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FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1894.

The Supreme Court's decision is a happy event. Both sides claim a victory and both sides are in a state of triumphant felicity. All is well that ends well.

The Third Party of Houston county will furnish the democratic party all the fun and fight they wish. They needn't be whacking each other over the heads.

The democrats of the county are girding themselves for the contest. They are in earnest and mean business. Those who have not awakened to the realities of the situation should do so at once.

It is no time for wrangling or dissension in the ranks of the democratic party of Houston County. If there be any democrats who feel disposed to fight each other, let them bear in mind that the party above all things wants harmony and unity.

Not a few of the country weeklies have from time to time stopped over with fulsome adulation of the daily press for every little display of enterprise on their part. We have never indulged in anything of this sort because we have never thought it in good taste.

From what can be gathered, it seems that some of the Third Party organizers and lecturers are promising the colored voters that when the Third Party gets into power, they will be put on the juries of the country.

A FEW QUESTIONS. The democracy of this county has been in control of the county government for twenty years. They challenge the enemies of the party to show where the records of the men whom the party have put in power during this time are not clean.

The scholastic census for Crockett, just taken, shows 572 children within age. This is an increase of nearly a hundred which shows how the town is growing.

SENATORS Mills and Coke, ex-senator Chilton, Lieutenant Governor Crane, Charley Culbertson, Judge Cravens of Willis and other distinguished speakers are booked for speeches in Houston County this summer and fall.

The Supreme Court of the United States on Saturday last handed down a decision on the Texas Commission law. Gov. Hogg and other state officials had a jollification meeting over the announcement which was prematurely made that the law as it was framed had been sustained.

The animating idea of the third party is discontent with the old way of making a living, that is, by hard work and the exercise of good judgment. The world is full of men who are willing to work a little if they can be relieved of all responsibility in connection with such work.

Public Speaking. Nearly all the democratic candidates met at the court house on Tuesday. They agreed on the following schedule of times and places for meeting the people and presenting their claims and the claims of the democratic party before the people.

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Resolutions of Respect. Whereas it has pleased the great architect of the universe to remove from our midst our late brother, William M. Conner.

Resolved that in the death of William M. Conner this lodge laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to offer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity, an active member of this lodge whose utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity.

Resolved that these resolutions be sent to the COURIER at Crockett with request to publish and a copy of the paper be sent to the family of the deceased brother.

S. D. RATCLIFF. B. F. DICKERSON, Committee. S. S. VAGNER.

A REUNION. Of the Parker Family on the 77th Birthday of Grandma S. O. Parker. GRAPELAND, May 21.—Being invited to attend a birthday picnic dinner given by the descendants of Mrs. S. O. Parker in commemoration of her 77th birthday, on 20th day of May 1894, we repaired to the old Parker Place 3 miles from town where was found gathered together quite a crowd of people, friends and neighbors who in connection with the descendants of this good old lady, had come together in this most peculiar and very appropriate style, to celebrate her birthday, numbering about 200 in all.

A Joint Discussion. Judge Wall, Joe Adams and John I. Moore went out to Wesley's Chapel last Saturday night to meet a Third Party man in debate, by the name of Sullivan. He attempted to palm off on the people of that neighborhood the gross, bald-faced, impudent untruth that at the inauguration ball at Washington Mrs. Cleveland attended such ball on the arm of a negro and that Grover Cleveland escorted to the same place the wife of Fred Douglas, another negro.

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HIGH PRAIRIE. Politics, horse trading and the weather are the topics of conversation. Corn here is suffering for rain, oats are a failure, cotton was damaged by the cool nights, hence crop prospects are not very flattering just now, yet we are hopeful of a good harvest in proper time.

The "Third Party" are very noisy and no doubt but many are already dreaming about that free and unlimited excursion to Washington city on a government train and then return to the United States without extra cost.

Our singing school Sabbath morning and Sunday School in the afternoon was nicely attended. Mrs. Anna Goodrum, one of Neville's Prairie's estimable young married ladies, happened to a serious accident while out horse-back riding; she was thrown and her arm broken.

FOR THE CAMPAIGN. The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Gazette Until Jan'y 1, 1895, for only 50 cents.

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Announcements for Office. We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. A. B. Watkins as candidate for Judge of the Tenth Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic Party of said district.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. R. Sherman as candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. L. Stewart as candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. Jones as candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. C. Mortimer as candidate for Constable of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

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SHILOH'S CURE. The Great Cough and Croup Cure is for sale by us. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c.

The flowers that bloom in the spring time, tra la. Found him sick in the bed with the chills, pooh ha.

DELTON, Texas, July 23, 1891. MESSRS. LIPPMAN BROS., Savannah, Ga.

I have not slept on either side for two years, in fact, dreading to see night come, now I sleep soundly in any position all night.

I am 50 years old, but expect soon to be able to take hold of the plow handles; I feel proud I was lucky enough to get P. P. P., and I heartily recommend it to my friends and the public generally.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Comanche. Before the undersigned authority on this day, personally appeared A. M. Ramsey, who after being duly sworn, says on oath that the foregoing statement made by him relative to the virtue of P. P. P. medicine is true.

DR. C. O. WEBB DENTIST. Over Siders building North side of public square, CROCKETT, TEXAS.

About Perfumes.

Chemistry seems to furnish substitutes for the expensive perfumes now made from flowers. It has long been known that the exact odor of the banana is produced in the laboratory. There seems a possibility, however, that even when such fragrant plants cease to be cultivated for the perfumes many may become of importance in surgery. It has been discovered that some such plants are free from the attacks of insects and from fungus growths, and this may be due to the fact that their essential oils have antiseptic properties. The eucalyptus yields an antiseptic, and so do other familiar plants.

Ancient Birds.

A collection of bird bones recently received by the Paris Academy of Science indicates that at a period contemporary with man, Madagascar contained at least twelve species of the gigantic birds, all incapable of flight. The conditions under which the bones were found indicate that the birds lived on shores, with troops of small hippopotami, crocodiles and turtles.

Some British Expenditures.

The total expenditures of the British Government for the telegraph service during the last year were £166,878 more than the total receipts, which were £2,526,812. There is a total balance of £259,706 of expenditures over receipts, which for the whole period since the state took over the telegraph service from the private companies.

The Yellow Glow of the Horizon.

Painted on the sky by the setting sun, is beautiful. Not so the yellow glow of a face tinged with life. And of the unspeakable tint that taints the wrong pale cheeks. Twing in the right side and under the right shoulder back, nausea, vertigo, headache, constipation, faulty digestion. Not in an instant can the symptoms of indigestion be dispelled, but persistence in the use of Stomach Bitters will eradicate them, restore digestion and regularity of the bowels, and counteract tendencies to such ailments as indigestion and nervousness. Stomach Bitters, which is an infallible remedy for such ailments, is sold in bottles of six and twelve.

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JEANIE'S LOVE LETTERS.

BANIE CAMPBELL came to the door at last, and feebly rose and groped for it. Her head was throbbing so that she could scarcely see that it contained a whole line of portraits—an elderly man and woman, and younger boys and girls, among which was his own. His family doubtless. She heard him in the morning come up again, and then she heard him no more, for the fever seized upon her, and when next she woke to consciousness she was lying upon a hospital bed. For days she was too weak to speak or think, but when she was able, one of the nurses called her in, and when next she woke to consciousness she was lying upon a hospital bed. For days she was too weak to speak or think, but when she was able, one of the nurses called her in, and when next she woke to consciousness she was lying upon a hospital bed.

PIONEER HEROINES.

BRAVE WOMEN OF THE EARLY DAYS OF THE COUNTRY.

The story of Hannah Dustin and How She Escaped Among the Indians—She Who Saved the Massachusetts Hunter and Her Reward.

"We have been discussing the bravery of the women of the revolution," said Uncle Dave to the Boston Herald man, as the old-timer again met the daily clerk "but I tell you, boys, some of the pioneer women of New England, who had to deal with the native savages, showed a bravery which in some instances could hardly be paralleled outside the annals of Indian warfare. Dustin's island, in the Merrimack river, at the mouth of Contoocook river, between Concord and Boston, N. H., is celebrated on account of an exploit of a lady whose name it bears.

PLAYING IRISH MUSIC.

A Chinese Fiddler Who Prefers Celtic Melodies to Mellow Tunes.

Extensive as in every San Francisco knowledge of the city's Chinatown, says the California newspaper, was found a citizen who had an excellent recollection of hearing of a Chinese who played popular airs on a violin with any sort of a touch that is suggestive of early training and an ardent admiration for music. But Leo Fong is just such a heathen prodigy, with a history that is of exceeding interest. He came to the United States from his native land about eight years ago. He first listened to the playing of a violin at a theater in Oakland. He liked "Mellow music," and often stood for hours at a park or open-air concert, listening to a brass band discourse popular airs. Finally the idea struck him that it would be possible for him to learn to play the fiddle so that he could always have his own second-hand store, where he purchased a violin for \$6.

PALACE CAR DEVELOPMENT.

Times Have Changed Since Women Were Not Expected to Run Trains.

One of the earliest uses of an exclusive railroad car in this part of the country, says the Boston Transcript, was on the occasion of the marriage of Jenny Lind. The great singer, wishing to pass her honeymoon from the maddening crowd, hired a cottage at Pittsfield, and in order to be free from the intrusion of importunate starers, had a private car of the railroad to use fitted for her use as a drawing-room by the removal of the seats and the supply in their place of luxurious household furniture. The fashion was frequently adopted by other noted people of the stage and by statements on an electrician touring. Very likely the increased demand for the luxury led to the invention of a car, the use of which was for sale at retail, so to speak—that is, a chair in it, to be rented to anyone who came along. The early efforts were constructed with a view to privacy, because a formal investigation of the matter to see if it was a return of the apartment system. Some of the early dining cars were rough affairs compared with the luxuriously appointed modern ones on wheels that are now found all over the land. In those older days they were forced to stand up against a counter built in the car, and there they ate their meals. Some of the more literally one, since the top of the counter was provided with a ledge to prevent the plates from being tossed to the floor by the wobbling of the car, a waiter with as much skill as you could master, just as the same as on board ship. This luxury was for the sterner sex only; the women in those days were not expected to eat while traveling. Clumsy as was this arrangement, it was an improvement on the railroad restaurant, into which you had to go to grab your food and swallow it without going through the process of mastication, and to swallow a cup of boiling-hot coffee—in your haste you were unable to tell what the scalding beverage was—all the time in mortal terror that the conductor's fritting about, "All aboard!" would come before you had secured a fair equivalent for your money.

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