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A Triple Lynching.

Bryan, Tex., June 10 .- At 9:45 street in front of the building, a part York in explaining it said: of them dismounted, broke through and the cell locks and took out three negroes, Louis Whitehead the attempted rape of Dr. R. H. Wilson's 12-year old daughter on Sunday night near Kurten, and Jim rape of an Italian woman and who speaks volumes. was awaiting for a new trial, the case having been remanded from view said on the same subject: the higher courts.

without them, as above stated. Broken locks, hinges, etc., were scattered all over the floor.

The mob went in the direction of Old Boonville after having found the prisoners and placed a rope around the neck of Whitehead. Parties who followed in the direction taken by the mob an hour later discovered flames rising from Carters creek bottom two and one-half market price of cotton. Cotton and hauling, insurance, shrinkage, etc., respectful distance soon saw dense est and a rise in the value of the and the manufactured. The solupassing about, while outposts on true in the east is true in the west. demand, at high rates. To capital and yet Texas has a clean advanhorses were evidently patrolling the With the opening of the mints of and skill no grander opportunities tage for manufacturing this cotton results in a deadlock. vance within earshot and no sound came from the place.

look like animated pigmies. Wheth Gazette. er they were hanged by a bonfire or burned outright is not definitely known, but those who went out inclined to the latter belief. Everything is quiet at this nour (12:15) and some of those who went out have not returned yet. The light of the bonfire was so strong at one time as to light the horison so that it could be distinguished from town,

Later-Parties returning late say hat all the negroes were h nged to the same tree, but on separate limbs, and were not burned or shot, but left hanging when the mob dispersed. They were given time to pray and the boy Johnson confessed to the guilt of himself and Whitehead, Reddick protested his innocence to

"May I go barefooted, mamma?" This has been the cry of the small he, unless they touch the ground? a man, and both of them went right. No more than cabbage and corn .- It's the only safe rule, for the bag-Louisville Commercial.

It was the great Toombs who said, "We ought to get back to the silver dollar. Its demonetization was a traud, put through by a venal congress, a set of thieves. It is a constantly on hand or made fair and just standard and ought to be restored. It has always been the money of the people."

subscribers.

The Effect on Cotton.

One important feature of the reto-night a mob estimated at 200 or cent rise in the price of silver bul- Texas had \$43,725,460 in math fac-250 unmasked men dashed up to lion was the instantaneous effect on turing, yielding an annual product the jail here, armed to the teeth, the price of cotton. The cotton let- of about \$48,000,000. With farm and forming a half circle in the ter of McIntyre & Wordell of New

Silver has lately been rising quite the door, smashed the inner door rapidly, and there is a big silver speculation in progress in London than any other state can boast of, based largely on the spread of the free silver sentiment in this country. and George Johnson, charged with This may put up silver quotations materially, and this greatly stimu-lated Manchester's trade in cotton goods with East India; in fact, Liverpool sales of spot cotton in two Reddick, sentenced to hang for the days are 30,000 bales, a fact which

The New York Sun's cotton re-

For a time this morning the situ-No officer was present except ation looked rather weak, partly sailor-Gee who did not expect the owing to the decline in Liverpool, mob till later, between 10 and 11 where the work of decimating the weak bulls had not been quite fino'clock, and had no posse with him. ished, but later on, when it was Resistance was useless and after found that Manchester had woke up, of the finest mill streams in the bursting the knob off the safe where or at least owned up that it was do- world, which never freeze, and are the keys were the mob entered ing a good business, prices here fringed with fertile fields of cotton, rose rapidly. The Manchester revival is attributed almost solely to the recent rise in silver, which natearly decline here was all recovered before taken stronger foothold. on the double quick, the market rising 9 to 11 points from the lowest. figures of the morning.

miles from town, and halting at a silver are closely identified in inter between the bulky native product volumes of smoke and tongues of former marks a stimulation of trade tion of what would seem to be mysures, some of them bearing torches, price of the latter But what is that money is scarce and in heavy Texas' gross revenue from cotton, approaches. No one had the temer- the United States to silver the price present themselves than along the of 1 cent a pound over Massachusity at that stage of the game to ad- of silver bullion would go up and water powers of Jasper, Newton etts, where her farmers and herds- some jelly this season. The distance made the figures tionately increased .- Fort Worth Travis, etc., of west Texas, for products. Could this enormous

5at On His Trunk.

Ex-Gov. Brown is arranging his affairs preparatory to his departure and a hundred others. for Europe. He said yesterday that he expected to meet a number of Baltimoreans during his trip abroad. He intends to spend some time in Braunfels, on the Comal river, there cheaper and essential manufactured The true humorist never smiles; Buda Pest, and to study the model street railway of that city. The ex governor says be can speak no language except English, but in his travels abroad heretofore he managed to get along quite well. Said 16,000,000 horse power at an aver- ents, farmers would find a near and It is not well for a stranger to go he: "I have found that there is but one safe rule in traveling abroad, other falls aggregate near about sixty staple crop, but also for their track, get a loan. and that is to imitate the elephant, feet, coming from a beautiful roman- the value of which they are now A grass widow is not infrequently and follow your truck. In my for- tic lake three miles long, over im- commencing to appreciate as the one whose children have a poor mer travels I made it a point to get my trunk checked through, or reg. istered, as they call it. Then I kept my eye on that trunk. When boy, yes, and the girl, too, for sev. on a car I at once got on that train since the discoveries of inexhausti- shops and factories are set amid rich beauty. Even a garment looks worn eral weeks. Who does not remem and took a forward seat, where I ble coal beds and the low price of and ample acres, and the result is when it loses its nap. ber the joy and sense of freedom could see the baggage car door. this fuel, coupled with good trans- such deep and diffused prosperity when this permission was granted Whenever I saw the baggageman portation facilities, there is no read as po other section can show .in the spring. The feet and legs take my trunk out of the car I got son why such enterprises should Greater Texas. were soon browned, the toes stub. off. In this way I never made a not be the success which is prombed a little, and sometimes tied up mistake, though I could not speak ised for them. for a day or two, but what mattered the language of the country I was this so long as there were no shoes traveling in and had no interpreter, lina, Neches, San Jacinto and Trinnor stockings to worry. Then there "On one occasion I was at the ity rivers of east Texas there are

gage generally goes right."-Baltimore American.

Never judge people by their cloth- mized road, nine times as much; on income from this crop, employ 220,ing, for the man with fringe around a smooth plank road, twenty-five 000 operators, who would draw and the bottom of his trousers, and a times as much, and on metal rails, spend within her borders more than slouch hat, may be the editor of fifty-four times as much. The men \$30,000,000 in wages. Massachuyour paper, while the man with who use roads can therefore make setts manufactures 572,000 bales of new clothes and tan shoes may money by improving the roads rath- cotton. For these she pays \$31,- sent by express or mail, on receipt of price simply be one of his delinquent er than buying new horses every 000,000, and sells them for \$72,000,-

Industrial Enterprises.

According to the census of 1890, products to the aggregate value of \$143,000,000 yearly, and a taxable wealth of \$750,000,000, and with more of the raw materials at hand this is not a good showing for the various manufacturing industries. Texas, with her unexcelled water powers and abundance of coal, should manufacture her immense cotton erop, her billions of standing timber, her inexhaustible minerals and her hundreds of other products. Her raw materials go out of the state and come back with a double value. Why can not a part of this increased value be kept at home?

Considering the fact that through

certain sections of Texas flow some and wheat, and sheep pastures, near to mexhaustible forests and urally has a stimulating effect on mines, it is a little remarkable that business with the East Indies. The the manufacturing industry has not Surely these are reasons why the factory should come to the sites of Here is a confirmation direct from the raw material, especially of cot-Wall street of the fact a rise in the ton, wool and beef, and so save the price of silver means a rise in the expense of transportation, bandling, the values of cotton, wheat and oth. and Tyler counties of east Texas, men draw from her cities \$137,600. er farm products would be propor- and Burnet, Comal, Hays, Llano, 000 as the price of their annual foundries, for agricultural imple- wealth not be scattered through ment factories, paper mills, flour distant shops and factories in Texas? mills, cheese factories, tanneries, A single source of commercial exice, carriage, soap and starch works, change cannot support a city. Tex-

larger and smaller kinds are prin- republic. Their agriculture and doesn't mind it. I saw the baggageman put my trunk cipally confined to our cities. But minufactures are in balance. Their Plenty of sleep is conducive to On the head waters of the Ange-

was a suggestive limp, but it was station in Berne, Switzerland. The several sites. More centrally we not long until the feet became hard- station was a union affair, and so come to the Colorado, which has a ened and accustomed to the bare many trains were coming and going fail of nearly 700 feet from Austin in forty sold in the streets." ground and sharp stones. Healthy? that I got uneasy, for fear that I to the gulf. Between these two Look at the village boy, bounding would get on the wrong train. So points an indefinite number of mill and leaping, swimming and running. I sat on my trunk that waited. sites, that rival new England's, may old school, who says in the most only. She wanted to know which fels, there are scores of sites that Democrat. emphatic terms that children can. train to take. I told her to do as I might splendidly sustain dozens of not grow if they wear shoes in the was doing-sit on her trunk. She Lowells the whole year through, and summer. How can they grow, says did so. I gave the same advice to are only to a small extent being

> Texas is not profited, when, strip ping the harvest of her cotton fields or stripping her teeming hills, or Do you know a good roads ser- leveling her superb forests, she mon when you hear it? If you do, sends the raw materials to augment here is one in a nutskell. On the the power and wealth of distant poorest of earth roads, not muddy, communities. Texas produces 1,but sandy, a horse can draw twice 692,830 bales of cotton, which as much as he can carry on his back; yield her \$71,000,000. That coton a fair road, three and a half ton; woven into common goods, times as much; on a good maceda- would add \$89,000,000 to Texas' 000, adding a value nearly equal to

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Do You Know that one of the reasons for granting this government protect ause Castoria had been proven to be absolutely harmless?

Do You Know that 35 average doses of Castoria are furnished for

Do You Know that when possessed of this perfect preparation, your children may be kept well, and that you may have unbroken rest?

Well, these things are worth knowing. They are facts.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

as wants immigration. How can it For instance, at Marble Falls best be attracted? By furnishing alone, on the Colorado river, in work for the artisan and mechanic. baby at church, should be carried Burnet county, as also at New If the demand of the population for out. is water power enough to manufac- articles is met, one-half million that is, unless somebody else pays ture all the cotton and woolen goods workers would be needed for this, for it. that Texas is likely to need for the and, with their families, would dounext century. At the former place ble the population of the state. In man it is like a ghost; it startles one fall of twenty-five feet furnishes these mechanics and their depend- everybody. age stage of water, while fourteen growing market, not only for their alone to a bank when he wishes to mense adamant ledges that span the cream of the farm. The most pros- sort of a todder. perous section of this world is that | The man with a strong mind who

> Marshall Field, one of America's most successful merchants and one who has been a profuse user of printer's ink, once declared: "I would rather have my advertisement in one paper reaching the homes than

Thirty cents each is the amount the populist state executive com- a storm. mittee demands of every pop in the Why, certainly, it is healthy. While I was sitting there I was ap- be found. At and near San Marcos, state for campaign purposes. If a new novel. Well, if it was a me There is an old farmer who lives proached by a young lady, who, on the river of that name, for many this isn't bossism what in the name accident, the public will overlo not far from this city, a man of the like myself, could speak English miles, and at and about New Braun- of Kearby is it?—Weatherford it this time, but the author my

If people were to work as hard in their business pursuits as they do in politics we would hear no cry of 'hard times."



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Good resolutions, like a squalling

When an office is out seeking a

Thus far our manufactories of the known as the middle states of this, is asked to mind the baby generally

The man who wants to get ahead of time when going to a train should

use the spur of the moment. The reason the small boy does not wear a bathing costume, is because

nothing is good enough for him. When a young man asks a young lady for her hand, in nine cases out of ten she will refer him to her paw.

They are getting to be such temperance cranks in Kansas that they will not permit the elements to brew "A Mere Accident" is the title o

not repeat the offence.

A man's mouth is made to and eat, yet he often hurts b dreadfully by talking, and kif self by eating .- Texas Sifte

An East Texas paper say in one of the earliest trials before a colored jury, in Wood county, the weive gentlemen were told by the udge to retire and find the verdict, They went into the jury room, whence the opening and shutting of doors and other sounds of unusual commotion was presently heard, At last the jury came back into the court room when the foreman said: 'We hab looked ever whar' judge fur dat vardick-in de drawers and behin' de doah; but it ain't'no whar in dat blessed room,"

Smelting works are to be erected in Vancouver, British Columbia.

The Graham Leader.

-PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY-J. W. GRAVES,

Entered at the postoffice at Graham, Texas, as second class mail matter.

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Miss Helen Gould gave \$100,000 to tornado sufferers at St. Louis.

prison, in London, recently. Refreshing rains have fallen in

many sections of the state, and plenty, if not peace, will bless the

July 16th.

John W. Cranford defeated J. G. Dudley for the congressional nomi-3,000 majority.

The present congress did absoright, so vote for 16 to 1." lutely nothing to protect the national treasury, but has raided it from

becoming alarmed,

W. C. P. Breckinridge has anmember of Congress from his disnot have a walk-over.

will nominate a separate ticket.

The Weatherford Times is going wild over the mineral water recentblows hard over such a little thing. is mineral water, come to Graham, tive on every question that has con-Col. Jim Tom.

It is said that the bonds of the state of Alabama have been refused by Wall street because of Alabama's support of free silver. That's all right, the time will come, maybe, when Alabama won't ask such favors of Wall street.

dard men will spend \$10,000,000 patriotic act he is deserving of all during this campaign in their efforts honor .- Paris News. to elect McKinley, but money won't do the work this time-the people are in the saddle and they intend to run the government.

ous fourth in grand style. One feature of the entertainment will be the attendance of 300 Comanche and Kiowa Indians in war costuu e. phone connection. In an effort to Quanah Parker, for whom the town convince him he was shown how to was named, will have charge of the operate the phone and was finally Indian end of the business.

tertaining the republican conven- instant lightning struck the wire, tion this week. It is said the con- and knocked the old man down and 000, and as it has adopted a gold citedly yelled: "B'gosh that's her platform and placed Straddler Mc- every time! That's Hanner fur Kinley upon it; it will cost them ye."-Ex. that number of votes in November.

literated, and there is now practi- ulist speech at Eliasville in Young copy, Given under my hand this, cally but two parties in the United county, on the night of the 5th. the 11th day of June, 1896. States-gold and silver-and the Rotten eggs are poor argument, and issue will be squarely made in the invariably do the side using them Chairman 13th Congressional Dist. present campaigu. The gold stand. more barm than good, but some ard party will be led by McKinley populists have become so lost to

Representative Jo Abbott of Texas was painfully injured last Monday while "shooting the chute" at Riverview, near Washington. His back received a severe wrenching and he suffers from occasional convulsive pains. The lower part of in which he talked for an hour pocket-book fell to the ground he the body and legs are paralyzed, apprehend permanent paralysis.

ing the National Republican con- sixty days, as you said you would?" vention at St. Louis, wir d yester- "Because," replied Beecher, "we looked as big as stovepipes, that the day (Wednesday) evening that the found we had Americans to whip Grant delegation from this State had instead of Englishmen." been seated and that the convention was all ready for business. This cuts Wright Cuney off from Free Masons in Oaxca, one of the from his clabber. He has been the provinces of darkest Mexico, and boss of the republican party in Tex- bave burned several at the stake.

The Waco Morning Times, which has been a vehement sound money

fore useless to keep up the fight and is entitled: Mrs. Annie Dyer, a m rderer of among democratic voters. If in the A bill to change the time and babies, was hanged at Newgate event of the success of that policy places for holding courts of the given the magnificent results prom- northern district of Texas. Chairman Squires has called the gret the day of June 6th, 1896, and circuit and district courts for the

Congressional convention to meet their children and children's chil- northern district of Texas shall be in his home town, Henrietta, on dren will cherish their memories composed of the counties hereinafwith patriotic fervor. And there is ter named, and the terms of the said the fact that the republicans are courts shall be held in each year at dead against it, staring us in the the time and places as follows: nation in the fourth district by about face and in the eyes of a pure and undefited and also unsophisticated las, on the second Monday of Jandemocrat the republicans can do no uary and the third Monday of May.

A special from St. Louis, speakevery point with utter recklessness. ing of the convention, says: Among other peculiar things about this pe-Even in staid old Pennsylvania culiar convention is the appearance the silver sentiment is spreading. in the streets of Bland badges. Clubs are formed and forming and Whether or not this appearance has the "sound money" elements are anything to do with it, one thing is certain, that the republicans are beginning to believe, and say it out nounced that he will be the next loud, that they will have the Missouri man to beat, and saying this trict in Kentucky. The ladies have they begin to discuss him. They gone to work and the Colonel will do not put him up a great statesman, but then they are not running a fast horse on statesmanship them-The prohibition national conven- selves. Bland has a strength that tion split at Pittsburg on national McKinley does not possess, in that issues. In Texas they are said to he is a sure enough "common peofavor Culberson for governor. ple," he eats with the hired hands, There is no probability that they is poor, puts on no frills and can city of Abilene, and also one who patriot who entertained Union senbe located on any issue.

Hon. Horace Chilton is rapidly San Angelo. clearest headed, most brainey men in the United States Senate: He When you want mineral water that has shown himself to be conservafronted him since his senatorial career began. On Wednesday when the senate passed the river and harbor grab, by which \$62,000,000 were fliched from the treasury for which there was no necessity, Senator Chilton was one of the five who voted to sustain the president to prevent such outrageous robbery of It is estimated that the gold stan- the people. For this manly and

The story goes that an old man would not believe that he could tion of the court at Fort Worth. hear a person talk the distance of several miles by telephone. He Quanah will celebrate the glori. was in an office one day and happened to know that at the same time his wife was in a store five miles away which also had teleinduced to speak to his wife. Stepping up to the machine he shouted St. Louis is having a big time en- into it: "Hello Hanner!" At that vention will cost the party \$4,000,- as he scrambled to his feet he ex-

Old party lines are fast being ob- rotted-egged while making a pop- County papers in the district please upon the Democratic party and the government generally that forbear-

Comanche Chief.

The Indians are butchering the as for many years and has always The savages are said to be instigated had a prominent place at the pie by the priests, between whom and counter. Democrats as well as re- the Free Masons there is the bitterpublicans will rejoice that negro est enmity. The matter has been ber. in this instance is at laid before President Diaz who is himself a Mason

Federal Court.

Fort Worth Gazette: Hon. C. K. paper, submits to the inevitable, Bell returned yesterday morning calls the political coroner and makes from Washington and brought an the following ante mortem state- item of good news for Fort Worth ment: "The Times has been a which had not been announced in consitent and determined foe to the the press dispatches, and that is the fact. It is wisdom now, or whenthat a United States district court ever there is any indication of ion of the Times has undergone no will be located in Fort Worth. The change it is willing to concede so far bill was passed by the house on as the democratic party is concern- Wednesday and became a law on ed there is at least 16 silver men to Thursday. Following is the text I gold standard man. It is there- of the bill, which explains itself

in the November election, we are district and circuit courts for the

ised by some of our friends who Be it enacted by the senate and think 16 to 1 will lift a mortgage house of representatives of the Unior cure a bunion with equal ease ted States of America in congress and di-patch, they will never re- assembled, that the United States

At Dallas, in the county of Dal-At Waco, in the county of Me-

Lennan, on the second Monday of April and the third Monday of No-At Fort Worth, in the county of

Tarrant, on the first Monday, of March and the third Monday in At Abilene, in the county of Tay

or, on the third Monday of March

That there shall be appointed, in

coming to the front as one of the That no session of said circuit and ders of the country. - Houston Post. district court of the northern dis- Geo. H. Wickoff; president of trict of Texas shall be held in the the bank of New Amsterdam, in take effect, and the records of said private office last Monday by a man court shall be removed from said named Clarence Clark. Clark de- The Funniest Paper in the courts as herein provided shall not and fired two bullets into his own affect the validity of any process or body. any bond or other obligation heretofore issued or made, and the same hall be held and taken as returnable and otherwise to the respective ourts to which they would be returnable, as provided after this law

takes effect. Young county is in the jurisdic-

Congressional Convention. Henrietta, Texas, June 11 .-- Notice is hereby given that the democ trict-will meet at Henrietta, Clay county, Texas, on Thursday, July 16, 1896, at 10 o'clock a, m., for the purpose of nominating a congressman to be elected Nov. 3, 1896, at the general election. Each organized county in said district will e entitled to one vote for every 300 votes cast for Hon. C. A. Culberson at last general election and one vote for every fractional vote over 150 votes cast for governor at last general election. Every unorganized county in said 13th congressional J. S. Bradley, of Abilene, was district will be entitled to one vote.

W. A. SQUIRES,

George Lee, colored, was held up and the silverites by Boies of Iowa. all sense of decency in their assaults by highwaymen near Elmo a few trains make connection at Wentherford, for days ago and robbed of \$17. He was walking through a pasture near ance almost ceases to be a virtue. a skirt of timber, when he was confronted by two men, one pointing a shot-gun at him with instructions Henry Ward Beecher in his fa- to turn out his pockets. This was mous speech at Manchester, Eng., done in short order, and as his against a crowd of confederate sym- was told to light out and not to look but his attending physicians do not pathizers before he gained their at- back. This order was also obeyed tention, was interrupted by a man with alacrity. The darkey ran for in the audience who shouted: "Why two miles, headed straight to the Col. P. B. Hunt, who is attend- didn't you whip the confederates in front. He stated that he was so frightened that the gun barrels command to turn his pockets sounded like a voice heard in a dream, and that when he stopped running there was no perspiration on his body, but it was as cold as ice, al- The Do though the heat was so oppressive while walking but a few moments before that he had sought shelter in the shade afforded by a skirt of tim

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boils, took it also. It soon purified our

that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sar-saparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PETERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

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Finally, however, I purchased a box of your "Ba co-Curo" and it has entirely cured me of the habit in all its forms, and I have increased thirty pounds in weight and am relieved from all the numerous aches and pains of body and mind. I could write a quire of Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 26 cents.

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At San Angelo, in the county of No medicine will act more surely in counter-Tom Green, on the fourth Monday of March and the first Monday in November.

Some of the northern papers are That there shall be appointed, in the manner required by law, a dep-disposed to take the public to task ers, the lades and the boys and girls, besides uty clerk, who shall keep his office for its indifference as to Memorial a world of general news matter, illustrated at the city of Fort Worth, and also Day. A public which is paying a one who shall keep as office at the pension to all the relatives of every shall keep his office at the city of timents during the war is certainly not lacking in regard for the defen-

city of Graham after this law shall New York city, was killed in his city of Graham to the said city of manded \$6,000 of the banker, and, Abilene, and the change of the places being refused, fired the shots. He of holding the terms of the said then turned the pistol on hiniself

A colored delegate from Texas lost his bearings in St. Louis and stopped a stranger to inquire the want your wife and children to laugh and stopped a stranger to inquire the way home. The stranger, thinking it was a hold-up, blezed away and shot the patriot through the shoul- Texas Sifter Publishing Co. der. That is no way to treat a colored delegate who has lost his way

Mrs. Foreflat: "This being so poor is terrible, isn't it?"

Mrs. Topfore: "Indeed, it is. If we could only afford it I would racy of the 13th congressional dis- have nervous prostration to-day.

Grasshoppers are consuming the peppermint crop in Michigan, but they have not yet reached Ken-

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The 4th of July is coming, and with it the th annual celebration and basket picnic, to be given under the suspices of the Rock creek

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For County Attorney, JOHN C. KAY,

For County Treasurer. J. A. DIXON.

H. C. WILLIAM

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For County Commission, Precinct No. 1. A. J. WHEA

For County Commission, Precinct No. 2. G. W. HUN-

For County Commission, Precinct No. 3. H. L. LEIGMAN. For Commissioner cinct No. 4.
ALLEN CASEY.

Indepelent Ticket. For Tax Assess OSELEY, SR.

LITTLE CAL LEADERS.

The mily running regularly on

om a fr of the West. Mrs Marion Wallace has been

ited but is now recovering. Marsee and family are movck to the farm on Rock creek.

tried that excellent Ice

and gathered in a

where he has been attending on University.

> board of school trustees fed last Saturday by a majority.

pard of equalization. Farmers are making hay while

the sun shines, and they are not a bit short on sunshine.

homa to visit relatives. Nicest Ice Cream in the city over

dications are favorable for the

much needed rain, but the weather clerk may be fooling us as usual, Mr. Wm. Duck died at the resi-

dence of his son-in-law, Mac Martin, near Eliasville Monday.

visit to his mother in Gregg county.

omson's Glove-Fitting Corsets. tull line, at

J. E. MORRISON & Co's.

The young folks have been enjoying themselves this week. A show and a pic nic captured them.

Mr. R. Horne and family of Dun-Mr. Horne's sister, Mrs. I. N. John- Prices always the lowest.

Y. Leavell of Pecos City arnds here.

S. R. Jeffery has had the misforie to lose thirty head of large, hogs during the extreme hot ather of the past week.

L. Moody and wife left Tuesday for Eastland, where Mrs. water to visit her mother.

Our 20th Century es have no equal. See them J. E. MORRISON & Co.

A fishing party composed of P. A. Martin, R. I. Corpening, J. E. Simpson, Rev. Wagner and THE LEADER devil are trying their luck on Clear Fork this week.

ed off quietly throughout the coun- out in life and THE LEADER hopes ty, but there was some enthusiastic they will strike it rich, but ventures dates and their friends. There was are back at the old lick-log before a large vote polled and the voters as this time next year,

Mrs. Wm. Rehders and baby better.

Henry P. Lichte of Denison arrived Monday evening and is spendfriends here.

trash-moving precipitation of genuine, old-fashioned ram-fall is what right now.

The drouth is on in great shape and much of the corn crop is too rain soon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Burkett and Little Belle Beckham of Weathertives in Graham.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Knight died Sunday friends in tendering sincere sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Ladies are especially invited to call at my Parlor for the finest Ice Cream in the city.

Undie Girand.

A party from Springtown arrived here Tuesday with a "merry-goround," which they expected to run the court house in Graham on Sat-Dr. WA. Morris has returned at the pic nic Wednesday. Per- urday, June 20th, for the purpose ing young men. They are followed mission to operate the machine on of selecting individual delegates who into their new estate by the blessthe grounds was refused them.

The defeated candidates are all alive so far as heard from. It was a bitter pill and some of them look "down in the mouth," but they wagons are becoming nuwill doubtless pull through and be s the demand for them in- in good shape to try it again next new crop wheat, and take pleasure

die Girand's Ice Cream taken violently ill with symptoms will suit you. All we ask is that Corpening of Dallas is Geo. F. LeGrand, who was called cousin, P. A. Martin, to their relief, attributes the trouble refunded. Yours very respectfully, of defeated candidates—so to speak. to new Irish potatoes, of which the v's show was here family had partaken heartily.

mid-Summer Styles.

of the latest novelties in ladies', notice by publication in The GRAHAM LEADmisses and children's hats. Call and inspect them.

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Eld. Ira Adams and wife, J. H. Brown and wite and daughter, Miss Grace, Miss Sallie Chism, Mrs. missioners' court has been Carr, T. Kimbrough and wife and ession this week, sitting as a Robt. Myers have gone to San Antonio to attend the Christian Endeavor convention.

The Sunday school pic nic on Wednesday was a magnificent suc-J. H. Newby and family have cess in every particular, but the gone to the Panhandle and Okla- attendance was not as large as expected. There was an abundance of choice edibles to be be consumed Reckham Bank. Undie GIBAND. on the grounds, which were promptly dispatched at the appointed hour. It was, all in all, a gala day for the young folks and will be long remembered by them with pleasure.

Last Tuesday night the Baptist church at this place adopted and spread upon the church records a Jas. M. Wood, accompanied by resolution forbidding the members his little son, left yesterdis for a thereof to engage in any raffle or for justice of the peace for this prekind. They hold that participation stable. hence sinful in the sight of God.

For the Hot Weather.

We have just received a big line of men's, boy's and children's straw J. E. MORRISON & Co.

J. T .- Hunt says that while he ed Saturday evening and received was defeated for the nomination in satisfaction of knowing that his home people stood by him, he having received 42 out of 46 votes in were elected trustees of this school his precinct. A. J. Wheat, the district last Saturday, nominee for commissioner in this precinct, did almost as well as Mr. ant singing last Sunday, led by Hunt at his home box, Goose Neck, Messrs, W. W. and O. H. Parker. losing only 7 out of 76 votes. Such Why not continue these singings? Moody will take a train for Sweet- indorsement is a merited tribute to these worthy gentlemen.

Ewing Norris, Ed Luce, Walter and Charley Woody and Tom Harrison left Tuesday morning for Crip ple Creek, Col. They were followed Wednesday by another party consisting of Jim and John Wood, Arch Eddleman and Charley Perkins, who go to Denver. These The primaries last Saturday pass. young gentlemen are just starting work done by many of the candi- the prediction that some of them

a rule voted their own sentiments. Thousands have tested the great building without being influenced by any combination, if any such existed.

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Eld. G. W. Black says people have been quite sick but are now can live now more economically outlay for powder and shot.

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A Card. Had THE LEADER exercised its last Friday and are visiting rela- sue that I had an interest in the Respectfully, . C. W. Johnson.

THE LEADER was informed on the made cheerfully.

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South Bend Budget.

Quiet enough since the election. Martin McBrayer was nominated other game of chance of any sort or cinct, and Ralph Ashburn for con-

Some crops in this vicinity are almost beyond the reach of rain now,

The farmers are about done cutanville, Dallap county, are visiting hats to suit the most fastidious, ting grain and a great many have stacked. Cotton looks well, with visiting here,

the exception of late planting. Joe Braddock, who left home last winter and went to Jones county, warm welcome from his numerous the race for assessor, he has the has returned. He reports Jones county as "burnt up."

J. W. Burgess and J. J. Scott

The young folks had a very pleas-GEE A. GEE.

AWarded Highest Honors-World's Fair. ·DR:



MOST PERFECT MADE.

Facts From Farmer.

than they have in the past, as the the M. E. church at Farmer was difficulty that I shall attempt to were seemingly unconcerned. There world is advancing in science and packed almost to suffocation. It give the latest and most important were 26 votes polled and all of them the times have changed. To illus- was the occasion of the marriage of events that have occurred recently; will do to "tie to," being of the 16 ing a few days with relatives and trate his position he says that a few Miss Annie Keen of Farmer and but as we have nothing of special to 1 Jeffersonian variety. Our popyears ago he had to buy ammuni- Mr. Chas. Graham of Archer City. import to record, we presume our ulist brethren were rather surprised tion with which to kill squirrels. The decorations were tasteful, and task will not be so difficult after all. (we believe) at the number of votes A ground-soaking, gully-washing, Now, he says, one his boys takes a the somber walls of the old church The election passed off very qui- cast; they having previously said

"nigger-shooter' and a few pebbles seemed in touch with the solemnity etly and altogether uneventfully, there wouldn't be more than 8 or and keeps the family supplied with and, beauty of the occasion. The notwithstanding we are in the midst 10 votes. Hence their surprise. this country needs, and it needs it squirrels; thus saving the former decorations were in charge of Miss of the most determined and aggres. It is very dry up here, everything

After the ceremony a great con intervals. customary care, it would have learn- course of friends repaired to the ed that the McComber land was sold spacious residence of the bride's yett, conducted the election with his raise; provided one wishes to engage ford, accompanied by Mrs. Sallie to R. F. Arnold. It had no grounds father, Mr. J. M. Keen, where a usual fairness, courtesy and dignity, in the business exclusively. Suctable awaited them, loaded with all administering that "iron-clad" oath cess to THE LEADER. W. T. B. purchase. Correction is requested, the delicacies of the season, to which ample justice was done.

The bride was tastefully dressed streets that the property was pur- in cream silk, trimmed in white item of news. The correction is black. The attendants were Mr. A. M. Keen of Chico and Miss Jennie Hawkins of Lacy and Prof. A. H. Wilson of Farmer and Miss Ida Keen of Chico.

The bride has been one of the most prominent of society's fair Young county in the various con- flowers for quite awhile and the groom is one of "old Archer's" risings of fond parents and the most sincere congratulations of a host of friends. May happiness and prosperity follow them through long and peaceful lives is the wish of the

Our village is high and dry, with our goods are strictly first-class in sand in profusion. Our weather The family of Jesse Rodgers were every particular and at prices that prophets are all discredited, the far. mers have the blues, politics is rite, your dealer, and should you not be everything is in a tangle and the pleased with it your money will be woods are resounding with the wails The "I told you so's" are very much in evidence just now and in our afflictions we have not yet decided Just arrived, a well selected stock county court be and he is instructed to give whether it is best to shoot or hang notice by publication in THE GRAHAM LEAD- him. Enough of this, and now for local happenings.

Henry and Ed Keen of Olney attended the wedding of Mr. Chas. Graham and Miss Annie Keen Sun-Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wear started

Monday on a trip to Greer county to be gone several weeks. Joe has gone to reduce his flesh. W. M. Hayter, P. K. Pittman,

W. Ar Pritchett, and W. A. Davis went to Graham Monday. S. M. J. Benson went to Graham

on business Tuesday. Mr. Barton of Parker county passed through this week with his

thresher to the upper country, Walton Neely went on the war path with his horse a few evenings since, the result of which is a much swollen and very sore great toe.

B. W. Drum went down to Graham on business the first of the week. Messrs. Miller and Dycus of Archer are in town with their photo-

graph gallery. Mollie Bailey's show was expected in town Monday night but failed to materialize. It's expected to in anything of this nature constitutes We learn that some of the Ste- come yet. If she fails we still have gambling, which is contrary to the phens county farmers have turned a hope that we'll have a circus any spirit of the religion of Christ and their stock in on their corn-too far how, as the Hebrew apostle of popgone to recover, even should it rain, ulism is stumping the county. We refer to J. S. Bradley of Abilene.

Mrs. P. P. Cady is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Wilson. Mrs. Della Walker of Bowie is

J. W. Walker is erecting a residence on his ranch, about 8 miles

north of Farmer. 'Squire Wann says Farmer went "third party," and he is going to It May Do As Much For You. need a dose of "hen oil" to restore

his democracy. Albert Wilson says he's much gratified that he got mixed up with so called Kidney cures but without any good a wedding, as he was probably of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. and Northwestern Railway. Excursion ticknearer that eventful period in his own life than he will again be in all Kidney and Livertroubles and often gives of the state. All Santa Fe and Texas & Pacific own life than he will again be in all most instant relief. One trial will prove trains make connection at Weatherford for several months.

Raymond Wann is expected home from Austin this week. He has been in school there the past year. More anon, SIVAD.

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Lacy Locals.

in a menner calculated to make it HYMENEAL .- On Sunday night Editor LEADER: It is with much "stick;" especially to those who

Bertha Hayter. At the close of an sive populistic element extant. Bold needing rain badly; especially corn interesting sermon of twenty min- and venturesome, they are neither, and cotton. Oats were tolerably utes, the bridal party filed slowly afraid nor ashamed to assert their good, wheat is very good although for life were appropriately and sol- and sincerity of purpose, only be- properties for enduring a drouth emly spoken by Rev. J. J. Harris. lieving they are a little irrational at and maturing. At all events it was never known to fail. It is decided-Our genial manager, L. M. Mid- ly the best and safest crop one can

RESULT OF THE PRIMARIES.

Following is the partial result of the primary election held last Saturday. The returns morning after a protracted illness. chased by Messrs. Johnson and Ar- lace, ribbon and flowers. The are incomplete as to the vote on the financial question, for delegates, for county commis-THE LEADER joins their host of nold and published it solely as an groom was attired in regulation sloners (except Precinct 1) and justices of the peace. The vote for representative and county officers is approximately correct. The official count will be made to-morrow and will be published in our next issue:

Candidates.	Grahan	Goose ?	South F	Eliasvill	Fish Cr	Willer !	Belknag	Proffitt,	Spring (True,	Olney,	Farmer	Markley	Lacy,	Indian	Total
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For Chairman Dem. Ex. Committee:	208										35		18			243
N. J. Timmons	92										3					95
For Precinct Chairman Prec. No. 1. G. L. Aynesworth	372	- 4														372
For Representative 104th District,		40	15	55		,		4		04	95	36	7		17	249
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For County Judge,	1	120		90	10		10	10		00	na	00				075
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For County and District Clerk.	126	41	11	17	8	*	2		10	9	9	11	21		10	284
Chas. Gay	164	27			12											871
James M. Wood	127	46		17	7	2		2								288 186
For County Attorney,																
John C. Kay For County Treasurer,	845		16	60	25	9	12	14		30	43	63			25	642
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T. E. Dowdle	207	51	13	25	6	1	3	1	15	5	0	29	17	7	7	392
For Sheriff, H. C. Williams	372	75	23	56	25	9	19	15	17	31	44	64	22	30	30	730
For Tax Assessor,		7	5				5		9	5		1	12	5		99
John C. Casburn J. W. Cornelius			2			9	2			3		8	1	4		97
F. L. Thomas			6		8	4	2		4	1		4		1	8	63 53
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1. B. Padgett	44	88.	-	10	5	1	1		6			10	3	1 2	0	134
B. B. Garrett		2			10		2	2	,	1		1		2	7	58
L. H. Harris	29	2			10			0				4	0	10	3	43
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BY SAN M. DEEMAN. us in the same category with those possible and further delay a sin; and long on swelled heads. and as the moral monitor of Meridian we have concluded to have our say, with the hope that this article's mission may be accomplished. It cise institutions for good, and, therenever a word; but the time is here when criticism becomes almost a

be accomplished—that it would redound to the good of the church and the glory of God We have no tain would rise and new and higher ple make it appear a gigantic hum- tracted for a page in the Marlin and thread of screws made by the Engdesire to persecute the followers of the meek and lowly Son of God, but if by so doing the church would prosper and the cause of Christ up- lust of the depraved bidders were for a call to preach. lifted, then 'twere sacrilege to fall short of our duty.

growing up in ignorance while sect and jest flowed free. If this means with sect in trying to make sinners goods. We soon had to order a down to the feed wire instead of extendvies with sect in the erection of serving Jesus, we prefer to run with believe that their creed alone pos- new stock and that was also soon handsome structures, wherein peo- the Lucifers and worship satan. ple may worship One Who broke bread with beggars and had not church members in Meridian and where to lay His head-Who for- we assert, without fear of successgave a thief and told the woman to ful contradiction, that less than 40 go her way and sin no more.

The great need of the hour is. not more churches, but men wearing the livery of Christ who have to recover from a case of the jimthe courage to tell their polite and jams. About one member in twenelegant congregations of their cuss | ty-five enjoy religion, while the othedness. Every school boy who er twenty-four enjoy somethingelse has reached his teens knows that -usually cocktails and backbiting; pure mountain stream or drowned procrastination is the thief of time, about one member in twenty praise in a church tank. And while creed the biggest part of their sermons to nineteen praise Him for pie and of baptism, sinners are refusing to telling idiotic stories anent the aw- power, riches and rascality. When ful dangers of procrastination-say- a stranger visits us we drive over ing never a word about the compas- the town with him and show him sion of God. They would have you our public institutions-with pardbelieve that Almighty God has you onable pride point out church buildsingled out and is frowning at your ings, court house and jail-twin sins, standing ever ready to snap sisters of reform!-and all the time the brittle thread of your life and we are studying a scheme to rob usher you unprepared into eternity: the confiding stranger in a real es-And to cap the climax they will tate deal, and little reck we of the gather a few christians about them modus operandi-the end justifies and offer up a mighty petition for means. rain!-as though Almighty God sat slightest assurance that it was need on the highway; and not a preach-Lord, but Thine be done."

brand. Millions of dollars go and tian viewed the remains except ister. nually to foreign lands to reclaim through curiosity-and to inquire the heathen, while children in our how much money was found on the native land cry for bread. Foreign body. Denied christian burial- Pa., killed himself by pulling out cured the worst cases of Chronic Sore Eyes missions are the greatest farce ever unknown, unhonored, unsung, he his tongue. He had been ill and perpetrated upon intelligent people. was lowered by sinful hands into took an overdose of quinine, which earth," while thousands of people six sinners stood with uncovered Then he grasped his tongue with in our cities stay away from church heads-his only monument being a his hand, tearing it from its place. ing their souls for the necessaries of life. This is an awful picture and yet it is underdrawn. We challenge contradiction! In every city in these United States there can be found thousands of children who reached the age of accountability who have never heard the gospel preached. They are growing up in idleness and ignorance and crime and not a voice is uplifted to warn nor hand outstretched to save; mothers are giving famished breasts to weakly children and fathers steeping their souls in crime to appease the pangs of hunger-and yet we send money and missionaries abroad to try to convert heathens who are satisfied with their religions and who, were they here, would not be allowed to sit at our tables or keep company with our children. In Fort Worth there is a Rescue Home-a home for fallen women, and at times there is danger of suffering for want of the necessaries of life. There is a chance for the expenditure of a few thousands of dol-

forced to keep some one on the road brother? my, and its reading may make of you a particeps criminis. We have sought to evade this subject, knowing as we do, that a criticism, how-

were persecuted great good would auctioneer called out the beautiful risy. curves of a well-turned ankle, and Christianity is as good to-day as sell at cost and pay our creditors sufficiently excited. The buyers then took their female merchandise-

> There are, perhaps, 300 male of that number go to secret prayer once a week-unless attacked by a severe case of the colic or are trying

In company with about one-half with hand on the throttle of a rain dozen men, we once helped to bury the other is the gallant old Hannah. cloud ready to pull 'er open at the an unknown tramp, found dead uped, or else they figure that he does- er would hold services "because of n't know when it is needed. And the rain;" and not a christian turnwe hear some long faced christian ed a hand to help bury the dead. amen brother offer up a long prayer. The body was dressed and placed for the hard-hearted sinner, asking in a pine coffin and not a man would God to spare their "unprofitable allow the remains to rest in his lives yet a little longer," and winds house over night, and three of us up by saying, "not my will, oh, kept ward and watch in a Cotton Belt depot to keep a christian M. D. We need fewer foreign mission from stealing the body for dissecsocieties and more of the home tion purposes. And never a chris- the end of their days .- Terrell Reg-Money is wheedled from the toil- his grave while the rain descended crazed him. He first attempted to worn hand of labor to 'carry the and the wind mounted pitcously kill hin self with a hatchet, but the gospel to all the nations of the through the trees, and the five or weapon was taken away from him. because they havn't decent wearing, hickory tree, implanted by nature Internal hemorrhage followed, causapparel and women are dafly sell- and used by man to mark the last I g his death. resting place of an unfortunate, un-

lars annually and is it forthcom munity won't have to answer for ing? Nay, Pauline. The Home is their neglect. What think you,

come when silence would be a crime themselves hoarse if their favorite how nice it is to hear a christian not have been recorded. equal to crim, con., and the words wins, and may think dammit if they pray, when his words come from In a casual conversation a few must be spoken that will revolu- see some other fair gambler walk off the heart and are intended for spir- days ago with a Post reporter, Mr. vielded by a clay soil. Another influence tionize religion in Meredian or place with her coin, christian gentlemen itual good, but what a hypocrite he Gus Mistrot said: "We were prob- of soil is noted in cases of summer visit their club and next morning is when he rolls his eyes toward ably the first firm in Texas to take less on clay than on sandy soil. who worship satan. Escape is im- they find themselves short on cash | heaven like a dying call and prays a page ad in a country paper, and from his stomach and for the good this is the way it came about. My lieved to gain information of the pres-And when the church or some of his pocket book. We like to see brother and I had just started busi- than that of sight. Light is always dankind of church society needs a little a man be a follower of the meek and ness in Marlin. We had invested gerous to an earth worm and when ready cash the young ladies' charms lowly Christ when we think he is all our available cash and besides taken from the earth and placed in the are auctioned off to the vulgar and such because he loves the cause; owed some money in New York. is never a source of pleasure to crit- depraved—executed by church but it spoils our digestion to see a A large bankrupt stock was sudden- itself. members and done in the name of man a church member for society's ly thrown on our market. People fore, we have kept quiet, saying the Lord and to further His cause, sake or for influence. How often flocked to the stores of our com-The Leg show of New York is the is it the case that we hear "pillars petitor and we sat on our stools the idea that the full of the moon was latest example of christiandepravity of the church" using the great damn, waiting for trade. My brother and a dangerous time for mad people. Betthat we wot of. Those young la- or see them holding communion I talked the matter over very earn- that old-time notion, said Dr. Charcot, A few nights ago we listened to dies with beautiful limbs were plac- with the little brown jug! We have estly, I can assure you. We con- as the result of increased learning on a sermon, and the preacher seemed ed behind a curtain and the string as much respect for christianity as cluded that we'd let the people to think that, perhaps, if the church pulled. As the curtain rose the any one and as little use for hypoc- know we could offer bargains our-

asked for bidders. Again the cur. it ever was, but a great many peo- than keep our stock. So we con- The slight deviations between the pitch charms were disclosed; and higher bug by worshing gold instead of weekly paper which was to come and higher rose the curtain and the God-too many people a istake out next day. We paid \$50 for the the real adoption of the metric system voice of the auctioneer until the Greed for Godliness and laziness ad. The publisher had to employ in countries obtaining machinery from

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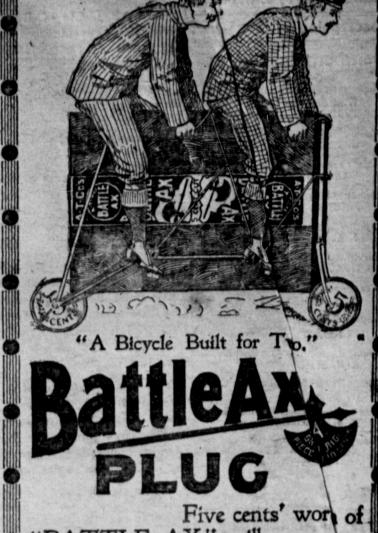
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