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ENCOURAGING OIL PROSPECTS

OIL COMPANIES MAKING ADDI-TIONAL LEASES AND PREPA-RATIONS ARE BEING MADE TO **PUT DOWN TEST WELLS.**

Oil leasing has been very active during the last week.

the county and from all indications it seems that there will be something doing in the way of drilling in a short time and from that will lay longer and cackle all indications there will be two less than any others in Uncle or three test wells put down in Sam's poultry yards and last, different portions of the county. At present there are two very active companies taking leases, and from what we can learn from er or seed seller. reliable sources there will be other companies soon in the field Bald Heads

taking leases. Messrs. Colt and Stuert have taken many leases, and Thursday morning Mr. T. G. Mower representing the Corsicana Petroleum Company, a branch of The Standard Oil and Gas Co. arrived on the ground and has have an equal chance with one begun to look over the field and blessed with a healthy head of have shown a willingness to lease tion of age. Many large corpora few have been very slow and a 85 years of age as new emfew have refused to lesse, which ployees. in our judgment is detrimental

will be to their benefit as well as shiny. We want people to try reliably informed that those peo- distinct understanding that unple are well able to put the wells less it does exactly what we down and that they have had claim it will, and gives satisfacconsiderable experience in the tion in every respect, we shall way of drilling for and handling make no charge for the remedy oil wells. As to the Corsicana used during the trial. Petroleum Co. we all know who they are and we are sure that no man can make a mistake in leasing to them. They can drill several wells and not miss the or hesitate to put our remedy to money. We can say the same of an actual test. the Colt and Stuert people. We therefore would advise all that have land to not hesitate but

Oil fields. Mr. J. D. Kinnison has had some experience in the Electra oil field, and he is much enthus. dandruff, cleanse and refresh ed over the prospect, and he and the scalp, tighten the hair in its T. C. Cahill have assisted these men in leasing and they inform us that drilling will soon commence on the Bunkley well.

lease and let's make Haskell

county the equal to the Electra

Mr. Kinnison represents the Texas Company and he informs us that they have several men lessing in the east part of the county and in Shackelford also. Mr. Cahill stated to us that he believed that there were nine test wells in sight, to be put down during the year 1912.

One feature behind the move in Haskell county that looks good to us is that the men with both experience and capital lar. Remember, you can obtain are taking hold of the Haskell oil

Minor Praises Panhandle.

Amarillo, Texas, Jan. 15.—Jno. Jasper of Jackson Hole, Wyoming, and owner of the well known

'Wearing o' Green" mine has recently been here looking over the Panhandle of Texas with a view of buying a farm family home. In speaking of this section Mr. Jasper says:

"The Texas Panhandle will grow as good wheat as Minnesota or Wisconsin; as good flax as the two Dakotas; as good watermelons and cantaloupes as Colorado; as good sweet potatoes as anywhere else, as good fruits as Michigan or New Jersey; as good corn and hogs as Illinois Many leases have been taken in and Iowa; as good mules as Kenthe eastern part of the county tucky or Missouri; as good marfrom the south end to the north. ket garden vegetables as the Several oil men have been in present best truck farms in the world; better mile maize and kaffir corn than elsewhere in the United States; will produce hens but not least, has cane that is to prove as valuable as a molasses producer as it is as a stock feed-

Not Wanted.

Baldness is too Generally Considered a Sign of Advanced Age.

A bald-headed person does not is very much pleased with the hair, because baldness is too prospect of oil. Most people generally accepted as an indicaand are very eager to see the tions have established an age limnew oil field developed, but a it, and refuse to take men over

Probably 65 per cent of bald to the cause. Everybody should headed people may regain a good lease to either of these companies, head of healthy hair if they will as it will be a great means of follow our advice and accept our getting them to drilling sooner, offer. We have a remedy that for no company will drill a well we positively guarantee to grow develop somebody else's hair on any head, unless the field. What these men want is roots of the hair are entirely to get a big body of land together dead, their follicles closed, and so that when they dig a well it the scalp has become glazed and to the land owners. We are this remedy at our risk, with the

> We know exactly what we are talking about, and with this offer back of our statements no one should scoff, doubt our word

We want every one in Haskell who is suffering from any scalp or hair trouble, dandruff, falling hair, or baldness to try our Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. We want them to use it regularly-say until three bottles have been used-and if it does not eradicate roots, and grow new hair, we will return every cent paid us for the remedy for the mere asking. There is no formality expected, and we exact no obligation from the user whatever.

We are established right here in Haskell, and make this offer with a full understanding that our business success entirely depends upon the sort of treatment we accord our customers, and we would not dare make the above offer unless we were positively certain that we could substantiate it in every particu-Rexall Remedies in this community only at our store-The Rexall Store. Spencer & Rich ardson, Haskell, Texas.

Choice Locations

16 choice residence lots for ale or trade. S. L. Robertson.

BETTER TIMES COMING

Conditions are mending their ways. Around Haskell. And we'll soon see more prosperous days, Around Haskell.

Oil, gas and railroads are in store, And buildings there will be more, Then times will seem as of yore, Around Haskell.

THE WORLD'S **GREATEST FINANCIER**

The world's greatest financer is the American Housewife. Her daily investments exceed in shrewdness the cleverest transactions of Wall Street and no business concern or corporation, however ably officered, has ever been able to approach her in economy. She is the nation's foremost financier and her transactions more nearly reflect the progress and prosperity of the League of Vernon has a movecountry than the reports of our clearing houses.

otherwise, ought to be so plain those who are unable to employ an attorney and accept his statements in blind faith, must forever remain in ignorance of our laws. Of course, we have so many laws that no human can expect to read them and survive the ordeal, but any person who feels an irrisistible impulse to legislate, should try his proposed law on his neighbor and get it down where the common people can understand it before attempting to put it on the statute book.

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We are prepared supplied by local dealers. to please you.

TEXAS INDUS-TRIAL NOTES

According to statistics compiled by Auditor Fitzgerald of the railroad commission, Texas has ninety-nine railroads.

A dairy farm of 33,000 acres of land situated fourteen miles from Amarillo will be put into operation in the near future. Cheese will also be manufactured at this plant.

The Young Men's Business ment on foot to organize a corn and cotton club in every school All legislation, financial and community in Wilbarger county.

A shipment of 800 head of catthat the housewife can under- tle will be made by the King stand it. Our legislators, state ranch in South Texas to the and national, shoot so far over ranch of the Matador Land and the head of average citizens that Cattle Company in Brazil, early in the spring.

On Febuary 1st, the Texas Pacific and the International & Great Northern railroads will organize jointly an agricultural department, with headquarters at Longview. R. R. Claridge, now immigration agent for the Gould lines will have charge of the department.

On Febuary 1st, McCullough county will begin the construction of good roads leading out of Brady, following the recent bond issue for that purpose. All machinery and tools used in the construction work will be

Llano is preparing an exten-

sive mineral and granite exhibit for the Texas Land Show at A NEW YEAR'S Houston beginning January 12th.

The Texas Swine Breeders Association will hold its midwinter session at Athens, January 26 and 27.

The Cotton Belt will build a new passenger depot at Hamilton soon. All improvements, including grounds will involve an expenditure of approximately \$150,

The sixth annual meeting of the Texas Corn Show will be held at Austin, January 16-19. During the first three days of the show the Texas Corn Grow ers' Association will meet, and on the fourth day the Texas Cotton Growers will be in session.

been installed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio.

ed soon to the Young Men's Business League of Palestine for the establishment of a Cigar factory in that city.

Thirty thousand dollars will be given away to breeders of sea. pure bred stock at the next annual Fat Stock Show, to be held at Fort Worth, March 18 to 23rd, inclusive.

The Commercial Club of Spur has had a split log constructed to be used on roads entering Spur.

It is estimated that 80,000 calves are branded on the King ally, we expect to improve the ranch in South Texas each year. About 300 Mexican cowboys are employed on the ranch.

The Effective Laxative

Tastes Like and is Eaten Like Candy

In our experience in the handling of drugs and medicines, we believe we have never had experience with any Remedy that gave such great satisfaction to our customers as Rexall Orderlies. This Remedy is not like any other laxative or cathartic. It contains all the good features of other laxatives, but none of their faults.

Our own faith in Rexall Orderlies is so strong that we offer them to you with our own personal guarantee, that if they do not thoroughly satisfy you, you only need tell us and we will hand back to you every penny you paid us for them. Therefore, in trying them upon our recommendation you take no risk what-

Rexall Orderlies taste like and are eaten like candy. They do not gripe, cause nausea, excessive looseness, or any other annoyance. They are particularly good for children, aged or delicate persons. They are put up in convenient tablets in three sizes of packages. Prices, 10c., 25c., and 50c.

Remember, Rexall Remedies can be obtained in this community only at our store-The Rexall Store. Spencer & Richard son, Haskell, Texas.

Magazine Club.

The club met Saturday with 16 nembers present. This was the first meeting held in three weeks on account of the bad weather.

does the play teach," was very upbuilding of Rochester and interesting. This finishes our communities. With an abiding study of MacBeth. Our study for faith in the future of the town the remainder of the year will be and the loyalty of the people to a Mythology.

for text books right away, and all patrons of the library who think of some book they would like to have in the library if they will phone some member of the club, We are we will try to get them, very anxious to have books that

EXHORTATION

THE ROCHESTER RECORD GIVES ITS READERS A GOOD, SENSI-BLE TALK. EXPECTS TO DO ITS PART IN BOOSTING.

We present to you this week the second issue of The Rochester Record of the New Year and we trust that it will receive your commendation, as under the circumstances we have done the best we could. If you don't like it don't knock it, and if you do like A wireless station has just it just say a good word for it and try to get someone else to take it. Do this while we are among A proposition will be submit- you, for at best the journalistic sea is rough and the waves sometimes leap high, and if our frail boat were to go upon the rocks. your kindly words would then be as echoes upon a shoreless

> Perhaps this issue is not what you expected it to be, since we got our expert printer, neither is what we expect it to remain, we therefore ask your kind indulgence. With the support and co-operation of the business men of Rochester and citizens generpaper from time to time as the business will justify.

It is true that the town is yet small, but we have no apologies to make for that, because it is on substantial growth and is surrounded by as fine and productive farming section as there is in the state, its climate lifegiving and invigorating, is inhabited by a thrifty and progressive citizenship and its future is assur-

The Record proposes to stand for the moral and industrial advancement of the town and country, and while we will have our own personal views on political questions we shall refrain from discussing them in its columns except where they directly effect the town and this section, and in that event we shall respect the opinion of others. We expect to. run strictly a local paper and do. not propose to champion the fortunes of politicians.

We shall endeavor to fill the news columns of the paper with nothing but wholesome and interesting matter, and want it to be a regular weekly visitor to everybody's home in this country, read and appreciated. To the business men we will make it a valuable advertising medium.

We are asking nothing at the hand of these people except that earned by honest merit and endeavor, and this we are sure of receiving as is evidenced by the past patronage.

We wish to again thank the people for the kindly hospitable manner in which they have received us and for the liberality and encouragement of the business men, and we ask a continuuance of the same kind assurance and The Rochester Record The roll call, "What great truth | will be made a real factor for the public enterprise, we enter our We expect to get off an order paper out in a new year, we feel full of hope and confidence.-Rochester Record.

Take Notice.

The time has come that body should save money. hone 239 for feed, wood as Your money back if not

NOTICE

MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

On and after Feb. 1st, 1912, I will sell feed and coal for cash only. The driver will call at your office, place of business or residence with bill and change. Owing to my financial condition it is impossible to carry my business otherwise. I want to thank my many friends and customers for their past support, and trust the future will be most pleasant to us all. Hoping to continue to receive your valued orders I await them at the same old stand.

Protect Yourself From

MENINGITIS

Other Contageous Diseases

by obtaining at OUR STORE the necessary

ANTISEPTICS AND DISINFECTANTS

ATOMIZERS ETC.

Our stock will be kept as complete as is possible with the unheard of heavy demand for goods of this kind now.

keep---Only the best

Richardson

The Rexall Store

N. B. -- Don't forget the old adage -- "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."



I have several good farms to J. D. Kinnison.

White Swan Coffee at F. G. Alexander & Sons.

J. V. Sewell of Stamford was in the city Tuesday.

W. H. Parsons has a well improved farm for rent.

The latest in canvas and tan shoes at Hancock & Co.

S. F. Derick and family have moved to Reisel, Texas.

L. C. Smith, of Stamford, spent Tuesday in the city.

Fresh cakes in bulk, all kinds at F. G. Alexanders & Sons. Cub stove polish is the best.

tf McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co. Lost-A brown fur muff. Please leave at Mrs, Steadman's.

Swan Down Prepared cake flour at F. G. Alexander & Sons.

and the same of th

For Sale-A work horse, for cash or on time. A bargain. Hancock & Co.

For Sale-Roller top desk at a J. F. Clark. bargain. Phone 204. 2t-pd

Man and wife wanted to work on farm and ranch. R. W. Herren.

Henry Johnson will insure your ive stock against death from any

Get Williams to set out some

hackberries, and beautify your Try a can of our E. Z. stove

polish. McNeill & Smith Hard-

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We are prepared to please you.

For good green wood apply to J. K. Linville, three miles south. west of Haskell.

A through chair car between Rotan and Waco has been put on the Texas Central.

Let The Club Tailoring Company do your cleaning and pressing. Phone No. 10.

H. C. Melton, formerly of this city, but now of Mineral Wells, was in Haskell this week.

FOR SALE-work horses and mules also some Jersey cows. See Fred Haley, Phone 14.

Just received a nice line of spring ginghams, at 12 1-2 cents per yard at Hancock & Co.

A five room house with 16 acres of land to trade for a farm. J. D. Kinnison.

J. E. Dickenson, of Stamford, spent last Sunday in the city visiting his son, W. E. Dickenson.

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We are prepared to please you and guarantee to do

Our line of 10 cent ginghams are now in stock.

Hancock & Co.

First Annual

Monday==Tuesday==Wednes iay=-Jan==22-=23=-24

For three days only we place on Sale 10000 yards of dainty. laces and embroideries at less than half its real value. During this sale we have divided the entire lot into three prices.

Lot No. One contains thousands of yards of dainty Val. and Torchon laces and embroideries values up to

12 1-2c per yd. SALE PRICE per yard

5c

Lot No. Two contains thousands of yards of the daintest Swiss and Hamburg embroideries, beautiful patterns, not an old one to select from. Widths from 2 inches up to 18 inches

Values up to 25c

SALE PRICE per yard

10c

Lot No. Three contains thousands of yards of the showiest and prettiest Swiss embroideries, flouncings etc.

Values up to 50c

SALE PRICE per yard

15c

All the above laces and embroideries come in match sets. You can't afford not to see these wonderful values as they are the seasons choiciest offerings.

P. CARR

Dry Goods Co. See display in East show window

THE CORNER DRUG STORE

WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

Beechnut Brand, Preserves, Jelly, Jam, Peanut Butter, Olive peas at F. G. Alexander & Sons. Oil, etc. at F. G. Alexander and

F. M. Blair and mother of Mc. Try us. Phone No. 10. Gary, Texas, were visiting the family of G. E. Courtney this

J. W. Gambill and family left Sunday for Winters, which place they will make their future

Come to the Free Press for your B. Hemphill. warranty deeds. We have them Our abstract books are comwith or without the vendor's lien plete and up-to-date. Get your clause.

White Wyandotte Roosters for tf) E ile. Extra fine. Address Mrs. A. A. Gauntt O'Brien, Texas, R. 2 J. Head, of the Rochester com-

T. C. Cahill made a business ness Wednesday. trip to Big Springs Monday night and returned Wednesday Weinert Wednesday. She statmorning.

You will will find, Shrimps, Pimientas, Surextra Mushrooms, Deviled Crabs, Cod Fish, Pinxter his position with F. G. Alexander Cheese etc. at F. G. Alexander & Sons and accepted a position and Sons.

Try some Lentals and Scotch

The Club Tailoring Company makes a specialty of ladies work.

Wanted - A woman to do house work, 3 in family. German preferred.

Mrs. S. L. Robertson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill, Sunday a son. His proud parents have named him Gordon

abstracts from Sanders & Wilson.

J. W. Bray, K. Worley and T.

3t-pd munity, were in the city on busi-

Mrs. Nolen returned from ed to us that she has leased her lands to oil people.

Werther Long has resigned with the county clerk.

Subscribe for the Free Press now and start with the first issue of the new serial story, "My Lady of the North."

McNeill & Smith Hardware Company, the place to buy surry and etc., for sale cheap. from. Stoves, stove pipe, elbows and the best stove polish.

last week visiting their son, N. I. McCollum, and family.

W. A. Brown of Collingsworth county was in the city this week. Mr. Brown was formerly in business at Ample in this county.

Messrs. T. C. Cahill and J. D. Kinnison have been very busy with the oil men this week. They

are working oil land right along. Mrs. B. B. Gatlin, who has been visiting her father, W. P. Whitford of this city, returned

to her home in Arizona Tuesday. When you want a warranty deed, call at the Free Press office

For Sale-Four good young Jersey cows, also good work horse, surry and etc., for sale cheap. See us at once, J. J. Stein & Co.

Born, Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cobb a ten pound son. The Free Press joins their many friends with congratula-

turned to Abilene Tuesday night. Mrs. Young, who had been visiting them, returned to her home in that city also.

Seed Oats for Sale-About 1200 bushels of oats at my place four miles north of Weinert. See Jim Philips.

B. E. Morgan.

Our abstract books are complete and up-to-date. Get your abstracts from

For Sale-Four good young price of a suit of clothes. Jersey cows, also good work horse, See us at once. J. J. Stein & Co.

J. T. Barlow has exchanged W. J. McCollum and wife, of his lands out on the Pecos river kinds of repairing. Satisfaction Clyde, spent a while in the city for land in Fort Bend county. He moved his family to their new home this week.

> physician is located in Stamford, his share in voting this year. Abbott Building, rooms 9 and 10. Information of Osteopathy gladly Clirton's to get first class flour, given. Call or write.

break sod, \$2.00 per acre; also pole wood for sale, \$1.50 per load. Will take hogs in exchange.

(Miss) Kate Snyder.

and three lots in north Haskell a lease to the oil men on his you better all round quality for for good work stock. See or farm. He said he had formerly your money. Will you let us for it. We have them with or phone me on Farmers line 4 miles noticed the oil in two places, on show you? without the vendor's lien clause. east of Haskell. T. J. Johnston, his place, where it came to the Haskell, Texas.

Match the old coat and vest

Hancock & Co.

Let the City Garage do your gun, phonograph, bycicle, type writers, cash registers and all guaranteed. Phone 348.

Rev. C. B. Meador, of Stamford, was in the city Tuesday day paying his poll tax. He Dr. L. N. Pennock, Osteopathic said he was preparing to have is in Haskell to take advantage

Wake up and come to M. A. iven. Call or write.

49-tf fuel, wood and coal. Then if you are not satisfied phone 239 and your money back. M. A. Clifton.

W. L. Cox was in the city Wednesday and when we shook hands with him he dropped us a dollar on subscription ac-Wanted to Trade-A residence count. Mr. Cox has signed up paying, we know we can give 3-2t-pd surface after a big rain.

For rent-Two Brazos river with a pair of odd pants at farms, one of 225 acres, with a Sanders & Wilson. Hancock & Co's. and save the four room house, the other of 130 and a three roomed house, etc., Chas McGregor, Haskell, Texas.2p.

> Northcutt and Ashcraft are the people to do your hauling. Our drays are always easy (to Services prompt and find. reasonable charges. Phonef No. 45.

J. C. Farley of Odell, Texas, a nephew of Mrs. Jas. P. Kinnard. of our splendid school facilities during the present session of the public school.

Wouldn't you like to make a test of our coffee on your own table? Then come in and let's talk it over. We handle Chase and Sanborns high quality line and want you to try the kind we sell. At the price you are now

> F. G. Alexander & Sons, Sole Agents.

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J. R. WALTON, Prop.

Prescriptions a Spacialty

MENINGITIS and PNEUMONIA can be largely prevented by using our pure fresh drugs in time

See us for your wants

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

tions. The family of J. F. Clarke re-

WHAT OF THE FUTURE?

Now, at the threshold of 1912, consider what this year and the years to come will

Twenty years from now, when your earning power has become less, when you will not be as free as you are now, will you be giving orders or taking orders? Will you be working for another man or will he be working for you? If you start an account with this bank at the beginning of 1912, 1912 and all the

years to come will bring you many opportunities. The Farmers National Bank.

Haskell. Texas.

R. C. MONTGOMERY, Cashler.

CONTRACTORS TAKE NOTICE

I will be in Haskell at leading hotel Saturday January 27th with complete plans and specifications and will award contract to lowest satisfactory bidder Monday January 29th, at 4 p. m. for the construction of a two story brick building thirty-one by one hundred twenty-five feet, on east side of public square in Haskell and work must begin immediately and finished at earliest date possible, those desiring interview on present proposition each will receive special considetation.

PORT P. DOSS

Don't fail to read our serial story, "My Lady of the North." You will enjoy it.

evangelist for the Christain as Central. Every convenience Church spent Friday in Haskell.

Mr. J. T. Lawley has purchased the Stephens stock of groceries and has opened up a grocery store.

· Begin with the first issue next week and read our continued story, "My Lady of the North." You will like this story.

Miss Jessie Martin left Sunday night for San Antonio, where she is attending the Thomas School for girls.

We are requested to announce that W. S. Noble, of Ranger, state organizer of the Socialist the city Thursday. Mr. Price party, will speak at the court house in Haskell January 23rd, at night. The public is invited to hear him.

We have two scholarships in the Henry Business College which will be taught in Haskell, beginning next Monday, We can save some aspiring young lady or young man several dollars if they will call to

Mrs. Joe Irby, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Alexander, returned Wednesday to her home at Van Horn. Her brother, Wallace Alexander, accompanied her as far as Abilene.

Messrs. J. T. Hood, B. F. Brown and Ben Spark of Rochester, passed thru Haskell Wednesday on their way to Abilene, on a business mission. They took the south bound train here Wednesday night.

We notice that in Jones, Baylor and other counties the candidates for county offices are announcing, and beginning the campaign. We have had several to approach us on the subject in this county, hence we conclude, that before many moons, the that before many moons, the will be interesting to both old local candidates will begin to and young, and you should read seek first position in the announcthe first issue and keep up with ment colum.

New and modern electric lighted latest Pullman tourist sleeping cars between Waco and Ro Rev. Wm. Pearne, district tan have been put on by the Texcan be had on this road. Travel on this road if you want the best

> Mr. Will Marr of Asperment Store. Mr. Marr has been engaged in the drug business at ness and prosperity of Mr. and Asperment for many years. He Mrs. Jones. is a brother of our fellow townsman L. E. Marr and Mrs. J., S.

McLendon, ranchmen and farmers of the northeast side were in stated to us that parties had been leasing land for oil in the north east side of the county for some time.

If you have trouble with your eyes and you are not seeing as well as you used to, consult us; we guarantee you good service and the best glasses.

Parsons & Brewer, Opticians and Jewelers.

North side square.

This is a splendid season to set out fruit and shade trees. There is the best season in the ground we have had in a long time. Let me take your order. I represent the East Texas Nursery of Tyler. I will make delivery in Febuary. Owing to the good seasons the trees are thrifty, and with the good season in the ground this is a splendid year to set out an orchard. No time to lose. W. W. Williams.

Our New Serial.

Beginning with next issue the Free Press will publish an interit if you like this kind of reading.

Speer-Sones.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Lennis W. Jones, of Rule, Texas, to Miss Martha Speer, of Plainview, Tex. business. These young people are well known in Haskell, where

Church Notice.

There will be preaching at the Christian Church next Sunday Messrs. J. A. Price and Tom and Sunday night. The public much at least. is invited to attend.

An Old Settler Gone.

settlers of Haskell, died Monday Foreign Department will meet after a long illness, and was buried in the Haskell cemetery. The deceased had been in bad health for several years.

job printing. We are prepared what our Society is doing. to please you.

Women's Missionary Notes.

It will doubtless be of interest to the members to know that the Home Mission Department of the The young couple will make Society collected \$542.81 the last their home at Rule, where Mr. Fiscal Year and expended \$500.-Jones is engaged in the banking 02. This year we have already paid \$100 for interest on the has purchased the Corner Drug they have many friends. The Free \$1000 note we owe-won't every Press extends congratulations member do her best to pay that and best wishes for the happi- off? There are \$18 back dues uncollected besides a number of raging in different parts of Texothers promised amounts on the as, I recommend a thorough Parsonage fund. We urge those cleaning of all premises in Hasthat are behind to make good kell, and that everything be put their promises and help us that in as sanitary condition as pos-

> Beginning with this New Year the Home Department will meet at 3 o'clock on the Mondays aft J. L. Powell, one of the early er first and third Sundays; the at 3 o'clock on Mondays follow-

Watch this space each week Let the Free Press do your for further announcements of Mexico.

Scholarship For Sale.

The Free Press has a single or donble scholarship for sale in the Henry Business College which will open up in Haskell January 15th. Some young man or young lady who contemplates attending this school can save several dollars by seeing us at once.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July, 1912.

For Representative of the 102nd Legislative District:

R. B. HUMPHREYS, (Re-election)

A Plea for Cleanliness

As cerbeo-spinal meningitis is Respectfully,

> D. L. Cummins, City Health Officer.

For Sale or Trade.

160 acres of homestead Relinguishment in the heart of the ing the second and fourth Sun- Artesian Belt of the Pecos Valley N. M. This is a bargain. For particulars address J. S. McCullough, Hagerman, New

The Colonial Shilling.

The value of the Colonial shilling was gradually reduced from the English standard as the result of persistent coin slipping. As early as 1642 Massachusetts raised the rating of the Spanish dollar to 5s and Connecticut took similar action the following year. In 1645 Virginia raised the rating of the dollar to 6s.

In 1652 Massachusetts established a mint and began to coin shillings that were 221/2 per cent. higher than the sterling standard. In 1683 the Spanish dollar, weighing approximately 17 pennyweights, was rated at 6s while Pennsylvania valued it

The consequence of these variations in the colonies was that in 1707 parliament passed an act providing that the Spanish piece of 8 reals (dollar) should not be valued at more than 6s, but Bullock tells us in his "Monetary History of the United States" that this law was al-

most universally ignored Finally New York and North Caro lina settled upon a rating of 8s to the dollar, and this valuation was gradually accepted and retained until our national monetary system was estab-

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We can please you.

AN EXCLUSIVE POOR FARM

No One Can Be Admitted or Assisted Except Those Who Once Paid Taxes.

Providence, R. I., enjoys the use of the most valuable poor farm owned by any municipality in the world, all be cause Ebenezer Knight Dexter in 1824 made a bequest leaving a big, stone strewn meadow and several parcels of land for that purpose. Today the property is valued at no less than \$1,000,000, and is in the center of one of the most fashionable residence districts of Providence. But while this is a poor farm, it is a very exclusive one, to say the least. By the terms of a very rigid and iron clad will, none can be admitted or assisted except those who once owned and paid taxes upon real estate in Providence or whose father or mother was a real es tate taxpayer in that city. No other Rhode Islanders and no person from any other part of the United States or from any foreign country may knock at the portal to obtain admit

tance and secure shelter and food. The Dexter asylum is more than self-supporting. With a limited at tendance, so to speak, it is said that the interest on investment or income is enough to furnish every inmate s trip to Europe each winter, with ac commodations at the best summer hotels in the summer. During the hard times in Providence, when there was a great need of work for poor people an old clause in the Dexter will providing for a stone wall built around the place was taken advantage of and many poor people were given work .-

Game All Right.

National Magazine.

While playing an engagement in St. Louis a couple of seasons ago, Tom Lewis struck up an acquaintance with a wealthy Texan living in the same hotel. There was a ball game scheduled that day between the Browns and a visiting club and Lewis invited his new friend to go out and see it.

The battle was a particularly hot one, the game going to an eleveninning tie. When they got back to the hotel the Texan, who had become imbued with some of Lewis' enthusiasm, began to recount the scenes close plays of the game to the h

"Well," said that worthy, "I'm glad you saw such a good game.'

Wall, now," said the Texan, "I reckon as how it was a good game all right. Why, sir, them two passel of youngsters just played and played till plumb dark and nary one made ary

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HASKELL, TEXAS, Jan. 20, 1912.

Have you paid your poll tax?

We did fairly well last year and since the prospects are brighten- to them in the coming years. ing for 1912 let's do better this year.

Let us keep our eyes and ears open and energies alive for a larger and better Haskell when 1912

suffered. Don't knock. Every- gain a businesss education by complete the course in our body pull together and let each using your moments that would school in shorter time than in the and all prosper.

with good opportunities and bright prospects. Let's not let one slip the famous Bryne Simplified city schools. us by but be ready to use every one asut comes.

Texas the past ten years has been which the business world will pay cost of \$350 to \$500 and the loss three million bales per year, or you cash? 26 per cent. of the total crop of the United States.

If you are not allowed to vote in Tyler, Texas. the elections of 1912 it will be your own fault, because you have had plenty of time and warning to pay your poll tax.

Haskell has good public schools and is attracting the best families in the country. There is every indication that the present term will be one of the most successful in our scholastic history.

will want to exercise your right of customers who have stood by me suffrage. If you have not already so earnestly and assure you that I paid your poll tax it is time that appreciate the loyal support and you were doing so. Only eleven business that you have given me. more days in which to pay it.

The News at New Boston, Texas, announces having on display in its office a mammoth sweet trust that my old triends and cuspotatoe which tipped the scales at 142 pounds. Under the same vine that same loyal support that you there were several other potatoes have given me. weighing 26 pounds. That country is no "small potatoe."

Something ought to be done to bring the virtues of the Haskelll mineral wells to the attention of the public. The analysis of these waters show they are the equal of desire to say that I shall at all any healing or health-giving wa- times take pleasure in serving any ters of the world. The truth is Haskell has about "all the coons up one tree."

The vastness of Texas' domain can hardly be imagined. Just think, the distance between Tex- sistent with good business princiarkana and El Paso is 859 miles, being greater than from New York to Halifax, Nova Scotia; from New York to Indianapolis, Ind., or I will treat you right. from New York to Atlanta, Ga. Wonderful is Texas. And yet no true Texan, native or by adoption, desires the great state divided. Let her remain as she is, one great empire, the greatest in the

It is a fact that in almost every town you will find a few people who will discourage any kind of progress. Let a fellow contemplate erecting a nice building and free. you will find someone ready to advise him that the conditions are not ripe for it, and it would be an unwise thing to do. It is a matter of fact that every every business concern adds that much commercial value to the town. Are such pessimists so afraid of competition that they do not want to see the town grow?

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should have it by all means at any but we teach 16 weeks so the sacrifice; it don't cost much.

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> mail to the Correspondence Dept. Tyler Commercial College.

Course Interested in

To The Public

This is to advise that I have kell Lumber Company and have road building. een succeeded as Secretary an Manager by Mr. J. G. Russell.

I desire to express my heart-This is compaign year and you felt thanks to my many friends and My successor is no stranger to you, having been in the lumber business here in Haskell for a number of years and I earnestly Practice limited to distomers will give to Mr. Russell

Again thanking you for your past business and wishing for you and the Haskell Lumber Company every success for 1912, I am.

Yours Sincerely, C. D. Long

With reference to the above 1 of my old friends and customers who have dealt with me since have been connected with the lumber yards at Haskell as well as the old customers of the Haskell Lumber Company, and will give you the best at the least price conples, and will appreciate your business in the future. Call to see me when needing lumber or any kind of building material, and

Very truly yours, J. G. Russell.

Marquerade Ball.

Will be given by the O. D. H. Lodge on Saturday January 27th, 1912 at the old Elk's Hall. Everybody come and be masked and see the funny faces and costumes; four prizes will be awarded to the best masked and ugliest clowns. Admission 75c to gents, ladies

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Buff Plymouth Rocks.

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Words of Commendation.

Haskell, Jan. 16, 1912.

In another place we call at tention to what one of your citi book to study and improve him- zens has to say about our Presi self. It is said of George Wash- dent and our school. We thank ington that in answer to a question our good friend Thomason for of his mother as to why he studied these kind words and we put so late at night, replied that he special stress upon them because was working out the destiny of they come from such a reliable source. We are glad to say dur-There are hundreds of young ing our 25 years acquaintance people who are desirous of gaining with Pink Thomason we never a practical education, but for one knew his name associated with a reason or another they cannot crooked deed or word, but he leave home to secure it, so they has always been on the right drag along from one year to the side of every question for the next in the same old rut. There good of his country. We want are hundreds of others that are to say right here we will endeavor availing themselves of the opport to prove to the people of Haskell tunity offered by the correspon- that we deserve every word Mr. dence department of our colleges. Thomason has said about us. saving their leisure moments and Pupils can do their work any investing them in an education hour to suit their convenience p. m. Any pupil who will put in You may say that you are not 2 hours daily we guarantee to able to take a course, but the finish the course in 4 months. person who can least afford it is Day pupils many of them can the one who needs it most and and do complete in 10 to 12 weeks night pupils can get through the

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Notice of Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Haskell.)

Whereas by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Taylor County, Texas, on the 6th day of Decemberf 1911, the cause of B. K. Isaacs vs. A. G. Britton, et al, No. 5263 on the docket of said Court, directed and delivered to ty, Texas, commanding me that greater intensity. If there are of the goods and chattels, lands ings below the eyes, bloating of enements of the said A. G. Britton I cause to be made the sum of the body, don't delay a minof One Hundred Seventeen and ute. Begin taking Doan's Kid-15-100 Dollars, with interest ney Pills, and keep up the treatthereon from June 26, 1911 at ment until the kidneys are well, the rate of 10 per cent per annum and all costs of suit, I did on the 8th day of December, 1911, at 5:10 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described real estate situated in the County of Haskell Texas, as the property of the defendant, A. G. Brit-Nose ,Throat and fitting ton, to-wit: North one-half of glasses. If you have Eye Lot 2, Block 5, Robertson Day not sleep well and in the morn-Addition to the town of Haskell, Texas. Now, therefore, I will offer for sale and sell the above which I got at Collier's Drug described property for cash to Store, relieved me of all these the highest bidder at the Court difficulties and also benefited my House door of Haskell County, kidneys." Texas, on the first Tuesday in Febuary, 1912, the same being 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., the 6th day of said month, be-

> A. G. Lambert, Constable, Precinct No. One, Haskell Co., Texas.

tween the hours of 10 o'clock a.

m. and 4 o'clock p. m. in satis-

faction of said judgment.

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> ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP produce sure and swift results. You will not suffer another day after you commence to use them. You will feel like a new person.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale, right, title and interest the defenissued by the Clerk of the District dant unknown owner had on the self and I have recommended it to be well again. For sale by all Court of Haskell County, Texas, first day of January 1899 or at on the 9th day of January 1912, any time thereafter in and to the as directed by the terms of a following described real estate, For all coughs and colds it is judgment rendered in said Court levied upon on the 9th day of on the 2nd day of Dec. 1911, in a January 1912 as the property of Robertson Drug Store. certain cause wherein the State of unknown owner, to-wit: Texas is plaintiff, and unknown All that tract or parcel of land owner No. 753 is defendant in lying and being situated in Haskell favor of said plaintiff, and against County, Texas, and being a part said defendant unknown owner of the Peter Allen Survey of for the sum of Forty Two and 75-100 dollars (for State and County taxes, interest, penalty Allen on the 31st day of Decemand costs), with interest on said ber 1866 by Patent No. 365, Vol. sum at the rate of six per cent per 17, Survey No. 140 and better desannum from date of judgment, to- cribed as Lot No. Eight (8) in gether with all costs of suit and to Block No. Thirteen (13) in the me directed and delivered as town of Haskell, Texas, as the Sheriff of said Haskell County, I same appears upon a map or plat have seized, levied upon, and will, of said town duly recorded in Vol. on the first Tuesday in February M5 at pages 320 to 323 of the 1912, the same being the 6th day Deed Records of Haskell County, of said month, at the Court House Texas, to which record reference door of said Haskell County, in is hereby made for a more comthe City of Haskell between the plete description of said property: hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and Said sale to be made by me to 4 o'clock p. m. on said day pro- satisfy the above described judgceed to sell at public auction for ment toreclosing a lien provided

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Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an order of sale, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, 3129 acres of land and known as on the 9th day of January 1912, as Abstract No. 2, Certificate No. 136, directed by the terms of a judg-Patented to the Heirs of Peter ment rendered in said Court on the 2nd day of Dec. 1911, in a certain cause wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and unknown owner, W. T. Smith and H. Howard, No. 765 are defendants in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendant unknown owner, cause of action being dismissed as to the defendants W. T. dollars (for State and County taxes, interest, penalty and costs), with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Haskell County, I have seized, me being the 6th day of said Haskell County, in the City of Haskell between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day proceed to sell for cash at public auction to the highest bidder all the right, title and owner had on the first day of January 1901 or any time thereafter in and to the following described real estate, levied upon the

> to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Haskell County. Texas, and being a part of the Peter Allen Survey of 3129 acres of land and known as Abstract No. 2, Certificate No. 136, survey No. 140, Patent No. 365, Vol. 17 and being more particularly described as Lot Three (3) in Block No. Fourteen (14) of the original town of Haskell, Texas, as the same appears upon a map or plat of said town duly recorded in the Deed records of Haskell County, Texas, in Vol. M5, pages 320 to 323, to which record reference is hereby made for a more complete description of said property.

property of unknown owner,

Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment foreclosing the lien provided by law for the taxes, interest,

penalty and costs, against said estate, in favor of the State of real estate, in favor of the State of Texas, together with interest and Texas, together with interest and costs of suit, and the proceeds of the costs of suit, and the proceeds said sale to be applied to the satisof said sale to be applied to the faction thereof. Said sale will be satisfaction thereof. Said sale will made subject to the defendant's be made subject to the defendant's right to redeem the said property right to redeem the said proper- within two years from the date of ty within two years from the date sale by complying with the proof sale by complying with the visions of law in such cases made and provided.

> W. D. Falkner, Sheriff Haskell County, Texas. By M. S. Edwards,

> > Deputy.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach mends Foley's Honey and Tar troubles. Correct your habits and

Sheriff's Sale

By virture of an order of sale, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, on the 9th day of January certain cause wherein the State of tice of permitting overdrafts on Texas as plaintiff, and W. R. Vaughan and Unknown Owner No. 752 are defendants in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendants W. R. Vaughan and Unknown Owner for the sum of For- both the Comptroller of the ty-two and 75-100 dollars (for Currency at Washington, and the State and County taxes, interest, penalty and costs), with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of Smith and H. J. Howard for the judgment, together with all costs sum of twenty-seven and 17-100 of suit and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Haskell Texas, this 10th day of January, County, I have seized, levied upon and will, on the first Tuesday in Febuary 1912, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Haskell County, in the city of Haskell between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. levied upon, and will, on the first and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day Tuesday in February 1912, the proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the month, at the Court House door of right, title and interest the defendants W. R. Vaughan and Unknown Owner had on the first day of January 1899 or at any time thereafter in and to the following described real estate, levied upon on the 9th day of January 1912 as the interest the defendant unknown property of W. R. Vaughan and Unknown Owner to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being 9th day of January 1912 as the a part of a survey of land originally granted to the Heirs of Peter Allen by Patent No. 365, Vol. 17, Survey No. 140, and known as Abstract No. 2, Certificate No. 136 and better described as Lot No. Seven (7) in Block No. 13 in the town of Haskell, Texas as the same appears upon a map or plat of said town duly recorded in Vol. M5 at pages 320 to 323 of the Deed records of Haskell County, Texas, to which record reference is hereby made for a more complete description of said property.

> Said sale to be made by me to satisty the above described judgment foreclosing the lien provided by law for the taxes, interest, penalty and costs, against said real estate, in favor of the State of Texas, together with interest and the costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Said sale will be made subject to the defendants' right to redeem the said property within two years from the date of sale by complying with the provisions of law in such cases made and provided.

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Notice To Our Customers.

At the suggestion of the official Bank examiners, and in order to comply with the requirements of the department under the control of which we conduct our business, the Banks of Haskell have entered into the following agreement:

We, the undersigned banks of Haskell, Texas, namely:

The Haskell National Bank, The Haskell State Bank, The Farmers National Bank by and through the 1912, as directed by the terms of a respective officers of said institujudgment rendered in said Court tions, do hereby agree and bind on the 2nd day of Dec. 1911, in a ourselves to discontinue the pracand after the first day of February, 1912.

This action is taken by us in view of the fact, that the allowing of overdrafts is disapproved by Commissioner of Banking at Austin, and for the further fact that the lending of money in that way has proven wholly unsatisfactory.

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If asked to name the strongest animals, most persons begin with the largest; the elephants, and continue with oxen, horses, etc. This is, of course, correct in so far as their total horsepower is concerned, but for real strength, proportioned to the size and weight of the animal, one must go to the insect world. Compared with insects the strength of almost any large animal and especially of man, is absurd.

A man is considered strong if he can drag a mass weighing three or four times as much as himself, but the beetle will walk with 500 times his own weight. If a man were placed under a wooden box with five times his weight on top to hold it down, he would remain there indefinitely, but to retain a stag beetle prisoner in the same way one must pile on top of the box at least 1,800 times its weight.

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Suddenly, to her dismay, she was brought to the realization of her extreme rudeness by meeting the queen's eyes full in the glass-that spoke the rebuke plainly, although the steady look was both kind and pa-

Instantly the glass was lowered, and with scarlet cheeks the lady's face expressed an unmistakable apology as Queen Victoria raised a mildly reproving forefinger and shook her head slightly with a little smile as the carriage moved on .- Youth's Compan-

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County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

Kirkdale Items.

Delayed. As I havn't seen anything from this part of the county lately I will send in a few dots.

Health in this community is

very good at present. Our school opened Jan. 1st with Miss Margaret Cameron as teacher. I. W. Kirkpatrick and family moved back to their farm last week. We welcome them back. P. J. Bolles was in the city

Tuesday. Van Smith and family left Thursday for Wise county where they will make their future home. Bob Dendy and Bud Smith visit-

ed Allen Jinks Sunday. Mrs. U. T. Stodghill was in the city Thursday. Miss Ruth Hunt visited Mrs.

U. T. Stodghill Wednesday. Miss Myrtle Kennedy is attend-

ing school in the city. We havn't had any Sunday school for some time on account of bad weather but we hope to get started again soon.

Allen Jinks was in the Rose community Monday.

Miss Margaret Cameron spent FridaySaturdayand Sunday inHaskell. Vidette.

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill., has succeeded in finding a positive nert visited their uncle, J. Swilling cure for bed wetting. "My little and family Saturday and Sunday. boy wet the bed every night clear thro on the floor. I tried several lings Saturday night, Mrs. J. G. kinds of kidney medicine and I was White and Mr. Anfry Cox furnishin the drug store looking for some- us us some fine music on the thing different to help him when I violin and organ. heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we Hillard and Luther Highnote took had taken two thirds of a bottle night. he was cured. That was six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed White took supper with Misses since." Sold by Robertson Drug Fay and Lee Swilling Saturday

Gilliam Locals

Good morning to you all, as I havn't seen any news from here, I will try and write some this mornIng.

Good morning to you all, as I havn't seen any news from here, I willing Sunday.

Swilling Sunday.

Prof. L. I. Morgan and wife visited Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bledsoe, of Center

Most of the farmers are preparing their land for another crop. Health of our community isn't

quite so good as usual. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Grindstaff has been very low but

is some better at this writing. Mrs. H. T. Wright has been right sick but is able to be up now. Rev. Thompson filled his regular

appointment at Ballew Sunday. A large crowd attended the singing at Felix Josselett's Sunday

night, Miss Opal Holt visited Miss Ola Hewitt Sunday.

Miss Nervia Bolles spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Lillie Beckham.

Miss Claudie Stephens is visiting her brother and family at Stam- mucle don't make a woman. Its ford this week.

Otto Schewde and sister of Rule, afternoon with Misses Vera and Katie Lee Phillips.

Saturday morning for Collin coun- vousness, backache and tired, listty to make that their future

her cousins Misses Maggie and Okla., "and I thank you, with all Retha Decker of Pinkerton, Satur- my heart, for making such a good day night and Sunday,

took dinner with Will Thomas Messrs. Lee Croft and Claude Delayed.

Thomas yisited Mr. Ben Beckham Sunday afternoon,

and is going to keep a bachelor's any at all. hall this year.

singing at Felix Josselett's Sunday night, also Misses Nell Free and Vera Durr from Pleasant Valley.

did in 1911 with our corresponding.

There was singing at Rose Sunday at Rose Sunday night, reported some fine lins Saturday night. Messrs. Arthur and Earl Barton singing

of Rose Chapel spent Sunday night with Will Thomas. Mrs. Wiley Aycock visited Mrs.

cceed when everything else fails. nervous prostration and female knesses they are the supreme STOMACH TROUBLE

the best medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter.

Lewellen Sunday afternoon.

Miss Pearl Kreger is attending school at Pleasant Valley this year. upon the sand near Foster Thurs- until Monday with Mr. Bland's

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bolles visited John Bolles Sunday eve.

Arkansas.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

Stringtown Items.

Dear Editor and Chats. How do you all like this cool

Our school is progressing nicely with Prof. L. I. Morgan as teacher, We have Sunday school every Sunday afternoon, prayer meeting

Sunday night. We are sorry to report Mrs. E. E. Derrick on the sick list this

White and daughters, Misses Nelle and Edna visited Mrs. Beasley one evening last week. Alvin Bennett and wife of Wei-

Messrs. Rufus Highnote, Earl

could see a change and when he supper with Clyde Beasley Sunday Misses Jewel Derrick and Ivy

Misses Blanche Derrick and

Olgie Beasley visited Miss Cleo

Point, Sunday. Messrs John White and Luther

Highnote visited Anfry Cox Saturday eve. Mrs. J. Swilling and little daughter Irene spent Monday

with Mrs. J. B. Cox. J. B. Cox and Will Meador visit-

ed our school Monday.

Mrs. A. T. Massey spent the week with Mrs. T. J. Christian. E. C. Derrick made a flying trip to Haskell Monday evening.

Miss Lillian Neal spent Tuesday evening with Misses Lee and Irene Swilling. Hurrah.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monke, rule a kingdom. But that's just Miss Virdie Brown spent Sunday what Electric Bitters give her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells P. N. Baker and family left and for dispelling weakness, nerless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of Miss Freddie Lancaster visited good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, medicine." Only 50c. Guaran-Clark Shaw from Dennis Chapel teed by Jas. R. Walton.

South of Rose.

Dear Editor Chats.

As my letter was caught in the has moved on A. J. Sego's place again as that don't discourage me don Sunday morning.

Misses Novell and Grace Munn, all? Fine I hope. As this is the we are glad to say she was able sympathy.

Mary Steadman and Pearl Lanfirst of the year let's all try and do to be up Sunday.

Henry M caster from Haskell attended the better in the year of 1912 than we

> Clyde Gordon has returned from a trip down east.

Arnold Turben of Wise county is in our community.

Messrs D. J. and R. E. Barton and families took New Years dinner with D. C. Barton and

family at Haskell. There was a large crowd attended the party at Mr. Tims Friday night, all report a nice time.

It seems like moving is the order of the day, to-wit: John Anderson and family have moved Collins has moved where C. G. Mr. a Burson lived and Mr. Burson has spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. moved northwest of town, Mose Wheeler. Hays has moved where Mr. Collins Miss Mary Henshaw spent Cobb attended the singing at

lived. M. E. Norman has moved Sunday with Miss Mary Lem- Massie's Sunday night. where Mr. Anderson lived, Mr. mons. Anderson moved on Mr. Meadows place. Mrs. McKinny moved on Mr. Thedford's place. Mr. Swilling moved west of town.

There was a large crowd attend- day night. ed the party at Mr. Gordon's Monday night. A fine time was reported by all and also a large crowd at Mr. Wheeler's Friday ed Mr. and Mrs. Johnston visit-Mrs. J. C. Bland and Miss Minnie

Tuesday eve. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bland visited Mr. Wiggins and family moved in Sayles community from Friday

Mocking Bird.

their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable family medicine. Give with Mr. D. Anderson and famit to your children, and take it ily Sunday. yourself when you feel a cold coming on. It checks and cures coughs the proud parents of a fine boy. and colds and croup and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. For sale by Robertson Drug Store.

Rose Chapel.

Delayed] Here I come again after a long

absence. Robert Hayes of Whitman visited his brother, Moses Hayes,

Tuesday eve. Mrs. T. R. Gordon and daughter, Miss Ellen, visited Mrs. T. J. Johnston and daughter, Sallie

Friday eve. Miss Reba Anderson is on the sick list this week.

Miss Vera Wheeler visited

Misses Edith and Effie Gordon Sunday eve. vith Moses Hayes and wife Sun-

C. Belle and family visited visited in Haskell Sunday. the Ballew community Sunday. Miss Sallie Johnston Sat. eve. School is progressing nicely.

Messrs. Robert Hays and Sam Cerly of Whitman attended singing at Rose Sunday eve and Sun-

Mrs. Z. T. Rose and children spent Monday in Haskell.

Miss Rachel Piland visited Barton visited Mrs. Cora Hays Miss Ella Arther Sunday eve. Mrs. Wheeler visited Mrs Collins Monday evening.

Miss Irene Gordon spent Sat arday night with Nancy Piland. Miss Sallie Johnston visited Irs. D. Anderson Saturday eve. Prof. Burnison took dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Thedford are To the Citizens of Haskell: A large crowd attended singing at Rose Sunday eve and en joyed some fine singing.

Miss Reba Anderson visited Miss Vera Wheeler Sunday aft-

ernoon. Misses Rachel and Nancy Piand visited Mrs. T. J. Johnston Monday eve.

J. F. Culp and family visited Mr. Roberts and family last Sunday week.

Mr. Gordon and family visited Mr. Norman and family Saturday night. Nancy Piland visited Mrs. Will Piland and children Monday.

School is progressing nicely with a large attendance. Messrs. Howell, Vernon Othel-Prof. Burnison took dinner la and Hugh Anderson visited at Mr. Johnston's Sunday eve. Mr. C. W. Wilson and children

Mrs, D. Anderson and children Miss Irene Gordon visited visited Mrs. T. J. Johnston and Prof. Henry is author of a good children Tuesday eve.

Marguerite.

OUR NEW SERIAL

'My Lady of the North,

A new story full of thrilling events of the Civil War. Begins with the next issue of the Free Press. Subscribe now and start with the firist issue. You will enjoy the story.

Miss Rachel Piland visited her sister, Mrs. Collins Saturday.

Miss Era Piland spent Saturday night with her gandmother. We had some real good singing Sunday eve considering the weather. We would like very much to have more of the old people to come and take part.

Prof. Burnison and Mr. T. J Johnston visited Mr. D. Anderson and family Thursday.

spent Thursday night with D. Anderson. Mr. Swilling and family have

moved back to Stringtown. C. G. Burson and family have moved to Roberts. Last Monday night a week ago

a large crowd enjoyed a leap year party at Mr. Gordon's. Osce Wheeler visited Johnston Friday night. Miss Mary Henshaw spent a

Miss Georgia Henshaw was re-How was New Years with you ported quite sick last week but

Miss Rachel Piland visited

Floyd Rose spent Sunday with Claude Gordon. Marguerite.

other communities.

Health is very good at this writing.
Mr. Z. T. Rose and family spent Sunday with Mr. T. R Gordon and family.

Mrs. Henshaw spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hayes

Roberts Locals.

We promise to be quite good.

tion of a few bad colds.

McCulloch and took from their W. R. Johnston of Haskell midst a dear wife and loving mother. Mrs. McCuloch had been in ill health for some time. Her illness was thought to be nothing serious. Death was easy and came as a relief to her earthly tirals. We can only say to the bereavrd ones, weep not for her, she is not dead but only gone to rest. Look to Jesus for comfort. He doeth all things well. May she appear as a bright star to lead you upward and onward and may you, like she, be prepared to meet your Savior in peace. extend to them our heart.felt

> Mrs. L. C. Neal, of Dublin, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lou

Harry Connor of Powell visited

Orien Via during the holidays.

The party at W, B. Roberts Tuesday night was enjoyed by all Miss Myrtle Wheatley Saturday eve with Miss

Delayed.] Hello chats! Can you make room for two jolly school girls

Health of our community is good at present with the excep-

On last Friday eve the Death Angel visited the home of G. C.

Henry Mapes celebrated Christ mas by taking unto himself a bride. Miss Eula Atchison happened to be the fortunate young lady. We wish for this happy young couple a pleasant journey through life.

Good morning to you all. I'm Atchison during the holidays. coming in this morning hoping Miss Maud Via visited Mrs. A to see a great many items from E. Via of Cottonwood Christmas

Mr. Coob moved to their new home on Couch's ranch last last

Will Atchison and Miss Susie

Everybody is invited to the literary at Roberts on the fourth Saturday night in this month. Be sure and come.

Fannie Mapes returned Satur-Somerville Co.

Two Jolly School Girls.

piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and Mr. Henry, but he says my name bound on to the affected parts is is sufficient. superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

A Good Recommendation.

Haskell, Jan. 16, 1912.

With pleasure I say I have known Prof. A. S. Henry, President of Henry's Business College Ass'n. for 25 years and he has always been a leading citizen in his county. He represented Navarro County in the 23rd Legislature and the people were pleased with his services, so much so, the democratic party would not consider another man until he refused to accept the office the second time.

Mr. Henry is honest, capable, truthful and you can depend upon any promises he will make

Our people are indeed fortunate to have Henry's Business College Ass'n. open a branch school in Haskell. I am glad of it. portion of his business course which guarantees to the people the very best, no man stands A. S. Henry, having known him in every walk of life, as a business man, as a Legislator, as a christian gentleman do not hesitate to say to my friends and all citizens to patronize his school, for I know his name would not be connected with anything not

first-class. Young men and young ladies do you realize this is an opportunity of a life time to get a complete Business Course at home

at 1.5 the cost from home. Henry says to you that you can safe to accept what he says about it-I know him to be pergood his promises. If I had a pupil 'eligible to a Business College he would go in Henry's Business College right now in

I earnestly request the business men and the people in appreciate a first-class Business et, you know." School coming to our door, with first-class teachers. Mr. Henry is doing good, helping young people who need a Business Education and can't possibly quit work and go from home, besides he informs me he makes easy terms, giving honorable people a chance to get the course and pay it out later, at least a

Haskell.

good part of it.

To our farmers Prof. Henry authorizes me to say to any good reliable farmer, that he will help them by accepting only a small Hamby Short from Jones county waste basket sometime ago I'll try short while with Miss Irene Gor. when your time shall have come cash payment to cover general expenses, such as books, and the bulk of the cost he will accept a good note and carry it until next fall. You pay \$350 to \$500spot cash if you go to Ft. Worth or Dallas and here you pay only about 1.5 the amount and most of that after you make your 1912 bumper crop. I have written this lengthy letter because I wanted to do my friends a good service and at same time not say a word that Prof. Henry and his work does not merit. You can't do better anywhere and this school is fully equipped here to teach every line of commercial

Let's all pull together and advise our young folks and older ones too, to take advantage of a first-class up-to-date Business Education.

Several reasons why you get

more in this school than away from home. One the city schools are overcrowded and these people can keep 25 pupils more and advance them more in one week day eve after a few weeks visit in than one man can advance 100 pupils in three weeks. I could have everyone of my friends to join me in this letter who know

> I again repeat, it affords me real pleasure to strongly recommend Henry's Business College Ass'n. to the people of Haskell.

Respectfully, E. P. Thomason.

P. S.-This school opened Monday upstairs over Haskell State Bank building and you will find these people there as long as they agreed to remain. E. P. Thomason.

BEST ATTITUDE FOR SLEEP

French Physician Says Position Which One Finds Most Comfortable Is Best.

As practically everyone is more or less addicted to the habit of sleeping. the question of the best and most healthful attitude during slumber is of general importance. There is an ancient and widespread idea that to sleep o nthe left side interferes with the heart action and is consequently injurious and that to sleep on the back develops the inclination to snore Modern authorities are not at all agreed on the matter, however, one of the greatest heart specialists declaring that it is quite immaterial whether a person sleeps on the right or left side, while another equally famous doctor asserts emphatically that one should always lie on the right side if heart trouble and indigestoin is to be avoided. Eliminating the question of snoring-a habit quite possible to break one's self of-there is little higher where he is known than doubt that the most restful position, when once a person has become accustomed to it, is flat upon the back. using no pillow, and with the arms above the head. This straightens drooping shoulders and gives the lungs full play.

However, this is a matter in which one may do as one pleases, and have good authority therefor, as a very distinguished French physician has dismissed the subject by saying that the best position for sleeping is that which a person finds most comfortable.

Moderne Outdo Ancients.

Stories of the ancients who formed prodigious feats pale into insignificance compared with modern accomplishments. For example, the story Those who work in the day of Leander, who swam the Hellespont take the course at night and go with the praiseworthy object of passon with your salary. If Mr. ing an hour in the presence of his sweetheart. Now, the body of water known in ancient times as the Hellescomplete the course in 4 months point is in these days called the Strait working at night only, you are of Dardanelles, and the distance across is rather less than a mile. Compared with such a swim as that of Captain Webb, who first swam across the fectly reliable and he will make Strait of Dover, a distance of 21 miles, Leander's performance seems not only

Her Selection.

"What kind of cigars will you have?" asked the dealer-"light, me

credible, but incignificant.

dium or strong?' "Strong ones, by all means," said the blushing damsel. "Strong enough general to show Prof. Henry we not to break in the young man's pock-

> ely to steeds edt al-duH an Young Wife-Oh, George, George, comes along finds me joining-

> further pariey; the next war that

Young Hub-There's no need

Just to Cheer. Passing of the Tollgate. The passing today of the old tollgate at the northern entrance to the city is well worthy of the fireworks, oratory, and general jubilation which it has inspired. Strangers entering Baltimore by the Reisterstown road could hardly believe that this was really a city of the fifth order, when a village functionary had first to lift bar and demand their pennies before they were permitted to enter the sacred metropolitan confines. The good roads movement, so intelligently urged and fostered by Governor Crothers and the Democratic party, has already done more to instill life and enterprise and a new spirit into the countles of this state than all other movements of recent years combined. The passing of the old tollgate is symbolical of the new order and the larger spirit of enterprise and progress.—Baltimore gun.



ROSEMARY BUT A MEMORY

Flant Long Praised in Song by Famous Poets Has Almost Completely Disappeared.

When Samuel Pepys went one day in 1660 to his favorite St. Olave's to pray he had his pew all covered with rosemary and baize. Scott celebrates the good old time when the boar's head "frowned on high, crested with bays and rosemary." Herrick, too, hav a song in which the bay and the rose mary are coupled. What (asks a writer in The Scotsman) has become of the resemary as an article of commerce? It cannot be bought "in the shops," nor so far as personal experience goes, even in the herb markets.

One can get oil of rosemary and other rosemary preparations at the chem ist's, but only here and there in an old village or country garden is the plant itself found. This seems a pity, if only in view of Shakespeare's well known reference to rosemary "for remembrance," in the fourth act of "Hamlet." For remembrance! There is, in truth, nothing more haunting than the scent of rosemary. It is not exactly sweet, it is not quite spicy, but it suggests all sorts of old memories, and lingers longer with one than many scents that are actually sweeter. In Butler's "Hudibras" we read that "some reverend men approve of rosemary in making love." The plant was certainly once more used at weddings; in deed, in ancient times, to wear a rosemary was as significent of a wedding as to wear a white favor. When the nurse in "Romeo and Juliet" says: "Doth not rosemary and Romec begin with one letter?" she presumably hints at this emblematic character of the herb. But rosemary has its practical uses even today, especially among country people. A stew in vinegar is used for headaches, and a preparation from the leaves is a simple remedy for falling hair. Sometimes the flowers are pressed into service in the kitchen, and at pig killing times the bushes are often pruned severely to provide leaves for throwing into the lard. Rosemary honey, too, is highly praised.

BOOKS FOR BLIND CHEAPER

New Method of Printing, Discovered in France, Has Lowered the Cost Materially.

Books for the blind are to be very much cheaper because of a new meth od of printing them discovered in France, and free libraries for the blind are to be established through out the provinces of France. This information comes here from the Paris correspondent of the Journal of the American Medical Association, who writes:

"Books with raised letters used by the blind are generally very expen I give him more than he asked for he sive. They have, up to the present thinks I'm easy-demands \$40." time, been of two distinct types First, those which were stereotyped, the manufacturing process being so expensive that frequent printing of new books is made almost impossible: second, those written by hand by some blind person whose good will does not prevent him from making fre quent inaccuracies, and who can make but one copy at a time, and that only slowly.

"Now M. Ernest Vaughn, the director of Hospice des Quinze-Vingts, has devised a press for printing books for the blind by means of which a text of irreproachable exactness can be obtained and at a cost much less than that of either the stereotyped or the hand-written books. To place this system on the market he has founded the Societe Philanthropique d'Impressions pour les Aveugles, of which the celebrated writer, Anatole France, member of the Academie Francaise, is president."-New York Times.

Bear Plays Possum.

Frank Hamlin, a rancher living between this city and Carlton, was one of the principals in an exciting hunting incident this week. Hamlin ran onto a large black bear suddenly; the hunter was cool enough to get a good standing shot at the bear and to all appearances killed the animal.

Upon going up to examine his prize victim, which had fallen as if quite dead, Hamlin was taken off his guard by Bruin effecting a quick and unexpected revival.

The bear reared in an attempt to embrace the hunter, who was leaning over him to examine the effects of his shot. At this unexpected maneuver Hamlin beat a hasty retreat with the bear in close pursuit. At times the bear was so close as to snatch at the retreating Nimrod's coattails. Coming to a thicket the hunter was able to elude the bear and with another shot B mlin put Bruin out of commission. Sheridan Correspondence Portland Oregonian.

"A Perfect Saw."

"To say nothing and saw wood" seems to be one of the most sagacious phrases passed down by our hardworking forebears. Like most sayings which have emanated from manual labor, this is blunt, homely, and, to the loquaciously inclined, painfully accurate. Show me a man bent jackknife fashion over a sawhorse, with a short log under his buck, and I will point out a man who is minding his own business with admirable zeal. If he speaks, he ceases to saw. While he saws he is necessarily mute. Hence this shrewd phrase, which is, punning aside, a perfect saw.—Atlantic Month-

TEACHING MONKEYS A LESSOI

Daubed With Treacle and Tarta. Emetic, They Never Rifled Sugar Cane Patch Again.

It is said that for cool impudence and sheer audacity the hill monkey: of the Himalayas stand alone. They slip into the bugalows at Dalhousie and, it is averred, carry off anything that is not too heavy for them to handle. They spring from tree to tree from house to house, gayly disporting the articles they have stolen from the breakfast or dining rooms of the Pal

housie people. Few people like to shoot a monkey and so the little fellows grow bolder all the time. A story is told of at Englishman near Dalhousie who was trying to protect his sugar cane patch with a great trench and a palisade covered with nails. All to no avail however.

The owner walked down to it one morning and found a row of monkeys seated on the palisade. The moment he came within reach they threw his own sugar cane into his face, after which they got down and strolled

away, leisurely munching. The Britisher grew irate. Such things were not to be borne. He chased a lot of monkeys into a tree felled the tree and caught four or five young monkeys. The parents walked near in great perturbation, anxiously watching while their infants were painted from head to foot with treacle and tartar emetic. On being allowed to go they rushed off into the fond and welcome arms and were immedi ately carried up into the woods and there assiduously licked clean from top to toe by their loving parents. The inevitable effects followed, and the un happy condition of the old monkeys can easily be imagined. They never rifled that patch of sugar cane again

Mason and His Precious Gold Pleces John Mason, the player, has carried three \$20 gold pieces in his change pocket ever since the new issue of that specie, the two new coins, St Gaudens' with and without "In God We Trust," and the old piece with "Liberty's" head. At the stage door of the Thirty-ninth Street theater in New York recently an old man begged the actor to help him secure a night's lodging. John tossed the beggar supposedly two silver half dollars, but in reality two of his favorite gold coins. The old man, noting the denominations, actually ran after his benefactor and pulled at his coat, intending to inquire if the gold were really given him in earnest. Before he could open his mouth, however, Mason pushed him back, exclaiming, "Not twice in one night, old man." "But do you mean it?" asked the beggar. "Certainly." answered Mason. "Forty dollars, mister," cried the man "Not on your life," called Mason, as his cab moved away, and then to his companion, "Think of that-because

The First "Working Test. Nothing convinces like experience. The doctors have been telling us for years that public drinking cups were disseminators of disease. Now comes Walla Walla with the report that contagious diseases have disappeared from the schools since the common cup was eliminated.-Portland Ore-

Rivers Fign. for Existence.

The discovery that there is a kind of struggle for existence and survival of the fittest among rivers is one of the most interesting results of the modern study of physiography. A notable example of this contest is exhibited by England's two biggest rivers, the Thames and the Severn. Between their valleys lie the Cotswold Hills, and exploration shows that the Severn, by eating backward among these hills, where softer strata underlie them, has diverted to itself some of the headwaters which formerly flowed into the Thames.-Harper's Weekly.

JUST A LITTLE FISH STORY

Henrik Dahl Makes Successful Test of Darwinian Theory, but Pet Meets 8ad Fate.

Henrik Dahl of Aalesund was reader and follower of Darwin. Wishing to apply his theory to the limit of adaptability of a species to its environment Henrik procured a herring from a neighboring fjord and carried it home in a tub of sea water. He renewed the water daily for some time and gradually reduced the quantity, with so little inconvenience to the herring that he concluded that the fish might, in time, learn to breathe air undiluted with water, like the cat and man. It turned out as he expected; and the water was finally emptied out of the tub, never to be replaced.

Henrik next removed the fish from its tub and placed it on the ground. where it flopped about very awkwardly at first, but soon learned to move freely and rapidly. In a little while the herring was able to follow its master without difficulty, and then it became his constant companion about

the streets of the city. On a certain unfortunate day, Hen rik had occasion to cross a dilapidated bridge which spanned an arm of the harbor. The herring coming gracefully along, heedless of danger, now and again springing at lilies, for which it had acquired a great fond ness, missed its footing-slipped through a crack into the water and was drowned.—Boston Transcript.

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Mistake by Which Delicate Aroma Is Lost-Difference Between Ordinary Cook and Culinary Artist.

A pleasing odor ascended to the guest room and one of the visitors sniffed it daintily. "The coffee smells good," she said, hastening her preparations for breakfast. The other guest shook her head sadly. "Yes," she replied, "it is good coffee, but it makes me sorrowful to have anybody make coffee so long before a meal is ready. So many persons do that. It shows at once the difference between an ordinary cook and a culinary artist A careless cook often, makes her cotfee the first thing and puts it on the back of the range to keep hot, thinking thereby to have it ready for the table without further trouble and well out of her way. It is a fatal mistake. All the rich, delicate aroma of the coffee is lost in that way. We are getting it up here now, as you perceive It is, as you have said, very appetizing, but coffee is not intended especially for an appetizer, and you don't wish it while you are combing your hair. To be perfect, with all its aroma and strength preserved coffee should be served piping hot, just as soon as it is made."

Taking No Risks.

"Yes." said the suburbanite, "I am fond of mushrooms and we often have them on our table."

"But," asked the city man, "don't you incur some risk of eating a toad stool now and then?"

"Not if the person who picks them understands his business. Invariably I exercise the utmost care. So does a certain neighbor of mine. We are not on very good terms with him. Imagine my surprise the other evening when his small daughter brought over a mess of mushrooms, saying her papa wanted us to try them for supper. Well, they were all right. We ate them and they were enjoyed. Later I met an acquaintance of my kind neighbor.

"'Did you eat those mushrooms? he asked.

"'Sure,' said I.

"'No bad effects?' "'None whatever. Why do you

"'Well, Mr. Blank was in doubt

about them, so he decided to take no chances. That's why he tried them on you first."

SHE HAD KEPT NOTHING BACK

Young Lady With Seven Transfers Explains Deficiency to Street Car Conductor.

Seven bright young girls, each in a new gown and all in the highest spirits, boarded a street car in Philadel phia. The announced intention of all lege?" was to transfer at a certain junction, hat, who appeared to be the leader of from smoking cigarettes." the expedition, got seven transfers. But the other six changed their minds before they got to the transfer point and declared themselves in favor of a shopping tour. Only the girl with the red hat stuck to the original plan and changed cars at the junction mentioned. To the conductor who came to take her fare she handed the bunch of transfers—the original seven.

The conductor looked at her, and on each side of her, and all around her. She was oblivious. Then he asked: Where are the others?"

The girl looked startled and confused for an instant, and then she said, with cold dignity: "Those are all the transfer man gave me "

Parent Vine of All Grapes.

Hugo Lilienthal, who believes that he has discovered the parent vine of all grapes in the world—the vine which produced the enormous clusters of grapes found by the spies of Moses on their first entrance into the Holy Land—is superintendent of parks in Berkeley, California. The specimen was found by him in Palestine in 1884. Claim is made that the improved plants now produce bunches of grapes 30 inches long. Lilienthal has not grown the plant in Berkeley, but declares that when it is distributed it will be one of the wonders of the world and will treble the grape-growing capacity of the country.

Why They Killed the Calf. The prodigal son was coming up

"Hurry and killed the fatted calf!" said his father. "You remember that the boy always was fond of chicken sotpie."-Judge.

Latest German Fad.

Germany's latest fad seems to be the "Undosabad," destroyed by a Berlin engineer, and claimed to be the first transportable covered swimming bath which affords a practical substitute for the usual expensive buildings. The swimming basin is inexpensive and may be easily transported to any convenient location. The water supply may be obtained from a lake, river, springs, or from the town water works, as the use of the filtra minimizes the amount of fresh water necessary and so reduces the number of germs that the water is purer than when freshly introduced. The bath is sheltered by a canvas roof and furnished with a motor so that the air and water can be warmed and the temperature regulated. The motor's surplus power can also be utilized in generating waves of three feet or less in height, thus destroying all germs that remain, and add to the attraction by simulating the ocean.

HOW COOK WASTES COFFEE HE WANTED IT JUST RIGHT

Particular Young Man Had Ulterior Motives in His Purchase of Box of Candy.

The expensively dressed young man hrew away his cigarette and entered the confectionery store. "Put me up a two-pound box of your best chocolates," he said to the clerk who waited on him. "Make sure that they are your very best; I don't want any mis-

"Yes, sir. These are the very high-

"Come to think of it, you had better make it a five-pound box, instead The same kind as those you showed

"Yes, sir, certainly." "And make it mixed chocolates and bonbons. And let me pick out a box l like. Haven't you something with violets on it? She is particularly fond of violets, and I want this to be Just right. No. I like that design better, the one in blue and gold. Let me have that. Here, be more careful about the way you do it up. No, there isn't any card to go. I will de liver it myself. Make a neat-looking

The clerk tled it up carefully, then passed it over the counter. As he took the bill in payment, he smiled ever so slightly, and remarked: "The young lady should be very much pleased with that, sir."

package of it while you are about it."

"Young lady nothing! That box is for my mother. I'm going to tackle dad for a new runabout tonight, and if I can get her over to my side I'll

TO LAUNDER PAPER MONEY

Indiana Man Devises Machine That Will Wash and Iron Soiled Bills.

It costs the United States government one and one-third cents to manufacture a \$1 bill. When the bill becomes soiled through continual handling it is sent to the treasury department, which destroys it and issues a same may be said of all other paper currency of large denominations.

Now comes a Shelbyville, Ind., inventor, F. B. Churchill, with a machine for washing, ironing and otherwise laundering paper money. According to the Inventive Age, Washington. the treasury department redeemed \$1,183,000,000 in soiled bills last year and issued new ones in place of them. Eighty per cent of the bills might have been washed at a cost of onetenth of a cent per bill and reissued at a considerable saving in cost to the treasury department.

Foolish Question.

"Are you going to permit your son to play football when he goes to col-"No. I'm going to keep him from it

and to this end the girl in the red in the same way that I have kept him "Oh, have you kept him from doing

that?"

"Certainly-when he knows I'm

HOW HISTORY IS DISTORTED

Russian Text-Book Shows Curious In stance of Tampering With French History.

Reasons of church, state or other policy have frequently caused the scholars of one country to tamper with the history of another with which it has been intimately connected. A curious instance of such a distortion of French history was that found in a Russian textbook, used in all Russian public schools, and edited by a great Russian scholar, Ilovaiski. The following may be cited as an illustration:

"Louis XVI. was a good and peaceful king. After a long and famous reign, in which he was most happy in his choice of minister of finance, he died quietly in Paris, beloved by all his people. His death was caused by a hemorrhage.

"The successor of Louis XVI, was his son, Louis XVII. During his reign the brave royal army, commanded by General Napoleon Bonaparte, captured the larger part of the European contingent for the French crown. But the faithless Napoleon showed tendencies toward misusing his power, and was suspected of harboring dishonest schemes against the legitimate ruler. With the help of his majesty the emperor and autocrat of all the Russias, his plans were frustrated, and he was deprived of all his posses sions, honors, and rights to a pension, He was then exiled to the island of St. Helena, where he died."-The Sunday Magazine.

Artful Tommy. Tommy was for the time being lost. For an hour his mother had seen nothing of him-had heard nothing of him, and this was unsual-so unusual that Tommy's mamma became anxlous. She questioned Tommy's sister Elsie. But Elsie only shook her curls. She knew nothing; she hadn't seen Tommy for an hour, quite. Then Tommy's mamma rang for the cook, and the cook came in looking hot and uncomfortable. "Oh, mum-mum!" she began, wildly.

"Gracious, cook! What has happened?" shricked Tommy's mamma, as she flopped into a chair. "My boy! my sweet cherub! Tell me the worst! And the cook told her. "Please mum, Tommy's locked himself in the arder with the mince ples, and-and he says he's going on eating till he's

WHEN CAMEL IS HELPLESS WE ARE NEVER SATISFIED

"Ship of the Desert" When Capsized Is in as Hopeless Predicament as Any Other Ship.

The "ship of the desert," like any other ship, may be capsized and in that predicament the camel is said to be absolutely helpless under certain conditions.

The queer beast's manner of lying down to rest is to fold his legs beneath his body. If he happens to roll upon his side he cannot recover his feet again. This infirmity of the animal was amusingly illustrated in the experience of a French explorer whose caravan was made up of camels.

The leader had bought some new ones and had no idea of taking any other animals into a country largely composed of loose sand. Trouble began at the very outset. One camel, as awkwkard as any of the species, managed to tumble into a ditch of thick mud between the road and a wheat field. When once fallen a camel can only get up again if he can arrange his feet conveniently under him and if the ground is nearly flat.

In this case it was not so. The animal lay with all four feet in the air. perfectly resigned and incapable of a single movement to help himself. To draw him out required more than half an hour and took the united efforts of many men with cords passed under the camel's back.

Trick May Earn Monument.

Pioneer residents have inaugurated a movement to have a tablet placed in the new state capitol of Minnesota in memory of Joseph Rolette, who, in the early days saved the prestige of St. Paul. By act of legislature the capital of Minnesota was removed from St. Paul to the rival town of St. Peter, but the bill never was signed by the governor, for, during the last ten days of the session the bill was in custody of a committee of which "Joe" Rolette was a member, and he disappeared with the bill in his pocket. His disappearance with the bill rennice new clean bill in its place. The dered the act of the legislature void.

World-Famed Tree.

In the botanical gardens of Calcutta is the famous banvan tree. It covers 21/2 acres of ground and fills the visitor with admiration and awe.

The utmost care is taken of this wonderful tree, for every tender young root, as it begins to fall like a sta lactite from the branch overhead, is encased and protected from harm in a bamboo. It is hoped that this particular tree, nursed and nurtured like a baby, will within the next 50 years, cover at least 15 acres of ground. It is supposed to have 1.500 aerial roots. a number of which it is probable that a cypher has been accidentally

most shapeless mass by this time, and contributes very little to the sustenance of its multitudinous progeny. The banyan tree flourishes in India

omitted. The mother trunk is an a.

as in no other part of the world, although they do reach an enormous size-with hundreds of roots-in some other lands.

Good for Business.

"Such a perfect gentleman!" gushed Miss Softwin. "It was so good of you to introduce him to me last night, dear. We had a most delightful and interesting conversation after the concert was over."

"Yes?" calmly queried Miss Knox, who was cynical enough to know that there was something more to come.

"And after hearing me sing," said Miss Softwin, "he told me-quite seriously, you know-that he would give anything if he had my voice. He said it was worth a fortune. I'm sure he was perfectly sincere in saying it,

too.' "I'm certain he was," retorted Miss Knox hopefully. "Perfectly sincere! You see, dear, he's an auctioneer."

OUR BEST LITTLE OPTIMISTS

People of Australia and New Zealand Persistent in Trying Out Plans for Public Good.

The people of sunny Australia and

of misty New Zealand—the working

people anyway-are persistent optimists. For 20 years they have been trying out one plant after another for the common good. The eight-hour day was an established institution over there before we thought of it. except as an ideal. State old-age and invalidity pensions have been paid for York Sun. some years, and the first steps taken toward the establishment of a minimum wage passed on the Australian standard of living. Postal savings banks, the parcel post and state life insurance have not driven capital out of the country, telegraph and telephone lines-and coal mines in New Zealand-has not convinced the capitalists that life is not worth living. Such paternalism as the furnishing of free transportation to men out of work and the loaning of money to enable those without means to take up public land have not only made valuable citizens of many who otherwise might have become wastrels, but have proved good investments. . They decided to enter politics and to secure by legislation the things most easily obtained in that manner, at the same time pressing forward, inch by inch, in the industrial field by means of the collective bargain, backed when needful by the strike and boycott. Thus was born the movement which, for the first time in history, has placed the wage earners in absolute controlof the government of a nation.

The Thin Man Bemoans His Fate, and the Fat Man Starves to Become Thin.

We are never satisfied, it seems, and the growls and walls of discontent rise all above us, showing that others Leel

as we do. The thin man bemoans his fate. He eats fattening things and yearns to be fat, and the fat man starves himself as much as a fat man's self control will admit, and longs to be thin.

It's pretty tough. Over in the valley they grow alfalfa -great crops of alfalfa that bring in money, and our farm won't. It hurts our feelings, but over on the alfalfa farm they can't make a peach tree grow worth a cent, and they're kicking about it envying us.

It would seem that Nature would know better, Discontent is not natural, and it would appear that Nature might rig up some sort of an exchange by which discontented people might

The poor man who aches for dollars could go there and give his appetite for half the sickly rich man's pile, and it would be gladly given.

The woman with the ostrich feathers her sailor brother brought her could swap with the envious woman for a diamond and thus contro! her own longing.

All we'd have to do would be to go to the exchange and register, and Nature would do the rest. We'd list our discontented state and tell what would make us feel better, and sooner or later the exchange would be made and two discontented people would be made more contented. But no such exchange is being considered, and the two discontented parties to all these troubles are far apart. - Galveston

TALKED IN MUSICAL TERMS

Policeman Shows Result of Long Dut at Door of Concert Hall.

All amateurs are familiar with the musical term "syncopation," but for the benefit of the non-musical it may be said that it is a word relating to time or rhythm, the precise meaning of which will be sufficiently indicated

by the story. A celebrated conductor was conducting a long series of concerts, and he had observed that it was always the same policeman who was stationed at the nearest door to the orchestra. Remarking upon this, he was informed that the officer in question was becoming quite an expert in musical terms, etc., so long had he been on duty inside the hall. However, one evening he was passing, and meeting him accidentally in the corridor next night, the great conductor accosted

him thus: "Officer," he said, "where were you

last night?" "Last night, director?" replied the cop. "Oh, I was in syncopation."

"In what?" gasped the conductor. "In syncopation-off the beat, sir," replied the policeman.

JOKE ON POLICE SERGEANT

Thought He Had Officer Trapped In Undertaker's Shop When Pinocle Game Was On.

"Here's the best joke I ever heard on a sergeant," said a high official in the police department. "He was going the rounds when he saw a policeman whom we'll call Mullaney go into an undertaker's shop where there is generally a pinocle game in the back room. He knew there was no back way out for Mullaney, so 'rounds' planted himself at the door and waited.

"After a time he sent in word by one of the men working in the shop that he knew Mullaney was in there and that he had better come back on post, because the longer he waited the worse the complaint against him would read.

"There was much commotion in the back room, and as there were a number of coffins being loaded on a wagon outside they put Mullaney in a coffin and loaded him on the wagon. They drove him down the street a couple of blocks and Mullaney climbed out. He strolled back up to where the sergeant was doggedly watching the door and saluted.

"'Hello, rounds, pleasant evening, isn't it?' he said, and the sergeant stared for a moment and then stamped away too mad to speak!"-New

Painless Dentistry.

In the Sunday school teacher's experience the only kind of a dentist she had ever known was a man who pulled or repaired teeth, so when the nice little girl in her class said her father was a dentist the teacher concluded to patronize him. She knew his address and called one day with nerves braced for treatment of an unsound tooth. She was shown into a small workshop, whose sides were lined with big grandfather clocks.

"Dentist?" the man exclaimed. Great Scott, no; I'm a clock mender. but I know how the kid came to make the mistake. People in this trade al-ways call the fellow who makes a spe-cialty of tinkering with grandfather clocks a dentist. The wheels of most grandfather clocks of American efacture are made of wood, and wh the clock stops the wornout have to be removed from the who and sound teeth put in. So I do work with teeth and deser

Sheriff's Sale

Texas is plainttff, and W. T. owner, defendants, No. 766 are defendants in favor of said plaintiff, and against said defendant unknown owner, the cause of action being dismissed as to the defendants W. T. Smith and H. J. sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Haskell County, I door of said Haskell County, in the city of Haskell between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day proceed to sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest the unknown owner had on the first day of Jan. 1901, or at any time thereafter in and to the following described real estate, levied upon on the 9th day of January 1912 as the property of unknown owner to wit:

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, and being a part of the Peter Allen survey of 3129 acres of land, known as Abstract No. 2, Certificate No. 136, Patent No. 365, Vol. 17, Survey No. 140, and being more particularly described as Lot No. Four (4) in Block No. Fourteen (14) in the original town of Haskell, Texas, as the same appears upon a map or plat of said town duly recorded in the Deed records of Haskell County, Texas, in Vol. M5, at pages 320 to 323, to which record reference is hereby made for a more definite description of said property.

Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment foreclosing the lien provided by law for the taxes, interest, penalty and costs, against said real estate, in favor of the State of Texas, together with interest and the cost of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof. Said sale will be made subject to the defendant's right to redeem the said property within two years from the date of sale by complying with made and provided.

W. D. Falkner, Sheriff, Haskell County, Texas. By M. S. Edwards, deputy.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested in just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by the Clerk of the District on the 9th day of January 1912, as scription. directed by the terms of a judgand delivered as Sheriff of said and provided. Haskell County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Sheriff Haskell County, Texas. Tuesday in Febuary 1912, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Haskell County, in the City and keep up with Haskell.

of Haskell between the hours of By virtue of an order of sale, 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock issued by the Clerk of the District p. m. on said day proceed to sell Court of Haskell County, Texas, at public auction for cash to the on the 9th day of January 1912, highest bidder all the right, title as directed by the terms of a judg- and interest the defendant Wilment rendered in said court on liam Schram had on the first day County, Texas. the 2nd day of Dec. 1911, in a cer- of January 1907 or at any time

serting to own is as follows:

Sheriff's Sale. The State of Texas. No. 1330. A. B. Carothers

J. W. Watkins et al. In the District Court Haskell

Sheriff's Sale. The State of Texas, No. 863. M. A. Clifton

A. J. Dyches, et al. In the District Court of Haskell County, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of Whereas by virtue of an order ing described property, to-wit: tain cause wherein the State of thereafter in and to the following sale issued out of the District Court of sale issued out of the District All that certain, tract of parcel Lee Pierson against C. E. Bowers, described real estate, levied upon of Haskell County, Texas, on a Court of Haskell County, Texas, of land, lying and being situated W. D. Rivers, Geo. L. Webb, D. M. Smith, H. J. Howard and unknown on the 9th day of January 1912 as judgment rendered in said court on on a judgment rendered in said in Haskell County, Texas, and Cogdell, Jr., Mrs. Fannie Bowers, the property of William Schram the 29th day of Nov. A. D. 1911, in court on the 28th day of Novem- known as a part of the NE 1-4 of G. M. Sims and S. W. Wilkerson, favor of A. B. Carothers and against ber A. D. 1911, in favor of M. A. the B. B. B. & C. R. R. Co., sur- I. W. D. Falkner, Sheriff of Has-All that certain tract or parcel J. W. Watkins, J. H. Watkins Clifton and against the said A. J. vey No. 12, containing 98 acres, kell County, Texas, did, on the of land lying and being situated and H. R. Biggs, No. 1330 on Dyches, J. H. Shipman, J. B. and more particularly described by 10th day of January, 1912, at 9 in Haskell County, Texas, and the docket of said court, I did, on Netherlain and J. F. Pinkerton, metes and bounds as follows, to- o'clock a. m. sieze and levy upon being a part of Section No. 36 of the 10th day of January A. D. 1912 No. 863 on the docket of said wit: Howard for the sum of Thirty-one the Wise County School Land, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. levy upon the court, I did, on the 10th day of Beginning at the N. E. Cor. of parcel of land lying and being sitand 32-100 dollars (for State and Patented to the Commissioners of following described tracts and January A. D. 1912, at 2:30 o'clock, survey No. 12 for the N. E. Cor. uated in Haskell County, Texas, County taxes, interest, penalty Wise County, Texas, June 25th, parcels of land situated in the coun- p. m. levy upon the following of this tract; Thence W. with the towit: and costs); with interest on said 1858 by Patent No. 284, Vol. 13, ty of Haskell, Texas, to-wit: All described tracts and parcels of N. B. line; Thence S. 30 ft.; to a 200 acres of land out of the known as Abstract No. 405, that certain tract of land situated land situated in the county of stake; Thence West 34 ft. to a John Conner Survey No. 73, Ab-Survey No. 76, for further descrip- in Haskell County, Texas, and Haskell and State of Texas, towit: stake and pile of rock in the N. E. stract No. 97, Patented Oct. 30th, tion reference is hereby made to being 15 3-4 acres of land out of All that certain tract or parcel of Cor. of the Stamford Cemetery 1857, by Patent No. 817, Vol. 12, Vol. 23 pages 396 and 397 of the the Two League Red River Coun- land, lying and being situated in Grounds; Thence S. with the E. B. described by metes and bounds as Deed records of Haskell County, ty School Land Survey No. 75, Haskell County, Texas, and being line of said cemetery grounds 248 follows: Beginning at the S. E. have seized, levied upon, and will, Texas, the part of said section being described more particularly Lot No. Nine (9) in Block No. ft. to a stake set for the S. E. Cor. corner of the said John Conner on the first Tuesday in February upon which this suit is brought as follows: Being out of Sub- Seven (7) of the Cottage Lawn of the same line; Thence W. with survey; Thence North 1095 varas 1912, the same being the 6th day for the toreclosure of taxes, division No. 39 of said survey and Addition to the town of Haskell, the S. B. line of said cemetery to a corner in the East line of said of said month, at the Court House interest, penalties, cost, etc., and described by metes and bounds as Texas, and on the 6th day of grounds 1,500 ft. to a stake set in Conner survey; Thence West 1210 which land plaintiff avers that the follows, to-wit: Beginning at the February A. D. 1912, being the the E. boundary line of Swenson defendant William Schram is as- Northwest corner of Dr. Miller's first Tuesday of said month, be- Ave for the S. W. Cor. of said place, which is 404 1-2 vrs. East tween the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. | Cemetery grounds; Thence S. with Beginning at the S. W. Cor. of a and 767 yrs South of the North- and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the E. B. line of Swenson Avenue 100 acre tract in the N. E. 1-4 of west corner of this Subdivision No. the courthouse door of said county 1,533 ft. to a stake in said E.

bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which B. W. Gay, R. M. Dickenson, M. A. Rose, S. A. Commons and F. M. Morton had on the 31st day of Court of Haskell County, Texas, December A. D. 1908, or at any time on a judgment rendered in cause thereafter, of, in and to the follow- No. 862 in said court on the 15th

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(REAL ESTATE) Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District day of December, 1911, in favor of the following described tract and

varas to corner; thence South 341 varas; thence East 260 varas; thence South 754 varas to the South line of said survey; thence east 950 yaras to the place of beginning; said land being located about six miles Northwest of the town of Haskell.

And notice is hereby given that. on the 6th day of Febuary, 1912, same being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a, m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court house door of said county in the town of Haskell, I will offer for sale and sell at public outcry for cash the above described property. foreclosing the vendor's lien thereon, and will apply the proceeds of the said sale to the satisfaction of the judgment of the said Lee Pierson in the sum of Four Thousand Forty-six and 97-100 (\$4046.97) Dollars, with interest from December 15th, 1911, at the rate of 8 per cent and all costs of suit, including the cost of executing this

Witness my hand officially at Haskell, Texas, this the 10th day of January, 1912. W. D. Falkner,

Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas.

Notice of Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Haskell

J. L. Wright vs. No. 784 G. W. Sullivan, et al. In the District Court of Haskell County, Texas.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District on a judgment rendered in said court in the above styled and numbered cause on the 28th day Ry. Co. and being a strip of land o'clock a. m. levy upon, seize and Dated at Haskell, Texas, this the 50 ft. x 1774 ft. said property take into my possession the followbeing levied on as the property of ing described tracts or parcels of land situated in the county of Hasamounting to \$3,152.55, in favor kell, State of Texas, to-wit: All of lots Ten (10), Eleven (11), and Given under my hand this 11th, Twelve (12) in block Nine (9) of the South Side Addition to the town of Rule, Texas, as the same appears upon a map or plat of said addition recorded in volume 34 and at page 630 of the deed We offer One Hundred Dollars records of Haskell County, Texas: 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. undersigned, have on said day, at the court house known F. J. Cheney for the last door of said county, I will offer 15 years, and believe him perfect- for sale and sell at public auction By virtue of an order of sale ly honorable in all business trans- for cash the above described propactions, and financially able to car- erty as I am commanded and directment, which judgment is a foreclosure of the yendor's lien upon Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. said property as it existed on the Hall' Catarrh Cure is taken in- 1stday of January, 1910; and I will ternally, acting directly upon the apply the proceeds towards the payblood and muscous surfaces of the ment of the judgment rendered in system. Testimonlals sent free. abovecause for two hundred twenty Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all eight dollars and thirty eight cents with interest at 8 per cent per annum from November 28, 1911, and all costs of suit.

Witness my hand this 11th day of January, 1912.

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E. 475 1-2 varas to a stake, the place of beginning.

Said sale to be made by me to ment rnedered in said Court on satisfy the above described judgthe 2nd. day of Dec. 1911, in a cer- ment foreclosing the lien provided tain cause wherein the State of by law for the taxes, interest, pen-Texas is plaintiff, and William alty and costs, against said real Schram No. 779 is defendant in estate, in favor of the State of favor of said plaintiff, and against Texas, together with interest and said defendant William Schram for the costs of suit, and the proceeds the sum of Three and 93-100 dol- of said sale to be applied to the lars (for State and County taxes, satisfaction thereof. Sale will be interest penalty and costs), with in- made subject to the defendant's terest on said sum at the rate of right to redeem the said property six per cent per annum from date within two years from the date of judgment, together with all of sale by complying with the procosts of suit and to me directed visions of law in such cases made

> W. D. Falkner, By M. S. Edwards, Deputy.

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to a stake, the S. W. corner of a 1-2 years; Thence South 156; February A. D. 1908. 40 acre tract conveyed to E. L. varas; Thence West 160 varas; Carr by J. J. Pounds et al, Thence Thence North 119 varas to the 10th day of January A. D. 1912.

S. E. Cor. of the said 40 acre tract; And on the 6th day of February Sheriff Haskell County, Texas. Thence S. 475 yaras to the place of A. D. 1912, being the first Tuesday beginning and containing 40 acres of said month, between the hours of land more or less. Said land is of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock fully described in a certain deed p. m. on said day, at the courtfrom J. J. Pounds and wife Sarah house door of said county of Has-A. Pounds to William Schram and kell, Texas, I will offer for sale dated Jan. 14, 1909 and recorded and sell at public auction, for cash, in Vol. 46 at page 242 of the Deed all the right, title and interest of records of Haskell County, Texas, the said J. W. Watkins, J. H. to which record reference is here- Watkins and H. R. Biggs in and to Court of Haskell County, Texas, by made for a more complete de- said property as it now exists and danger is avoided. For sale by all tarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., said month, between the hours of as it existed on the 18th day of dealers. February A. D. 1910.

> Dated at Haskell, Texas, this the 10th day of January A. D. 1912. W. D. Falkner. Sheriff Haskell County, Texas.

> > M. S. Edwards, Deputy.

Foley Kidney Pills

relief from their use than from trouble." For sale by Robertson

the above described section and 39; thence West 20 yaras; Thence of Haskell, Texas, I will offer for B. line for the S. W. Cor. of a tract being the same 100 acres conveyed North 250 varas; Thence East 80 sale and sell at public auction, for herein conveyed; Thence E. 2,636 to E. L. Carr by J. J. Pounds et al; varas; Thence North 73 varas; cash, all the right title and interest ft. to a stake and rock pile in the Court of Haskell County, Texas, Thence West on the S. line of the Thence East 100 varas; Thence of the said A. J. Dyches, J. H. E. B. line of said survey No. 12; N. 1-2 of said section 475 1-2 varas | South 75 varas; Thence East 75 | Shipman, J. B. Netherlain and Thence N. with said E. B. line 1,811 to a stake in the S. line of the N. varas; Thence South 217 yaras; J. F. Pinkerton in and to said ft. to the place of beginning, conthe provisions of law in such cases W. 1-4 of said section No. 36 for a Thence West 75 1-2 varas; Thence property as it now exists and as taining 100 acres of land, less 2 of November, 1911. I did on the corner; Thence North 475 varas South 150 varas; Thence West 75 same existed on the 17th day of acres deeded to the Wichita Valley 11th day of January, 1912, at 10

W. D. Falkner.

M. S. Edwards,

Deputy.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale. (Real Estate)

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