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meeting on the way. Hickey was at the lot. It was twenty or thirty minutes before I heard shots fired. Mrs. Dixon, Lillie, Minta and West were in the house at the time. First there were two shots then a little interval, half minute or minute, and

then a shot. I don't know that there were two at last, I don't remember, ward: but think there was. I could distinguish between first two. I said I supposed Hickey killed aim. When he came to the house he said : "Mandy I hated to do this, but I had to do it. I had it to do to save my own life." Then I asked him if he had killed Tom and he said yes. He said somebody ought to go down there, asked me to go-to go with him. We went in about 15 steps of

the body and stopped. Yes, I had lived at Dizon's prior to other way of telling.

that, left because Dixon told me I Ivan Duvall being sworn, testified: had better leave-move my boarding I live at Cliff, northeast part Hasplace, said he did not know what kell county. I knew Tom Dixon, remember about his death. I rode by Dixon's February 11. (Witness demight happen at just any time. I his house morning of the killing, saw scribed position of body about as had got a job and came back after my clothes. He didn't say what might turn up. That morning prior to time shots were fired Joe Dixon said, Lillie, you know where my gun is dicht of house I heard shoting don't you. She said yes, it is between my beds I reckon. Mrs. Dixon was in a chair. They looked for pistol but didn't flud it. That was just before

the shooting. Mrs. Dixon fainted when the shooting commenced and Lillie, Joe, Minta and West all at-Cross Examination.

Rather long interval between sec- Dixon's feet. Right hand lay almost ended to her, put her on bed. I oud and third shots, was 300 or 400 straight out, nearly wide open, didn't know there was going to be any trouble between defendant and yards past house when I heard shoot- handle of pistol partly in it, forefinger Connell. didn't know there was going to be yards past house when I heard shoot-any trouble between defendant and deceased. As I started out at the door I met defendant, didn't search hours before I heard of the killing. his person to see if he was shot, he told what he had done. Yes, his coat was affre, he rubbed it out with his person to the started out at the the was shot, he rubbed it out with hours before I heard and his son about to defendant, didn't search hours before I heard of the killing. told what he had done. Yes, his coat was affre, he rubbed it out with hours before I heard and his son about hours before I heard and his son about hat. Saw wounds. Back of head and hours before I heard and his son about hat. Saw wounds. Back of head and hours before I heard to point of barrel, a little mud on muzzle and top of pistol. Saw no hat. Saw wounds. Back of head and fifteen minutes after he came to his hands (showed location of fire this matter.

opposite left hip). He seked me to look and see if he was shot. His i out had a hole in it where the fire Squire Knowles being sworn, tes-tified:

Cross examination. Don't know whether pistol has I live in Haskell. Yes, heard of as -like it was shot. That assued the killing of Tom Dixon, we got been moved before or not-same state-phone message. Mr. Bell was getting ments as to mud on pistol, and no horse to go. Looked out and asw man priot in mad. When I got down where the body

there is which to refresh yourself at your lesters. Handle sil of the Popular Cold Drinks. I find the best branche of Gauss at my place YOUR PATRONAGE NOL GITED. K. JONES, Propulator.

o'clock. Heard four or five shots, five feet from his feet. Saw where fence I'm pretty sure it was. There was had been whittled on right over two shots, then in about two minutes where knife lay. two more. I judge the time by my

No Cross Examination plowing, was about 100 yards from Dr. M. T. Griffin sworn, testified: end of row when heard first shots and

Am physician. Went to Dixon's heard others before I got to end. February 11, about fifteen miles north Cross examination by Judge Wood- of town, to examine his body. Found

him dead, lying on back at horse lot, I was about 100 yards from end killed by pistol shot, or two shots. when heard first shot and nearly out One went in back of neck and came

when heard second volley. out above corner of mouth, other went Conusel here had witness to indithrough head left to right. Very cate time-a minute-by snapping little sign of powder burn at wound fingers, he called time in consider- on side of head, hadly powder burned ably less than a minute, but in an- at wound back of neck. Ground very swer to other questions persisted that wet and muddy, quite a crowd there the time between first two and second when I got there. Made more thortwo or three shots must have been as ough examination next evening when much as minute by distance he plowed. body was brought to town.

Yes, I'm guessing at it as I had no Cross examination. Had to turn head a little to

probe through. J. E. Wilfong sworn, testified Am county attorney. Went to Tom

two men and women standing east of others had done.) Went in lot and sight of house I-heard shooting- nearly against fouce and in place like interval, then second and third close about a little. Fence was poles and have a pistol. Saw that pistol next

plank, scantling on top I think, day, has been in sheriff's office, sup-noticed whitled place on it right over pose it is Hickey's, has two cartridges

neck badly powder burned-notices

wore the day he was killed-that is the hat.

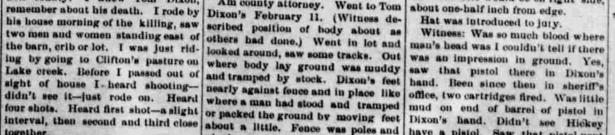
Counsel introduced hat to jury. State rested. Defendant moved court to force Stat

o put family of deceased on stand. Motion overruled.

John C. Bell sworn, on direct examination by Judge Woodward for defence, testified:

I am deputy sheriff, went to scene of killing, saw body where it lay after death, was blood on ground. I gouged there a little with knife lookng for bullet, but understood doctor said builet was in his head and quit. Defendant been in my custody since killing. Didn't notice his hat, can't say I recognize that hat-believe it same he has had ever since he's been

in my custody-shows some powder front the hole would be on right side.



Cross examination by Judge

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fifteen minutes after he came to Squire Knowles' office. The pistol was lying on Judge Knowles' table seen in my ob zge ever since, two

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SUBSCRIPTION & HASKELL, TEXAS, JUNE 18,

If you want to kill a man order isn't safe to come to Haskell. county to do it.

A. J. Blackburn, 91 years of and music and a full business ge, was convicted of hunney in course. We suggest that persons fyler county last week

Cotton sold in New Orleans the merits and claims of this Rusby, the defaulting assistant floanthe other day for July delivery school. BH 11'1 ige 6 at 13% cents, the highest price an paid there since 1879.

The \$125,000 has been raised sion, which was required as a growing well on account of the half tondition to the gift by John D, cool weather, crops of all kinds A young lew who claims to have trip, lowment fund of Bayloy Univer- all over the county and promis- days ago and in his statement con- rights,

some unlooked for injury befalls ously published. Let the juries continue to give them. make homicides, thieves and bur. There is now one of the most draiars permanent jobs under state thorough seasons in the ground to day at \$1.80 per bashel. He plantand the lives and property of the moisture is sufficient to not yet thrashed. . ood men will become corresthandingly secure or six weeks.

ked: "he papers are telling a story

has been 4 inches, as shown by who engineer on a Kansas railwho has applied to the the figures given us yesterday by

the pluintendent for permission to Mr. W. E. Sherrill, local observor was held under old Spanish titles. mis train faster than 65 for the Weather Bureau, as pon hour, because at a cer- follows: inbint on his fun a jack June 3, rainfall.

o anythe has lately been in the Bibit of lining up with him, beathim at his present limit of alanced-the miles per hour.

1964y, Mr. Farmer, take good

said of that cotton patch, no se on thiderly, cultivate is to bet a there is more than there is more there is a second Mid. cotton is now selling

on and Galveston at 11% cents, and it seems unrea-Haskell Baptist Church, June 20-23, e that the new crop should er than that as the will grow step lily smaller sion-B. F. Dixon.

Relation of the Sunday nool to the Church-J. P. Siler and A. S. Barkley.

11 A. M.-The Bible in the

June 4.

June 5.

June 6.

June 7.

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Sunday School Institute

Sunday School Institute of the Stone-

wall Association, to be held with the

1903, conducted by Dr. E. A. Stone:

SATURDAY, JUN

FRIDAY, JUNE 19.

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M.-Sermon-The Church's Mis-

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Oil company has declared \$168 a share

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ity, and bids fair to become one of the leading schools of Texas, GENERAL NEWS. Prof. Cooper is an educator of recognized ability and being aid-

thinking of sending their children

to distant school investigate

HASKELL COUNTY CROPS.

ed by an able faculty of eleven an miles from Yuma, Arizona. Another rich gold find is reported teachers and prefessors depart-Smith county has shipped nearly ments, and backed by a com-

seventy cars of herries this season. munity enthusiastic for the suc-Brazoria county went for prohibicess of the institution, there is no tion at the election last Saturday by a the reason why this school should not meet with liberal patronage

On Tuesday at Temple, G. D. Owens and hearty support, especially was shot and mortally wounded. from the people of this section of W. T. Long was arrested. the state. Its curriculum covers

There is talk to the effect that Quay a full college course in English, of Pennsylvania is to succeed Hanna gave them is the final victor. Twentymathematics, science, ancient as chief boss of the republican party. five years of my life have I passed and modern languages, painting

in prison! How many men The postoffice department is preceive what suffering that paring to issue special postage stamps commemorate the Louisiana pur. But I have learned much in my lonely cell. I have learned that hope

talk the following:

The man

VPRTS.

is a divinity; that a surplus of deter-The Rusk county grand jury has mination will conquer every weakreturned ten indictments against ness; thut vengeauce is for field and not for men. I am often surprised that I remember anything; prison life efal agent of the Rusk penitentiary. that I remember anything; prison life

deceived himself with that sort of

reasoning, a.' like every other of

his kind has and will do, he found out at the wroag end of his life that

It is estimated that the number of and prison discipline may destroy a livestock killed and maimed in man's reason to much less than a With the single exception of Throckmorian county alone by the quarter of a century. Nevertheless, maily the Baptist educational com. cotton, which is late and not evelone of last Thursday will appro- I am convinced that prisons and prison simate two hundred head. discipline are the safeguards of the

nation. There is no true liberty mail Rockfeller of \$35,000 to the en. are reported exceptionally fine Kishineff, arrived at New York a few ary line liberty must surrender its

RUSK IRON INDUSTRY.

A farmer living six east of Paris Furnaces Turning out Finest Iron suid soverni inshels of Crowder peas in the World.

supervision and such enemies to that we have ever seen here in realized \$175 from the crop, and still that the claims of the friends of the will become very scarce June. With proper cultivation ins several bushels left that he has from industry here are about to be made good earlier and in a more em-

carry all crops forward a month The State supreme court has finally phatic manuer than was ever exaffirmed the case of the State vs. peeted, For some time St., Louis parties The rainfall during this month Thos. O'Conner, in favor of the State, have been looking over the iron fields being a suit by the attorney general here and figuring on starting up one for the recovery to the State of 300,000 or both of the furnaces owned by capi-

talists here. Some weeks ago the partles obtained permission from the

indiciments against A. W. Meachen tests on the State furnace now in operation, to see what could be done

to test the ores in other ways. investigation the charges They brought down an iron expert,

The furnace was lighted up last

Tuesday and is just getting into good A news item from Temple, Bell county says, boll weevils are being working order. A big run was made brought to towns in this section, but yesterday, but today the record has kell been broken, and even those in charge so far few have been brought in to A number of specimens so long herelofore are astounded at Temple. have been found in the vicinity of the results. The little old dilapi-Belton. There is little workt but idated 25-ton furnace is right at the 50-ton notch and is turning out, so what the weevil wil inflict its injuries upon the cotton grop in Bell the expert says, the the finest from in

iron he wants to with the ore. The highest run ever made before on this 25-ton furnace was thirty tons per

interesting statement concerning this industry is about to be wiped off and

#### .DIRECTORY ... THE CHURCHES.

he was a fool. We quote from his "I am not at all proud of my wasted

who chooses the career of an outlaw is either a natura innocent madman. To me word outlaw is a living coal of not 7 for r s Elder ( S. dor Prayer meeting every ht st for clock Sunday school morning at 10 o'clock Prof

fire. The past is for me a tragedy wherein danger lurks along every trail. My dear friend, if you are endowed with physical strength, valor

and a steady hand, let me warn you to use them well, for the God that

SOCHETIES.

Wor W D Elmwood Camp No. 24

W. C. T. U. Monte Turnitay event

THE SYSDE LEASTE-Mosts every Sunda evening at the Methodist churge at 4 o'clock Mrs. Autor Martin, president: W. 8 Scott

The JUNION LEASUR-Meets every Sunday vening at the Methodist church at 3 o'clock los J. C. Caperton, superintendenti Miss libel Gilbert, president: Miss Pearl Grisson,

EARNEST WORKERS-Meet every t The Section Experience-Meets every Sun-day evening at 4 o'clock at the Christian church. Prof. 1. 7 Chunisgham, president Miss Oille Norris, seer tary.

Tut B Y P I - Meets each Sunday even-ing at a o'clock at the Baptist church. Miss Famile Hindson, leads:

#### THE COURTS.

DISTRICT COURT.

The regular terms of district court are con-med on the fourth Mondays in May and owniner. Term, four weeks, H. R. Jones, edge, Callun C. Higgins, attorney, C. D. COUNTY COURT.

The regular ferms of county court, are con-evel on the first Mondays in January, April als and October D II Hamilton, judge E Willong, attorney; C. D Long, clerk

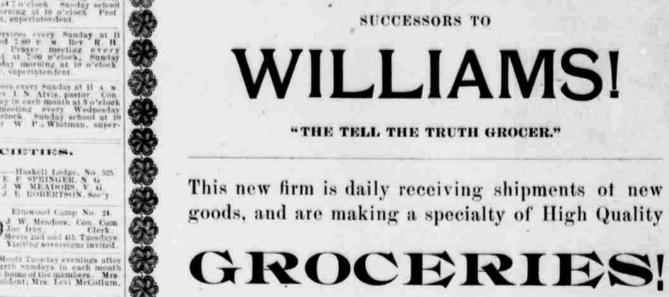
OUNISSIGNERS' COLRT. The regular sessions of the commissioners ourr are hold on the second Mondays in Feb-nary, May, August and November.

distics counts. PRECINCT No. 1 -- Meets on the third ay in each month at the court house in all of T. Krowles, justice of the peac Purcified No. 5 - Meets at Marey on it out it saturify in each month. S. Y. Jon matics of the peace. W. T. York, constab

COUNTY OFFICERS. Hamilton, Julge
Long, clerk
Bell, sheriff and collector.
Wilfonz, attorney
C. Stephen, treasurer Brown, assessor, Rike, surveyor

Jours, Precinct No. 1, Owsley, Precinct No. 2 Howard, Precinct No. 3 Watts, Precinct No. 4

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#### acres of land in Webb county, which The federal grand jury has returned penitentiary officials to make some and Groff brothets in connection with the postal iradds now under lovestis in making certain grades of iron and gation by the department, and has under

against J. N. Tyner, former assistant a chemist, with laboratory and appliattorney general, who was dismissed ances to make a thorough test.

county this secon, and as there is no the world. He says He says he can make W The numerous, there will be a full ters of what they can do at their

Pointing out that the disburse- few improvements they can make it ments of the Standard Oil company turn out sixty tons per day. They for the current quarter means that are greatly pleased with the result 10 A. M.-Who Must Lead the School share owners will receive \$7,000,000, of their test and the people here feel in Spirituality-J. T. Nicholson and the New York Commercial makes an that the libel heretofore laid on this

## ing unprecedented yields, unless firmed the horritying details previ-....

2 P. M.-Devotional Service-Bro. heir action will Holmes, of Anson In 1900 and 1901 \$48,000,000 was disparty in Texas, but 2:30 P. M.-The Deacon's Place in the bursed to shareholders each year. d out later on that Sunday School .- P. A. Mansel and F. Since January 1, 1900, the Standard Aill f

rats want a simon Kiefer. s dem rat. a man whose 3:30 P. M.-The Pastor and the Sun- in dividends, making total payments dre demo proved his faith and day School .- W. P. Whitman and W. of \$168,000,000 to shareholders on a actionshave C. Martin their candidate. principles, i

4:30 P. M.-Sunday School Literature \$100,000,000, Of the dividends de-The Record Company has taken -B. F. Dixon 7:45 P. M.-Devotional Service charge of The Fort Worth Register, which company is composed Pierson and J. D. Reeves, Jr. of such stanisch newspaper men as R. M. Johnson and Clarence Song Service.

Ousley, of Houston Post, and the Lord."-J. H. Edmonds. Frask P. Loband, of Farm and SUNDAY, JUNE 21. Ranch. The Record Co., is a 10 A. M.-Evangelistic Service-Dr. chartered concern with a capital E. A. Stone. stock of \$150,000, is having a 11 A. M.-Relation of Church to Sun-

fine press manufactured and will day School Work .- J. M. Dawson. put in typesetting machines and 3 P. M.-Womau's Meeting.-Dr. E. announces it will have as com- A. Stone

plete, up-to date an office equip-ment as there is in the state by Sept. 1st. The beauty of it is the name of the state by the name of the state of the name of the state of the name of the state of the name of the paper will be strictly Demo-cratic, and it goes without, the S:15 P. 8:15 P. M.-Four Fold Education

saving it will all a long felt want in North Texas, -Taylor County the Child .- Dr. Stone. MONDAY, JUNE 22. News. 9.30 A. M.-Devotional Service. To which we say, amen.

Walter Evans. 10 A. M .- The Sunday School in His-

The administration at Washtory .- Dr. Stone.

hgton core opportunity to veptites are point in A. M.-Qualifications of a Teach-er.-J. T. Nicholson and V. G. Con-ningham. 2:30 P. M.-Sunday School Organiza-

American army. stance related was id gra eglect of Sec. of War Root de Gen.

de Gen. Collins and J. P. Siler. 4 P. M .- The Teacher's Preparation. Miles in the invitational din--Dr. Stone.

ner given to the gook and, at 8 P. M.-Devotional Service .- A which Gen. Miles by virtue of his Barkley.

position should have been a cen- 8:15 P. M.-Fundamentals and Ideals

tral figure. Such conduct by men -Dr. Stone. TUESDAY, JUNE 25. in high official position serves to

ow their smallness, Gen, Miles' R. Couch. onsists in not toadying to 10 A. M .- The Relation of the Teach-

nd the egotists in the war D. Y. Music.

a departments. Admiral Stone. 10:80 A. M.-The Teachers Aim-Dr. sin way of about the 11:30 A. M.-Time for Spiritual Re-

ame magnitude, and the same suit-J. V. Bilberry and Wilkes Scott. ang who hounded Schley and 2 P. M.-Devotional Service.-W. H. I believe the e now hounding Miles, even H. Lindsey. 2:50 P. M.-The Home Department.-

ured to slur Dawey when he Dr. Stone. osed giving they meagre 3:30 P. M.-How to Prepare the Les-

The people of this coun- son .- Bro. Holmes, of Anson, and Bro ve justice and fair dealing Bennett, of Truby. 4 P. M .- The Black Board; Why and er were suthey will yet see

15 feet of water ? have done the Schwarzschild-Sulzberger [ 1d t packeries. The damage to Can . is estimated at \$1,000,000 that ev. e latter \$500,000. It) is esti- Such washe Sunday School .- Dr. Stone.

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sses in Armordale will ex- Newson, De. years" she write. of immigration Needed. towns along the Kaw and crable pain from he need is immigrants who

rivers suffered propertional and bowel troubleshe country where there

counts show that conditions remedies failed. At let We do not need a schrewdor me the originals were the original were t ned above. The Missouri result was miraculous. discourage,-Chics years. What are we to do for lying the flood waters from at often and now I'm co. r fuel then?"

How .- Dr. Stone.

A. Couch.

ed to rise until it coverade. For Liver, Kidney, Stomach "My friend," replied the venerable mai or 8.4 and Bow all troubles Electric Bitters is man, "by that time, in all probabiledicine. Only 50c. It's ity, you will have gone where the fur y Baker & Canalugham, supply is inexhaustible."-Chicage

7:45 P. M .-- Devotional Services .-- J.

of crime.

that the da Last year the company brightness is breaking over the great disbursed \$45,000,000 to stockholders. iron region of East Texas. ...

> he Farmers' Department FROM WILD HORSE. Has belowd many. It is not the

The Wild Horse section has been capital stock of a little less than blessed with plenty of tain the past clared during the last three and a week.

half years John D. Rockefeller's share Most people have harvested their has been something like \$56,000,000, as wheat. It will make from 12 to 18 he binds in the neighborhood of 33 bushels per acre. Oats look well and Special Offer 8:16 P. M .- Sermon, "What We Owe per cent of the capital stock of the scon will be ripe. They will make a Standard Oil company."

good turn out. All other crops are looking well.

Awful Conditions in China. I guess the Haskell W. O. W. camp According to an official report made will be glad to know that the picule to the state department at Washing- war not a failure. At the appointed ton by United States Consul MeWade time Saturday morning quite a crowd at Canton, China, hundreds of women assembled on the picnic grounds. As and children have been sold for \$2 the Haskell people got rained out and esch by their starving husbands and the master of ceremonies, Rev. L. N.

Alvis, was absent, Rev. J. T. Niehol-Mr. McWade says that unless the son with the assistance of Sovereigns rice crops for July, August and Sep- M. A. Clitton, Walter Bowman and tember are plentiful, the distress, now D. W. Fields arranged and had earslightly alleviated by American mis- ried out a nice little program, mostly sionaries and others, will continue, by members of the Wild Horse camp, The consul gives some further details as they were the greatest in number as to the distress and straits of the present. As the clouds threatened people than have previously been rain again in the afternoon, the crowd

printed, he says: dispersed rather early. OLD MAID. "Reliable information from Ameri-...

has come to me from Kwang-Ping, MARCY NOTES. Wuchow and other places in Kwang Si, that the destitution and conse-COORDER DOODOR DOODOR DO DO DO quent suffering in certain parts was Our weather prophet has predicted appailing, and that in their desperate rain for every day this month, and so ondition the heads of families were far, we have had a shower every day, selling children and men for from \$2 Tis likely we will have rain half the to \$5. One missionary says the famine month any how, and I fear when is increasing and thousands are suffstops it will be some time before ering and that if is very sad to see begins again. Some crops that were the thin, sallow creatures steadily badly beaten up by the hall, have 9:30 A. M.-Devotional Service .- p. dying. She says boys, girls and wocome out again, and look very well men are sold for \$2, \$3, \$5, \$7 and \$10, though some planted again. I think and that there are so many offered naking gods of the presi- er and the Papil.-C. A. Mangam and that it is difficult to find purchasers. a toterable good crop of corn. Every if we have rain in July, we will make From Ping-Nan to Nanuing, a dispaper we pick up gives au account of ance of 300 miles, there has been no terrible storms all over the country, crop for three seasons. Well-to-de with great damage to property and people have become poverty-stricken, considerable loss of ~life. We ought

and household goods, farming imple- to be thankful that we haven't had ments and clothing have all been such storms in our part of the country, but we always have some one to grumble at little things. A Voice from the Penitentiary.

The picnic was somewhat a flash, Cole Younger, the noted outlaw, but the Marcy base ball team is going who has looked through prison bars to play against the Cliff team next for twenty-five years until released Saturday afternoon at Mid school on parole a few months ago on ac-

count of his failing health, recently Berry Maxwell who has been workmade a statement in which there is ing at Stamford all this year, came food for serions thought for any 8:15 P. M .- Obligation of Parents to young man who has any tendency to home Tuesday to try his luck in the break the law or embark on a career Sand Hills.

restraint with such young men is that week. they are conceited and argue them-

esh and energy as possible or

The Destiny of Cuba.

I have had occasion to use ck-Draught Stock and Poultry Medi cine and am pleased to say that I never used anything for stock that gave half as good satisfaction. I heartily recomaend it to all owners of stock. J. B. BELSHER, St. Louis, Mo.

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ble to cure it. Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine unloads the bowels and stirs up the torpid liver. It cures every malady of stock if taken in time. Secure a 25-cent can of Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine audit will pay for itself ten times over. Horses work better. Cows give more milk. Hogs gain fiesh. And hens lay more eggs. It solves the problem of making as much blood, fiesh and energy as possible out of

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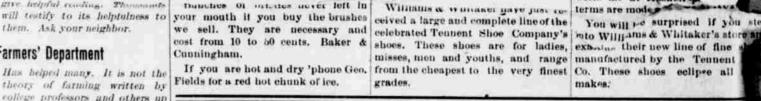
them. Ask your neighbor.

theory of farming written by college professors and others up North on conditions that don't nt Texas. It is the acutal experiences of farmers here at hor Press you should be. It is helpful

aim of The Semi-Weekly News to the best.

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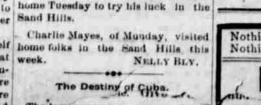
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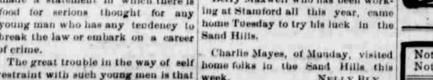
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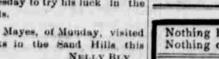
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Jones, they having in self defense. other circumstances leading to the been associated for a considerable Several members of the Dixon postponoment, the heavy rains lately have delayed the work of barvesting Railway Co. time in the employ of the Santa Fe family were put on the witness stand by the defense and corroborated what and other farm work and it is thought Hickey had said as to coming to the It is generally conceded that Wilthat the people will be too busy about house and saying he had had to do that date to spare the necessary time liams & Whitaker have the most comthe killing in self defense. in preparation and attending the bar- plete line of staple and tancy groceries There was no eye witness to the becue. Further announcement of the to be found in Haskell. barbecue will be made later. This Born Monday, June 1st, to Judge sion of the killing the prosecution statement is made at the request of and Mrs. O, E. Oates, a son. relied wholely on circumstantial evithe committee. Miss Sibyl Collins spent this week dence, such as the action of the family The Tennent shoes are noted for out on the ranch with her father. comfort, style and durability. For Mr. Harry Williams will leave Monsale by Williams & Whitaker. and various minor circumstances too day for Dalhart, where he has a posi-Mr. G. H. Peek and wife of the tion with a telephone company. lengthy to relate here, all of which satisfied the jury that Hickey's story Pinkerton neighborhood were in on a Mr. J. A. Couch, sr., and wife, and of self defense was a fabrication and shopping expedition Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Couch are visiting that he had probably taken Dixon International Quick Cleaner will rerelatives at Munday. nawares and killed him. nove luk, grease or dirt. For sale by Messrs. Matt. Oatey and Joe Nunny o'clock Thursday, finding the defend-The jury returned a verdict at 2 Baker & Cunningham. of Sweetwater, are here this week Messrs. W. C. and J. R. Speck, pros-perous farmers of the Sand Hills ant guilty of murder in the first devisiting the family of their father gree and assessing his punishment at in-law, Mr. J. W. Wright, who was onfinement in the penitentiary for country, were doing business with one of the cyclone sufferers. Haskell merchants Wednesday. Miss Frankle Terrell entertained a So far as we have heard the verdict Keep your milk and butter cool and party of friends Thursday night. discussed by the public it has been in fresh with fifteen cents worth of ice unanimous approval of the action of Mr. J. H. Lovelady, a representative from Geo. Fields. the jury, except that several have of the McCormick Binder Co., is here The following were elected officers, this week assisting the local agents, been heard to say that they would of Haskell chapter No. 181, Royal Messrs, Sherrill Bros. & Co., in setting have given Hickey the death penalty. Hickey is about 36 years of age, is Arch Masons, on June 2nd, to serve up machines. from Erath county and has a wife and ensuing Masonie year: A. C. Foster, Persons desiring to take the ex- four children from whom he has been High Priest; C. D. Long, King; H. M. Rike, Seribe; W. E. Sherrill, C. of H., amination for teachers' certificates parted for some time. H. G. McConuell, P. S.; F. G. Alex- should present themselves before the The evidence will be given in full examining board on June 19 and 20th. in our next issue. ander. R. A. C.; G. R. Couch, Treasurer; W. L. Hills, Secretary; P. D. After July 1st, under the new law Sanders, G. M. 3rd V., E. F. Springer, G. M. 2nd V.; J. L. Jones, G. M. 1st V. there will be but three examinations Epworth League Program. each year. L. T. Cunningham, Mem-The Epworth League meets every ber Board Examiners. C.A. Norris, Guard. Sunday evening at 4 o'clock, at the Judge J. H. Glasgow, a prominen Hammocks at the Racket Store. Methodist church. The following is lawyer of Seymour, had business in the program for next Sunday, June Miss Lillie Rike returned home this, our district court this week. 14th, 1903 week from a visit of several weeks Leader-Miss Kate Lemmon. Mr. J. W. Wright wishes THE with her sister, Mrs. Hall Morrison, at Subject: "Gold or God." Luke FREE PRESS to express something of Grabam xviii:18-30. The following were elected officers the people to himself and family after his appreciation of the kindness of Reterence Word-"Gold." Psalms of Haskell Lodge Nos 682, A. F. & the cyclone. exix:72; James v:8; Rev. III:8. A. M., on June 6th, to serve for the Daily Bible readings: ensning Masonio year: A. C. Foster, San -"Wisdom Cannot be Bought. **Junior League Program** W. M.; C. D. Long, S. W.; E. F. Springer, J. W.; G. R. Couch, Treas-Job xxviii:12-28. The Junior League meets every Sun-Springer, J. W.; G. R. Couch, Fred. prer; W. E. Sherrill, Secretary; F. G. Alexander, S. D.; P. Dr Sanders, S. S.; H. M. Rike, J. S.; G. A. Norris, Tyler. He program for next Sunday, June 1 14th 1903. Mon .- "Godliness and nent." 1 Tim. vi:6-12. Tues .- "Precious Faith." 1 Pete n prenared to loan you money on the at short notice, provided the is good. I refer you by per-on to the Haskell National Bank. Wed .- "More Desirable than Gold. Leader-Fannie Cummings. Psalms xix:7-14. Song. Thurs .- "Loss Through Gain." Prayer. Mark viii:84-38. Roll call. Fri.-"Two Treasures." Matthew G. CARNEY. Scripture Lessou-23rd Psalm. vi:17-25. Born Monday, June 8th, to Mr. aud Mrs. R. Debard, a daughter. Song. Select Reading-Bessie Lemm Sat .- "The Topic." Luke xvil:18-30. Recitation-Mamie Simi Phone George Fields at K. Jones ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY. Quartotte-Everett Gilbert, Mamie place if you want ice delivered. Heizer, Dick and Gurlie Carney. Boone was accested here day evening by Sheriff J. W. watrent from Jo Mr. Doyle, a sivil engineer for and ding-Vera Murfee. Orient Rallway Rome down the P of prayer. 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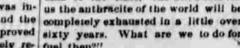
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