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as Journal of Education" relative to the bed posts and began to ranto the teachers profession. To our mind it has the right ring, and we reproduce it, in the hope of with age, barked incessantly while causing others especially teachers, to think as we do on this subject. the house, but the thieves paid Nothing can be truer, than that atttention to it. Wood and his others regard us mainly as we esti- wife remained tied to the post until mate ourselves. For many years the afternoon of the next day. The we have wondered why teachers dog must have realized the position should fail to respect and magnify of his master and mistress, for he their frofession, instead of excusing barked more than ever and made it, as so many of them do. In fact a great racket running to and fro. we have been forced to the conclu- He finally made his way to an upsion that the teacher who fails to stairs window which had no shut-"stand up for his calling" is un- ters on. He jumped through the worthy of it, and as the article be- glass and ran up the road to. low tersely expresses it, should get neighboring house. Here he. out of it as soon as possible.

If the profession of teaching is ever to be anything, and if teachers are ever to hold the position they L. W. Driskill, secretary; San Pedro Tex work is a transitory thing; that it a shame-faced, half-hearted, un- Both were at once liberated. certain sort of way that makes everyone feel sure that they are ashamed of what they are doing, at

doctor all feel a pride in their pro- once to run the burglars down. they belong to it, and use every endeavor to impress outsiders with Frauklin.- W. I. Vaught, President; great republic shall be proud to but seventy cents. J. v. Boykin, secretary, weches Texas. own; and if they who do this are Guiceland .- J. D. Haltom, President; still ashamed of what they are do-F. M. Collins, Secretary, Grapeland Tex. ing, feel that it is a poor sort of a Oakland-J. D. Brewton, President; business, feel that the sooner they R. D. wherry, Secretary; Crockett, Tex- get out of it the better it is no won-

that of the minister who strives. Haring, Agent.

too often meffectually, to recall the wandering sheep, when in later gone far into forbidden pastures? If the teacher has not a noble profession, has not a grand profession, has not a profession to satisfy soul and mind, surely the lack is in himself, and he should either do after him. He enjoys the think, so feel, so act and so write, that all the world besides shall likewise be convinced of the nobility and grandeur of the teachers'

A SKYE TERRIER

ealling .- Thos. Convugton.

BRINGS AID TO ITS MASTER

And Mistress, Who Had Beer Tied up by Burglars-Remarkable Sagacity of a Pet Dog ...

Wilkesbarre, Penu., February 22.—Silas Wood and his wife, ld comple, each about 70 years age, reside at Bunker Hill, a locali- ist in the cure of the opium and and not only Ellis county's posi- Texas for their platform and will been a thrifty man, and is suppos- had years of experience in the people upon the administration. her grow." ed to always have money about the was an old and trusty servant. while Clarkson had only been employed there for the past two months. About 11 o'clock on Friday night these men entered the are strictly diseases, and nine Wood up.

DEMANDED HIS MONEY.

Wood had sold five cows on Friday and they knew that he surely had \$125 in the house. Wood re-Below we give an article pub- fused to give up his money. They then tied both Wood and his wife sack the house.

A little skye-terrier dog, feeble the burglars were in possession COMMENCED TO WHINE.

The joy of the d g knew

bounds when he saw the aged cou- Ga. (Atlanta Coustitution.) ple out of their predicament. The min ster, the lawyer, and the Twenty-five farmers started out at

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THE WORK OF A GOOD MAN.

years they have strayed off and What Dr. B. M. Woolley is Doing for the Suffers From the Use of Opium and Whiskey.

something else, or he should con- sings and distinctions they entitle vince himself of the dignity of his him to in this world, and build for own profession, and then so live, so him a home in eternity. It is the mission of every living soul to some good to benefit humanity some way. Notwithstanding this fact how few look upon life in this

there, realize this great responsibil. ner of expressing her choice. ity, and devote their lives to the ty about two miles west of the bor- whiskey habits that is of the high- tion in the senatorial contest, but join other counties in the grand efough of Factoryville. Wood has est character. Although he has underneath all the verdict of this fort to "turn Texas loose and let treatment of these dreudful diseashouse. On Friday last John Clark studies the science of his profeswere at the house of Wood, Beam he were only just entering the pro-

Dr. Woolley, unlike a great many specialists treats what is calas a disease, affirming that they condition. The success he has liams, another Chilton man, came all these influences maks the vichad in this line has been somepatients in every state and terricases in London, France, Germany; Canada and Mexico.

the most powerful, and when improperly used, the most lifedestroying medicines in the world, and to know how to extract or eradicate the effects of these drugs from the human body is an art to which Dr. Woolley can justly lay claim. As evidence he simply refers to his hundreds of patients who have treated and permanently cured, light it was all that could be ex- tem is very susceptible to taking This book will be mailed free of pected at this time of the year. The people in the house came charge to your address if you will The Mills side labored under this remedy. If you are in the out. They surmised something only send Dr. Woolley a letter disadvantages which were hard to habit of taking iodide of potash should hold, it will be by the teach. was wrong. Two of the inmates asking for it. If you are afflicted overcome, and defeat was feared each spring, try it this year, disers themselves feeling, and acting, started for the Woods' house, the with opium or whisky disease, until the returns showed a decisive solved in and thinking as if they felt the im dog leading. When they arrived probably you know of a friend or victory. There were many farm. Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla. portance and dignity of their work. there they found the old couple have a relative who is. If you will ers down on Mills and Hogg both, Thus taken, iodide of potash has Too many teachers feel that their still tied up to the post, although kindly send their names or inform who had decided to vote for neith- no evil after effect on the stomach, New Prospect.-S. M. Davis, Presi- is poorly paid and lightly esteem- Mrs. Wood had managed to get the them of Dr. Woolley's ability, he er candidate, but a report was cir- liver and kidneys. Each bottle of W. Davis, Secretary, Sheri- ed and they accordingly go at it in rope around her partly unloosened. will take pleasure in sending them culated that Beall, if elected, Bull's Sørsaparilla contains 48 any information they may desire, would at the last moment vote tablespoonfuls of medicine. no Address Dr. B. M. Woolley, Atlanta against Mills, and this, 1t 18 said, half ounce Iodide of Potash added

WELDON,

tession, never ashamed to own that Telegrams were sent in all direc- prospects for crops so far good, from the polls. But the light vote Alfred Howell, Cairo, Ill. tions. Beam, who is a native of Corn, goobers, potatoes will occupy was enough to put the county on writes: "For years I have been the importance and dignity of their Factoryvill, was run down and about 75 per cent of the acreage; record, and Mills has it. M. B. Matchett, Secretary, Julian, Tex. respective callings. When teachers captured at Nicholson by a Mr. Be cotton will be a 'surplus crop so When the counting commenced Chandler .- J. B. Ash, President; do the same they say. Hog law talk has struck interest was intense. Soon the re- is the only remedy that gives me B. F. Erwin, Secretary Porter Springs, on the same plane as the other pro-fessions, and teachers will find Antioch.—C. G. Summers, President; their reward, in money in influence, Brooklyn. Susquehanna County. draw more attention than a gener ced as follows: Beall 590, Single- take iodide of potash I always take K. D. Thompson, Sec'y, Antioch, Tex. and in dignity. Now, if any young The prisoners were brought back at election, Great many are dissat- ton 194, scattering 25-a majority it with Bull's Sarsaparilla. It al-Nevill's Prarie. T. J. Dwver, Presi- men or women are ashamed of and given a hearing before 'Squire isfied as to who is allowed to vote of 396 for Beall. This gave a hope- ways has a better effect on my sysdent; T. C. Evans, Secretary, Antioch, teaching, the sooner they get into Gardner, and committed to the I think that all legal voters should ful outlook to the Mills men, and tem when mixed with this Sarsasomething else the better; they county jail by him in default of be allowed tnstead of only free they waited with breathless interparilla." teaching as every true teacher is \$1.000 bail. The man Clarkson holders as it is. J. S. Chambers est for more returns. Then news J. H. Young Secretary, Crockett, Texas. ashamed of them. There is nothing has heretofore refused to give his has put up a stock of goods in came from Milford, Ennis, Ferris, nobler, nothing grander, nothing name, goinfi by the name of "Jack Weldon; the young man deserves Palmer and Foreston, and all Holly.—A. J King, President; nothing grander, nothing mame, goinfi by the name of "Jack Weldon; the young man deserves Painter and Foreston, and all We are all busy here with our more important, nothing more hon- the Ripper." He is a Canadian, success for h's indomitable energy. These gave Beall majorities and in-Mt. Vernon-J. H. Ratliff, Presd't; orable than to train the vouth of a nation up to be such citizens as the little attention to politics; all No single disease has played such thing else. T. V. Goodrum has knowing they had won. Singleton Fulton of Galveston is not known der that it is hard to make out sad havor with the human race as bought out the Atkinson & Bailey waited and finally gave up the and if he was he would be like siders give it the consideration it Codsumption. No other disease saw mill. We notice some parties fight. approaches so stealth. Its early for county offices the coming year The vote so far as heard from is known in the last races. The peo-Is not making a perfect mind, symptoms are ignored because it is are getting dots thaough the mails as follows: Waxahachie, Beal 509, ple here were very hoggish, now a building up a character as noble thought only a Cold or hacking whether it would be advisable to Singleton 194, scattering 25; Ennis, man would think he was over in Pola area—J. W. Pertee, measter: D. C. F. Snell, building up a character as noble despetable. Building up a character as noble thought only a Cold or nacking whether two and september. Work as administering to the wants cough, which is neglected until run or not. As the Grand jury Beall 348, Singleton 303, scattering Jerusalem to judge by the opposite work as administering to the wants cough, which is neglected until run or not. As the Grand jury Beall 39, Singleton 16: tion to Hogg. No. Hogg lurge. I BEAUTIFUL FORM. of diseased bodies? Is not training this grim monster has such a hold will soon be in session, we hope 3; Milford, Beall 99, Singleton 16; tion to Hogg here. I No. 758—F. H. Callowsy Master; J. E. Landy, See'y. Meets seem and shape its destinies, as no laws and don't know anything that we law anything the law anything that we law anyth flarmony, so. 700-1 F Henderson, Master; the Sullie Brazenie, see'y Meets recond Sat Cause of any scroundrel who can ster from many a throat. If taken ought to. However if we do have Italy, Beall 86, Sinelejon 91; Fer- candidates in the field this precinct Boulah, No. 208-S. H. Platt, Master; J. B. raise a lawyer's fee? Nay, is not in time it will effect a permanent to come up there we will of course ris, Beall 104, Singleton 91; Ferris, will instruct for Ross whether he he who moulds the moral characture and in the worst stages it will come to see you. I like to Beall 104, Singleton 76; Red Oak, runs or not. We are going to cor-

FIRST BLOOD FOR MILLS.

CHLTON AND HOGG KNOCKED OU' IN ELLIS.

The works of a good man live Anti-Administrationists from This exceed 3000. Time Forward Propose to Move Upon Hogg's Breastworks.

> WAXAHACHIE, Tex., March 1 .-Ellis county was squarely on record

es, he is yet an ardent student, and the struggle and it had been victory in view of the efforts of the agreed that this election would be administration to defeat him. and scrofula. Ayers Sarsaparilla is son and John Beam, hired men, sion with as much diligence as if accepted as a test of strength. From the beginning of his fight With these impressions fully un- Ellis county has been flooded with derstood, both sides went to work. Chilton's Cameron speeches, Jack Beall of Waxahachie, an Hogg's "played marbles with Hor-

and Chilton, and also Tony Wil- The fact that he triumphed over out. It was agreed that with two ory doubly significant. and aggressive manner in which he couducted his campaign. They knew he was a smart boy, but he

showed them that he was more.

The result of this election will have been mixed politically. The Jack Beall over Joe Singleton by harmony in the democratic ranks. A few now and then, here are about 400 majority was her man- Two years ago the county went wild over the Hogg movement and The contest has been one of pe- rushed pell-mell over everything salvation of their fellowmen. One culiar interest not only in Ellis in the shape of opposition. Now of the most conspicuous examples county but throughout the broad that the administration man has of this chargeter in Atlanta, is Dr. limits of the state. From the date been downed there is to be a new B. M. Woolley. He is a man of the death of Representative Rey- tune in affairs. The anti-adminnoted for his Christian integrity nolds, in January last, to this good istrationists are on their feet and anu fair dealing, being an old and day the fight has waxed warm here say they propose to carry this

highly esteemed citizen of Atlanta and Texas has been looking on. | county for Clark. They claim that and having built up a reputation It was not only the election of a in this fight they will have the asamong his home folks as a special- representative that was involved, sistance of the county, will take

Hogg's influence was exerted in Mr. Beall is very proud of his Ellis county boy of 26, was put in ace" letter, proceedings of the Chilled the opium and whisky habits by the Mills side, and Joe Single- ton meeting at Tyler and Senator Grind slowly, but not any more ton, a representative farmer of Stewart's speech on the silver surely than a hacking cough upon

thing phenomenal. He has cured Chilton men in the field Beall To-morrow night there will be a would have a walkover, and after Mills and Beall jollification meettory in the Union and has treated some little time Williams came ing here, after which a George down, leaving a clean cut fight to Clark club will be formed. The Beall and Singleton. They stum- anti-administrationists from this Opium and Whisky are two of ped the county. Beall's friends time forward propose to move upon were astonished at the eloquent Hogg's breastworks.-Dallas News.

He discussed public questions with and fortify your constitution by an ability that would have been using a few bottles of Dr. John creditable to a man of riper years. Bull's Sarsaparilla. You need it. Joe Singleton, while not an ora- Everybody needs to take the excelbeen thoroughly and soundly cured. tor, presented his case clearly, in a lent alternative, and blood cleans-Being a man of scholarly attain- quiet, easy kind of a way, and the er at this season of the year. It ments, he has prepared a work on two men ended their campaign will cure you of weakness. It will opium and whisky, and their ef. last night, each confident of victo- give you strength. It may save fects upon the human constitution, ry. The day was all that could be you ah attack of pneumonia or In his work he has testimonials of desired. The weather was clear other severe spells of sickness, for people whom he has successfully and bright, and while the vote was at the approach of spring the sys-

lost Beall votes. Then, the pre- to a bottle Dr. John Bull's Sarsasumption that Beall was for Hogg parilla equals five grains to each caused some who cared nothing table-spoonful, and thus you know Farmers busy, merchants idle, for the senatorial race to stay away exactly haw much you are taking.

affected with an incurable case of

NEVEL'S PRAIRIE.

dle is down on a visit and reports The only Singleton precincts were seem anxions to know what his crops fine in the land of milk and Italy and Midlothian, up to 8 neighbors' sentiments are for Govhoney, where he lives. Report o'clock, but the Beall men went to ernor, and not one yet that I have says he is on the quivive for some- supper with the satisfaction of heard tavor either of the candidates. Hogg and Clark who are too well t r of our future men and women, when his wisdom has to train and give surprising relief. Try its hear from precincts to have tried Beall 47, Singleton 53; total, Beall rect our mistake and we are not go If your hair is inclined to fail develope, month after month, and soothing and healing virtues. Do the hog law and hear how they are 1364. Singleton 76; Red Oak, Beall ing to make an other if we can help 47, Singleton 53; total, Beall 1364, and we know there is no mistake W. D. G. Singleton 801; Beall's majority in taking Ross. We would like to

557. The remaining precincts will have an expression from the people MARY ALLEN SEMINARY not change this result materially, over the county and let us get to both sides estimating that both gether and have a regular old fashcandidates will break even. The ion methodist love feast and see if A Boarding School for total vote in the country will not we cant get who we want from bailiff up to Governor. Of course this will not include candidates. LITERARY, INDUSTRIAL, AND We expect them to straddle all county politics. Since 1886, when questions until they can find the The safest, the most thorough, the Barney Gibbs came down here in popular side. We in this section When the sun went down to-day, his race against Welborn, matters may want to furnish a Representative for the county in the next Legfor Roger Q. Mills for the United country has been pulling against islature. We have some as good States senate, and the victory of he towns and there has been little material as the county affords. If For terms, write or call upon we do, we will not let him straddle built that way in these parts.

any state issues. They are not Creckett Texas. hope the people will give us a fair expression through the county papers as to their choice for Governor. H. W. G. Miss Bessie H. Bedloe, of Burlington, Vt., had a disease of the

come very harsh and dry and to fall so freely she scarcely dared comb it. Ayer's Hair Vigor gave her a healthy scalp, and made the hair beautifully thick and glossy Dr. E. T. Miller, of Cross Plains, Wis., has expressed the opinion Congress chairs. Your patronag

unquestionably the most effective remedy known to pharmacy. Won-The Mills of the Gods

Mountain Peak, a man well known question franked here by the hun- the breathing organs. Don't monbed room of the Woods' and, getting times out of ten the sufferers are and popular, enlisted for Hogg dred, by Senator Chilton himself. key with a cold when you know lected. Marsden's Pectoral Balm

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Houston county is for Mills at least four to one.

Anderson County primaries last Saturday instructed for Mills for senator.

Mills will come very near getting in on first ballot if he don't quite make it.

Ex-GOVERNOR Hubbard denies the accuracy of that alleged New Orleans interview

snakes in his boots.

A canvass of Troupe within an hour's run of Governor Hogg's home shows 42 democrats for Clark and 33 for Hogg.

By a vote of 190 to 84 the House of Representatiives on Monday last decided to take up the Free Silver Bill on the 22nd of this month.

THE people demand the right to elect railroad commissioners and Governor Hogg's re-election. commissionea of Agriculget in the way of this demand, be he a governer or a constable.

And now they have got the Hon Jno. H. Reagan denying that h was a railroad lobbyist before the fourteenth legislature. But evidence seems to sustain the charge in part at least.

the South of us, the Huntsville lobbying record. Item, suffer the misfortune it did in the recent fire. Knowing Rob- Finley needs a cast-iron muzzle. erson as we do, it will not be long before the paper will reappear.

Notice:-THE copartnership heretofore existing and running things, under the style of "Me and Horace," is this day dissolved. From himself and "Me" will do the same.

fun just now with its political grabthe shade.

counties and towns ough; to satisfy any democrat that D. B. Hill is not the man. The action of his friends made chairman and W. L. Black "Dont tread on us." As to the rest but they can not do this, and the in snapping up the delegates in that secretary. On motion the chair of the clipping, we will say we have consequence is that those who whole wide world. This is saying state disgusted many who staid appointed a committee on resoluaway from the polls and letting the L. Deaton, R. H. Wiggins, B. S. republicans carry every thing.

WHILE these financial "rain-bow chasers" are howling over the coun- by a rising vote: try about free-coinage and such, this everyday fact should not be over looked, that no one ever yet honestly got a dollar of money in labor or labor's products.

THE returns from Texas towns and counties just now are a severe rebuke to such papers as the Atmen as D. R. Hill, A. P. Gorman, unlimited coinage. school of Randallite statesmen. Texas is for Tariff Reform and R. Q. Mills.

journment of the special session he tive by the people. "will peel his coat" and go to work 6. That we are unalterably optor Hogg. The senator should bear posed to the re-election of his ex- Senator in the place of J. H. Rea- country as well, and should be his country in more ways than that been too rigid and personal. peel his coat and try that.

Ir is a very cool piece of arrobe the right man in the right place. Better and competent. We oppose the right man in the right place. But will cheerfully support any Hogg to assume to claim credit for Hogg to assume to claim c Hogg to assume to claim credit for good democrat (notably George President down.

List equally efficient for a reduction for a reduction ficient for animals. Try it and of the tax-rate. There are those who know better. The condition of the state's fiscal affairs whereby of the state's fiscal affairs whereby a reduction was made possible, if democratic party rules upon it in self. We believe in making laws is yet untold and in view of the to be credited to any administra- convention, and its advocates should that we should lay aside friends and maudlin sentiment of the present tion, should be credited to that of in our primaries provided they Governoa Ross. The writer happledge themselves to vote the demonstration, should be credited to that of in our primaries provided they pledge themselves to vote the demonstration, should be credited to that of in our primaries provided they pledge themselves to vote the demonstration, should be credited to that of in our primaries provided they pledge themselves to vote the demonstration. So we will be carry out the wishes of the people. Governor of Texas, his war record, however gallant, will neutralize friends. Now, we demand of you the logic of his views on the vital on the tax-reduction bill at the 9. That we believe the alien land to show your hand or say to us that question of Tariff Reform, break last session. The senate insisted law has done the state material inon a reduction of the rate from of capitalists and the general prostitution of the rate from twenty cents to fifteen cents, be—

lies to the rate from the rate from the confidence of capitalists and the general prostitution of business and desire to see to take care of you. You follow the charge of his duties as senator. lieving that rate ample. The it modified. House demanded a rate of 16% 10. That we favor the primary need none." That is the old song of which has been so well affirmed House demanded a rate of 164 cents. The committee got together and before proceeding to do anything waited for a house member to come. In a short while he ap—

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10. That we have the primary election system for self and not for the good of the proceedings of this in sympathy with the labor organizations to demand their wishes of persuaded that any chivalrous bred horse at home two niles north court officers. from the Governor's office and said "that the Governor said he Governor sa said "that the Governor said he Galveston News, would veto the bill of it reduced the tax-rate to fifteen cents."

FACTS THAT ARE AND WILL

1st. Four years ago no one knew whether Governor Hogg fa-

vored a railroad commission or not. 2nd. The railroad commission will never be repealed, it matters friend William is going to do not who is governor.

3rd. George Clark favors a railroad commission giving the people right to elect the commissioners. Governor Hogg opposes giving them this right.

road commission.

trumpet-blowers, Webb Finley and Sawnie Robertson, are railroad law- him vers now and when Governor Hogg appointed Horace Chilton United Senator. Quite a number of coun-States Senator, Chilton was a rail-

road lawyer at the time. governor (dem) the state ever had Culberson or Chilton. San Augus-THE man who draws the cartoons that finds it necessary at the end tine, Lamar, Jefferson, Anderson, for Texas Farmer evidently has of his first administration to make Wichita, Hunt and others all in- this for our cotton planters. This that agriculture is nearly crushed wood-work of every descripa two months canvass of the state structed for Mills. Lamar and year in cotton is the same as governers staid at the capital and trict. attended to their official business. Lesson: That the present admin-

> the present Commission will elected to stay at home.

Wee be unto those who for senator by a regular earthquake Let him get out.

majority. 11th. Houston county is for

13th. Chilton is in the soup.

14th. Warwick Imboden is in 15th. Jno. H. Reagan is some

WE regret to see our neighbor to what in the soup on his railroad-16th. Noah Webster "Burchard

17th. If we mistake not the signs of the times, there is going to political-in Texas within the next five months.

18th. Thus endeth the chapter.

WE republish below the resolunow on "Horace" must shuffle for tions of the Cherokee farmers that provoked Noah Webster Finley to the wheel of his most excellent paper. not a suitable man to credit. He the senate and elect a president, THE G. D. News is having lots of speak of them as "that set of While he was sick we had no fun at all

LONE STAR, Cherokee Co., Tex., net. Just wait till Governor Hogg's Feb. 18.—To the News: At an inmessage to the special session is formal meeting of a number of the madam and give us a rest.—New cant do it. The present season is ple, prices will again equalize, where. fired in and you will see a political democrats of this place and surgrab-net that will lay all others in rounding country it was agreed to call a mass meeting on this day, peacable, amiable, and all that day, and that, too, beyond redempand in compliance with said call However, there are times in the tion, who have placed their hopes general buoyancy in business and RECENT elections in New York at 1 o'clock the meeting convened, lives of all men when they feel like on cotton If they could sell their prosperity.

On motion J. J. Connor was of the "Culpeper Minute Men" could and would pay their debts; tions consisting of W. S. Owen, W. for fifteen years to do that very bag. Martin and W. L. Black.

reported and unanimously adopted help the "old thing" to get off? RESOLVED, 1. That the democ-

racy of Lone Star, Cherokee county. Texas, in mass meeting assembled, without giving an equivolent nor it in pledges of fidelity to time honored principles and usages.

3. That we favor the full mone lanta Constitution and such states- tization of silver and its free and wishes in regard to redistricting the folly.

Calvin S. Brice and the whole 4. That we favor the election of and judicial districts. That we doing business directly with the situation, a cure was effected, and United States senators by direct will trust this matter to their farmer, my motto would be, 'No

SENATOR KIMBROUGH graveiy inrepeal of at least its appointive feathem that they work to their utless than two years. The men who
sold by Ereich & Chamberlain. forms the public that after the ad- ture and desire to see it made elec- most to defeat R. Q. Mills and raise only cotton are ruining not

in mind that Cincinnatus served do that his administration has provided he will work for the in- veston News. of dictator and we understand that | 7. That we have great confidence the black waxy land around Mes- in the integrity, firmness, patriot platform. If he refuses, let them quite yearns to be tickled. Let him some of ex-Gov-support some other man that will support some other man that will support them whom they know to support the support them whom they know to support the support them whom they know to support the support them whom they know thave the support them whom they know the support the support the s

J. J. CONNER, Ch'm'n. W. L. Brack, Sec.

THE election of Mills will be a terrific blow to such papers as Texas Farmer which has been fighting him with all kinds of methods.

FARMER SHAW is in a sad plight. He wants none of Clark and he is himself, though

D. B. HILL is a self-seeking politi-

railroad commissioners, some of position as chairman of the State ton be Democratic Executive Committee. 9th. The people are opposed to by a level headed man, and one, News man last week on the subject though a partisan, with sence of raising corn. The colonel is a cr. This is a monster that feeds 10th. The people are for Mills enough to know the proper thing. practical business man, and he is on every thing that belongs to this

ernor Hogg say he would veto the commission bill if it didnt confer on the governor the power to appoint the commissioners. Governor Hogg's immediate representatives on the floor of the legislature frequently made such a statement and spoke as though the information came from official lips. It too late now to deny that the Governor ever said or felt that way. The ground swell has set in and his partisans are fleeing for refuge under anykind of a subterfuge that can be found.

hardly. He always has a rod in pickle for the Times. We wish the old thing have the best intentions and may Money hoarded up for jobbery in and

when the following proceedings hanging up for a mosto the maxim cotton for reasonable prices they

Resolutions of Trinity Alliance.

of the democrats to express their selves against the ill effects of his eruptions, and pains in all of his state into senatorial, congressional "If I were an interior merchant yet P. P. remained master of the 5. That we believe the railroad judgement for the interest of the corn and meat, no credit.' If the out, and that he is a well man. commission a failure as at present people and the democratic party of merchants will act on this we will This cure spread far and wide, and administered and insist upon the the state. We further demand of see a great change for the better in now the drug stores at Monticello Horace Chilton for United States only themselves, but the whole cellency J. S. Hogg. holding as we gan and support H. E. McCulloch, forced to take a back seat."-Galterest of the people or the Ocala sire his nomination and election. be true and competent. We oppose afforded me much pleasure to wit- Old Sores. Burne, Sciatica, Sore believing as we do that be would be true and competent.

S. H. SI ARP T. T. BEASLEY C. H. BEASLEY Com. POLK TAYLOR J. L. CHILES

THE TRUE BASIS OF CREDIT FOR THE PARMERS.

"The people of South and Cenis an established institution and disgusted with Hogg. Just what tral America are much wiser than we we," said Mr. Leon Blum to a are at a loss to comprehend Far- News man yesterday. "Only a mer Bill is pretty good crowd by few years ago they raised more coffee than was necessary There was an overproduction and as a consequence prices fell to somecian of the worst type. He regards not thing like 4 cents per pound. democratic success but himself and There was no money in coffee at 4th. It is not necessary to re- the nomination. He is willing for such prices and the coffee planters elect Governor Hogg to have a rail- the party to be smashed in the next knew it at once. They did not election with himself as its nomi- make any fuss about it but went 5th. At one time in his life nee rather than see it win with to work in the only way they George Clark was a railroad lawyer. some good man. The place for D. could and reduced production 6th. Governor Hogg,s chief B. Hill is on the topmost shelf and The next year the crop was a smalthere is where the party will put ler one. The next year it was the same thing, and by the third year MILLS is sweeping the State for old stocks were consumed and what was raised commanded good ties beld primaries last Saturday prices. Coffee now is worth four to determine their choice for Sen- or five times as much money as it 7th. Governor Hogg is the only ator. Not one so far has gone for was worth when too much of it but the relief of a people taxed

"There is a good object lesson in to insure his renomination. Other Hunt are both in Culberson's dis- great overproduction years in cof- their rich lands, limpid streams, fee and the remedy the same. hardly think there is much use i DECENCY itself, to say nothing of talking to the cotton men, though. istration has disappointed the peo- the partisan injustice and unfair- They are fixed in their ideas and ton. There is not a great deal ple and they are bent on a change, ness of Webb Finley' Tyler speech it will take something more than 8th With the fight to elect demands that he should resign his talk to make them abandon cot- a pound of cotton makes four yards

ability of the farmer to raise at who would decapitate the mor preference to crediting the farmer raigned him before the tribunal of who does not do so is really the the people. He is upon trial, and keynote of the situation. I would Mills is prosecuting attorney. go a step further than Colonel Rog. Shall be retired now and the spirit ers goes and advise the interior of Sam Randall substituted to enter merchants not to sell anything to a "Nol. Pros." to the proceedings. the farmer who does not raise corn, In true democracy is the salvation Shortest Possible Notice. unless he puts the cash down with of the country. Her platform, his order. I believe that if this tariff for revenue only. Having

"I tell you, sir, that the man house. a good illustration of this. There trade will get upon its feet, indus-We protest that we are quiet, are thousands of men in debt to- try and economy will be the order

thing and have met with inglorious "It seems rather hard to pay Throat, Sore Chest, Pneumonia, The following resolutions were failure in every case. Cant you what a man shall do or what he shall not do, but if the farmer is of the Throat and Lungs we postfool enough to waste his time and tively guarantee Ballard's Horeenergy on 6-cent cotton he should hound Syrup to be without any A committee of five were appoint- be made to feel the bad effects of equal on the whole face of greet the democracy of the state ed to draft resolutions and the fol- his folly, and should not be per- we refer to every individual who with open arms and join with them lowing were drafted and unani- mitted to drag the merchant and has ever used it and to every mously adopted and asked to be his other friends down with him, druggist who has ever sold it. 2. That we favor both tariff and published in our county organs. If he will not protect himself he financial reform and insist that 1st. That as our Honorable Sen- has no right to complain of other both be placed in the national plat- ator has been kind enough to ask and wiser men protecting them-

GROVETON.

our ship; we have a compass, you The sentiment expressed, the truth

union soldier will look upon it as of Augusta, Texas. an insult to them as well as to us. He is a deep blood bay, weight Is Palmer of Illinois and other vet | 1200 pounds and of first-class erans who led the union soldier on strain.

many bloody fields "embarrassed"?

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But the question now is not of war more than they can pay and make, cabicet-work turn putleys for a living It can not be denied wins and mills, make chairs, the the farmers of this state with all nutritious grasses and flue climate are dependent not independent. Some say it is the low price of cotmore made than consumed. But of calico and we get five cents for a "I read with much interest what pound of cotton and give seven or It is a place that should be filled Colonel J. D. Rogers said to a eight cents for a yard of calico. On CROCKETT, woollen goods the outrage is greatentirely at home at either end of country or comes into it, except DAISY SALOON, the line. What he says should the incomes and gewgaws of the F. G. EDMISTON, PROPRIETOR paign-thunder jerkers (we mean have great weight, for he knows wealthy. His name is Tariff and these little one-by-two fellows) want to know who ever heard Govhome what he causumes at home ster. He has dragged him by inis a good one. Crediting the far- dictment from his hiding-place in DRS. J. L. & W. C. LIPSCOMB, mer who raises his own corn in the money vaults of the East, ar-

rule were applied everywhere there won the fight on this issue (1890) would be a radical change effected. a grand majority shows up in the

Editor Page is again on deck and at who raises nothing but cotton is Let us place our noblest men in may be the soul of honor and may then the party can do what it has would marry, then he could quarrel with want to do the right thing, but he congress will be left with the pen- call and get prices before trading else

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For Tax Collector. The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Tax Collector for Houston county, subject to the action of the democratic party in primary election.
J. R. Sheridan.

county, subject to the action of the democratic For County Assessor The undersigned announces himself a can-

dieate for county assessor subject to the actio of the democratic party. (C. R. Brannen.

Justice of the Peace. The undersigned announces himself a can-didate for Justice of the Peace for the Lovelady Beat, subject to the action of the democratic party. A. STROZZIE

LOCAL AND COUNTY NEWS

Read Bill McConnell's ad, th

Thursday night.

W. J. Murchison of Lovelady was in town Monday. Sugar 20th for \$1.00, Coffee 5th

for \$1.00, at L. M. Campbell's Mrs. I. W. Muachison has been

quite sick, but is convalescent now.

Hon W. F. Murchison will leave

for Austin Sunday afternoon next. Hog-Law election 21 March. City election 1st Tuesday April.

Straw Hats in any shape and J. D. Garrison, nol prosed. color and to fit anybod & Bill McConnell's

Fifer & Hall propose in the near future to give a ball in their billiard prosed.

and pool room. Miss Florie McGill extends thanks to her friends for the watch

awarded her. D H. Bayne of Huntsville is at tending court as a witness in the set for Wednesday of 3rd week.

Oscar Smith case. O. F. Smith Sr. and Mrs Bailey were married at Centralia on 28th

Feb. both of this county. Canned corn, tomatoes and

praches, standard and fresh at 124 cents at Bill McConnells.

The city council have decided to to murder, guilty. 2 years in peniappoint a street commissioner and tentiary.

will be pleased to have applicants. The Kansas City firm signified their intention of fixing up bond

and going to work at once on school building.

McCaun of Elkhart. Remember that L. M. Campbel

keeps a full line of choice family Groceries at the lowest market prices. (S. C. Arledge's old W. T. Connor and Miss Mollie

Owens, daughter of Tom Owens, the city council presiding officer of beat Hogg, Mills. were married at the residence of said elections. J. C. WOOTTERS, the bride's father on Thursday There are several candidates for

city marshal at the approaching city election but there happens to be no election this year for that

lie to the announcements in this to pass the evenings. issue of C. R. Branuen for tax assessor and J. A. Strozzie for Jus-

date is nearly a million and half Paint. bales over the supply at this time last year. Cut down your acreage if you dont want to be ruined next

The Courier sends out this week to its Houston county readers a thousand copies of George Clark's speech. It is a fine speech and we urge every one to give it a careful perusal.

a splendid record for work and ladies' and gents' furnishing goods. ton. business. They returned 20 bills, SHIRTS! SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!!! NE Albright, merchant, Hogg. They will return about fifteen bills shirts, ruff shirts. For \$1.00 each Mills this week and then adjourn for a full stock brogan. Ladies' button A F Daniel, farmer, -Mills. few days.

last week stating that the drug in- bacco. Celebrated Globe Hams C W Hallmark, farmer, anybody terests of R. V. Watts of Lovelady 11c fb. Fresh flour, rice and fancy to beat Hogg, Mills. had been moved to the store of W. evaporated apples. My unlaun-J. Murchison. The advertisement dered shirt is a Daisy, reinforced was nut in through a misunder- back and front with linen bosom was standing which we take pleasure in and cuffs, only 50c.

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An Interesting Case.

The Court House corridors and one of the rooms were jammed or Monday last with an eager crowd of witnesses and onlookers. A case was on arbitration and was of such importance as to eclipse Judge Williams court which was The undersigned hereby announces himself a in session up stairs, trying a "colored brother," Isac Mann, for forgery. The burning question before the orbitrators was one involving the title to a graded Jersey bull between Pat. Barry and J. N Dickenson. Both claimed the bull and both were no doubt honest in their claims which they supported by an array of witnesses or both sides of good character and standing as citizens. J. E. Downes French & Chamberlain for drugs. and Henry Rice were the arbitrators. Quite a lot of nesses were examined and decision rendered giving the bul W. B. Page leaves for Austin to Pat Barry. The cost of the ar

bitration would probably have bought a half-dozen bulls but when men get stirred up they dont care for costs. Nineteen witnesses swore

that the bull was Pat Barry's while seven swore it was Dickerson's and Mills. they were all good men. The cost including lawyers' fees will reach nearly seventy dollars and the bull Eugene Smith of Logansport La., is estimated to be worth all the has been in the city several days. way from ten cents to ten dollars.

District Court Doings

The State of Texas vs: Isaac Mann, forgery, indicted in four cases and found guilty in three and given six years in penitentiary.

Jim Patton, Guilty, of misdemeanor and fined \$5.00. Joe Seaton, embezzlement. Scott Colter, guilty misdemeanor,

fined \$5.00. William Brimbery, Henry Rea-

gan and Jno. Crawford nol prosed A. E. Kennedy, nol prosed. Van Sheridan, charge of murder,

Walter Burke, assault to murder, set for to-day.

Henry Tippett, assault to murder, guilty of aggravated assault Mills. fined \$85.00.

Dave Bates, Burglary, mistrial Peyton Williams, nol prosed. Oscar Smith assault with inten-

Election Proclamation.

Whereas, on the 7th day of March 1892, the city council of the city of Crockett ordered an election to be held in said city for a Mayor, two We were pleased to have a call aldermen and, a city attorney as last week from W. W. Gainey and provided by law. Therefore, by Mrs Gainey of Augusta and Mrs virtue of the authority vested in me by law and by the ordinance of said city council, I hereby give notice that an election will be held at the court house of Houston county Mills. in the city of Crockett o., the 1st Tuesday in April, 1892, same being 5th day of said month. I. W.

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"Anybody to Beat Hogg" the Way They Talk.

Whenever the expression "Any body to beat Hogg" is used, the voter means any good democrat. If we have quoted any one wrong Clark, Mills. we shall be pleased to correct .-[Reporter.]

ference for Senator.

W G Brazeale, farmer, any body to beat Hogg, Mills.

Dr W C Miller, Ross. Joe Grounds, farmer, anybody to beat Hogg, Mills. J W McRae, farmer.

I C Liuce, farmer, anybody to beat Hogg. J W Thompson, farmer, anybody to beat Hogg. Jim Shotwell, F A Williams. W W Gainey, farmer, anybody

to beat Hogg.
Hon W F Murchison, farmer, Hogg as it stands. J A Hooks, farmer, Clark. D C Moore, farmer Clark,

the Senate.

James Johnson, farmer, Clark Cicero Dupuy, farmer, anybody to beat Hogg, Mills. George Calhoun, farmer, J C Wall, farmer, anybody

Jas McLean, Clark, Mills.

Sam Kyle, Clark, Mills. J H Butts, Clark. Jake Sheridan, farmer, Clark. Byron Ward, farmer, Clark.

John Denson, farmer, anybody Frank Bridges, farmer, anybody J H Rogers, farmer, Clark.

body to beat Hogg. Mills. Jess Courtney, farmer, Clark

Murchison has been appointed by Zeke Young, farmer, anybody to H Wilson, anybody to beat Hogg,

to beat Hogg, Mills. C C Curry, farmer, anybody to I N Trammel, farmer, anybody

S C Hirams, farmer, anybody heat Hogg, Mills.

J G Webb, farmer, Hogg, Mills. to beat Hogg, Mills. A H Graham, farmer, cant Mills.

OF Hallmark, farmer, anybody to beat Hogg, Mills. S Hollingsworth, farmer, Clark, H R Jordan, farmer, Hogg, Cul-

T J Cook, farmer, Clark, Mills. Jno Douglas, farmer, anybody to you prices to please. best Hogg. Mills.

T C LeMay, farmer, Clark, Mills.

Joe Rice, tarmer, Clark, Mills.

T J Wilson, farmer, Clark, Mills.

DEMOCRATS INTERVIEWED, I C Wall. farmer, Got enough

They Declare Their Sentiments Bob Barbee, farmer, not decide

We have continued the interviews with the view of getting as enough Hogg. full an expression as possible from the democrats of Houston county. We failed to give an expression in last week's issue of the choice of those voting for United States Senator. Of the 183 interviewed 130 are for Mills. Since our last issue we have seen the following nearly all of whom also indicate their pre- Mills

A J McLeMore, farmer, Clark.

W J Harkins, farmer, Clark

Turner Durham, Clark, Mills for Geo. Lane, farmer, Clark, Mills

beat Hogg, Mills. Wm McLean, merchant, Clark,

2 for Ross. N C McMillan, farmer, Clark

Dan McLean, merchant, Clark TS Allen, farmer, anybody, to ing 42. beat Hogg to beat Hogg.

to beat Hogg. Jno Long, farmer, Clark, Mills. B F Mosely, farmer, Clark, Mills. J W Lackey, farmer, Clark, J F. Butts, farmer, I want Hogg at home but none at the cap-

Gus Richardson, farmer, any- Bill W L Sheridan, farmer, Clark,

R E McConnell, merchant, Clark

J P Robbins, farmer, anybody to

H H Rice, farmer, Hogg, Mills.

A J Hearon, farmer, Clark, Mills. L W Driskill, farmer, anybody

W A Hester, farmer, Clark, Mills.

Jim Brawn, clerk, Ross, Mills.

H A Hughes, farmer, Clark Ren Wherry, farmer, anybody to

Sam Thompson, merchant, Hogg. Chilton Tom Craedock, merchant, Clark Arch Murchison, merchant

J G Haring, Druggist, not decided. Mills. W M Nichols, merchant, got J. W. Nichols, merchant, Hogg,

J H Bussel, farmer, Clark, Mills, Dr. W D McCarty, Clark, Mills. D. R. Stubblefield, Clark Mille, W H Kent, Ross, Mills. D R Baker, clerk, Clark, Mills. Allen Newton, clerk, Clark,

W V Berry, hoteikeeper, not de Dr J L Lipscomb, opposed J G Bobbitt, farmer, Clark, Mills J H Hague, farmer, Hogg, Mills.

Jno Tucker, farmer, not decided, model American, worthy of the po-W M Frizzel, farmer, Clark, pre-P E Tunstall, farmer, Clark, Chilton.

> J B Satterwhite, farmer, Clark. Analysis of the above: Number interviewed 101 all whom express a preference for either governor or United States Sen-

R Depue, farmer, Ciark.

Of those expressing a choice governor 50 are outspoken for Clark; 27 for any body to beat Hogg; 10 for Hogg; 3 for Ross; for F. A. Williams; 10 not decided Combining Clark's vote with those "for anybody to beat Hogg' we have Clark 77; Hogg 10; Ross 3. Of the 101 voting 75 are farmers; 22 merchants, clerks or professional; 4 unclassified. Of the farmers 5 are for Hogg; 63 for Clark;

Of the merchants and other pr fession and unclassified 7 are fo Clark, 3 for Hogg and the balance not expressing a preference. Combining the vote in this issue

201; Hogg 30; Ross and scatter On the senatorial question 69 express a choice for Mills for sena tor; 3 for Chilton and 1 for Cul-

About twenty five were interviewed before we concluded to take a census on senator and that explains why there is not a larger

McConnell Says:

People coming into our store and after looking around for a momen in perfect astonishment, we hear the words: "Why, hello! Boys you are certainly ahead of your advertisements; one would think from THE COURIER that all) the cyclones in the country originated E A Williams, farmer, anybody from this house, but on investigation can be found a sensation wind, the mist all cleared away and the noonday's sun beaming i all its marvelous splendor."

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Republican Convention.

The Republicans (colored) Houston county met in mass meet-Wyatt Lane, farmer, Clark, ing, March 5, pursuant to call of county chairman. The chair statby a commuttee of five, viz: L for spring suit of Tailor made W. Baker, Adam Lane, Tom Larue, clothing. Fit guaranteed. Walter Taylor and George Teal. W. M. Swanson, of Palestine, was, Arch Burton, clerk, Clark, Mills. J C Zimmerman, shoemaker, J. A. Turner. On motion the re-

> 1st. That we reaffirm our devotion to the principles of the National republican party. 2d. We recommend to our countrymen the wise administration of National affairs by Benjamin Har rison and his able co-adjutors in the cabinet and we here and now present him to Americans as a

offered the following resolutions:

publicans who have preceded him in the presidential chair. 3d. We indorse the Hon. J. R Burnett, of Palestine, formerly of this county, as a delegate at large from the State to the National convention which will convene in Min-

eapolis, June 7, 1892. 4th. We also instruct for J. M. Apply to J. H. Stuart. Gillett, of Robertson county and G. W. Burkitt, of Anderson county, as delegates from this the 2d Congressional district to the National

5th. We recommend that we endorse for alternates the following persons, viz: T. G. W. Tarver from Houston county and D. W. Fortson of Cherokee county. Then J. M. Gillett, of Hearne Texas, was called upon to addres

the convention amidst cheers. He gave his views on the public questions and defined the principles of the republican party and gave as his reason for not being a democrat because it was a party of confusion with previous vote we have: Clark and corruption." He reviewed the situation of New York under Cleveland and Hill, the Solid South under Hogg and Clark. He predicted the overthrow of the Democratic party. He also explained why he favored a protective tariff.

Convention adjourned to mee again by call from chairman. T. G. W. TARVER, Ch'm'n. R. L. Lambert, Sec.

Wilson Adams & Co. Have on hand a fancy line ladies' dress goods consisting of white and figured lawns, ginghams enrietta cloth, and mohair goods. Also the latest styles in calicoes a fine line of men's and boys' spring and summer clothing, an elegant line of gents' furnishing goods. Ladies', Gents' and children's shoes from the best manufacturers. A full line of fancy family groceries consisting of canned goods. Our line of farm implements is complete. A large assortment of pure

Call at Jno. Murchison & Son's and give them your order for firstclass tailor made suit of spring or there will be as much cotton plan | For sale by French & Chambersummer clothing. Fit and goods

coffee, \$1. Ladies button and lace breaking out all over my body, strife and confusion. and at times these small pimples R. Q. Mills is the choice of a Special: -Come to our store and would terminate in boils. While States Senator. be at your ease and we will give traveling in the South last year I We want some one else besides had occasion to try a bottle of P. P. Hogg for governor. B. F. G. P., which was recommended to me by a friend and to my surprise it Everybody is putting in his best helped me so much that I got six or slim can be fitted. All styles Jonas Marsh, farmer, Clark, licks for six cent cotton. Our bottles more, and after taking the school will be out this week. Our full contents, I felt better than I merchant is exercising his muscles had since the beginning of my on cutting rail timber. Mr. Dris- trouble, and while I have no symp kill, the Alliance lecturer, came toms of the disease returning, I am down to give the negroes a talk still using the wonderful blood fifteen of which were for felonies. Black shirts, Mother Hubbard H W Hester, farmer, Clark, Some are in favor of a third party. medicine at intervals, and am fully One primary for us, no Hogg in satisfied that I will be entirely ours and the democratic ticket cured of a disease that for lifteen years has troubled me. I cannot express my gratitude to you for so wonderful a benefactor as your I I have in stock the celebrated '. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and 4 Ace Hams and Globe Hame. "dassium.) I am yours truly! Oat Meal, Grits, Hominy and

Sold by French & Chamberlain

Cash must accompany every announcement for office. There will be no exceptions to this at

delegates to the state convention. of fashions for spring and summer On motion delegates were chosen clothing. Call and give us order I. W. MURCHISON.

look after some business matters. "ifow delicious is the winning Of a kiss, at loves beginning."ings the poet, and his sentiment is If either party has the catarrh, sition he occupies and fully attain-

Truitt Cotton Seed.

for an incurable case,

for sale, 3 bushels for one dollar. ones. W. B. Page.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen. One blue roan horse-colt, 3 years old, branded J. H. on left shoulder. Five dollars for his delivery to

W/A. HALL, Crockett. Texas. · Fire.

but friends come to the rescue and

At about 11 o'clock this morning

fire broke out in an out house close

time his residence was in danger

to Col Aldrich's residence.

Strayed or Stolen. From the premises of Mrs Nancy Rich 74 miles south of Crockett near Oakland school house, one bay mare, white streak in forehead der Crisp and Mills and Texas un- 8 or 9 years old 14 or 15 hands high, branded C. S. op right shoulder; some sign of figura on shoul- is selling cheaper than the cheapder. I will pay the sum of five est. Yard near the depot. dollars for her recovery or information leading to her recovery. Please leave information of her whereabouts with or write to J. W

Hail, Crockett, NANCY RICH.

Agents Wanted, wishing employment can have it pounded It purifies the blood, expenses from \$75.00 to \$100.00 most a new creature of man. Dr. per month, by calling on J. Woodward at the court House in it. Please send me half a dozen Crockett between March the 15th more bottles." and April the 1st 1892. Money guaranteed, Office hours from 8

WELDON. Health of this section is good, so the M. D's. say. Farmers busy, some planting corn. I dont think whole fifteen years before.

\$15.00 of the deposit will be re-

turned at the expiration of term of

service, if not forfeited.

We are nearly solid for the hoglaw around here. Give us but one GENTLEMEN-I have suffered for primary election if you please. sugar, \$1. 5 and 54 lbs of good years with a kind of Tetter, or Two create too much bitterness, majority of the people for United

PRICES THAT SUIT

The finest of ribben cane, syrup 50 cents a gallon. A beautiful line of new ginghams just from the mills, 14 vards fer

\$1.00.

Boys suits, \$1.25, jeans pants 73 ents, overalls 40 cents, two spools of thread 5 cents, nice ribbon 5 cents a yard, lots of other things just as cheap. New goods coming all the time. This is all at the Saddle Shop. When you come to Watch Out . own, drop in at the Saddle Shop ind see what we have.

Obituary

Mrs A. A. Worthington, widow of G. W. Worthington, died peacefully and calmly at her son's W We have just received a new B. Worthington on Nevels Prairie, ed object of the meeting to elect line of samples and latest cut plate Feb. 26, 1892 and her remains were laid to rest awaiting the great res-She was born in East Tenn. Oct.

6, 1811, where she was married in the year 1830, and came with heal husband to Richmond Mo. Here William Patton of Tadmor has called to the floor and made a short been in town several days. Some. they were broken up by the Morand impressive talk. Committee how the report became current moans who threatened to kill on delegates reported the following Sunday that Bill had married and them because they would not join delegates to the state convention: on Monday every man he met was them. They did burn their house L. W. Baker, R. L. Lambert, T. G. extending the hand of congratula- and destroy all their property and W. Tarver, Tom Larue, Freeman tion. Bill says a man cant come forced them to go back to Tenn. Burton, A. Lane, Geo. Hughes and up here to attend the session of the Afterwards they came to Arkansas grand jury without having some and in 1863 came to Texas and ir port was adopted. L. W. Baker thing started on him. Bill insists settled to Trinity county. Her that he was here strictly to pay his husband died in 1872 and she came respects to the grand jury and to to Houston county with her children where she lived until her

Sister Worthington was an exemplary christian. She was converted and joined the Methodist true with one possible exception. church when quite young in which she lived a consistent and youthful even loves kiss loses its sweetness. member all her life. She was ex-Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is a ceedingly careful about the religisure cure for this repulsive and ous instruction of her children in Bob Barbee, farmer, Clark, Mills. ing the high standard which marks distressing affliction. By its mild, the home and she was rewarded for J P Christian, ginner. Clark, the character of the long line of re- soothing, antiseptic, cleansing and her faithfulness. She was visited healing properties, it cures the by Bro. Tenny just a short time worst cases. \$500 reward offered before she died and to him she expressed her willingness to go and be with the Lord; said she had no fears that she was kept by the pow-The undersigned has the genu- er of God. May the richest blessine Truitt (Georgia) cotton seed ings of God rest upon the bereaved store

> J. L. D. The work done by H. C. Eichels HALL WILSON, M. D. berger at his photograph gallery is superb. So elegant and fine that many think he sends off to have it done. This is a mistake. It is all done here and in highest style of finish. Come in and have your

pictures taken. Dr. John Bull's Worm Destroyers taste good and quickly emove worms from children or grown people, restoring the weak and puny to robust health. Try them. No other worm medicine is so safe and sure. Price 25 cents short while will have a at drug stores, or sent by mail by ming and will furnish John D. Park & Sons Co., 175 and lumber. 177 Sycamour St., Cincinnatti, O.

Lumber! Lumber!! Call on Mart Ellis for first class longleaf, yellow-pine lumber. He

STIL-LIN-GIN. What is it and what good does it do? God in his wisdom, knowing the many ailments which mankind is heir to, has placed in the vegetable kingdom the roots and herbs from which this great At a cost of only \$17.00, persons and wonderful remedy is comthat will yield them clear of all regulates the liver and makes al-S. Hine, of Oakalla, Texas says: "I have used Stillington and like

ABSCESS OF THE LIVER. Mrs. W. H. M .--, of Llano, Texas, says, "I have been a sufferer of abscess of the liver for fifteen years

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THOROUGH WORK.

W.B. PAGE Editor.

The Young, Thrifty German Didn't Say Much, but He Took Everything. The old saying that the German piles up greenbacks where the American sets out for the poorhouse is strikingly illustrated in a story from Kankakee county, Ills. Fritz Loeb, an awkward young German, trudged into the county one day and inquired the price of twenty acres of land. Young Ed Bunch, of whom he made the inquiry, and who had inherited a fine farm and money besides, laughed at him. "A twenty acre farm!" he said, "why, that wouldn't support a hen and chickens." "So?" remark-

ed the German. Fritz bought his twenty acres of land and went to work. Day after day, as Mr. Bunch drove to town behind a span of bays, he saw Fritz weeding the garden, cutting thistles or hoeing corn. The German's land yielded more to the acre, his cows gave more milk, his hens laid more eggs than his rich neighbors. Pretty Mrs. Bunch, noting the German's prosperity, said to him one day:

"Not one would haf me," he smilingly answered, "Some little Datch girl might."

"You ought to take a wife, Fritz."

Years rolled on. Fritz, prudent and industrious, was making money. Mr. Bunch still rode to town behind the span of bays, but he often borrowed money from the frugal German, and before long the farm and stock were mortgaged to the man who had proved that a twenty acre farm would support something be-

sides a hen and chickens. Mr. Bunch died, and Fritz came Monkeys with four ears. Fishes into possession of the fine farm. with ten heads attached to one body. There was little left for the widow and her two boys, aged ten and They also believe in the existence of

"Der leetle boys can drive oop der cows und dig 'taters," said Fritz. "Let dem live with me."

The widow consented, and the boys, fond of Fritz, threw up their hats and turned somersaults on the

at the Bunch farmhouse during a space have a line tightly stretched thunder shower. The widow, nerv out of doors. To this fasten the up mother originated directly from the your eye can reach over hills and ous at such times, was glad to see per edge of the blanket. Have strips child.—Yankee Blade. him, and gave him an easy chair and of cotton sewed to the bottom at ininvited him to enjoy a smoke. As tervals, tie these to pegs, which drive the smoke from his pipe curled up well into the ground. Now turn on over his head, Fritz remarked:

"Der farm vhas mine?" "Yes, Fritz." "Der span of bays vhas mine?"

"Yes, Fritz." "Der leetle boy vhas mine?"

"Yes, Fritz." "I no likes to leave noddings. Vhas der vidder mine?"

the rainbow arching the retreating it. When the sun has completed the storm cloud, and she answered in a task you will possess blankets as

The next day they drove to the Ladies' Home Journal. parsonage behind a span of bays. -

How Romans Took Their Food. quets on couches, all supporting oriental rite; 184 archiepiscopal sees, with their fingers from dishes placed in the center of the table. Each was Besides these 957 residential sees supplied with a napkin, and knives there are others called titular, for the were used, though it does not appear most part assigned to archbishops that every one was supplied with one. and bishops governing apostolic dele-Nothing, it would seem, could be gations, vicariates or prefectures, or more fatiguing than to partake of a to the office of coadjutor, auxiliary repast in such an awkward posture or administrator. There are 7 dele or less conducive to neatness, it begations, 117 vicariates and 41 prefec ing almost impossible to keep the tures apostolic. The total of patrihands clean, even with water sup- archs, archbishops and bishops on plied by the slaves, or to prevent the Jan. 1, 1891, was 1,222. -St. James' food and wine from falling on the Gazette. clothing and the draperies of the

This manner of eating disappeared during the Dark Ages so far as the the world with ridiculous hobbies," couch was concerned, but the peculcouch was concerned, but the pecul-arity of taking the food with fingers with whom he was trying to become are rich and are fooling around here fire is lighted, and you gather from from a common dish continued after acquainted. ward for more tha 1,000 years. - San

A Plucky Abbe.

In the tribune the Abbe Maury exhibited the most undaunted compost there's that sun spot man"ure in spite of the vehement inter ruptions of his adversaries, the yells ulous. I am the sun spot man." and cries of those whom popularity | Youth's Companion. hunters designate "our masters." "Obtain me a hearing," he shouted to Mirabeau across the tempestuous sea of heads, "if you believe you can really triumph over my principles, for in the midst of this tumult you triumph only over my lungs."

Mirabeau, shaking his fist at him, vociferated, "There is the greatest rogue I know!" "Oh, Monsieur de Mirabeau," rejoined Maury, "you forget yourself."—The Gentleman's Magazine. "Love yo

preferred to go on all fours, and ran it would do the most good. so fast in that position that no one could catch him. He could not talk, amid the feminine debris. but was induced to wear clothes. He still remained so inhuman that few people would keep him for whisper. any time, and for three nights in succession wolves were seen to come up use slang before. Don't"and awake him. In each case the capered around him and licked him. dread overcame her.

There are slate deposits in Great gretfully. Britain, Italy, France and other European countries, as well as in sev eral of the United States. The most productive American slate beds are in the central and eastern parts of the two ranges of bright letter boxes med. Ingredients bought in Broad-Pennsylvania.

Electricity in the Dental Office. Dentistry owes much to electricity bilities in the way of skillful and scientific practice. It is found that many of the flaws which mark incipient decay in teeth are so minute as to be invisible in ordinary light.

THE MINSTREL'S LOT.

My lady, when thy cavallers, About thy footstool bend, And wait thy words with eager ears, Thou dost not condescend To look on me. My faithful lute, That soothed thee with its song, Hath lost its charm, the strings are

Amid the knightly throng. Thou givest one thy sleeve to wear, And one thy hand to press. Thou dost believe them when they swen Their vows thou dost not seek to prove, Thou art content the while: And yet to me, whose life is love, Thou grantest not one smile.

Yet when, perchance, some feat of arms Doth call thy knights away. And they, forgetful of thy charms, Ride forth to join the fray. Ere the last pennoned lance is hid By hills that lie beyond, To soothe thy sorrow I am bid, And gladly I respond.

Thy thought is with the caveliers Who laughing rode away, And to dispel thy louely tears I tune my loving lay. I am forgot in love's sweet sang. All happiness is thine; But love is true, my love is strong. Thy griefs are doubly mine.

Thou knowest not this love I hold. Thon dost not understand The love that in my songs is told-Love beautiful and grand. Songs serve to hasten lagging time, Thy dreams are dreams of pride: The lover pictured in my rhyme Unknown waits at thy side. -Flavel Scott Mines in Harper's Weekly.

Mythical Creatures of Japan. The Japanese believe in more mythical creatures than any other people on the globe, civilized or sav age. Among them are mythical animals without any remarkable peculi arities of conformation, but gifted with supernatural attributes; such as a tiger, which is said to live to be a thousand years old, and to turn as white as a polar bear. They also be lieve in a multitude of animals distin guished mainly by their monstrous size or by the multiplication of their

Among these are serpents 800 feet long and large enough to swallow an elephant. Foxes with eight legs. the flesh of which is a cure for boils. a crane which, after it has reached the age of 600 years, has no need of any sustenance except water. St. Louis Republic.

Washing Blankets Made Easy. If one has a suitable place for the purpose, the washing of blankets may One day in July Fritz took refuge become an easy matter. In an open the hose. Cold water, of course, and plenty of it. Drench the blankets well on both sides. If much soiled. rub the spots with soap and drench again. The force of the stream will do more than wringing.

After the article is quite clean, leave At to dry; never mind if it does rain; if the work has been thorough it will She looked through the window at not streak, but be all the better for white, soft and unshrunken as new. and the nap will not be destroyed.

Sees of the Catholic Church. In the Catholic church there are 10 patriarchates, with 13 patriarchal The Romans reclined at their ban- sees, 8 of the Latin rite and 5 of the themselves on one elbow, and eating 167 Latin and 17 oriental; 760 epis copal sees, 705 Latin and 55 oriental.

> When Hobbies Are Not Hobbies. "How many people there are in

"I know it," said the other, "and

"So have I. Now, for example "Excuse me. Science is never ridic-

Slightly Embarrassing, They stood in the darkened vestibule of a double flat house up town. It was a late hour and a cold night, but these were nothing-for it was he and she, and they were young and stood very closely together. Time stood no show alongside of op room almost devoid of furniture, cud, and on the bush with its dark

"You don't love me a bit?" she "Love you! I worship you, sweet-heart—darling!" The blond head was brought against the manly A boy caught in a wolf's den near breast for the fifteenth time and a Hasanpur could walk upright, but soft, clinging kiss was planted where ure of not being at the opera nor at

"What did you say, dearest?"

"Come off!" in a half smothered "Why, darling, I never heard you wave "I never said a word," she declared. boy played with the wolves, who "It must have been"-and a terrible

"I never thought"-he began re-"You did-yes, you did!"

"Why, who's that?" Both young people suddenly started away from the wall against which "Perique, Virginia, only an eighth they had been leaning and stared at Turkish. I gave a box of it to Mahand owlish speaking tubes. "Will you never come off, down apartment."-New York Times.

"Oh, plague on it! That's Johnny, for having largely added to its possi- said she with deep disgust. "Our

An Old Borough's County Fair. Bristol, which is the oldest bor- much about them. A bargain sale of The importance of being able to de ough in Pennsylvania, claims the Russian hare muffs at one dollar, said tect these minute and telltale indi- honor of having inaugurated in this to be marked way down, will often cations before serious mischief has been worked by decay is evident, and for means of accomplishing this the for means of accomplishing this the dentist has had recourse to the elec-tric light. By this means the oper-was held there as far back as 1742. oughness every corner of the mouth and to perceive instantly the slight est shade of change from the normal color of the teeth.—Philadelphia

Press

Trom this date for seventy-five years took place in the surface as a buyer so that she doubtedly eat her. So all through the slight tool of the teeth.—Philadelphia

Time, with S per cent discount on deferred pay—

It seems to be a fact on pretty good ahead of his nose to make him go the lawless character they had assumed.

The date for seventy-five years that she doubtedly eat her. So all through life she goes on swinging a turnip ahead of his nose to make him go the lawless character they had assumed.

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The date for seventy-five years and the could undenty and Ir. those olden times the decree of authority, however, that the smooth, same as though he were a balky fashion ruled the country swain as so called moire astrakhan capes are mule. She is a cheery little body.

horse's tail, was securely strapped ets, also for collars and facings to his coat, within which his dancing scalskin coats.—Brooklyn Eagle. shoes were tenderly wrapped. He wore two pairs of stockings, the outer pair of colored yarn and the inner of fair white silk. The tops of the stockings of darker hue were always turned down to show the whiteness of the interior hosiery, and the entire effect of the nag, man and girl, according to Bristol's oldest inhabitant, was "beautiful in the extreme." -Philadelphia Record.

The Largest of Alligators. Probably the largest alligator ever seen in Louisiana was killed in a small lake on the plantation of H. J. Feltus, in Concordia parish. According to the statement of Mr. Feltus, now of Baton Rouge, this specimen measured twenty-two feet in length. The great reptile had long been famous for miles around, having destroyed numbers of hogs and hounds owned in the neighborhood of his retreat. He had become so wary, from the number of ineffectual shots fired at him, as to be almost unapproachable. Finally he fell a victim to a long shot fired from a Mississippi rifle in the hands of Mr. Feltus, who had persevered in hunting him, having been the greatest loser by his depredations. The huge carcass of this reptile was towed to the bank by a boat. It required the strength of a pair of mules and a stout rope to haul it ashore, where the measurement was made.

The Letter "M" in Mother. It has been pointed out as a curious fact that the letter "M" in al. of all canines. - Detroit Free Press. most all known languages-English, French, Latin, Spanish, Greek, Hebrew, Chinese and the others-is to be found in the word which stands for mother or nurse. Perhaps this is owing to its representing a sound which exists in every spoken speech,

Science versus Nature. Young Mother (in ecstasy)-Yes, my little niece, this is your teeny weeny ittie baby cousin. Isn't he a darling? Bless his itsy tootsy wootsies! He can talk too. Sit up, baby, and talk to your ittie cousin.

Baby-Goo, goo, goo, woo, mawoy, wow, wow, goo, goo. Little Niece (in disgust)-- I've dot a new doll at home 'at talks better zan either of you. -- Good News.

Struck Him for Half a Dollar-"I was walking down a wild ravine in West Virginia," said Will Paine, "looking after the operations of a railroad company in which I was ina curious specimen of tramp. He stopped me and began to work me for a quarter. In the conversation that followed I asked him what his business was before he took to the woods. He said he was a lawyer. I didn't believe it and began at once to catechise him. I was pretty fresh from a district attorney's office and began to anticipate fun. Well, that fellow had all the rudiments of law pat. He knew more about legal terms and theories than any man ever saw. In the middle of this he looked at me curiously and finally

"'Your name is Paine-Will Paine. "I was somewhat taken aback, but admitted the soft impeachment. "'Your name is Paine,' he went on. You are from Wilkesbarre, Pa.; you went to Lehigh university; you were said a gentleman to a fellow traveler in the district attorney's office; you

"He poured out other information how they do try to thrust them on the and at such a rate that I could public! I've laughed about it again scarcely get breath to ask him who he was and how he came to know so

"'I was in the same class with you at Lehigh-never mind the rest. Make it half a dollar. Thanks. Goodby."-New York Herald.

tle Turkish table of shell, were two stretching about you.-Fortnightly or three volumes of the Elizabethan Review age, and their engravings bright as proofs of coins, augmented the pleasthe dance at Sherry's nor elsewhere. "Break away," came hoarsely from At last the poet rolled cigarettes

> "The flavor is firm, velvety, subtle delicate. It is so perfectly exqisite so softly suave, that it commuicate instantly the absolute idea and senti ment of happiness!" exclaimed the poet. "Only the orient can create an artificial paradise like this."

"Hum! Compare with the tobacco of my pouch," rejoined the painter. way, mixture compounded at my court will do it."

haps there is nothing about which Argonaut. more deceit can be used than in the sale of furs. Few women know

sternly as now; but one way was very poor wearing ones and not as comme il faut for the swell youth to bring his "best girl" to the fair, and ten is not infrequently designated as the door or she chuckles in her sleeve left the room. that way was as follows:

He mounted his nag coatless; be only skunkskin. Natural undyed hind him was his sweetheart, and seal is of a light tan shade and is Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

Alaska sab'e, which in reality may be when he is not by. The stubborn husband is as interesting as a bug.—
and going into the hall, they found commercial Gazette.

"Jack" dragging his bed downstairs. still further behind, almost on the much used for fanciful coaching jack-

> A traveler in Norway says that the horses in that country have a very sensible way of taking their food, which might be beneficially followed Europe is a Hebrew oreb; Australia here. A bucket of water is put down is a Latin word. The origin of the beside their allowance of hay. It is interesting to see with what relish they take a sip of one and a mouthful of the other alternately, some Louis Republic. times only moistening their mouths as a rational being would while eating his dinner of such dry food. A broken winded horse, it is said, is

They All De It.

Tailor-That's all right, but the say: "Twee, twee!" but who, if in to pay cash for it.—Clothier and Furoffer a bit of grounsel or a lump of

known as the water dog. They are don Telegraph. without doubt the most intelligent

THE AFRICAN BUSH.

Terror Inspiring Land Where Silence and Heat Are Frightful. To see this land typically one should outspan one's wagon on the top of a height on a summer's midday. Notand has the same pronunciation in a creature stirs anywhere, and the them all. It is also exceedingly easy sun pours down its rays on the flacto utter, and is one of the first sounds | cid. dust covered leaves of the | that children make, and it therefore bushes. When the driver has gone naturally enters into the appellation to lie down behind the bushes and first cries of recognition and affect to water, if you stand up alone make up a single thread. -Kansas as many ribs as there are days in a Rivers, Creeks and streams of living water abound, furnishing through tion. There is no doubt at all that on the chest at the front of the wagon Farmer. "ma" and the other baby names for and look out you will see as far

> dales the silent, motionless hot bush heat and solitude of the bush. Not manufacture. - Mechanical News. less characteristically do you see it when as a little child you travel

through it in the night. The ox wagon creeps slowly along companion. The young man marthe sandy road. The driver, walking ried and moved with his bride and beside it, calls at intervals to his tired his dog into a house on the opposite chest and see as the wagon moves house, his own former home. The along how the dark outlines of the dog was not happy, for the time and terested, and I suddenly came across too; a great clump seems coming his were now given to the young nearer and nearer like a vast animal; wife. In many ways he showed his

the shapes are magnified by the dark. unhappiness and displeasure, in spite wagon chest and look out across it. reconcile him and the bride to win Against the dark night sky to our him. right, on the ridge of the hill, are the One day when the master came gaunt forms of aloes standing like a home, his wife sat on his knee while row of men keeping watch. We re- "Jack" was lying by the fire. He member all the stories we have heard of Kafir wars and men shot and stabbed as they passed along hill-sides, and of wild animals, and we is all right, she's a good girl," and as creep down lower; then a will-o'-thewisp comes out from some dried up torrent bed and far above us dances in and out among the clumps of bush.

now in sight and now out again. You are glad when the people in the wagon begin to sing hyms, and more glad yet when at 9:30 the wagon stops, drawn up against a great tired oxen are taken out from the far and wide stumps of dried elephant's food and euphorbia what you can drag with one hand, and bits of branch and dry twig, and throw them on the fire; the flame leaps higher and higher and all sit down beside Titles Perfect! the ruddy blaze.

Away behind another bush the driver and leader have lighted their fire and are talking to each other in Kafir as they boil the coffee and grill The curtains of antique damask the meat. The blaze of your own were carefully drawn. In the grate fire leaps up and illumes the great burned a fire of blaze and flames. and dusty body of the wagon with The lamps and the wax candles in its white sails, and glints on the the candelabra were lit, and placed horns of the tired oxen, where they on the carpets of rich stuffs, in the lie tied to their yokes, chewing the were vases filled with scarlet cut green leaves behind you, and you laugh and talk and forget the stories taxes or harrassed by city ordinances. The land, a beautiful rolling Between the two friends, on a lit of Kafir wars and the great bush

How Bismarck Saved Himself. It is perhaps not generally known that when a young man Bismarck had a quasi connection with the prodays his temper sometimes got the wells of the purest water can be obtained at a reasonable depth. better of him, but upon one occasion at least his wit saved him from disgrace. This was when, questioning good prospects of being completed early this year. a witness, the latter made an impudent retort, whereupon Bismark exclaimed angrily: "If you are not more respectful

shall kick you out of the room." have you understand that this is a dignified court of justice, and that if there is any kicking to be done the

"Aha, you see?" said Bismarck to lutely Safe. It is a well known and established fact that additions spectful to me the court will kick planted like this one, have within the past few years in this city proven the witness; "if you are not more re It is an old saying that there are you out of the room; so be careful- the best possible investment for all-The Rich and the Poor Alike. many tricks in every trade, but per very careful, sir!"-San Francisco They have to-day all the modern city improvements, water, gas, electric

The Stubborn Husband.

A most interesting phenomenon is the stubborn husband. He is not a dition will be crowned with a similar marked success. ANY LADIES bad man. He is contrary, and he has to be managed. He is usually OR GENTLEMEN who cannot attend the auction sale, yet wish to married to a clever little woman, get some of these choice bargains, may send us their order for as many in the County.

He has no suspicion of this. If he call upon them to close some,

Meanings of Several Names. southern land. Asia is a Greek word; overtures. - London Spectator. word Africa is uncertain. Some conjecture that it is a Semitic word, ing "Land of Wanderers."-St.

What Birds Think of Men. Possibly, now that Professor Gar nier has directed serious attention to scarcely ever seen in Norway, and discovering the structure of monkey | are very small, the disk being yellow, the question that arises is whether talk, we may before long have some the mode of feeding has not some naturalist translating bird words into thing to do with the preservation of English. It is certainly humiliating ing well so far north. the animal's respiratory organs - to find ourselves, after centuries of intercourse with feathered songsters, still such aliens to each other. What an average bird thinks of an average Tailor-You had your suit cleaned man it is difficult even to conceive. and pressed the other day. The bill To the mind of a grouse, man is a was \$3.50, and I would like to col- giant with an iron stick that shoots that so many other tropical weeds, Stubber—But I haven't paid for the Stubber I haven't paid for the Stubber

We prefer not to consider what Poodle is derived from the German opinion a wild lark who has been pudel, a puddle or pool. This dog snared on its own hillside forms of was originally German, and the name its captor, who shuts it up in a cage was probably given it because of be about nine inches square and keeps ing very closely allied to what is it in a stuffy, gaslighted shop, -Lon-

Look carefully under the abdomen near the tip of a spider and you will given to the nursing parent in the the leader is gone to take the oxen more than 600 separate strands go to Aristotle thought that screents had ty, running in a North-westerly and South-casterly direction.

> Hairsprings. Hairsprings have been manufactured of only one tenth of a grain Not a sound is to be heard, and the weight, and out of one pound of heat is so intense your hand blisters iron, originally valued at five cents, on the tent of the wagon where you as many as 50,000 of these delicate have rested it; only from a clump of springs have been made, the value of bush at your right a cicada sets up which was 160,000 times as much as its keen, shrill cry, glorying in the the raw material employed in their

A young man had owned for some years a dog who was his constant oxen; we look out across the wagon side of the street from his father's his face with a dull razor, when he bushes on either side seem to move, attention which had formerly been We creep closer down behind the of the fact that the master tried to

> rose from his place, came over to the couple and expressed his disapproval.

Lines can not be changed.

their Actual Value.

oked up at him, turned away and

"Jack" dragging his bed downstairs. When he reached the front door he whined to be let out, and when the Asia means morning or east; door was opened he dragged his bed Europe, evening or west; Australia down the steps, across the street to means lying to or in the south. Hence his old home, where he scratched for we may consider that these names admittance. Since then he has never mean eastern land, western land and been back to his master, refusing all

> The Travels of Weeds. In many parts in eastern United States a small Mexican weed, belong ing to the order of composites, called Galinsoga parviflora, is now extreme ly plentiful. It is also making head way in the Old World. The foliage has a resemblance to the ageratum well known in gardens. The flowers and have five small ray petals. It is strange to find a tropical plant thriv For variety and fertility of soils. A vast lorest of native woods, adapt

ed to the manufacture of all grades and styles of furniture, vehicles It is destroyed by the first white frost, but as the seeds are not injured and agricultural implements. Walnut, White Oak, Linn, Ash, Hickby the extremest cold the plant is ory of every variety. Post Oak, Cypress, Long and Short Leaf Pine able to maintain its existence wher Curley Pine, Holly, Beach, Cherry, Magnolia and all other species of ever it is able to mature its seed in timber found in the woods of East Texas. summer time. It is for this reason out death. To a raged canary he such as the jamestown weed or stra-

The balsam, Impatiens fulva, alcleaning is done outside, and we have a pleasant humor, may perhaps though spread over the whole North American continent, even penetrating the arctic circle, was no doubt originally a tropical plant, extending in the same manner as those we have referred to. Destroyed as they eas- the County are rich in iron of the Laminated and Brown Hematite vaily are by frost, the seeds yet enable them to travel far into northern regions. - Mechans' Monthly.

> How Serpents Move. King Solomon acknowledged that there were "three things which are too wonderful for me-yea, four see six little nipples. Under these which I know not," and one of these nipples, inside her body, there are was "the way of a serpent upon a special glands in which a kind of rock." For hundreds of years after gum is secreted, and this dries when the time of Solomon the snake's are splendid. The International & Great Northern runs through it it comes into the air. This gum forms mode of progression remained a directly North and South. The Trinity & Sabine belt on the South, a silken thread, from which the spi mystery. Latter-day men of science der builds her web. The nipples, which are called 'spinnerets," have learned that his snakeship's ribs furnish him with a means of progression of the County not merely one opening, but are sion. So, instead of having a pair or easy and rapid means of transportation to and from market. Besides pierced with at least a hundred holes, two pairs of "feet," they really have there are two other lines surveyed and projected through the Coun-

month, but had he examined a the dryest summer an abundance of pure, fresh water. The Trinit ed his mistake, that species having River is the County's boundary on the West and the Neches on the 400. Snakes move in this way: Each | East, The County School fund is perhaps the vertebra supports a pair of ribs. which act like a pair of legs, the extremities being connected by a broad plate. The hind part of this plate is free, and when the ribs are moved forward that end is raised, so that it takes hold of the surface underneath. even though it be glass, the straightening of the reptile propelling it forward.—St. Louis Republic.

Pilial Repartee. Sheridan, who was always distress ed for money, was one day hacking turned to his eldest son and said: "Tom, if you open any more oys ters with my razor I'll cut you of

"Very well, father," said Tom, but where will you get the shil ling!" New York Home Journal. Severe Punishment.

First Boy - Do they whip at your Second Boy-No. I wish they die First Boy . What do they do?

Second Boy Keep you in at recess.

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of thirty thousand dollars spent annually on the free schools of the County. The population of the County is 20,000 and largely, white, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

reaching the splendid sum total of \$70,900, from which is annuall

derived for available use in maintaining the schools of the County from

four to five thousand dollars. This added to the amount raised by lo

cal taxation and that bestowed by the State furnishes the princely sum

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Its Advantages and Attractions for the Man

of Capital and the Home-Seeker.

At the Fort Worth Spring Palace in 1890 for its magnificent display of

timbers. The North-eastern, Northern and North-western sections of

rieties. Soils of every variety to be found in the state are to be found

The Railroads of the County

in Houston County, from the black waxy to the light sandy.

of every variety are produced here and the County yields to none in the State in adaptability of soils to the growth for market of peaches, pears, figs, plums, apricots, grapes and berries.

Houston County's Schools

are unsurpassed by any in the State, in respect of efficiency and competency of teachers, standard of scholarship and duration of free term. Its own unsurpassed permanent School Fund supplemented from other sources enables us to come nearer fulfilling the constitutional requirements of a six-months term than any other county. The debt and tax-rate of the County are almost nominal. Its climate is mild and healthful, the temperature never reaching extremes in either Summer or Winter. Its water supply for both domestic use and manufacturing purposes is unexcelled. Springs and streams of never failing water are to be found in every section of the county.

County Products

are cotton, corn, oats and other small grain, sorghum, ribbon cane, fruits and vegetables of every variety, hay, and in some places rice etc.

the county seat of Houston County, is situated on the I. & G. N. R. R. It has a population of 2000. The people of the town have recently style, with bread Avenuer -- all well Monumented so that the voted to take charge of its schools and support them by taxation, nine months in the year. The City Council have assumed control and es-Streets and Avenues are being Graded so that the purchaser tablished graded schools for both white and black. Handsome and by Mahmed Ali. Their beautiful quite a time an official reporter for smoke, clear, light, aerial, celestial, commodious brick school buildings with all the undern appointments

LOVELADY

for that purpose. He Proposes to sell only a Limited Number to the South, on the I, & G. N. R. R., is an enterprising town of 500 people "Young man," said the judge, in of these lots a anction in order to encourage its rapid improvement, good society, several churches and a splendid High School maintained terrupting the proceedings, "I would then the price of Lots will be advanced to a figure nearer all the year in one of the finest high school building in Eastern Texas

GRAPELAND

to the North is another enterprising town of several hundred peop light and electric car service. And lots bought at \$10 and \$15 each are fully alive to the demands of the hour and supported by a supersection of country. They have in course of erection a very fine his high school building in which the public spirited citizens of that propose to sustain during the entire year a high school recond to

The Lands

C. L. DIGNOWITY, of the County are cheap and can be bought on easy term