proprietors.
R. W. HALTOM, Editor

STRAIGHTWAY go thou and pay thy poll tax.

ABOUT when are you going to pay your poll tax?

WE wouldn't miss voting all this year for no dollar and six bits.

THE Nacogdoches banks are all right. So is everything else around here.

WALL STREET is flirting too much with Hanna for Teddy's ease and comfort.

"PAY that thou owest" to the tax collector. Be sure that it includes your poll tax.

EAST TEXAS has "shore" got the corn and bacon and lasses for one more year's run.

THE death of Gen. Gordon leaves Gen. Stephen D. Lee, of Mississippi, the ranking Confederate General now living.

NEW YORK is offering fifty thousand dollars for the national democratic convention. Wish it was our power to "deliver the goods."

YOU will not save your poll tax by forfeiting your vote. You will have to pay it, just the same, and a penalty with it, if you are worth it.

THE Nacogdoches county farmer who is most successful in heading off the boll weevil will be driving in an elegant new Mitchell wagon this time next year.

ED KELLY, the man who killed Bob Ford, the slayer of Jesse James, was himself killed by an officer at Oklahoma City Wednesday while resisting arrest.

RUSSIA has announced that all treaties between the powers and China with regard to Manchuria will be respected, whatever may become of the quarrel with Japan.

RUSSIA was "alarmed" at last reports. When Russia is alarmed the Japs are bold. It is like a row between a man and his wife, both never get mad at the same time.

MARK HANNA has been re-elected to the United States Senate from Ohio. If he doesn't run for president—he will have a seat in the national capitol for six more years.

THE World's Fair will be a drawing card for St. Louis this year, and it is likely that that city will capture most of the National Conventions, political or otherwise that are held during 1904.

THE anti prohibitionists held a meeting last week in Houston to formulate a plan to make a political instead of a moral question of the whiskey traffic. They are playing with fire and will get badly burned unless they drop the matter. The liquor question can be settled along present lines.—Livingston Local.

FARMERS' UNION.

The trouble is with some of these farmers unions that the first thing they do is to jump on the merchant and those who are engaged in business that handle such goods as are in demand among the farmers with the threat to break them up in business if they fail to make such concessions for their trade as they deem sufficient. The real object of farmers unions should be the combining for the purpose of understanding each other, to know how to pull together in obtaining the best market for what they have to sell as well as keep informed as to the prices of what they buy. It will not be a success if they get up an antagonism between themselves and the local merchants. To boycott a merchant, or to obligate themselves to give all their trade to some particular merchant who is willing to pander to them will create a disharmony that will result disastrously. Let the farmers organize their unions for the purpose of more intelligently pursuing their calling, disseminating a more thorough knowledge of the conditions of the crops, the markets, current prices, exchanging experience, etc., but not to do up the local merchant. One would be a failure without the other. To fight the town by clubbing together and sending away for supplies would result in a loss in the long-run that would for outweigh all possible gain by pursuing such a course. We believe in farmers' unions; believe that farmers should be more strongly allied to each other, more at harmony and in closer touch in all their movements. Present conditions in East Texas demands that they should be. Yet we think it ill advised to start a movement, such as has already been made manifest in Nacogdoches, whereby a feeling is being engendered that may cause a serious breach between two elements that are utterly dependent upon each other. We long to see an organization whereby the farmer and merchant can be brought closer together, not one that will set them to warring with each other; hence we admonish our farmer friends to proceed in this new move with caution.

GEN. S. D. LEE, has been made commander of the United Confederate Veterans as successor to the late Gen. John B. Gordon. He will establish general headquarters at Columbus, Miss.

THE initial number of the Willis Weekly Saxon has made its appearance at this office. The Saxon is edited by a young lady, Miss Myrtle Loggins, daughter of L. L. (Pete) Loggins, and bears evidence of editorial ability and mechanical skill. Pete Loggins, remembered, of the San Antonio, Tex. Many years ago he was suspended from leaving the country on account of trouble. Of late years he has been located at Willis, Montgomery county, where he is enjoying a lucrative practice of his profession—medicine.

THE war cloud in the East is blowing over and the prospects are good that Japan and Russia will settle their differences without burning powder. So mote it be.

THE proposition of Mayer & Schmidt to give prizes to farmers making the best fight on the boll weevil is interesting the progressive farmers throughout the county.

EVEN the Houston Post is anxious to see the Panama treaty ratified. Senator Bailey will have to give the Post a raking over the coals for deserting him on a final show down.

BROWN and Sully, the two cotton bulls, have formed a combination and they propose to begin a bull campaign soon that will make the one of last summer and fall look like "thirty cents." Let 'em go it, if it keeps the prices up.

THE state democratic primaries will be held throughout Louisiana on next Tuesday, the 19th inst. The Blanchard and Jestremski fight for governor will be bitter, though at this distance it looks favorable for Blanchard.

LAKE CHARLES has organized a stock company with a capital of \$100,000 to build a hotel in that city. It will be a modern, fire proof building with one hundred and twelve rooms. That's the kind of a hotel Nacogdoches* will have to build pretty soon.

THE Roosevelt adherents will not let the Hanna boom let die. They maintain that Hanna is a candidate in spite of his frequent manifestations to the contrary, and Foraker is leading a fight in Ohio against the election of Hanna delegates to the national republican convention. Thus they are constantly fanning the fire and adding fuel to the Hanna flame.

THOSE papers making war on Hon. Lee Blanchette because he has failed to feed them on pie are mostly republican and populistic in their tendencies, and heretofore had no voice except as the opponents of democracy, and therefore are not entitled to any of his patronage. The democratic papers of Mr. Blanchette's home deny the charge against him and are supporting him as a unit. This ought to be sufficient.

THE papers tell us about a tiny bacillus with a long name saving a fellow up in Illinois from the hangman's noose. This microbe found its way into the wound of Thomas Gentleman, of Fremont, whom Foster shot. Death followed, as a matter of course, for the bacillus is deadly and is known as the bacillus diplocadulatus-aerogenes. The hospital surgeons at Fremont declare that Gentleman had one chance in 1000 to recover. This chance was eliminated when the microbe appeared. Because of this the county attorney is compelled to withdraw his charge of murder in the first degree. The papers haven't reported the arrest of the bacillus.

WAIL FROM THE LOST.

Farmersville Sentinel.

THE Sentinel is Democratic, but it is a free lance in the councils of the party. We do not advocate the cause of any man before the primary on account of his personality or our personal regard for him. On the other hand, if men do not come up to our standard of what is right and proper in their official acts, it is no evidence of personal dislike should we antagonize their aspirations. Last week we endeavored to set forth in clear and unmistakable English that this paper could not be worked in the pending campaign. But it seems as if some people will not understand. We are again asked to do the catpaw act. Now comes a newspaper and deposits and says that Hon. Lee Blanchette, candidate for state comptroller, has done so and so, and has refused to do so and so; and we are asked to please make editorial mention of same. Thunderation! What do we care about such "silly stuff? If Lee Blanchette, acting as the purchasing agent of Jefferson county, ignored his home printers (which we do not believe) he was under bond and was doing the best he could for the people whose agent he was. A newspaper or a printing house ought to have something better to commend it to the general public than that it is a "home institution." There should be merit and co operation on the part of the paper, and as this paper making a charge against Blanchett is reliably republican, its grievance has no standing in democratic councils. We had intended remaining quiet—just say nothing and saw wood—but such foolish charges gives us that tired feeling. We have known Lee Blanchette for years; long before the hair on his forehead began to grow thin we knew and loved him. Since our first acquaintance many changes have come to both of us, but time has not chilled that friendship and if you want to get our Irish blood up just intimate that Lee is untrue to Texas. We know better—that's all, and if his enemies cannot get anything more tangible than this "silly rot" they had better blow off their dogs.

When Blanchett is comptroller every clerk in that department will hold his or her place on merit alone, and not because of relationship to their chief.

THE completion of the Isthmian Canal, no matter which route it goes, means millions to Texas. Our United States Senators are opposing the Roosevelt policy against the best interests of the State, though they may be right in principle.

WHEN asked what he thought of the Panama Canal ex-Governor Hogg replied about as follows: "If you are standing in the lot with your greyhound beside you and your wife milking a cow near the center, and you see a rabbit on the other side and your hound makes for him but runs over your wife and

May Move to Timpson

Timpson has an opportunity to secure a new industrial enterprise that will be of considerable importance—the Banita Manufacturing Plant. It does all classes of scroll and turned work, makes all kinds of moulding, manufactures store fronts and fixtures and does the finest cabinet work. Many handsome mantels from this plant are seen in Timpson now, as well as other of their products, and we hope to be able to announce in a day or two that the enterprise is secured. A. C. Ireson is here looking after the proposition.—Timpson Times.

The Banita Manufacturing Plant is not only a valuable and useful enterprise in Nacogdoches, but it has heretofore figured as an important factor in the building and improvement of the town and community and we should regret exceedingly to see it moved away. The Ireson boys are of old for Nacogdoches, and have striven hard to build up an enterprise of which the city ought to feel proud. It is with profound regret that they have been compelled to seek other fields, chiefly for the want of financial backing with which to keep their plant abreast with the march of progress, and no one will experience a greater grief upon their leaving Nacogdoches than they will themselves.

BETTER take a day off and pay your poll tax.—Lufkin Tribune.

Better take a dollar and six-bits.

WONDER what Santa Claus has for us?—Troupe Star.

Have you a sock for him to put in?—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

Had a pair of them. Hung one up by the desk, pulled the stove pipe out of the flue so he could get through, locked the door and went off for five days and came back and found it stuffed with new subscriptions—and everyone accompanied with the cash, too.—Troupe Star.

Christmas is a bad time to go about with only one sock, but we wouldn't mind doing it our own self for such a reward as that. Think we'll try it next Christmas, if we can borrow a pair of socks.

HON. T. M. CAMPBELL, of Palestine, was a recent visitor to Beaumont. He came quietly, transacted private business and departed. Mr. Campbell is among the ablest and most distinguished citizens of Texas, and there are thousands of people who think he would make a splendid governor. If he could be induced to contest the re-nomination of Lanham the subsequent proceedings would be decidedly interesting, for the Terrell election law places a serious handicap on the Texas political junta.—Beaumont Journal.

It is hardly to be believed that Mr. Campbell could be induced to contest the re-nomination of Gov. Lanham, but he will be in line as his successor and will no doubt be a candidate. Then those "decidedly interesting proceedings" will be made especially interesting to all opposition.

Will Forest is a candidate for sheriff of Cherokee county Will used to live in Nacogdoches and has scores of friends here who will "holler" for him, or "deaden timber" for all they are worth.

CONGRESS HAS JUST APPROPRIATED \$29,711,700 TO COVER THE LEGISLATIVE, EXECUTIVE AND JUDICIAL EXPENSE BILLS, THIS BEING THE SECOND BIG APPROPRIATION PASSED FOR THE SAME PURPOSE. THERE IS A WIDE MARGIN YET, HOWEVER ON THE BILLION, AND BILLION DOLLAR CONGRESS ARE NOT UNUSUAL OF LATE.

THE Taylor Democrat makes this sensible suggestion: "Educate your children in Texas and they will have an acquaintanceship which will be invaluable to them in afterlife in a business way, not to speak of the social side of the question. And then their education will be in no way inferior to that to be gotten in other states. Texas is not short on brains in any quarter, and especially is this the case with her teachers."—Palestine Herald.

THE Havana & Sumatra Tobacco Company will invest fifteen thousand dollars in tobacco experiments and erecting a tobacco warehouse in Nacogdoches. They will supply seed free to every farmer who will raise tobacco, give him advice free and obligate themselves to buy every pound of tobacco raised under their supervision at its highest market value. Even the government cannot offer anything more liberal than this and Nacogdoches should extend a cordial right hand of welcome to these people.

PROSECUTING the owners of the Iroquois theatre in Chicago is of little comfort to the seven hundred people that are dead. Let the city profit by the terrible experience and make laws to prohibit the repetition of such a horror. Thousands of people are killed every year in railroad wrecks, but we have never heard of a railroad president being arrested. The builders of the Chicago theatre may have constructed a regular death trap, but they certainly did not do it premeditatedly and maliciously. All fatal calamities are due more or less to carelessness on somebody's part.

THE Texas Senators in congress are being congratulated by their Texas friends for the position they have taken in the Panama Canal affair. At the same time all are congratulating each other that the position thus taken will "cut no ice" in preventing the building of the canal. Just manufacturing campaign thunder; that's all. Whatever the leading lights of democracy think of it, we don't believe they can ever turn a vote from Roosevelt on account of his canal policy, and as this country needs the canal the best thing to do is let him go on and build it. The quicker the better. The danger of Roosevelt's defeat for building the canal will never be as great as it would be to the democratic party to prevent it from being built.

A DENISON FIRM

To Open Big Racket Store in Nacogdoches.

Messrs. Hall Brothers, of Denison, have leased the Hazle building and will open up a large stock of general racket goods in a short while. The Messrs. Hall have not only made arrangements to go in business here but have invested in property here, having bought the Owen place five miles from the city on the Tyler road. They will engage in fruit growing as well as merchandising. These people come highly recommended as men of means and business ability. The Sentinel extends them a cordial welcome on behalf of the community generally.

Pleasant and Most Effective.

T J Chambers, editor Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasantest remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1. Perkins Bros.

W. G. Wade, of Looneyville, sends in the weights of four pigs which he killed last week. The net aggregate weight of the four was 1620 pounds. We are hearing from lots of these kind of hog killings these days, which speaks well for the progressiveness of the farmers of Nacogdoches county.

Don't Become Discouraged But use Simmons' Liver Purifier (tin box). Many imitations of the original, so be careful and see that it's "Purifier" and manufactured by the A. C. Simmons Jr. Medicine Co.

ESTRAYS—Brown mooley cow, white spot on one side of nose, had on large bell. Last seen at Wooten.

1 Bos. O. Farrell, Libby, Tex.

Woodmen Installation.

The Woodmen of the World installed the following officers last night for the ensuing term of one year:

C. C., Chas. E. Davis. Adv: Lieut., A. T. Crawford.

Clerk, P. E. DeLamar. Banker, J. E. Floyd. Manager, Oscar Hall. Escort, H. T. Mast. Watchman, Burrows Emmons.

Sentry, C. E. Richardson. Physicians, J. H. Barham and A. A. Nelson.

There was a large attendance, including a number of visitors from neighboring camps.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D. Of Waverly, Texas, writes:

"Of a morning when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1. Perkins Bros.

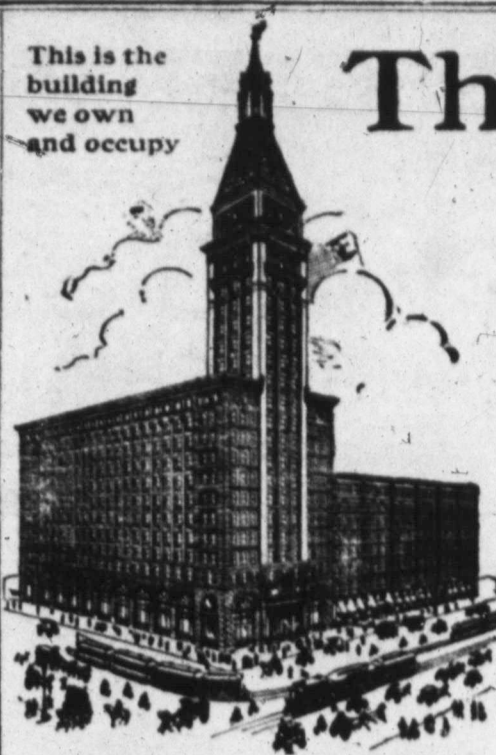
W. B. Thomas, of Butte, Montana, is visiting relatives in this county. He is the guest of his cousin, J. W. Price, near Cushing, who is selling out preparatory to accompanying Mr. Thomas on his return to Montana and will locate permanently there.

For Sale or Trade.

Two good horses 8 years old and well broke, cheap for cash, or will trade for pair of small mules and a pony, which must be well broke and not too old. J. W. McCall, Chireno, Texas.

At best life is but short. Do not make it shorter yet by rank neglect of that cough of yours, when one bottle of Simon's Cough Syrup would cure you. Guaranteed. Price 25 and 50c.

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Ask for our 10-color Wall Hanger.

Catalogue 72

containing over 1100 pages of pictures and descriptions of everything you see, wear or use, at 10 to 50 per cent below retail prices, will be sent for 15 cents to partly pay postage. Costs us almost a dollar to print and forward. Fill in the blank spaces here, tear out this advertisement, and mail to us in an envelope. If you want the hanger, enclose 8 cents; if you want the catalogue, enclose 15 cents; if you want both, enclose 20 cents.

Do it NOW, before you forget!

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Cured Lumbago.

A B-Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments gave it up altogether. So I tried once more and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c and \$1. Perkins Bros.

Mr. A. A. Morgan, of Athens, is in the city. He is establishing a furniture business here and will open at once in the building adjoining The Sentinel on Church street. He will carry a general line of furniture on the instalment plan, and will buy and sell second hand furniture. There is a good opening here for such a business and Mr. Morgan will no doubt find it a profitable field.

Children Poisoned.

Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak, if not killed outright, by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung trouble, and is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates or other poisons.—Perkins Bros.

The Commercial National Bank solicits your deposits no matter how small and treats all business as confidential. Save your money by keeping it with us.

A Life at Stake.

If you but knew the splendid merit of Foley's Honey and Tar you would never be without it. A dose or two would prevent an attack of pneumonia or la grippe. It may save your life. Perkins Bros.

Bert Holt, of Farmersville, arrived in the city yesterday. He will work during the coming year for Stripling, Haselwood & Co., as general salesman and assistant pharmacist.

Stop It.

A neglected cough or cold may lead to serious bronchial or lung troubles. Don't take chances when Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security from serious effects of a cold.

Ed M. Weatherby and little daughter, Mary, of Garrison, are visiting in the city.

Pneumonia and La Grippe. Cough cured quickly by Foley's Honey and Tar. Refuse substitutes. Perkins Bros.

Train Accident at Timpson.

The westbound local ran into one of Johns & Fory's teams this morning, killing both horses, bruising up the driver considerably and making kindling wood out of the wagon. A white man named Davis was driving the team; he had just finished loading shavings and started across the track. The noise of the planing mill machinery drowned the noise of the oncoming train and the planer shed hid it from view, consequently, when he drove on the track the train was right on him and neither had opportunity to avoid the collision.—Timpson Times.

Imperfect Digestion.

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50c a bottle. Perkins Bros.

Cures Blood and Skin Diseases, Itching Humors, Etc.

Send no money—simply write and try Botanic Blood Balm at our expense. A personal trial of Blood Balm is better than a thousand printed testimonials, so don't hesitate to write for a free sample. If you suffer from ulcers, eczema, scrofula, blood poison, cancer, eating sores, itching skin, pimples, boils, bone pains, swellings, rheumatism, catarrh, or any blood or skin disease, we advise you to take Botanic Blood Balm (BBB), especially recommended for old, obstinate, deep-seated cases of malignant blood or skin diseases because Botanic Blood Balm (BBB) kills the poison in the blood, cures where all else fail, heals every sore, makes the blood pure and rich, gives the skin the rich glow of health. BBB, the most perfect blood purifier made. Thoroughly tested for 30 years. Costs \$1 per large bottle at drug stores. To prove it cures, sample of Blood Balm sent free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. This is an honest offer—Medicine sent prepaid.

John Burford has sold his home to R. W. Haselwood but will continue to occupy the house for the present.

Change in Business.

To whom it may concern: The following changes have been made in the co-partnership of Cason, Richardson & Co., at Nacogdoches, Texas. Messrs. H. and W. U. Perkins have sold their entire interest in the business to D. K. Cason and C. E. Richardson, who will continue the business under the firm name of Cason & Richardson, they assuming all the liabilities of the old firm, collecting the outstanding claims.

We each thank our many friends and customers for their past patronage and earnestly solicit a continuance to the new firm.

Respectfully,

H. Perkins, W. U. Perkins, D. K. Cason, C. E. Richardson.

All itching diseases are embarrassing as well as annoying. Hunt's Cure will instantly relieve and permanently cure all forms of such diseases. Guaranteed. Price 50c.

Hogs weighing four hundred pounds and upward are getting common. W. R. Baker killed one this morning weighing 450 pounds dressed.

We are SOLE DISTRIBUTORS For Arkansas, Louisiana & Texas



FOR 4 Great Brands

Of Pure and Unadulterated Whiskey

which enables us to sell at prices no higher than others sell inferior goods. To convince you, we will ship you,

EXPRESS PREPAID.

4 Full Qts. Private Stock, \$2.50

4 Full Qts. Belle Louisiana, \$2.75

4 Full Qts. Golden Rye, \$3.00

4 Full Qts. Virginia Mt. Rye, \$3.20

We guarantee satisfaction. If not as represented, return at our expense and your money will be cheerfully refunded. We are the OLD RELIABLE, and refer to any bank or business house as to our responsibility. Give us a trial.

Kaufman & Myer,
104-106 Texas Street,
Shreveport, Louisiana.



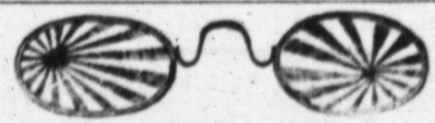
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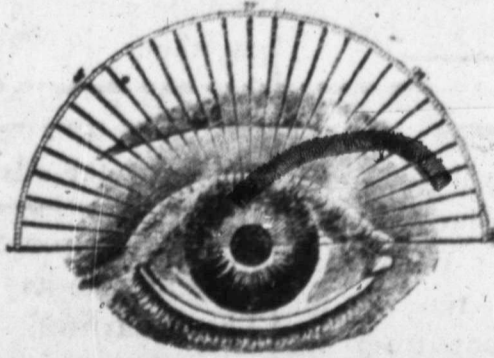
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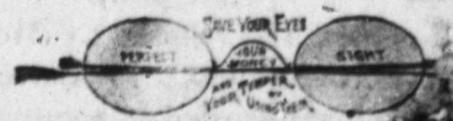
Cheap Lenses Improperly Centered.



Illustrating various angles of Astigmatism



One of Shindler's many instruments.



Lower prices than

Best for Visual Acuteness.

The above are object lessons showing that you should not trust your eyes to incompetent persons calling themselves opticians. From my increased patronage and the universal satisfaction given, you are safe in coming to me. No charge for examination, and moderate charges for perfect service. My Chrystal Periscopic Toric and Lenticular lenses scientifically fitted and adjusted give perfect gratification.

R. C. SHINDLER, Graduate Optician.

\$24,651.69

WORTH OF MERCHANDISE TO BE SLAUGHTERED.

\$24,651.69

The above is the stock of goods recently bought by Jno. W. Davis of S. Kaplan & Bro at Nacogdoches, and the same is now on sale at Kaplan's old stand.

This is the greatest event the buying public has ever known in Nacogdoches and will last for 30 days only, ending February 14, 1904.

Everything Will be Sold Regardless of Cost

Nothing reserved. The entire stock of clean and up-to-date merchandise at your own price. Below are only a few of the thousand things offered at a great sacrifice:

Staples.		Embroideries		Ladies' Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs		Shoes.			
2500 yards fancy bright Prints per yard	.32	2700 yards Embroideries This is a new lot just arrived. You will find nothing but the prettiest patterns in this lot, from 3 to 7 inches in width, regular and 20c quality, now	.84	63 dozen Ladies' Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in all the latest designs, regular 25c quality, now	.10	79 pair ladies shoes former price \$1.50, now	.95		
2000 yards Cotton Flannel, the 8 1-3c quality	.4	5,000 REMNANTS Consisting of Laces, Embroideries and Ribbons. Staple and Fancy Dress Goods ranging from two to ten yard pieces - - - - ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.				240 pair ladies solid leather shoes, \$2 kind, now	\$1.30		
600 yards Mattress Ticking, the 8 1-3 kind, now	.4					45 dozen men's sweaters, in red and blue stripes, regular 50c and 75c quality, now	.25	63 dozen Men's negligee and white dress shirts in all the newest patterns, warranted fast colors, all sizes, \$1. quality, now	.49
1500 yards good heavy gingham, fast colors, warranted, 10 cent kind, now	.52	Yours for Big Bargains, <h1>JNO. W. DAVIS</h1>						82 pair men's dress shoes, every pair guaranteed to be solid leather, now	\$1.30
700 yards fancy drapery in the newest designs, the kind you pay 8c for, now	.4							46 pair Bostonian shoes for men, standard brand, regular price \$3.50, now	\$2.75

Weekly Sentinel.

HALTOM & HALTOM, Proprietors.
R. W. HALTOM, Editor

Howdy do? Have you paid your poll tax?

ONLY ten days left in which to pay your poll tax.

TAKE a running start and go to the tax collector's office and pay your poll tax.

THE Hearst boom isn't very noisy just now, but it is running deep and spreading silently.

THE government statistics show nearly a thousand ginners less the past year than were reported in 1902.

WE are glad Mr. Bryan has returned from Europe. His absence was almost like the loss of the head of a family.

THERE are vagrants enough in every community in the "black belt" to build and maintain first-class public roads, if the law was carried out.

THE democratic national convention will be held in St. Louis. Hon. W. J. Bryan will publish a daily paper in that city during the convention.

SENATOR BAILEY declares he will retire from public life before he will vote to ratify the Panama treaty. To quote a very old saw: "We glory in his spunk, but d-n his judgment." We don't believe a word of it no how.

PARKER seems to lead in favor with the national democratic executive committee. Hearst comes second.

THIRTEEN cents for cotton is very gratifying to farmers. That's what it fetches in Nacogdoches this week.

THE Texas Farm and Ranch wants national aid in the campaign for better roads. We don't need it, if we would enforce the vagrant law and utilize convict labor.

THE Railroad Echo, of Houston and the Saxon, of Willis, are the same as "two twins." They are as much alike as two pretty dresses off the same bolt of cloth.

THE Daughters of the Republic have secured \$4,000 of the \$20,000 necessary to purchase the Alamo, or rather to make the first payment. The property will cost \$75,000.

TALK of canning factories has died out again and the tomato grower will plant cotton in his last year's tomato patch. He can't raise them just to ship a few of the choicest selections from his first crop.

JUST to play a prank a young man Portney's home now Mr. Brooks, the night he was being attacked by assassins, and fired a load of buckshot at the young man, not knowing who it was until he had killed him. This is a mighty poor way to play jokes.

THAT fool fellow Foster at Corsicana that quit his wife to marry her mother is a new kind of freak. That's a new way of disposing of a mother-in-law.

THE tax collector has issued approximately 2,500 poll tax receipts to date. There are 4,600 assessed, leaving 2100 delinquents. There are only ten days more in which to pay up.

PROF. R. B. COUSINS, of Huntsville, is a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction. There are also several other cousins from various other sections of the state bidding for the same job.

THE deficit in the State treasury continues to grow and the holders of warrants are clamoring for a special session of the legislature to provide sufficient revenue to pay them off. It is possible that the governor will call a special session for the purpose of raising the ad valorem rate.

THE Garrison Signal is no more, but in its stead comes The Garrison Gleaner, a spicy little five column, all home print. The Signal was purchased by Messrs. C. H. and C. F. Barrett, who discarded its name and started a new paper. W. C. Simpson is editor of the new paper, and there is a page turned over completely to "Uncle Juno," who is to be allowed to "cuss to his heart's content the courtesy colonels, shyster lawyers, perooting politicians, medical misnomers and any

other subject that he may feel disposed to annihilate," without restraint or interference. One thing is sure of The Gleaner: "There's something in it." In its salutatory The Gleaner says: "We commence a new paper, with a new name—with new hopes, inspirations, aspirations and, perhaps, perspirations. We take hold with the staunch intention to train with truth—with no attorney tricks of "turn out your toes, and we'll tickle you, too, Tommie." To look up, and out—to love, learn and "laff" just as near as a longing to lean over, and lift in lucre, will allow. We shall try to fill that ever occurring "want" of "sumpen teat" and satisfy that "akin void" that a fellow feels, frequently, from a forced fast from fried flap jacks, or "fritcaseed frog." The Sentinel extends a cordial greeting to The Gleaner and shall anxiously look forward to its weekly arrivals at this office.

HAVE to go abroad to get the news. A report from Washington announces that Hon. S. B. Cooper will be opposed for re-election to congress by Hon. M. L. Brooks. This had been rumored before but not authoritatively. Both are from Beaumont, and we serve notice right now that that end of the district had better look a "leedle out." They will hear "sounds from the north" if there is to be any scrambling. This end of the district is only biding its time, and there is mighty good material up here to make congressmen of.

WANT ALL OUR TOBACCO.

Will Contract for Crop Before the Seed Is in the Ground.
Houston Chronicle.

Mr. L. H. Sheller, former tobacco expert for the United States agricultural department, accompanied by Mr. J. L. McFarlin of the Havana, Florida and Sumatra Company, one of the largest tobacco concerns in the South, is in the city from New Orleans en route to Nacogdoches, where Mr. McFarlin propose to submit a proposition to the tobacco growers of Nacogdoches country to take their entire 1904 tobacco crop, regardless of what proportions it reaches.

This is one of the results of the Southern Pacific's policy of developing the tobacco industry of the state and giving it widespread notoriety. Having become convinced that Texas can produce the finest tobacco grown, the Southern Pacific is spreading this information all over the world, with the result that tobacco men of the United States are becoming greatly interested in the tobacco production of Texas.

The Havana, Florida and Sumatra Tobacco Company seems to have awakened to the fact that moves must be made quickly if it would secure the bulk of the Texas product, and that is what Mr. McFarlin is doing here now. This company will contract with the farmers to take all their tobacco, even before the seed is planted. This will enable the farmers to know exactly what profits they can

expect from their crops, barring the uncertainty of the season and if enough contracts can be made to cover the entire production of Texas tobacco during 1904 the Havana, Florida and Sumatra Company will secure it all.

Of course the farmers may exercise their own prerogatives about making this sort of a contract. The idea of the company is to encourage the production as much as possible, and this encouragement will find the heartiest approval of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

The main quality of tobacco desired is the wrapper. This must be grown in the shade, and if enough contracts can be secured by the Florida company it will doubtless send a representative here to advise the farmers in regard to the cultivation of their crops.

It is expected that the proposition will greatly stimulate the tobacco industry of Texas, as it means that the farmers who engage in the cultivation of tobacco need not worry about the disposition of their crops, this matter being already settled before the seed is planted.

HON. H. B. SHORT authorizes the Times to announce him as a candidate for judge of the second judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic primaries. Mr. Short is one of the strongest lawyers in the district, and is without fear or favor. Litigants before him would receive impartial treatment.—Timpson Times.

LOOK HERE!

Repent and be Baptised in a Line of Bargains, is my Motto.

I buy, sell and exchange all kinds of

Second-Hand Furniture.

Bargains for all. Come and see them.

A. A. MORGAN,

First door north of Sentinel office.

MELROSE LETTER.

Newsy Items From The Sentinel's Correspondent.

All our young friends who were home for Xmas and the holidays, have returned to school. Miss Norma Swift to Logansport, Henry Mast to Jacksonville, and Ellis Mast to St. Louis. Ellis will complete his course of studies this term and will return to us an accomplished and well informed young physician. His young bride remained at the parental home during his absence.

There are several families down with the measles. Kit Patton's and Mr. Moody's family have about recovered, but the children of Wesley Morris, Jeff Blakely and Mrs. Reese are still sick. May they soon recover and our measles time be over.

Mr. Moody is having a new house built.

Louis Haltom is having his house remodeled and adding more. When it is finished he will have a beautiful and comfortable home.

Rev. Burke and family spent last week among their friends through the country. Mr. Burke is a popular and pleasant gentleman as well as a good Methodist preacher, and finds a welcome wherever he goes.

Despite the measles and cold weather, Melrose has a

good school. The earnest efforts of the teachers and hearty co-operation of parents are doing a great deal toward making a good school record. The pupils are interested, too, and every thing is just as a school should be.

There are important tidings to the farmer in Mayer & Schmidt's advertisement.

Congratulations.

Mr John H. Cullom, editor of the Garland, Texas News, has written a letter of congratulation to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as follows: "Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croupy spells and we would be very uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup, we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results. One good feature of this remedy is that it is not disagreeable to take and our babies really like it. Another is that it is not dangerous, and there is no risk from giving an overdose. I congratulate you upon the success of your remedy." For sale by Perkins Bros.

Our King's Improved cotton seed arrived today.
G. H. Davidson Est.

APPLEBY LETTER.

The News From Our Flourishing Little Neighbor.

Appleby Texas Jan. 17 1904.—The weather continues very fine and the farmers are very busy preparing for their next crop. New improvements such as new dwellings, barns, fences, etc., are to be seen on every side, working the developments of our flourishing little town and prosperous country around.

Our school has opened its spring term with renewed energy and vigor, with a very large attendance. It is estimated that our school will turn out about 20 or 25 teachers this spring to teach in and for this county. The people are very slow about paying their school taxes here; only about one third paid today and all should remember that Jan. 31st is the limit and after that date there will be a penalty attached for delinquents, so they should see Jno. Weatherly or F. P. Skeeters and settle same at once.

Rev. E. D. Blankenship, of Troupe, pastor of the Baptist church here, filled his regular appointment today.

Mrs. Dr. Fears, has been very sick for several days but is now convalescing.

Mr. Warner Linthicum was called to Tenaha this week on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. A. Doolittle spent part of this week in Center on business.

Messrs L B Carlton, and Ed League made a flying trip to Center this week.

Mrs. W E Thompson of Nacogdoches is visiting her father here Prof. Geo. M. Hale.

Mr. Clebe Meador, of Nacogdoches spent today in Appleby.

Miss Lou Ella Hart of Nacogdoches came up yesterday to be present today at the wedding of Mr. J. M. Marshall to Miss Mattie Hunt. Both are of the best families of our country, and we all wish them much peace and pleasure in their new life.

Miss Lilly Spights assistant teacher at Logansport, visited her cousin here last week, Mrs. Cora Hartt.

On next Saturday night Appleby No. 1219 W. O. W. will have a public installation of officers. Other camps, as well as the public, are invited

to attend. Besides the ceremonies of installation we will have the following program:

1 Music by band; 2 Opening ode by Camp; 3 Duties of our officers, W. L. Ellington; 4 Quartette; 5 Comment on objects of Woodcraft, M. T. Peterson; 6 Music by band; 7 Essay on the human skull, W. G. Hartt; 8 Quartette; 9 Music by band.

What's in a Name?

Everything is in the name when it comes to Witch Hazel Salve, E. C. DeWitt & Co. of Chicago, discovered some years ago how to make a salve from Witch Hazel that is a specific for piles. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, eczema, cuts, burns, bruises and all skin diseases DeWitt's Salve has no equal. This has given rise to numerous worthless counterfeits. Ask for DeWitt's the genuine. Sold by Perkins Bros.

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

The Baptist fifth Sunday meeting will be held at Trinity community on the 29th, 30th and 31st of the month. Dinner on the ground Friday and Saturday. A large representation of the brethren is looked for from all over the county, and a cordial invitation is extended all to attend.

A Vest-Pocket Doctor.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. A vial of these little pills in the vest-pocket is a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Sold by Perkins Bros.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Saturday night, the 16th inst. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cooper. The appearance of this little Miss adds the fourth generation to the happy family that occupy the Cooper home, all well and hearty—Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Green and Miss Green.

Serious Stomach Trouble Cured. I was troubled with a distress in my stomach, sour stomach and vomiting spells, and can truthfully say that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me.

Mrs T V Williams, Laingburg Mich. These tablets are guaranteed to cure every case of stomach trouble of this character. For sale by Perkins Bros.



Prices Delivered.

GALLON		GALLON	
Camp Hollow	\$4.00	Burn Malt Rye	\$3.25
Parker Rye	\$4.00	Kepong Club	\$3.25
Montreal Malt Rye	\$4.00	Old Sunny South	\$3.00
Rock Moor	\$2.75		

CASE GOODS.

Red Top Rye, per qt	\$1.50	Home Rye, per qt	\$1.00
Red Raven, per qt	\$1.25	Morgan Jones, per qt	\$1.00
Geisha Malt Rye, per qt	\$1.00		

Nothing less than gallon delivered.

S. B. & B. WALKER.
ATHENS, TEXAS.

Just One Minute.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by Perkins Bros.

Come and see our Ladies Shawls, Capes and Jackets. They will go cheap.

Geo. H. Davidson, Est.

Mr Wm S Crane, of California, Md., suffered for years from rheumatism and lumbago. He was finally advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which he did and it effected a complete cure. This liniment is for sale by Perkins Bros.

A Prisoner in Her Own Home.

Mrs. W H Layha of 1001 Agnes avenue, Kansas City, Mo., has for several years been troubled with severe hoarseness and at times a hard cough, which she says "Would keep me in doors for days. I was prescribed for by physicians with no noticeable results. A friend gave me part of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with instructions to closely follow the directions and I wish to state that after the first day I could notice a decided change for the better, and at this time after using it for two weeks, have no hesitation in saying I realize I am entirely cured." This remedy is for sale by Perkins Bros.

They must go regardless of what they cost—Capes, Shawls and Jackets.

Geo. H. Davidson, Est.

Wanted to buy. Second hand pony saw mill. Will pay cash.

J. C. Lucas,
Sagul, Tex.

CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

BARGAINS. BARGAINS BARGAINS.

- 60 pairs men's best work shoes, fresh stock, per pair..... \$1.25
- 60 pairs ladies' best work shoes, fresh stock, per pair..... \$1.00
- 48 pairs ladies' dongola shoes, fresh stock, per pair..... \$1.35
- 36 pairs ladies' dongola shoes, fresh stock, per pair..... \$1.50
- 30 pairs small sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2, sold at \$2 to \$3, per pair..... \$1.00
- 20 yards calico..... \$1.00
- 20 pounds fancy Y.C. sugar..... \$1.00
- 20 pounds good rice..... \$1.00
- 10 pounds choice coffee..... \$1.00
- Shotten's roasted coffee, bags or buckets..... \$1.00
- 100 pound sack salt..... 40c
- 200 pound sack salt..... 85c
- High grade A1 flour..... \$1.25
- 10-pound caddy Long Pole tobacco..... \$2.95
- 5 pound School Bucket soda..... 25c

All Winter Goods and Clothing at Actual Cost

And many bargains to be had that space will not allow me to mention. My motto: "Quick Sales and Small Profits." Yours to please.

T. B. HARDEMAN.

THERE'S A DIFFERENCE.

Have you ever noticed what a marked difference there is in Furniture?

You can't always judge good furniture by the price—some dealers put high prices on cheap stuff because it happens to show up well. With us it's different—we have a small per centage we add to the factory cost to each article alike. We show our customers the difference, and how the cheap and the good kind of furniture is made. Come and see us and we'll convince you with the fact that our prices are right. We'll appreciate your business.

BURK'S FURNITURE STORE.

Ayer's

Falling hair means weak hair. Then strengthen your hair; feed it with the only hair food, Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, makes the hair

Hair Vigor

grow, completely cures dandruff. And it always restores color to gray hair, all the rich, dark color of early life.

"My hair was falling out badly and I was afraid I would lose it all. Then I used Ayer's Hair Vigor. It quickly stopped the falling and made my hair as thick and glossy as it used to be."

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

for Falling Hair

THURSDAY'S LOCALS.

Rev. T. B. Harrell returned to San Augustine today.

C. S. Baines, of Cushing, was in the city today.

Mr. Daniels, of Cushing, is in town this morning on business.

Joe M. Fuller, of Attoyac, was a caller at The Sentinel office this morning.

L. H. Calcote, of Denning, and post master at that place, is in the city today.

Mr. John P. Davidson returned yesterday from Abilene, where he has been the past two weeks on business.

Uncle Roe Grimes, of Mahl, was in the city yesterday afternoon and was a friendly caller at The Sentinel office.

A. G. Green, the saw mill man, of Sacul, was in the city yesterday and was a friendly caller at The Sentinel office.

Jim Nesbit, a former resident of our town, but now of Shreveport, is shaking hands with his Nacogdoches friends today.

Prof. McNess, tobacco expert, connected with the government agricultural department, is in the city on official business.

Mr. F. Cavanaugh, manager of the Lafkin Foundry and Machine Company, was in the city last night in the interest of the foundry.

W. P. Page, of Chireno, a whole-sole farmer and one of the leading men of the county is in the city today looking after business affairs.

All W. Cheeseman, agent of the H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co., of Shreveport, spent today in the city shaking hands with friends and attending to business.

M. M. Graham a leading citizen of Etoile, was in town this morning on one of his usual visits to Nacogdoches where he is well known and has a long list of friends.

The more Harts honey and horehound is used the better it is liked. Who know of nothing more so good for croup or whooping cough. It is good when you first take it, and good when you are seated or your lungs are painful. It is good for all of a cough. Orand Hamond, a railroad man at Leroy, Ill., says "that his success depends on the condition of his health and that his lung trouble has been completely cured by using Harts honey and horehound after having tried other well known medicines without benefit." Sold by Perkins Bros.

FRIDAY'S LOCALS.

J. D. Selman, of Douglas, was in the city trading today, and was a caller at The Sentinel office.

Rafe Stripling went to San Augustine today to look after the interests of the new firm of Stripling & Burrows in that city.

John Perkins, arrived last night from Henderson, and will spend a short time with his Nacogdoches friends.

I. J. Roberts left today on an extended trip through his territory and will be gone several months.

Jehu Hood, the Crescent News Co's., night clerk at the depot, has been transferred to Houston, and left last night for that city.

Misses Ollie and Belle Fondren have recovered from measles, and Mrs. Fondren is now suffering from the same prevalent complaint.

B. F. Chalker and J. W. Fulmer have returned from a visit to their old home in Mississippi. They say that there is no comparison between the two states, and that Nacogdoches county is the best county they saw while gone.

Messrs. Wm. Tauseg, of Chicago, and John McFarland, of Quincy, Fla., growers and manufacturers of tobacco, are in the city. They will make investments here and will operate as an experiment in the Nacogdoches tobacco field this year, of which The Sentinel will have more to say as soon as it can speak advisedly. Mr. McFarland will remain among us for several days.

Misses Eva Bean and May Peacock with their brothers, Connie and Clem, and Jesse Hugh, and Miss Lillian Jarry, also Mr. Charley Courts, were a merry crowd that came in from Short, Shelby county, today, and spent the day shopping and looking at the sights of the historic old city. They paid The Sentinel office a call and it the rest of the Shelby county citizens are as attractive as the sample that spent today in Nacogdoches, there's nothing short about Shelby county.

Liver Troubles.

Those troubles are always the results of indigestion and often appear before you feel anything wrong with the stomach. When your complexion is sallow, breath offensive, appetite fickle and tongue coated it is a sure sign of indigestion and inactive liver. There is an easy and certain way of eradicating these troubles quickly. Buy a 25c bottle of ReGo Tonic Laxative syrup and within 24 hours you will feel like a new person. Sold by Perkins Bros.

For Sale.

My place at Appleby, containing two lots, one good house, good out house in; suitable for residence.

S. E. Hunt, Appleby, Tex.

For catarrh and colds in the head, Hunt's Lightning Oil inhaled is a sure cure. A few drops taken internally relieves and cures cramp colic, cholera morbus and such troubles. Guaranteed. 25 and 50c. w

The Snake Editor.

The snake editor was making hay among the chiefs papers at the exchange table when a footstep was heard on the stairs. In a second he was back at his own desk with an innocent and guileless expression that would have roused suspicion in the most casual observer. It was not the chief however, but the sporting editor who entered and threw himself heavily into a chair.

"Like to gave me heart failure," said the snake editor, going back to his work of mixing the day's exchanges with last week's. "The chief said if I let him catch me at this table again I'd be only a memory, and you bet I ain't letting him catch me; but what's up? You look as though the school bond election had'n't carried."

"Leap year," groaned the sporting editor. "That's so, I'd forgotten; but that's nothing to be sad about."

"Nothing! Think of dodging women for twelve months, of love letters and invitation to call; of dodging gits of sofa pillows, and proposals; of getting shot because you can't say yes to them all."

"Learn to say no," said the snake editor. "On the other hand think of not having to buy ice cream soda and Huyler's for eleven months and a half; think of not having to pay for ball tickets and carriage hire; think of all the theatres you'll be asked to go to, for of course when the girls usurp a man's rights they assume his responsibilities."

"Not on your previous existence," returned the utterly cast down sporting editor. "They are going to claim the privileges of both sides. This leap year business is against scripture anyhow, the Bible says distinctly: 'Man proposes.'"

"Well," said the snake editor, "I like a change, and I'm going to advertise in The Sentinel for sealed proposals right now," and utterly forgetting to watch for the chief, who had been leaning against the italic case for the last ten minutes listening to the conversation, he dived into the chief's special correspondence stationery whereupon he took a hand in the game himself.

"Leap year will never touch either of you two," said he. "The woman who would propose to either of you would be adjudged insane on that ground alone by any court in the state. 'The fact is,' he went on warming to his subject, "that the daughter of Eve that needs leap year to assist her matrimonial chances, will find her efforts to avail herself of it, in vain. A woman that cannot make a man propose to her whenever she wants him to, is an anomaly, and if the truth were known, she makes the match every time, and only lets the man in the case think he does the proposing because it flatters his masculine vanity."

Then, conscious that he had said too much on this momentous subject, and that he would hear from every lady of his acquaintance in no uncertain tones, he proceeded to take the scalp of the snake ed-

itor for upsetting his sanctum and "Then you'll remember me" sung to a funeral dirge floated up the stairs as the snake editor floated down, as sad as the sporting editor, and with much more reason

Cason & Richardson.

As will be seen by notice in another column authenticated by the signatures of members of the firm of Cason, Richardson & Co., there has been a change by the withdrawal of Messrs. H. and W. U. Perkins from the firm, they having sold their entire interests to Messrs. D. K. Cason and C. E. Richardson. The change in membership in no wise changes the management. The same courteous treatment, promptness, careful business methods and the unselfish interest always shown in behalf of customers, and the liberal spirit displayed in all their dealings which has heretofore characterized the firm, will be continued in the future. This has always been a strong firm, backed with all the capital required to conduct an immense establishment. The business has prospered until its founders are able to take up the entire stock and continue as heretofore, abreast with the leading commercial enterprises of East Texas. They are perhaps in the lead by several lengths of all the splendid hardware and furniture establishments of East Texas. We congratulate the new firm and bespeak for them the continued success they have heretofore achieved as a well merited reward for honesty, ability and enterprise.

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For quick relief from Biliousness, Sick Headache, Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Dizziness, and all troubles arising from an inactive or sluggish liver, DeWitt's Little Early Risers are unequalled.

They act promptly and never gripe. They are so dainty that it is a pleasure to take them. One to two act as a mild laxative; two or four act as a pleasant and effective cathartic. They are purely vegetable and absolutely harmless. They tonic the liver.

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RHEUMATISM NOT A SKIN DISEASE.

It is natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when rheumatic pains are shooting through the joints and muscles and they are inflamed and sore, the sufferer is apt to turn to liniments and plasters for relief; and while such treatment may quiet the pain temporarily, no amount of rubbing or blistering can cure Rheumatism, because it is not a skin disease, but is in the blood and all through the system, and every time you are exposed to the same conditions that caused the first attack, you are going to have another, and Rheumatism will last just as long as the poison is in the blood, no matter what you apply externally. Too much acid in the blood is one cause of Rheumatism; stomach troubles, bad digestion, weak kidneys and torpid liver are other causes which bring on this painful disease, because the blood becomes tainted with the poisonous matter which these organs fail to carry out of the system. Certain secret diseases will produce Rheumatism, and of all forms this is the most stubborn and severe, for it seems to affect every bone and muscle in the body. The blood is the medium by which the poisons and acids are carried through the system, and it doesn't matter what kind of Rheumatism you have, it must be treated through the blood, or you can never get permanently rid of it. As a cure for rheumatic troubles S. S. S. has never been equalled. It doesn't inflame the stomach and ruin the digestion like Potash, Alkalies and other strong drugs, but tones up the general health, gently stimulates the sluggish organs, and at the same time antitoxins and filters out of the blood all poisonous acids and effete matter of every kind; and when S. S. S. has restored the blood to its natural condition, the painful, feverish joints and the sore and tender muscles are immediately relieved.


Our special book on Rheumatism will be mailed free to those desiring it. Our physicians will cheerfully answer all letters asking for special information or advice, for which no charge is made.

UNABLE TO SLEEP AT NIGHT.
Sidney, Ohio, August 26, 1903.
A few months ago I was feeling weak and run down and unable to get sleep at night. I felt extremely bad, and also had rheumatic pains in my joints and muscles. The medicine I used gave me only temporary relief at best; so seeing S. S. S. highly recommended for such troubles, I began its use, and after taking it for some time was well pleased with the result. It did away with the rheumatic pains, gave me refreshing sleep and built up my general system, giving me strength and energy. It is a good medicine, without a doubt, and I take pleasure in endorsing it.
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MELROSE LETTER.

Newsy Items From The Sentinel's Correspondent.

Jan 11.—As the West end correspondents hardly ever tell anything about what the East end people are doing, and I am an old bachelor, I like to read the general news of the country, much less of the girls, anyway.

Xmas is about over but are still having a few socials.

A dance was given to the young people Tuesday night at Mr. and Mrs. Morris'.

I heard a few of the young people attended a big social at Charley Parker's last Thursday night, all report a big time at both places.

Moving is and has been the order of the day lately.

Will Mayes and mother, have moved to Sand Hill.

Most people are killing hogs nowadays and some going to work cutting corn stalks. I guess everyone is trying to get ahead of the boll weevil.

John Hill's family have the measles.

C. B. Patton's family have had the measles but are recovering.

Henry Thomas has been very ill with pneumonia, but is better.

Mrs. C. N. Grisham has been very low but is convalescent.

Mrs. Sadie Greene, of Houston, has been visiting her mother, of this place, for a month but leaves today for her home.

Messrs. Switt Bros., have purchased Z. T. Mast's store, building and all.

This year is Leap Year. Wish the girls would take advantage of it and some of them come to see me, poor thing.

The oil works will start in a few days under the management of Col. Fitzhugh.

Dr. Ellis Mast was married Dec. 30th to Miss Lera Hall and he left Jan. 3rd for his college studies at St. Louis, and will return in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kendrick have moved to themselves. They live about 200 yards from Mrs. H. C. Thomas'.

Night was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind. "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, lagrippe, bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Stripling, Haselwood & Cos. drugstore.

With the latest improved machinery and plenty of room, and the pick of a large lumber yard for stock I think I am able to handle your orders for anything you need made of wood.

Vestal Novelty Works.

David J. Ryan of Lincoln, Ill., gave Harts honey and horehound to his little baby and cured it of croup. He affirms that it is the best remedy ever used for croup. Sold by Perkins Bros.

Early Morning Blaze.

The home of Uncle Jeff Weaver on Irion hill caught fire this morning about six o'clock and narrowly escaped destruction. The fire was caused by the stove pipe in the dining room. It went through the side of the house and was then bent up with an elbow, and the flue fell against the comb of the house. When the blaze was discovered it had burned through to the interior, and no one thought the house could be saved, but by tearing about a third of the roof off the flames were finally quelled.

The entire neighborhood were at the scene of the fire in a very few seconds after the alarm was given, and nearly all the household effects carried out.

It is a matter of great congratulation that the aged couple were not burned out, for the shock might have resulted seriously aside from the loss.

Nacogdoches has proved once and again that she possesses the best fire fighters in the State and the credit does not belong to the boys alone, some of the older men, heads of families are veteran firemen and by their shrewd judgment helped save Mr. Weaver's home.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick, Colusa, Cal, writes—"For 15 yrs I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and its the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles. Only 50c; satisfaction guaranteed by Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Prof. Whitney, of the government agricultural department, is in the city in the interest of the tobacco experiment work. He visited the warehouse to day and made an inspection of the tobacco now being handled by government experts. He gave out no information, however that might be given publicity, but there is every assurance that he found everything quite satisfactory.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain tag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. 25c box at Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Mr. E. A. Blount has sold his interest in the firm of Tucker, Zeve & Co., to Messrs. H. F. Tucker and L. Zeve and has withdrawn from the firm. The business will be continued at the present stand and under the same management as heretofore.

No Pity Shown.

"For years late was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gullidge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklin's Arnica salve cured me. Equally good for all aches and pains. Only 25c per bottle at Stripling, Haselwood & Co.

Said The Grocer—

I'll have to get a barrel to hold the nickels.
What's the matter?
Uneeda Biscuit!
Costs only 5 cents for a package. Enough for a meal, too.
Just look at that package for 5 cents! Royal purple and white.
Dust proof! Moisture proof! Odor proof!
Keeps in the goodness. Keeps out the badness.
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And buy your spring bill of drugs for less money.

We will positively save you money on every bill purchased us this year.

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& CO.**

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MONDAY'S LOCALS.

Read Mayer & Schmidt's advertisement.

Bart T. Burk, of Sacul, is in the city today on business.

Pure bred Hereford cattle for sale at Nacogdoches by Jno. W. Davis.

Col. J. J. Watkins, of Douglass, is in the city for a day or two among old friends.

I will sell you horses, mules or Hereford cattle at reasonable prices. Jno. W. Davis.

R. V. Watts, of Lulkin, was in the city today, in the interest of the Angelina county Trading Co., of which he is the representative.

Dr. John B. Fears, of Garrison, was in the city today shaking hand with old friends and looking after business matters.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow, common stock, has young calf.
3d-1w W. M. Wisener.

Will Booth for Sheriff.

The announcement of W. H. Booth appears in the announcement column for sheriff of Nacogdoches county, subject to the action of the democratic primaries. Will Booth needs no introduction to the people of the east half of the county, and he is not a total stranger to any part of the county. He is a life long, staunch and uncompromising democrat. He has ever been in the thickest of the fight whenever the party was in danger. Bold, fearless and manly he has ever stood to his honest convictions and has won a good name as a campaign worker. He is eminently qualified to fill the office and if elected will faithfully, fearlessly and impartially fulfill his duties.

Pay Your School Tax.

The time is short in which to pay your school tax for independent district No. 3. Must be paid before February 1st. or a penalty will be attached.
H. T. Burk, Collector.

One of the Many.

The following is a sample of the many unsolicited testimonials received by the East Texas Business College from the student's of 1903:

Chireno, Tex., Nov. 26, '03
Prof. R. M. Gannon,
Nacogdoches, Tex.

Dear Sir:

I take pleasure in expressing my thanks to you for the kind treatment which I received while in your college. I also wish to say that while there, I spent nine weeks in your commercial department, during which time I graduated. I feel sure I have a much better business training than I could have received elsewhere in the same time, or in twice the time. I can freely recommend your institution to all young people who wish a business education. Wishing your school continued success, I remain,
Yours respectfully,
Fall T. Williams.

Only a few Ladies Jackets, Capes and Shawls left, they must be sold. See them.
Geo. H. Davidson, Est.

TUESDAY'S LOCALS.

Get onto the prizes offered in Mayer & Schmidt's ad.

W. A. Thurston, and brother, of Attoyac, are trading in the city today.

W. H. Morgan, of Attoyac, spent yesterday with his friends in the city.

Robt. Mettauer, of Chireno, is in town today looking after business affairs and trading.

Dr. A. P. Lacey, of Aledo, Texas, was in the city today. He formerly resided at Mt. Enterprise, where he still has business interests.

J. J. Trawick, of Trawick, was in the city this morning selling cotton. He was a caller at The Sentinel office and says there is more prosperity in the country now than he ever saw before. People in this country are enjoying happiness, peace and plenty.

Messrs Tom Seale, Jr. J. C. Fall, Amos Martin, T. J. Collins, Warner Wilson, Harry Fall, Mr. Robinson, B. F. Moore and several other citizens of Chireno are in town this morning attending court, selling cotton and buying supplies.

Messrs. R. H. Coston, E. L. Ruark, Owen Moore, Sprayberry Brothers and J. R. Westfall, all from near Mt. Enterprise, were in the city yesterday with cotton. They brought in sixteen bales of cotton and each of them received as much as seventy five dollars a bale. The crowd returned home this morning after buying supplies sufficient to do them until they come again.

E. L. Ruark, of Mt. Enterprise, was a caller at The Sentinel office this morning. He sold a bale of cotton yesterday evening to Mayer & Schmidt for \$96.10, two bales bringing him nearly \$185. Mr. Ruark reports Uncle Billy King "a little alien" this week, but cheerful and jolly and looking forward al ready to the celebration of his 85th birthday with his regular annual pic nic next May.

Heavy Fine Imposed.

Cal Scott was fined four hundred and fifty dollars in the county court this morning on a charge of selling intoxicating liquor, or bitters, while running a store at Swift. This was the first case tried at this term of court. The jury was out but a few minutes and assessed the lowest penalty.

County Court.

From Monday's Daily:
County Court convened today with the usual officers, jurors, witnesses and other attendants present. County Attorney Beeman Strong was delayed at Keachi on account of the belated train this morning and did not arrive until noon. The jury was empanelled for the week and a number of criminal cases were set for trial, which was about all that was done today. The first week will be devoted to the criminal docket.

A protracted meeting is in progress at Canaan, about 4 miles from town. It is being conducted by Rev. Lathrop.

See Jno. W. Davis for Hereford Bulls.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Sentinel is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, under their respective heads, subject to the Democratic primaries of Nacogdoches county:

For Sheriff:
EUGENE BUCKNER,
GEO. W. BLACKBURN,
C. M. MOTE WALTERS,
C. T. CLARK,
W. H. BOOTH.

For District Clerk:
CLIFTON WELLS.

For Tax Assessor:
ROBT H BLACKWELL.

For Tax Collector:
J. B. KIN.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1:
W. D. PEEVEY,
F. D. HUSTON.

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
G. M. W. WALTERS.

SATURDAY'S LOCALS.

Don't overlook Mayer & Schmidt's advertisement.

Geo. Long, of Cushing, is in the city today.

L. N. Liles, of Cushing, was in the city today.

T. H. Miley, of Etoile, is in the city today on business and buying supplies.

S. C. Carter, a substantial citizen of Sacul, and a good friend of The Sentinel, was a friendly caller at the office this morning.

Messrs. J. E. Gatlin and L. W. Furlow, of Mt. Enterprise, were in the city trading yesterday and were callers at The Sentinel office.

Notice Truck Growers.

I hereby give notice of a called meeting of the Truck Growers Association to be held at the court house Saturday Jan. 23rd at 2:30 p m, for the purpose of electing delegates to the stockholders meeting of the East Texas Fruit and Truck Growers Union to be held at Jackson, Feb. 2nd and 3rd and the reports of committees seeds and fertilizing. A full attendance is desired.
J. A. Pirthe, Pres.

Buy your King's Improved Cotton seed from

G. H. Davidson.

FIGHT THE BOLL WEEVIL

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To the farmer planting our King's or Shine's Cotton Seed and using our Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer who obtains the greatest results on upland we will give one of our premium winner Garland Cooking Stoves complete. \$30.00 grade.

To the farmer planting our King's or Shine's Cotton Seed and using our Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer who obtains the greatest results on 1st or 2nd bottom land we will give one of our B. T. Avery & Son's or Eagle 7-Knife Corn and Cotton Stalk cutter.

No one contestant can win more than one premium.

Minimum test crop to be 6 acres. Nature of soil, quantity of fertilizer and seed per acre, time of planting and cultural methods the points to be considered in determining results. Written statement by farmer, corroborated by ginner and attested by nearest notary public must be furnished us before Dec. 15, 1904. Awards to be made on Dec. 21, 1904, by a committee of three competent judges.

This is no Scheme to sell Cotton Seed or Fertilizer or to advertise our wares, but an earnest, honest effort to induce the farmers of this territory to

Fight the Boll Weevil

with the means that have obtained the best results in the boll weevil stricken district.

Come ahead and buy your Cotton Seed and Fertilizers. We have on hand now: One car King's Improved Cotton Seed. One car J. A. Shine's Early Prolific Cotton Seed. Two cars Virginia-Carolina Royal Cotton Fertilizer.

Yours for the Fight and Success,

MAYER & SCHMIDT.

N. B. We have in stock several cars of Corn and Vegetable Fertilizer, Maine Bliss Triumph Potatoes, Genuine Texas Seed Oats, and have in transit Northern Seed Corn and other seed for farm and truck purposes.