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DELIGHTFU

The highest and the lowliest, the rich and poor, the great and the small, all alike enjoy a vacation occasionally, and the physical man, especially when he has been tied down to hard labor for months and years, needs recreation. New scenes, different landscapes, new faces, a change of topics, etc., have a tendency to brighten the mind and rest the physical body, and every business man should make an opportunity for himself to enjoy such a recreation at least once or twice a year. It invigor ates him, kills that grouchy feeling, makes him a better man to his wife and children, prepares him for better service in his business, and in general rejuvinates his whole being. Such has been the experience of our junior editor, who arrived home Monday with his wife and baby from a ten days' visit to relatives and friends in Hill, McLennan and Bosque counties.

We left Haskell Friday night April 19th, and arrived in Aquilla early Saturday morning, in time to do justice to the good breakfast that awaited us at the home of our wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw. Here we visited until Wednesday morning, dur- vades the atmosphere. ing which time we teasted to our appetite's content on the good things set before us. We took along our cornet and enjoyed music with Mr. Shaw on his violin. Press, feeling greatly refreshed We met up with a number of old friends and the time passed all too quickly. While there we enjoy. spent a more pleasant, and we beed a few hours coquetting with lieve, a more profitable vacation. the finny tribe. The office devil told the Free Press readers last week about our catch. We will only add that the Aquilla creek was not lowered more than four feet after pulling out the largest fish, and you can imagine the size of it from this statement.

Leaving Aquilla Wednesday morning, we ran down to Waco and spent a few hours, then went out into the country about four miles to spend a while with our wife's grandfather. Here we were feasted again on the good things that a prosperous farm life can give. To go away from home, where the milk is not the richest and the victuals are pulled from a paper sack, to be seated down to pure rich cream for your coffee, cabbage, turnips, radishes, onions, and other delectable garden edibles, and good old corn bread made up with fresh eggs, is like escaping from a jail into the broad expanse of freedom. And only those who are personally acquainted with this editor's eating proclivities can fully appreciate how much we enjoyed those days. We also spent one day while in this community with Mr. and Mrs. Flowers Thomas, more of our wife's kinsfolk, who left nothing undene to make our stay pleas-

Friday morning we returned to Waco and boarded the train for Valley Mills, where we spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, another family of kinsfolk of our wife. We were royally entertained while in this pleasant

Saturday morning we were driven out to the Patton commununity to spend the day with Mr. Mrs. Tom McCollom and Mrs. I. C. Smith, more kinefolk of our rife. The fields green with growg crops, the freshly bu trees, the running brooks, the rrassy meadows, the chir the feathered tribe, reverted our

minds to our childhood days when PRETTY Spring donned her beautiful new robe, and a longing for the farm life took posession of us. We spent a happy day with the good people here.

Saturday night we returned to Valley Mills and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pool, not kinsfolk but old friends of our the most elaborate, elegant and perhaps the best equipped home in Valley Mills. This little city, nestling in the valley at the foot of the hills of the Bosque, is one of the prettiest small towns we have ever seen. The grandeur of the scenery is sublime, the beautiful shade trees are inviting and home-like, the well kept streets and alleys show a civic pride commendable in cities of 100,000 population. The people of the town are wide-awake to every interest of civic and commercial worth and it was gratifying to note the pride they take in their homes and business concerns. Among the citizenship of that town, none are no more alert to the business interests and home adornment than Mr. and Mrs. Pool. In their elegant home, they have every convenience of the city life, and the open-hearted hospitality of the old Southern type to their guest puts one at ease the moment he crosses their threshhold and he teels the warm welcome that per-

Sunday morning we left to return home to take up our work in helping to give the people of Haskell a good paper in the Free from our rest, and feeling within our hearts that never had we

An Important Call.

Stamford, April 26th.-We, the undersigned, desiring to promote the agricultural interests of Central West Texas, by concentrated and organizative effort, hereby issue a call for representatives from the towns named herein to meet in the city of Hamlin, Thursday, May 9th. 1912, at 10 a. m. for the purpose speakers awarded the second other portions of the county. The student begin earning while the of forming a permanent organization, looking to that end, the details of which are to be worked out at the meeting.

The primary object in view is to encourage agriculture, promote better cultural methods seats. and to study all other ideas that will in any way assist in agricul- music has been promised. tural development of this section of the country. Looking to that end, we request the following towns to send at least six repreand as many more as possible:-Haskell, Stamford, Anson, Abi lene, Spur, Hamlin, Asperment, Rotan, Roby and Rule.

We have an abiding faith in the future of Central West Texas and ber one prosecuting attorney. He are firmly convinced that if the is respectful to those he is comproper effort is made and the pelled to prosecute, but firm in proper co-operation is given, that his duty to the law and is no rewe can make Central West Texas spector of persons. He is willing

efforts in the upbuilding of Central West Texas, we are,

> Yours truly. L. T. Cunningham, Anson W: S. Whaley, Hamlin Jeff D. Reagan, Spur J. J. Stein, Haskell Jas. A. White, Stamford

tice To Breeders. I am 44 miles on the Throck and am breeding \$8 and have fine

SOUND **POLITICS**

tical as well as a technical knowledge of farming.

dream .-- Southwestern Farmer.

Gold Medals To Be Awarded.

Since the contest is apt to be a close one and the judges have Miss Day and by Parsons and place in each contest.

Don't forget the time and place. Opera House (City Lights) and the more our town and coun-Thursday and Friday nights, ty will be advertised. May 9th and 10th. beginning promptly at 8:30. No reserved

Jas. P. Stinson.

The Free Press is authorized this week to announce Jas. P. for re-election to the office of district attorney of the 39th Judicial District. Judge Stinson is now serving his first term in this office, and has made a num the "garden spot of the State." to have his record investigated Earnestly requesting the pro. and seeks a return to the office per authorities in each of the on his own merits and qualificatowns named to be represented tions. We bespeak for him your at the conference to be held in kindly consideration, and if elec-Hamlin and pledging our best ted he promises to as faithfully discharge his duties in the fu ture as he has in the past.

Summer Class.

Those wishing to study with Miss Day this summer please commuicate with her at once a the Hunt House or phone 109.

This Incures You a Crop Take a policy in the Saint Paul Fire and Marine, Insurance Co., minst hail damage on your rowing crops. Jenry Johnson, Resident Agent

MORE GOOD

A friend asked us what the po- No doubt our people will be litical policy of the Southwestern glad to learn more of the work Farmer will be under the new going on in the Haskell County management. Here is our reply: oil field. We are reliably informwife. Mr. and Mrs. Pool have We stand for a political system ed that the drillers report a nice that will allow men to labor to- showing of oil. They are down gether for the good of every fam- 585 feet and have been in oil sand ily and individual in this country. for some time, several small stratas For the improvement of public of this sand being found at differroads to the highest standard of ent times, which is said to be a excellency. For the right of better showing than most of the farmers to co-operate in the pro- Electra wells at that depth. Many duction and distribution of food oil men are making inquiries about and the sale of it direct to the this well. Mr. J. D. Kinnison was consumer, so that the farmer may in Wichita Falls Sunday and Monhave all the profits with which to day and he tells us that while at buy goods for his babies and buy the Westland Hotel he had many improved farm machinery to in- of those interested in the oil busicrease production and at the same ness to ask him about this well, time reduce the amount of manual and he says that most all of them labor. We are for the improve- expressed a belief that we will get ment of our public school system, a good well and that they spoke by adding to the teaching forces, very highly of our drillers. The expert agriculturists, to instill progress of this well will be watchin our farm boys a love of the vo- ed with interest from now on by the electric car, talk over a telecation, by giving to them a practithe oil men and very probably hone, send a message by wirewe will have many of them in our less to a ship far out at sea, ex-

> ing this well affords. Our people thing else. ought to aid in pushing this enmore oil wells we can get, the

Typhus Fever and Body Lice.

There has recently been a re-Good vocal and instrumental newed interest in that old-fash ioned disease, typhus fever, which had become so rare and not think of riding in a ox cart Ermine Daugherty, the card apparently was so thoroughly in preference to an automobile. bearer, at her side. The guestsunder control as to be quite negligible in this country. It old ox cart systems of account- Ellis to those who stood in the sentatives, each, to this meeting Stinson of Anson as a candidate has been found that typhus fever may be given to monkeys by the bites of body lice which have previously bitten human patients suffering with the disease or monkeys which have been affected with it in the laboratory. The U. S Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service declares that in America, with an annual en-"it seems likely that the body louse is probably the usual distributing agent by which the disease is carried from individual to individual. Observation seems to show almost beyond doubt that typhus fever is not spread by direct contact with the patients suffering from the disease unless the contact is of such a kind that the exchange of body lice become possible. In the light of this modern dem onstration some well-known traditions with regard to the intense contagiousness of typhus gain additional interest. In older times typhus was called jailfever or ship-fever, evidently be cause of the opportunities for the spread of the disease afford

ed by the intimate living condi-

tions necessitated by the small crowded ships and jails of the old time, A number of stories are told of judges, lawyers, jurymen and spectators being stricken with the disease within a day or two after prisoners suffering from typhus were brought into court. The Journal of the American Medical Association says that we can only conclude from our present knowledge that in the crowded stuffy conditions of the old-time court-rooms it was not impossible that body or clothing lice found opportunities to pass from prisoners to more promising food material.

It was believed by the early settlers in this county before the prairie dogs that were infected with fleas were killed out, that the fever was communicated to people by the fleas. -Ed.

Young Friend! If George Wash ington Could Rise From His Grave.

And see our cities lighted as bright as day, hear the whirr of amine his own bones with an We also stand for the opening | Some have predicted that this X-ray, view the snowy fields. of all waterways from the seas to well would not benefit Haskell sunny plains and canals of Mars the interior districts so that thru very much. We desire to repeat thru a telescope, take a flight these we can exchange with peo- what we have said before that from ocean to ocean in an air ple across the waters. In fact you this well, besides the material ship, get run over by an automomay sum up our political policy in benefit it will give to the stock- bile going ninety miles an hourthese words. "We stand for men holders, many of whom live in our but what's the use going back a and measures in which all officers city and county, will do more to hundred years? A work on ly to calls for help. He also said from constable to president, will advertise our city and county than chemistry ten years old is no that the study of the Bible was serve all the people all the time." most anything else. If you will good except as a matter of stressed and that every child who The political winds are blowing watch the oil journals you will couriosity; the same is true of had left the Home had gone away in that direction--- and that is not a observe that Haskell is already shorthand and bookkeping, busireaping her share of the advertis- ness methods and nearly every

As the steam ship has crowded terprise, for in so doing out the sail boat, the typewriter we are helping our town the goose quill pen and pokedifficulty in deciding upon the town will help us as individuals. Bryne systems of business trainoil men here as possible. If there cost of becoming an expert ac-Rule. Brewer, jewelers, the class is oil in the present field, there is countant in half, teach business will give a gold medal to the no doubt about there being oil in as well as bookkeeping, let the working knowledge, means a better salary.

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Farmers' Meeting.

Today, May 4th, in the court house at 1:30 p. m. Prof. Wm. Ganzer of Denton, Texas, will lecture to the farmers on the subject of, "Profitable Farming," and it would pay all farmers well to hear him, as he is an agricultural lecturer of note, being special agent of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Mentio of this lecturer was made week in these columns

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THE CISCO **PRESBYTERY**

The Cisco Presbytery held its spring meeting in Haskell April 19. 20 and 21. This gathering brought. together a number of the most prominent Presbyterians in the district. The business sessionswere held at the Presbyterian church and occupied the days. Each evening there was an uplifting sermon. These were given by the visiting preachers and were quite a blessing and inspiration to all who heard them.

On Saturday afternoom there was a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sherrill and everyone enjoyed the social hour Dainty refreshments were served by the young girls of the church. Rev. McClain of the Files Valley Orphan Home made an appropriatetalk concerning suitable donations for the orphans.

He stated that there were about one hundred children now being cared for at the Home and that they had found the cottage planmost successful in the work because of the personal care it gavato each child. He said that he was especially proud of the fact that the Home has never been in debt. but that this was not due to his efficiency as a manager but rather to those who responded so prompta member of the Church.

Several of the pulpits were filled on Sunday by the visiting ministers. Those present during the sessions from other towns were: Rev. and Mrs. Gray, Abilene; Rev. heretofore experienced some and necessarily what helps our berry ink, so have the famous Knox, Spur; Rev. Leslie, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, Abilene; Rev ... winner, the boys of the Oratory Let's get busy and do our part, ing, bookkeeping and shorthand McClain, Itasca; Mr. Knox, Anson. Class have decided to give The success of the well means taken the place of the old Mr. Ward, Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. another medal to the contestants. the success of Haskell and all coun- systems. The reason is plain; Kelley and son, Rule, Mrs. O. T. In addition to those offered by ty tributary. Let's bring as many These systems cut the time and Maxwell, Cisco; Mrs. Westbrook.

Baptist Ladies Entertain.

On last Thursday afternoon student of the old system is not at the beautiful bungalow home greater the benefits to be derived half thru his course, they give of Mrs. M. S. Pierson the Ladies the student a better practical Aid Society of the Baptist church. which gave an informal reception for their new pastor, Rev. and Mrs. T. R. Waggoner.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson in her this section only at the Tyler graceful manner met the guests Commercial College. You would at the door, with pretty little were presented by Mrs. Mable ing and stenography when you receiving line, Rev. and Mrs. T. can get the Bryne systems R. Waggoner, Rev. and Mrs. J. which possess such wonderful S. Lawrence, Rev. and Mrs. advantages that they enabled the Garvin and Mesdames M. S.

short space of twelve years, the of music furnished by Mesdames largest business training school D. Scott, Chas. Irby. Wallace Alexander, R. C. Montgomery and J. B. Baker the guests wereschool that has enrolled pupils ushered into the beautifully decfrom 36 different states and orated dining room, the dominating colors being yellow and white. There Misses Leliz Couch, Ella Ree Debard, Helen McFatter and Alice Poole served: the refreshing cream, cake and mints, after which the Aid Society met them and ushered them into the spacious hall to mix and mingle with each other and made to forget that strangers were there.

I will go out of the feed and ses for a short ti k my competitors for . Also my patrons for

County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

Directions to Correspondents.

Last week Rese Bud and Arkansas got their communicapossible for us to get them in the Barton in town Sunday forms although they were put in while Messrs. Parks and Gortype. We print half of the pas per on Wednesday and often to. Why don't you write some have to all in with ellopings and more of those fine letters. other matter that is not as good as our country latters, then bost of readers there is not enough space left to take care of the late matter that comes in. For this reason. it would be a great help to us II our correspondents would mail their communications to us on Monday. To have everything delayed and come in the last of Delayed from last week. the week works a hardship in many ways. Some times our advertisers are slow to get their copy in, and often most of the composition has to be done on Friday, the day we finish printing the paper and mail it out. This is almost universally the trouble in a country office. Friday is a day of hurry and worry in the country printing plant. This worry and hurry accounts for many sins of omission and commission in the publication of a paper. We would consider it a great favor if our correspondents would write up the news Monday morning in time for the carrier to get it to us by Tusday morning. We could then get all the letters ready for Wednesday's press run.

Rose Items.

Delayed from last week.

Hello Mr. Editor and Chats, How are you all enjoying these fine sunshiny days?

This warm sunshine has be gun to make the people around Jeter called on Mrs. Bob Elmore here think that spring time is Wednesday afternoon.

All of the farmers are real busy about planting their crops. Lots of the maize and cane is up looking fine after the good rain Haskell Saturday. we had last week.

Health of our community is some better at this writing.

A large crowd of our young people attended the singing convention at Roberts Sunday. All reported a fine time.

Bro. Scott filled his regular appointment at Rose Saturday

Mrs. Rose spent Runday with of May, 1912. Mrs. Piland and daughter, Nancy.

BIM Earls spent Saturday night with Arthur Barton.

D. J. Barton and wife spent Sunday eve with Mr. Johnston and Magg Williams in Whit Chapel community.

Mr. and Mrs. Henshaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell.

Nancy Piland spent Saturday

morning with Minnie Barton. Messrs. Clyde Gordon, Wade Parks and Misses Iola Hollis and Minnie Barton attended singing at Ballew Sunday night and on the way Messrs Parks and Gordon happened to a serious accident. Clyde's pony became frightened, tore the shafts out of the buggy twice. The second time Wade tryed to stop the pony, and didn't succeed right then because the horse threw him under the buggy, county of HASKELL. We, I. D. Killingshurting him serious in several worth as vice-president, and H. E. Fields places. But Clyde came out as cashier of said bank, each of us, do all right, (only frightened a lit-

Jesse Riley and Tony Patterson of Center Point were visitors in our community Saturday 1st

night and Sunday. three or four days of last week Correct .- Attest: with Mr. Hayes north east of G. T. McCulloh, own and was accompanied Chas. Killingsworth, home by one of Mr. Hayes sister

ola Hollis and Minnie Barton

don were fixing their baggy. Where has Mary Jane gone.

Hest wishes to the editor and noon.

Mocking Bird. Lame back is usually caused by back, for which you will find no day night and Sunday with Ner- little space and I will chat with thing better than Chamberlain's via Bolles. mment. For sale by all dealers.

Center Point.

Good morning Mr. Editor here come again with a few words. We are glad to report that Mrs. Rhodes who has been on the sick list for several days is improving.

Bob Elmore and wife are the proud parents of a little daughter. H. F. Harwell and family, Charley Parks and family and Frank Patterson and family were the guests of A. J. Rhodes and family Sunday.

Miss Eula Kennamer is on the

sick list at this writing. Grandma Jeter spent Sunday

with her son Henry. All the farmers are planting

at this writing. Mrs. B. F. McDonald and children spent Sunday with Mrs.

McLennan. Charley Parks and family visit ed Frank Patterson and family

Saturday night and Sunday. Jess Bland and Grandma Bland was the guests of Mrs.

Rhodes Monday afternoon. Mesdames Briden and Frank

Will Jeter made a trip to Frank Patterson's Sunday.

Eugene McLennan and Elmer Jeter made a business trip to

I will ring off and go to work. Unknown.

NO. 265. Statement of the Financial Condition of

THE H A SKELL STATE BANK at Haskell, State of Texas, at the close of

business on the 18th day of April night, Sunday and Sunday night 1912, published in the Haskell Free Press and a large crowd was present a newspaper printed and published at Haskell, State of Texas, on the 4th day

RESOURCES
Loans and Discounts, personal or
collateral\$87,820,33
Loans, real estate 12,153.2:
Furniture and Fixtures 1,800.00
Due from approved reserve agents,
net 28,524.5
Due from other Banks and Bankers,
subject to check, net 1,252.5
Cash Items
Currency 8,090,00
Specie 2,061.80
Bills of Exchange 5,700.00
Guaranty Funds 1,033.96
Assessment No. 1 and 2 168.30
Total
LIABILITIES
Capital stock paid in\$20,000.00
Surplus Fund
Undivided profits, net 272.15
Due to Banks and Bankers
subject to check
Individual deposits, subject to
check 106,090.8
Time Certificates of Deposit 300.0
Cashier's Checks 2,257.6
Bills Payable and Rediscounts . 18,000.0
Total

solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and

I. D. Killingsworth, Vice-President. H. E. Fields, Cashier. Sworn and subscribed to before me this lst day of May A. D. nineteen hundred and twelve. H. M. Hayes and wife spent the date last aforesaid.

J. L. Robertson, Notary Public. Directors

Ballew Items.

Delayed from last week. Well here I am again after an absence of several weeks. Now Mocking Bird, if you wil promise to be real quite I'll sit here by you this beautiful afternoon,

Health of our community isn't very good at present.

Most of the farmers, are very busy planting cotton this week. Quite a crowd from here attended the singing at Roberts Sunday and all report a nice

Cla Hewitt spent Saturday night with Opal Holt. Mrs. Emma Monke visited

Mrs. J. W. Dyer Sunday after-

Francis Wilkins from Bonny Texas, is evisiting her cousin. Delayed from last week. Pearl Kreger.

Lillie Beckham spent Satur-

Lillie Belle Wright is very she will soon be better.

Mrs. Steadman and daughter, er for farming since the rain. Mary from Haskell attended Charlie Bledsoe and family Tom Wright and wife from and family. Fort Worth came in Sunday

future home. Tom Baker and wife spent wife of Pinkerton.

Leslie Petit from Whitt, left Tuesday morning for his home, Effie Hayes spent Saturday afterafter a short visit with friends noon with Thelma Bledsoe. at this place.

rom Gibtown, Texas, are visit- Sunday. ing her parents, H. T. Wright and wife.

Wade Park and Clyde Gordon Mrs. Felix Frierson. and Iola Hollis and Minnie Barsinging at Ballew Sunday night Quite a crowd from Powell at-

tended singing at Ballew Sunday night. Clifford Ridley's father from Oklahoma City is visiting him with Robert Hayes.

this week. Messrs. Lamb and Watson rom Seymour spent Sunday school house Sunday evening night with I. S. Grindstaff.

There will be singing at Bal-

NO. 7825.

Report of the Condition of THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK

Loans and Discounts...... \$ 56,772,25

at Haskell, in the state of Texas, at the close of business April 78th, 1912. RESOURCES.

Overdrafts, secured and unse-

cured	7.52	, RESC
U. S. Bonds to secure circula-	*	Leans and Discount
tion	25,000.00	Overdrafts, secured
Premiums on U.S. Bonds	249.00	cured
Bonds, Securities, etc	1,078.60	U. S. Bonds to secu
Banking house, Furniture and		tion
Fixtures	10.550.00	Banking house, Fur
Due from National Banks (not		Fixtures
reserve agents)	2,687.80	Other Real Estate o
Due from State and Private		Due from National
Banks and Bankers, Trust		reserve agents)
Companies, and Savings		Due from approve
Banks	470.25	Agents
Due from approved Reserve		Checks and other C
Agents	7,967.13	Notes of other Natio
Notes of other National		Fractional Paper
Banks	1,900.00	Nickels and Cents
Fractional Paper Currency,		Specie
Nickels and Cents	83.10	Legal tender notes.
Specie	5,397.90	Redemption fund
Legal-tender notes	300.00	Treasurer (5 per
Redemptton fund with U. S.		circulation)
Treasurer (5 per cent of cir-		Total
culation)	1,250.00	LIABI
Total LIABILITIES.	1114 719 55	Capital stock paid i
17a Dir Pripa	114,110.00	Surplus fund
Capital stock paid in	31,000,00	Undivided Profits,
Surplus fund	6,200.00	ses and Taxes pai
Undivided Profits, less Expen-	0,400.00	National Bank Note
ses and Taxes paid	827.91	ing
National Bank Notes outstand-	13.01.01	Due to other Nation
ing/	25,000.00	Due to State and Pri
Individual deposits subject to	40,000.00	and Bankers
check	35,330.00	Individual deposits
Time certificates of deposit		Check
Cashier's checks outstanding.	418.73	Time certificates of
Bills payable, including cer-	410,10	Cashier's checks out
belance, meraning con-		Dilla secolta India

5,000.00

Total 114,713,55 State of Texas. County of Haskell, ss: I. O. E. Patterson, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above state- do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. O. E. Patterson, Cashier.

tificates of deposit for money

this the 1st day of May, 1912. H. M. Rike, Notary Public. Correct-Attest: R. C. Montgomery,) Directors. F. Pinkerton, T. L. Montgomery,

Subscribed and sworn to before me

lew every Sunday evening at 2:80 o'clock.

Bro. Griffin will preach at Bal lew Sunday aftenoon at 3:30 o'clock. Every body invited to come out and hear him.

Well I'll be going and let some of you good writers take my Arkansas.

Mrs. Wm. A. Allen, Chacon, New Mexico, had so severe a cough that it nearly choked her to death. Mr. Allen says: "We tried many things without help- remarked a few days ago that It is hoped that a representaing her when by good luck I got a bottle of Foley's Hobey and Tar was among the best in the State many other trustees and citizens Compound. It helped her at once and finally cured her. It is and that the people as a whole as can, will attend the county the best medicine we ever used." were united in school affairs, and district trustees meeting For sale by Robertson's Drug The people and to be command-next Monday, May the 6th,

Whitman.

Hello Mr. Editor and chats:

Just move over and give me a you a few moments.

Health in our community is ow with crysipelas, but we hope good at this writing and every body is enjoying this fine weath-

singing at Ballew Sunday night. s ent Sunday with Mr. Lawson

Harve Brundage and wife visnight to make this place their ited at Mr. Sam Treat's Sunday

Tom Baker and wife of Ballew Sunday with Sam Treat and spent Sunday with relatives near this place.

Minnie McNeely, Beaulah and

Mr. Mansfield of Haskell atten-L. M. Tunrner and family ded the singing at Mr. Hagers

> Mottie Frierson spent-several days last week with her sister,

Alice Hayes is visiting her ton from Rose Chapel attended brother Mose Hayes of Rose Chapel this week.

Lina Smith and Tom and Minnie McNeely visited Thomas and

Iris Sanford Saturday night. Sam Cearley spent Sunday

A large crowd gathered at the and reorganized our Sunday relatives near this place Tues-E. A. Thomas and wife spent school with Steve Leffar Super-Sunday with Bob Glenn and intendent and about thirty five members every body is invited night with Mrs. Lyles east of until a more convenient time. to come and take part with us.

Lucy Adams and Thelma Bledsoe visited Beulah Hayes

NO. 4474. Report of the Condition of THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK

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•	at Haskell in the state of Texas close of business April 18th, 191	
	. RESOURCES.	- 1
	Leans and Discounts	145.280.48
)	Overdrafts, secured and unse-	
)	cured	51.27
)	U. S. Bonds to secure circula-	
	tion	25,000.00
)	Banking house, Furniture and	
1	Fixtures	8,600,00
)	Other Real Estate owned	4,331.75
٩	Due from National Banks (not	
	reserve agents)	624.29
	Due from approved Reserve	
5	Agents	10,718.80
•	Checks and other Cash Items	39.13
Ł		2,368.00
5	Fractional Paper Currency.	*,000.00
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13.54 8......... 5,455.25 2,000.00 with U.S. r cent of 205,782.51 ILITIES. in....... 12,000,00 less Expenid es outstand-...... 25,000,00 nal Banks ...

rivate Banks subject to deposit ... itstanding. Bills payable, including certificates for money borrow'd Total..... 205,782.54 State of Texas. County of Haskell, ss: I, G. E. Langford, cashier of the above named bank

ment is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. G. E. Langford, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 20th day of April, 1912. Scott W. Key, Notary Public.

Directors.

T. C. WILLIAMS, Editor.

A prominent citizen of Rule the channels of the schools.

Most of the schools of the ed for this good school spirit. county will close by May the It is hoped that the schools of 10th. The schools of the count the county will continue to be ty have had a very profitable treated as a school matter and year's work. Some few schools that other affairs which have have had disturbances but as a nothing to do with school condiwhole the work has been good. Hons will not be brought into

was among the best in the State many other trusters and citizens



WARD SCHOOL HOUSE

Monday of last week.

ner with Mr. Nortoc of Pinker- the oldest towns in this part of ton Sunday.

ting his mother and father near all points north for a hundreed this place this week.

soe spent Friday and Saturday in that part of the state. with Tom Baker and wife of Bal-

Adams Friday afternoon.

school Friday, the last day. the singing convention at Rob, still substantial buildings. erts school house Sunday.

day of last week.

Haskell.

day eve.

Isn't our page improving. Will fring off, good luck to the

Free Press and its readers. Rose Bud.

Southeast Texas. Dear Mr. Editor and Correspon-

dents: I will drop in for a few minutes chat after these heavy down-pours or young floods,

Well, I believe we left off at Waco. It seemed that I never could get away from Waco; Waco is so attractive. But after a while we secured breakfast and after spending several hours there, I caught the H. & T. C. South. Our first stop of importance was Marlin.

Marlin is situated in one of the and seemed to be populated with Mrs. Bessie Leonard Saturday.

nearly all classes of people. I did not remain here long and guest of Johnnie Cantrell Sunday was soon on a southward travel. night. We had not traveled far before we reached Bremond, as Bremond city spent Sunday with W. R. is on the main line of the H. & T. Hunt and family. C. we changed carsfor the Houston train only stopped a few moments family of Goree. here about 30 minutes, when we Monday. boarded the train again, and in a Several of the young folks of very short time we reached this place attended the party at Capital. Bryan is another town report a jolly good time. that is located in one of Texas | Mrs. U. T. Stodghill and Mrs. finest farming countries. The Viola Stoddghill called on Mrs. next stop just five miles south of W. R. Hunt Monday eve. Bryan is College Station, one of W. R. Hunt has been on the the prettiest places in which I sick list for the past few days. have visited, with the A. & M. Mrs. Will Via of Roberts called College located there, and the on Mrs. U. T. Stodghill Monday campus laid off in such an ideal eve. tention and inspection of almost Girls.

any one. The next stop from here Mr. Parr and family took din- was Navasota. Navasota is one of he state. It being the nearest Mr. Warn Quattlebaum is vis- market for a number of years to miles or more, which makes it Alice Adams and Lome Bled- still a very strong cotton market

Navasota has many old quaint buildings such as buildings made Oretha Decker called at Mr. of stone taken from quarries in that county and hewn down to fit Lillie Mantooth visited our in the old style way. Some of these buildings have stood halt of Mr. Clarence Massie went to a century-at present-and are

From here I went home, I will Mose Harp and wife visited not take time now to tell just how I reached home from here but live some 60 miles trom here. I Lina Smith spent Monday will leave this part of my trip off

So if this makes it way to the Lucy Adams and Thelma Bled- press my next piece will contain soe visited Mrs. Sam Treat Sun- some of my chum's and myself's experiences and what we saw, and Come on all you good writers, did in the southern part of the state.

All of you good writers, write again. Come again Judge and tell us about that potato incident. With best wishes to you, and many readers. Snookums.

Kirkdale.

Hello Editor and Chats. Health in our community is ery good at this writing.

Mrs. Bessie Leonard spent Sunday eve with Mrs. J. J. McCasland. Miss Ruth Hunt spent Sunday night with Mrs. U. T. Stodghill. We had Sunday School Sunday

eve with a small attendance. Mrs. Eaton of Wise county is visiting her daughter Mrs. Ed Mc-Neal of this place.

Mrs. Rudella Howard and Mrs. finest farming sections in the state, Frank Haley spent the day with Nora Belle Stodghill was the

Soule Elliott and family of the

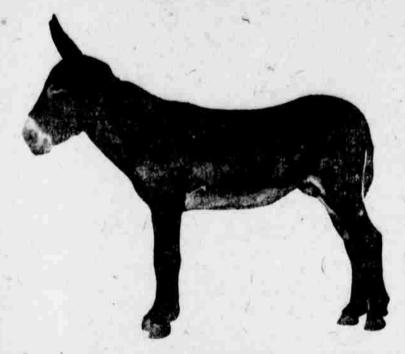
Mrs. Ada Stodghill took dinner line our speed was of course great- with Mrs. Viola Stodghill Sunday. ly improved and it was very long W. R. Hunt spent Tuesday until we reached Calvert, the night with J. D. Roberts and

here, and then our stop for dinner I. W. Kirkpatrick and J. F. was in Hearne. We remained Kennedy had business in the city

Brazos county, which Bryan is the Prof. Gentry's Saturday night all

way is enough to attract the at- Come again Two Jolly School

"BLACK PAT"



Black Pat is 2½ years old, 15 hands high, wherein H. C. Scott is plaintiff and C. M. Hunt, J. J. Stein, L. W. Williams and Mrs. Laura Bryant are defendants. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows:

That heretofore, to with above. the Haskell cemetery. Terms 10.00 to insure foal

That heretofore, to-wit, about the 10th. day of May, 1909, the defendants, C. M. Hunt and J. J.

WILL also have the J. L. Linville horse, which will make the season at my place, at \$10.00 ed to the detendant, Mrs. Laura to insure foal. W. A. NEAL

The Banks of This County

In this issue of the Free Press | R. S. Porter, of Cameron, an serve the highest praise They have only done this by exercising the broadest business policy. The men who are guiding these

matism and I gladly recommend you have any trouble with your them." Sold by Robertson's stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

A Big Ranch to Be Put In Farms.

will be found the statements of old aquaintance of Gene Griffin, that it said note should be placthe Weinert State Bank, the was in the city this week. Mr. ed in the hands of an attorney for Continental Bank of Sagerton, Porter was a general merchant collection, or if collected by legal the Haskell National Bank, the of Cameron for 35 years, and Farmers National Bank and the lately sold his business there Haskell State Bank. When we and retired. He has owned consider the burden these in 2700 acres of the land in the said detendant, Mrs. Laura Bryant, stitutions have had the past north east part of this county at Haskell, Texas. three years, and the general for many years, and for the past financial conditions, we think 20 years was leased to the late the men who have managed these L. S. Jones and since his death banks and taken care of the busi- has been leased to the Jones fect. ness interest of the country, de- boys. Mr. Porter and his wife will move to Haskell and make it part of the purchase price of certheir home. It is Mr. Porters kell County, Texas, which was on intention to improve his land and said 10th day of May, 1909, conput it in cultivation and build veyed to the said C. M. Hunt and institutions, and have handled a delicate situation with such unprecedented success are, R. 'C. Montgomery and O. E. Patters was well pleased with such tarson of the Farmers National.' Porter was well pleased with terson of the Farmers National, Porter was well pleased with G. E. Langford of the Haskell Haskell. We feel sure Mr. and metes and bounds as follows: Be-National, Hollis Fields of the Mrs. Porter will meet with a ginning at the S. W. Corner of

Dak., says: "I suffered with rheumatism for ove: 8 years, and it seemed at times that I would go crazy with pain. Three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills cured my rheumatism for ove: 8 years, and it seemed at times that I would go lets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If

BLACK DAN



The Percheron and Canadian black Stallion, owned by T. A. Pinkerton, will make the season at Johnson's Wagon Yard, under the management of B. A. Glasscock. This Animal has the beautial neck and mane of the Canadian, with all the decile qualities. He is eight years old, top weight, 1750. Fees \$15.00.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Haskell, if there be a newspublished therein, but if not, then published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 39th judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, L. W. Williams, whose residence is un-known, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Has-kell at the Court House thereof, in Haskell on the 27th day of May A. D. 1912 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 14th day of March A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the

Bryant, their certain promissory note for (\$200.00), Two Hundred Dollars, dated May 10th, 1909, due January 1st, 1911 providing for interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date, and further proceedings, to pay 10 per cent additional on the principal and interest due as collection fees; said note being payable to the order of the

Whereby the said defendants became liable and bound and promised to pay said note according to its legal and tenor and ef-

That said note was executed as National, Hollis Fields of the Haskell State Bank, all of this city, and A. R. Couch of the Weinert State Bank and M. R. Smith of the Continental State Bank of Sagerton.

Lerov Thacker, Watertown, S. Dak., says: "I suffered with rheubard state being done by Chamberlain's Tablets.

Mrs. Porter will meet with a hearty welcome from the people of Haskell and the Free ple of Haskell and Cass Survey for the S. W. Corner of the land hereby convey ed; Thence S 1072 1-2 vrs. to a st tract hereby conveyed; Thence W. along said South line 562.4 yrs. to the place of beginning, containing 100 acres of land, in which said deed and in said note the vendor's lien was expressly retained to secure the payment of said note.

That plaintiff in due course of trade and for a valuable consideration acquired said note and a written transfer of the said vendor's lien from the defendant, Mrs. Laura Bryant.

That after the said acquisition of said land by the defendants, C.
M. Hunt and J. J. Stein, as set out in paragraph III, hereof said defendants, C. M. Hunt and J. J. Stein by their deed of writing conveyed said land to the defendant to the de L.W. Williams, the said defendant Williams assuming therein, as a part of the purchase price for said land, the note herein sued on.

That the said above mentioned deeds from the defendant, Mrs. Laura Bryant to the defendants. C. M. Hunt and J. J. Stein and from said defendants, C. M. Hunt and J. J. Stein and from said defendants, C. M. Hunt and J. J. Stein to the defendant L. W. Williams are alleged to be in the possession of the defendants, and they are each and all hereby notified to produce same on the trial of this cause, to be used as evidence therein in behalf of plaintiff, otherwise secondary evidence will be used to prove their contents.

Executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas, this, the 17th day of April A. D. 1912.

[SEAL]

Guy O. Street.

Clerk District Court Haskell County, Texas.

Hail Insurance.

Let us issue you a policy in the Saint Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co., (a stock company with over \$5,000,000.000 cash assets)

hereby notified to produce same on the trial of this cause, to be used as evidence therein in behalf of plaintiff, otherwise secondary evidence will be used to prove their contents.

That said note is past due and wholly unpaid, except that the interest has been paid on same up to November 1st. 1911, and the defendants though they have each and all been requested to pay same, wholly refuse, and plaintiff, the legal and equitable owner and holder of said note and of said lien, after the maturity of said note placed ame in the hands of Gordon B. McGuire, an attorney at law, for collection under contract, reasonable for his said every some proper some at law, for collection under contract cough or collection fees which is alleged to be reasonable for his said every some half. For saie by all plaintiff prays for judgment on the laced and equitable owner and services.

Hall Insurance.

Let us issue you a policy in the basint Paul Fire & Marine Insurance.

Henry Ferris, Hadar, Nebr., is the father of ten children and for the past 20 years has used Foley's thoney and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the best of results. He tells us: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar Compound with the

Plaintiff prays for judgment on dealers.

What do your Clothes Suggest

One of the greatest laws in all human nature, is the law of Suggestion. You are attracted to a passerby in the street. Instadtly your mind associates

him with something his clothes suggest. With poverty, wealth, refinement, vulgarity--often even with failure or success--with any of a thousand of the pursuits, passions, or possessions of humanity.

Our clothes suggest coolness and comfort. Look at one of our customers as he comes down the street--he will have that air of selfconfidence and prosperity. That's the kind of men we sell clothes to.

We won't see a man wearing one of our New Spring Mohairs, who doesn't have a look of prosperity and a cheerful expression, and why shouldn't he feel good? You just can't help it if you put on one of these suits we just received last week.

Can you point with pride to the lable of your suit

We can for we sell the well known, Brandegee, Kincaid & Co. clothes. The clothes without fault, springy suits full of life and snap. Our Mohair suits are perfectly tailored and are made of Priestlys "Cravenette" English Mohair. We sold a good number of them this week, but we have yet a good run of sizes in the best patterns.

> These suits are \$25.00 and \$30.00 values Marked at \$20.00 and \$25.00 You are expected

SILVER COLLARS

MORE STRAWS NEXT WEEK

F. G. Alexander & Sons

The Big Store

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court. on the said first part of the purchase price for aid land, the note herein sued on.

That the said above mentioned leeds from the defendant interest. As a day of the next term thereof, this with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Haskell Lady Honored.

Mother's Congress which met at was arrested at Stamford and the leading spirits in this work in captured. Haskell and we are very proud of the honor conferred on both her-St., Wichita, Kansas, reports: "I self and our little city.

A Jail Delivery.

Mrs. J. F. Posey received the There was a jail delivery here notification by Mrs. Jas. A. Price, this week, and two prisoners Corresponding-Secretary of the made a getaway. Red Malcom Fort Worth, April 19th and 20th, Sherriff Falkner brought him 1912, that in the deliberations of back Thursday. One of the the busines session, she had been selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district. Mrs. Posey has been one of the selected 1st V-President of this district.

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MASKELL, TEXAS, May 4, 1912.

Don't tolerate the fly. Swat rum now and you will avoid sickness later.

dows and keep the fly out in crops last year forces the Commence in time to rid your- farmer to buy feed stuff and self of this pest.

You can talk about boosters all you want to but they accomplish at least two things: Capital is attracted and population is increased. Be a beoster.

this year and as a result the pros- can raise on his farm, and if the bloom like a rose.

It matters not how small a city may be, it can be just as clean and emerprising as a large one. In- us with an abundant supply of dividuals make up the city and good water, and many of the usually the appearance of a town homes have been adorned with shows the character of the individ- nice shade trees, shrubbery and uals residing within it.

No movement has yet been made to put down that concrete sidewalk to the depot. Aren't you pave or gravel her streets, build ashamed of the dilapidated ap- a few more very much needed pearance of the walks along the sidewalks and clean up her alleys streets leading to the depot? a little better, a prettier town in Now, honest, are you not?

ever to serve you in

What is true of the physical pody and mind in growth is also true of cities. Inactivity is not progression. Without effort nothfor our city.

Experience is necessary to the success of any undertaking. A fellow can't even be a successful fisherman unless he understands the kind of bait to use, the right depth to throw his hook and the simple twist of the wrist in pulling the fish out. Experience teaches us to take advantage of every opportunity that comes to us, if we have the gray matter to profit by its teachings.

The following from the Texas Farm Co-Operator seems to us to be timely adivce:

"Every farmer that is now trying to make a crop realizes that after he pays the expense there will be no profits left from the present crop, every-Screen your doors and win-thing is so high and the failure provisions that are costing him too much. This season should be an object lesson to many farmers, and they should profit by their present experiences and turn over a new sheet. No man who is trying to farm can The elements have been kind afford to buy anything that he pects thus far for good crops were present seasons hold out they never better. Watch West Texas can raise almost anything that they need."

> Haskell has prettiest homes to be found any Nature has provided flowers, which all betoken a civic pride that all lovers of the beautiful will commend...

If Haskell would get busy and West Texas could not be found.

We have moved to the C. D. Grissom & Son

buildind, where we are better prepared than

GROCERIES

We appreciate your liberal patronage in the

past, and promise to give you the best ser-

Haskell Co-Operative

Store

vice and best goods to be had in the future.

Our Boys.

Haskell has many boys of whom she should be-and is These boys are good, clean, high-minded, ambitious, manly fellows, full of promise of well rounded and useful manhood. It is the duty of every man and woman in Haskell to encourage them, to show an interest in their doings and give them a hearty word of approval when they do well.

About twenty of these boys who have been doing special work the past year will particle by swatting the fly. pate in the Oratorical and Declamatory Contests next week.

If you want to know what the study of oratory is doing for to find him later in the butter. them, ask the boys themselves. them in all their other lessons, it teaches them to interpret what they read, gives them a taste for better literature, improves their salesman—the fly. power of expression, cultivates their memory, gives them selfconfidence, poise, and stimulates their desire for higher and better things. They begin to realize that they are always giving outward expression to that which is within and this begets a desire to receive into the mind and heart things that are worth revealing. Since a man must influence in a greater or lesser deing is accomplished. Let's all work contact, he should be able to think and express the good, the true and the beautiful things of

Our boys are not all ambitious to become politicians or public speakers, but they do wish to be able to do their part in the affairs become factors in making the York City. town or community in which they live better for being in it.

Are you encouraging them? Subscribe for the Free Press

and keep up with Haskell.

Swat The Fly!

Reported by the State Commercial Club Secretaries. If you wish to live long and prosper-swat the fly.

Swat and the world swats with you.

Every time you go to town keep on swatting the fly around. Be a thoroughbred, no matter what befalls. For tis better to have swatted and missed than never to have swatted at all.

Increase your bitting average

A swat in time saves nine.

Tis better to swat the fly than If every thing was in proper-They will tell you that it helps tion, fly wings would go well on

women's hats. An undertaker's traveling

Uneasy lies the head that furnishes a playground for the fly

"Let Texas Grow." Patronize home industry; build good roads and swat the fly.

If you have any conscientious scruples about killing the pesky fly turn him over to us.

We have no more respect for a gree all with whom he comes in lady fly than for any other kind of a fly-Swat her.

> Either swat the fly or make it wipe its feet on the door mat. Brown eyed flies are deceitful -swat her.

A movement is on foot to esof life in a creditable manner; to tablish a fly crematory in New

> The only fly that is immune from sudden death is the fly without lower extremities.

Swatting the fly will increase your muscular power.

Come to the West Side Pharmacy

For everything in the way of

Pure Drugs and Medicines Toilet and Sporting Goods

Low Prices Best Goods at

Our Prescription Department is supervised by Mr. H. H. Langford Registered Pharmacist of twenty years experience. Don't forget our fountain the summer days are coming and we can serve you with COLD DRINKS AND ICE CREAM flavored with Delicious Fruit

West Side Pharmacy J. R. Walton, Prop.

Eczema? Try Zemo.

Mas Cured Worst Cases and You Can Try It at

Yes, try Zemo. That's all you need do to get rid of the worst case of eczema. You take no chance, it is no experiment. Zemo is positively guaranteed to stop itching, rash, raw bleeding eczema, make a pimpled face smooth and clean. Zemo is a wonder and the minute applied flight. The deceased was born it sinks in, vanishes, leaves no Oct., 19, 1856, in the state of evidence, doesn't stick, no Ohio, and came to Texas some grease, justa pure, clean wonderful liquid and it cures. This is guaranteed. Zemo is put up by the E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., and sold by all druggists throughout America, and in Haskell by the Robertson Drug Store.

Farm Loans.

and it will be to your interest to in the Haskell Cemetery Tuessee me, as I am prepared to handle all good business offered, and can give you prompt inspections and satisfactory service.

Better get that loan matter adjusted while prospects are good. Remember last season?

J. L. Robertson, In State Bank, Haskell, Texas.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do it church by Rev. W. P. Garvin. by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and massaging the parts Fields, R. C. Montgomery, G. T. freely at each application. For McCullob, Chas. Killingsworth, sale by all dealers.

Make it a point to swat at least two flies a day.

Flies are the forerunners of

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to swatting

A Splendid Citizen Gone.

At six a. m., April 19, A. D 1912, at the sanitarium at Abilene, Texas, the soul of Archibald Charles Sherick took its 25 years ago, and about ten years ago moved to Haskell county with Mrs. Ida Sherick, his wife, who survives him. The deceaswas a sturdy, careful business man and prominent as a stockman and banker. He helped to organize the Haskell State Bank and was the President of this popular institution when he If you want a loan on your died. The deceased was buried day in the presence of a large assembly of friends, who gathered to do just honor to one who merited the respect of all who knew him. The funeral party were met at the train by a number of friends, and escorted to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Fields. The service was conducted at the Methodist

Machinery Harvesting

We are now taking orders for the celebrated DEERING HARVESTING MACHINERY, including Push Machines, Grain Harvesters, Corn Binders, Mowers and Rakes.

These orders are now taken subject to crop conditions, and as we expect a heavy demand for these goods, we will appreciate your orders early to enable us to make prompt delivery.

Jones, Cox & Co.

A Successful Entertainment.

On last Friday evening at the was rendered by Mrs. H. R. ly pulverized rich soil. Jones music class.

Jones recitals.

Many numbers on the pro- shoots light, room and air. mention, especially the side soil, pull out all weak plants, and splitting farce, "Mrs Butter water every evening till the milk and her son, Johnny," who plants are about the size of an simply "brought the house down."

The appearance of the older of these little maidens carrying knife tops and roots are pruned their little lanterns, even to their quaint black "Ques" were charmingly unique; the beautiful for them were begun a year stage setting rendering charm and allurement to the scene.

much favorable comment and ways and harrowed down reflected much credit on their smooth. The last discing and teacher as director.

"The crowning of the Moon Queen," as the closing number, a creation of art in its costuming was bewitchingly rendered by the younger pupils.

Mrs. Jones' friends and patrons were deeply gratified with the progress and training manifested by her pupils on this oc

Reviewing the entire program and t^gking into consideration the vast amount of painstaking work and professional efficiency which makes it possible to stage such an entertainment, we are made to exclaim: "What hath woman wrought!"

Announcement to Singers

The South Haskell Singing Convention will convene with the Joe Bailey Class the 2nd Sunday in May, the classes are urged to send their delegates. We want to make this the best meeting of the convention. All singers and music lovers are invited.

A special invitation to the Editors. J. M. Riley, President.

Lessons From the Farm-No. 2.

When we wish to grow big Opera House, one of the most yellow onions, we plant the seed unique and spectacular enter- from a reliable seed firm, about tainments to which the public the 1st. of Sept., in narrow drills has been treated this season, across low flat beds of thorough-

We completely cover the beds The program throughout was with wheat sacks, and water replete with that spicy variety every day till the end of a week which always characterize Mrs. or ten days; then we remove covers and give the tiny green

gram were deserving of special | Then we carefully stir the ordinary lead pencil.

About the middle of November we do not water for a day or members of the class in Chinese two, suddenly give them a big costume in "The Feast of the shower, and pull them up, each Little Lanterns," was greeted handful as it is grasped is laid with applause. The costuming on a board and with a big sharp evenly. At once we carry them to the field where preparations ago. First the land was thoroughly fertilized, then plowed The class chorus occasioned deep, cross broken, disced both harrowing may follow the crop of peanuts or brown cow peas the land has already made that year. Arriving at the field with our onion plants and garden line we lay off straight rows not very deep-and proceed to set the plants about four or six inches apart, and cover lightly, firming the soil to the roots.

They will grow all winter if there is any moisture in the soil, and the next spring instead of working the soil to cover them, we work it off of them a little more each week until the fine round beauties are standing half above the ground. Soon their tops begin to die and when they fall limp and lifeless we pull the onions, throw them into the wind-rows, haul them out, sort them according to size, sack them and send them to market. A Cook County Observer.

Money to Loan

on land at 8 per cent and 9 per cent interest, also to buy Vendors Lien Notes. If you want a loan come and see us.

SANDERS & WILSON,

Texas Central

HAVE SPECIAL ACCOMIDATIONS for those attending

Grand Lodge K. of P. at Waco

Tickets on sale May 12th, and 13th, limited to leave Waco April 21st.

Five Full Days in Waco H. B. Sperry, G. P. A.

Waco Texas.



Makes an Ideal Summer Camp.

mosquitoes and no fishing.

the fish, and guarantees a bite Herald. every second.-Cincinnati Enquir-

A Great Building Falls.

regulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Pleasant, easy, safe and only 25 cents at Jas. R. Walton's.

Their Difference.

"The baby likes to play with my

But you don't trust him with it when you are out, do you?" inquired her caller.

And thus a coolness arose be tween two women who had been lifelong friends. - Washington Herald.

> DR. JOSEPH DALY ABILENE, TEXAS

If you have Eye, Ear, Nose or Throat trouble, or if you need glasses, call and see him. He will tell you plain facts and will not treat you if your case is incurable. Next visit May 14th.

> OFFICE WITH DR. KIMBROUGH

Someone Should Tell Her.

Gabe-What are you going No woman ever made a greater Waiter (waiting for his order)back to that place for this sum- mistake than that which is made Have you made your choice, sir? mer? Why, last year it was all by the woman who thinks she will please her husband by sitting up Steve-The owner tells me he and waiting for him until 2 o'clock has crossed the mosquitoes with in the morning.-Chicago Record-

"Nails "

"Nails are mighty good things particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended when its foundation is undermin-solely for scratching, though I used, and if the foundation of health | ed mine largely for that purpose -good digestion - is attacked, for several years. I was sorely quick collaspe follows. On the afflicted, and had it to do. One first signs of indigestion, Dr. application of Hunt's Cure, how-King's New Life Pills should be ever, relieved my itch, and less taken to tone the stomach and than one box cured me entirely."

Not Exactly.

"Did the doctor reduce the Philadelphia Telegraph. welling?"

"Well, not exactly."

"What do you mean by that?" "He took it out of my face, but he put it back in the bill."—Baltimore American.

Mrs. Norris makes the following statement: My husband bought a bottle of Hunt's Lightning Oil for Rheumatism. He has

for constipation and disordered liver. It does its work thoroughly, but does not gripe like most the like. remedies of its character. I certainly recommend it whenever the opportunity occurs.

M. M. TOMLISON,

Price 25c. Oswego Kansas.

He Knew a Thing or Two.

Mrs. Exe-It isn't right to charge Willie with taking that money out of your pocket. Why don't you accuse me? Mr. Exe Because it wasn't all taken. Boston Transcript.

HASKELL DRUGGIST

DESERVES PRAISE

The Corner Drug Store deserves praise from Haskell people for introducing here the simple buckthorn bark and glycerine mixture, known as Adler-i-ka. This simple German remedy first became famous by curing appendicitis and it has now been discovered and it has now been discovered that A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation INSTANTLY. It s the only remedy that never

Very Much In Love.

Lovesic Laura.—Fliegende Blatter.

Letter From Mrs. Goforth. Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly using a sample bottle and two 25cent bottles of Hunt's Lightning Oil, I am almost well of Catarrh. It stops my headaches. It is the

can't just keep house without it."
She is right. Of Course.

best medicine I ever saw, and I

Tom-I told her father that I expected to inherit several pieces of this fact." J. M. WARD, Index, Texas, of fine property. Dick-What did he say? Tom-He said that deeds speak louder than words.-

> Mrs Norris Makes Statement Re garding Husband.

Tomlinson's Letter.

Simmons' Liver Purifier is the most valuable remedy I ever tried him. Mrs. Mollie Norris, Colbert,

Near Art Note.

"By George, old chap, when I ook at one of your paintings I stand and wonder"-

"How I do it?"

"No; why you do it."-Chicago Tribune.

Let the Free Press do your job printing. We are prepared to please you in workmanship, ma terial and price.



Withdraws From Race. Weinert, Texas, 4-29 1912.

Editor Free Press:-

I wish to state through the columns of your paper that I will not continue in the race for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2. For some newspaper published in the reason that my farming opera- the county of Hackell for eight tions will not permit me to give weeks previous to the return fers, and other documents menthe attention to this affice that it should have,

the many kind courtesies and exp essions of support given me, and at the next regular term thereof the trial of this cause to be used for your interest and kindness I to no housest he court house thereof thank you.

Respectfully, J. T. Therwhanger.

Flagged Train With Shirt. Tearing his shirt from his back and kidneys were all badly affect.

cd and my liver was in bad condition, but four bottles of Electric On the 1st. day of October A. D.

Advertised Letters.

George Brooks Jim Dunkin **Brooks Rhodes** Mrs. A. A. McNeill Ethel Russell

A Stitch in Time.

Maskell People Should Not Neglect Their Kidneys.

No kidney ailment is unimportant. Don't overlook the slightest backache or urinary irregularity. Nature may be be effective Endorsed by Has-

kell people. Mrs. E. E. Williams, Haskell, street, Kansas City, writes: "After Texas, says: "Some time ago we got Doan's Kidney Pills from Collier's Drug Store (now the Corner Drug Store) having part of J. B. McCanless survey heard of their being a good rem- of 1280 acres situated in Haskell edy for kidney complaint. We can say that this preparation can be relied upon to relieve backache and pain in the loins. Our experience has convinced us

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name-Doan's and take no other.

morning. Expect to return by June 5th. I hope all the good people of Haskell will not overlook Decoration Day. It would every soldiers grave, yes and my wife's too, was remembered on that day by some kind hand. I remain,

Respectfully, G. J. Miller.

From far away Porto Rico come reports of a wonderful new dis-covery that is believed will vastly benefit the people. Ramon T. Marchan, of Barceloneta, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is do-

Porto Rico's New Wonder.

Citation by Publication

The State of Texas:

To the Sheriff or any constable of Haskell County Greeting: You are hereby commanded, day hereof, the heirs of S. F. McCanless, deceased, whose names and places of residence in Haskell, Texas, on the 27th day of May A. D. 1912, then and the contents will be introduced.

4. Plaintiff further claims title

there to answer a petition filed and ownership of the 178 acres in said court on the 9th day of of land here sued for under and an Ohio man flagged a train and No. 1365, wherein, J. E. Davis is ten years which he pleads as

"I was in a terrible plight | The nature of the plaintiff's when I began to use them," he demand being copied from plainwrites, "my stomach, head, back till's original petition is as fol-

Bitters made me feel like a new 1911, the plaintiff was lawfully man.' A triel will convince you of their matchless merit for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 cents at Jas. R. Walton's. described, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and the recovery thereof accrued, year last aforesaid the defendants, the heirs of S. F. McCanless, deceased, wrongfully and unlawfully and forcibly entered into posession thereof and ejectto his damage \$500.00

That the premises so wrongfully entered upon by the defendants and withheld by them from the plaintiff are bounded and described as follows:

Share No. 1—According to decree of Partition made and entered in the District Court, and the minutes thereof, of Haswarning you of approaching kell county, Texas, at the March dropsy, gravel or Bright's disterm of said court, 1889, describease. Kidney disease is seldom ed by metes and bounds as folfatal if treated in time, but neg- lows: Beginning at a stone lect may pave the way. Don't mound from which a dead mesanother day. Don't ignore dizzy of J. B. McCanless survey, 1900 spells, irregular or discolored varas North of S. E. corner of L. urine, headaches, weariness or Howerton survey which is depression. If you feel you thence North at 540 varas a years Doan's have been found to 659 varas, stone mound for N. E. corner; thence South crossing branch 1522 varas to a pile of stone, on south side of small branch for S. E. corner; thence West following S. B. line of original grant 6591 varas to the place of beginning, containing 178 acres of land, same being County, Texas, Abstract No. 318, certificate No. 53, survey No. 47, patented to the heirs of Jno. B. McCanless on Feb. 8,

1858 by patent No. 1057, Vol. 3. That the annual rent of said premises is of the value of

2. Plaintiff's claim and title to the land here sued for is set out as follows: (a) Patent from the State of Texas to the heirs of J. B. McCanless conveying Notice.

1280 acres of land, fully described in patent No. 1057, Vol. 3, dated Feb. 8th, 1858, (b) a Decree of partition between the heirs of J. B. McCanless, deceased, made and entered the District Court of Haskell county, Texas at the March cheer me very much to know that term 1889, together with all proceedings in connection there with, in cause No. 42, styled N L. McCanless et al vs. J. A McCanless et al then pending in said court, under which the 178

acres here sued for was decreed to and vested in S. F. McCanless, (c) Deed from the heirs of S. F McCanless, deceased, to W. B. Anthony, conveying said 178 acres; dated Feb. 13th, 1897, recorded in Vol. 18 page 291 of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, (d) Deed from W. B. Anthony to B. H. Dodson condoing splendid work here. It cur-ed me about five times of terrible March 23rd, 1897, recorded in coughs and colds, also my brother of a severe cold in his chest and more than 20 others, who used it on my advice. We hope this great medicine will yet be sold in every drug store in Porto Rico."

For throat and lung troubles it here are accused the county of the deed records of Haskell County, Texas, (e) Deed of Trust from B. H. Dodson to W. B. Anthony, Trustee for the Haskell National Bank, conveying in trust the 178 acres here sued for dated June relief, so I cheerfully recommendations are successfully himself of a bad case of kinds the county of the county himself of a bad case of kinds the county of the county himself of a bad case of kinds the county of the co has no equal. A trial will convince you of its merit. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Jas. R. Walton.

26, 1899 and recorded at page 67 have done for Mayor Dahlmann they will do for any other person bothered with backache, rheumated by Jas. R. Walton.

The Free Press is prepared to do your job printing on short and selected. Always Reliable of Stationery. Let us have your next order.

SI.OU. Trial bottle free. Guaranteecords of Haskell County, Texton as, (f) Trustee's deed from J. W. Collins, substitute Trustee or bladder trouble. Just to them for quick and permanent runder the foregoing deed of trust to J. A. Price, conveying stationery. Let us have your next order.

SUBSCRIPTION TO THE STATE OF THE STA

recorded at page 391 of Vol. 21 of the deed records of Haskell county, Texas, (g) Deed from J. A. Price to plaintiff, J. E. Davis, conveying the 178 acres here sued for, dated March 2nd, 1901 that you summon, by making and recorded at page 429 of Vol. publication of this citation in 16 of the Deed records of Haskell County, Texas.

3. That all the deeds, transtioned and referred to in 2nd subdivision of this petition are Assuring all that I appreciate are unknown to be and appear ants and they are each hereby before the Hon. District Court, notified to produce same upon to be holden in the County of as evidence or else that second-

March A. D. 1912, in a suit num by virtue of the Texas Statutes bered on the docket of said court of limitations of three, five and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. plaintiff and The Unknown Heirs Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once prevented a wreck with Electric Bitare defendants.

plaintiff and The Unknown Heirs follows: (a) Plaintiff says that defendants should not have, hold or recover any of said 178 hold or recover any of said 178 acres from him because he has had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession under title and color of title from and under the State of Texas of the lands and tenements described in 1st subdivision of this petition for more than three years before the commencement of this suit and after any cause of action in behalf of any of the defendants for (b) Plaintiff says that defendants should not have, hold or recover any of said 178 acres of land from him because he and those whose estate he was claiming ed plaintiff therefrom and now the same under a deed and deeds wrongfully withhold from the duly registered, has had peaceplaintiff the possession thereof able, continuous and adverse possession of the lands and tenements described in 1st subdivision of this petition, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon for a period of more than five years before the commencement of this suit and after any cause of action in behalf of any of the defendants for the recovery thereof accrued, (c) Plaintiff says that defendants ought not to have, hold or recover any of said 178 acres of land against lect may pave the way. Don't quite bears S. 61 W. 231 varas, him because he claiming to have neglect a lame or aching back and was made for S. W. corner to the land and perfect right and title him because he claiming to have to the land and premises described in 1st subdivision of this petition has had and held peaceably the land claimed and adverse possession of the same, cultivatneed kidney help begin using the reliable, time-tried remedy, Doan's Kidney pills. For 50 same for corner; thence East ment of this suit and after any cause of action in behalf of of the defendants accrued. 5. Plaintiff says that the

> or asserted by defendants or either of them to said land or any part thereof is unknown to him, and therefore he does not set out such claim or title in this petition. 6. Wherefore plaintiff prays

> nature of the claim or title held

for issuance of citation and the service thereof by publication as the law directs in this character of case, requiring defendants and each of them to appear at the next term of this court and answer this petition and that upon final hearing the plaintiff have judgement against all defendants for the title to and possession of the land and premises here sued for as well as his writ of possession, execution and cost of suit

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on the said first day of the term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal

of office, at Haskell, Texas, this the 20th day of March, A. D.

Guy O. Street. Clerk District Court, Haskell, County, Texas. Issued this the 20th day of

March A. D. 1912. Guy O. Street, Clerk District Court, Haskell County, Texas.

Jas. C. Dahlmann, serving his third term as mayor, Omaha, Nebr., again was successful in re-ceiving the overwhelming support of the voters in the primary election. He also successfully rid himself of a bad case of kidney trouble by the aid of Foley Kid-ney Pills, and writes, "I have tak-en Foley Kidney Pills and they have given me a great deal of

ILLUSTRATIONS BY ARTHUR B. WILLIAMSON

'When Wilderness Was King'

The Scouting Detail.

This premeditated insult, which Brennan evidently dispatched broadcast in hope that through some unknown channel it might reach me. changed my entire relationship with the man. I have never felt that Brennan was at heart a bad man; he was hard, stern, revengeful, yet I have no doubt under different circumstances I might even have valued him highly as a comrade or a friend. There is no demon like jealousy; and his early distrust of me, fostered by that mad disease had apparently warped his entire nature. Yet not even for love could I consent to leave my honor undefended, and after those hateful words there could be no rest for me until our differences were settled by the stern arbitrament of the naked blade. All prudence to the winds, no opportunity of meeting him should now to be cast aside.

The coming day was barely gray in the east when I was awakened by a heavy pounding upon the door. A smart-looking orderly stood without. "Captain Wayne?" he asked.

"That is my name. What have you, my man? "Compliments of Colonel Maitland,

chief of staff, sir," he said, handing me a folded paper.

"Dear Wayne:" the private note read, "Believing you would be glad to have the detail I have just arranged to send you at once upon some active service. Please report at these quarters immediately, fully equipped for the field."

Glad! It was the very medicine I most needed, and within twenty minutes of my receipt of this communication I was with Maitland, thanking him warmly for his thoughfulness.

'Not another word, Wayne," he insisted. "It is not much, a mere scouting detail over neutral territory, and will prove dull enough. I only hope it may help to divert your mind a trifle. Now listen-you are to proceed with twenty mounted men of the escort west as far as the foot-hills, and are expected to note carefully three things: First, the condition of forage for the sustenance of a wagon train; second, what forces of Federal troops, if any, are along the Honeywell; and third, the gathering of all information obtainable as to the reported consolidation of guerillas for purposes of plunder between the lines. If time suffice, you might cross over into the valley of the Cowskin and learn the condition of forage there as well. A guide will accompany your party, and you are to avoid contact with the enemy as far as possible. Your men carry five days' rations. You understand fully?"

"I do, sir; I presume I am to start at once?"

"Your squad, under command of Sergeant Ebers, is already waiting out-

"Are you all ready, sergeant?" I asked of the rather heavy-weight German who stood fronting me, his broad, red face as impassive as though carved from stone.

"Ve vos, captain." "Where is the guide?"

"Dot is him, mit der mule, ain't it?" he answered, pointing with one huge hand down the road.

"Very well, we will pick him up then as we go.

I cared so little as to whether or not he accompanied us at all, that we had advanced some distance before the thought of him again occurred to me. I knew the gentry fairly well, and had experienced in the past so many evidences of their stupidity, if not actual disloyalty, as to prefer my own knowledge of the country to theirs. My thought, indeed, for several miles was not at all with the little party of troopers jogging steadily at my heels, nor, in truth, was it greatly concerned with the fate of the expedition. That was but service routine, and I rode forward carelessly enough, never dreaming that every hour of progress was bearing me toward the most important adventure of my life. It was the German sergeant who recalled me the responsibilities of command.

"Captain," he exclaimed apologetsally, riding up to my side and wiping as round, perspiring face with great mergy, "ve are riding too hard, ain't ve? Mein Gott, but der horses will Tive out ontirely, already."
"Is that so?" I asked in surprise at

his words. A single swift giance round convinced me he was correct, for the mounts were exceedingly soft, and already looked nearly played out from our sharp pace. "Very well, we will halt here."

With a sigh of relief he drew back, and as he did so my eyes fell for the first time upon the guide. As I live, it was Jed Bungay, and when I stared at him in sudden amazement he broke

into a broad grin.
"Durn if I didn't begin ter think as low ye'd gone an' clar fergot me,

"Not a bit of it, Jed," and I rode up to him and extended my hand. "But how came you here? Are you the

"Sure thing, cap; know this yere kintry like a buk. 'Jaded horsemen from the west, at evening to the castle pressed.' By gum, you put Beelzebub an' me through a blamed hard jolt of it so fur.

"Beelzebub?"

"Ye bet, ther mule: I reckon as how ye ain't gone an' forgot him, hev ye?" "Bungay, what has become of Ma-

The little man's eyes suddenly filled with tears.

"I jist don't know, cap," he answered mournfully. "Whin I got hum ther el' cabin hed bin plum burnt down, ter you uns 'cause I didn't hey nowhar else ter go."

"Did you hunt for her among the old plantations along the valley?" I asked. deeply touched by his evident feeling. "She very likely sought refuge in some of those houses."

He looked at me in surprise. reckon, cap, as how ye don't know valley fer ther las' few months," he said soberly, rubbing down his mule hain't no plantation houses left thar now, thet's a fac', leastwise not northo' ther lines we uns sorter hol' onto yit. Sheridan he played hell with his cavalry raids, an' whut the blue-bellies left ther durned guerillas an' bushwhackers wiped up es clean es a slate. Durn if a crow wudn't starve ter death | medal. in ther valley now. Why, cap, them thar deserters an' sich truck is organized now till they're mighty nigh an army, an' they don't skeer fer nuthin' les' ner a reg'ment. I see more ner a hundred an' fifty in one bunch up on ther White Briar two week ago, an' they're worse ner a parcel er pirates. I reckon as how they got Mariar, but I'll bet she giv 'em a hot ol' time afore she done quit."

the north and west of our defending lines had already reached me-indeed, the verification had formed part of my instructions; but Bungay's homely yet graphic description made the situation appear terribly real, and my thought went instantly forth to those I knew who might even then be exposed to this great and unexpected danger.

The very conception of Edith Brennan in such hands as these was agony. I felt I could never rest until assured of her safety, and since my order granted me full authority to prolong my journey, I might ascertain whether or not she yet remained within the

"Jed." I asked, my mind finally settled, "do you know the old Minor plantation?"

"Ol' Jedge Minor's place? Sure; it's up on ther south branch of ther Cow-

"Have those fellows got down that far yet?" "Wal, I reckon not, but durn if I

know fer sure, cap."

"How long would it take us to reach there?

"'Bout two days, I reckon." I turned and looked at my men in some perplexity. They were scattered along the edge of the road, and only one group had taken the precaution to build a fire. The sergeant lay flat upon his back on a grassy knoll. "Ebers," I said sternly.

He arose ponde ous, and came forward with a decide dly halting gait. "Vos I sent for" he asked.

"Yes," I said; "I want you to have the men get their supper at once, as we shall be obliged to ride a good portion of the night. Get the men to their supper. We shall so on in an hour."

How often since have I smiled as the expression upon his solemn round face as he turned ruefully away!

(To be Continued.)

Flagged Train With Shirt.

Tearing his shirt from his back an Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once pre-vented a wreck with Electric Bitters. "I was in a terrible plight when I began to use them," he writes, "my stomach, head, back and kidneys were all badly affected and my liver was in bad condition, but four bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man." A trial will convince you of their matchless merit for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 cents at Jas. R. Walton's.

Farm Loans.

If you want a loan on your land it will be to your interest to see me, as I am prepared to handle all good business offered, and can give you prompt inspections and satisfactory service.

Better get that loan matter adjusted while prospects are good. Remember last season?

J. L. Robertson, In State Bank, Haskell, Texas.

Letter From Mrs. Goforth. Mrs. Z. E. Goforth, 2119 Holly street, Kansas City, writes: "After using a sample bottle and two 25cent bottles of Hunt's Lightning
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Witness my fiand and
the date last aforesaid.
W. J. Fair
Correct---attest:
J. B. Riddling,
Alvy R. Couch,

HASKELL TRACK **TEAM VICTORIOUS**

The Haskell High School tract team, in company with Prof. Joel H. Berry and Mr. W. D. Falkner, attended the State Athletic Association meet at College Station April 26th and 27th. There were twenty-two high schools and two academies of the state represented in this meet. The contest was intensely interesting and some exceedingly good records were made. There were seven out of fifteen nary stick o' it left, by gum! an' Ma- state records broken by high thet's a fac'. An' I sorter drifted back than the boys from the academies,

High School second place.

In all events there were 40 to sixty contestants. These were grouped into heats of about five, and from each heat one was selectevents except two. In the finals Haskell won fourth place in In the broad jump Brevard Long, place, receiving a handsome

In the oratorical contest Ernest Grissom, of Haskell, won second place and was awarded a two-year director's scholarship in the A. and NO MORE OIL M College

It is gratifying to know that the Haskell- boys won many compliments for their efficient work.

The State High School Athletic Association is managed and con-Haskell was honored in the election tinction that Haskell people appreciate, notwithstanding that the honor is worthily bestowed.

The executive board is planning printing. to organize a Southern Athletic from their state meet about ten Sold by all dealers. of their best contestants to contest at the Southern meet, the date and place to be determined later by the ship. Encouragement has al-ready been accorded the board in this movement, and their plans num. will no doubt be successful.

NO. 406.

Statement of the Financial Condition of

THE WEINERT STATE BANK at Weinert, State of Texas, at the close of

business on the 18th day of April, 1912, published in the Haskell Free Haskell, state of Texas, on the 4th day Press, a newspaper printed and published at Haskell, State of Texas, on the 4th day of May, 1912. RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal	
or collateral	\$24,375.9
Real Estate (banking house)	1,000.0
Furniture and fixtures	1,100.0
Due from Approved Reserve)
Agents, net	3,612.0
Due from other Banks and Bank	ers,
subject to check, net	27.7
Currency	1,574.0
Specie	800.7
Interest in Depositors Guaranty	
Fund	267.7
Assessment for Guaranty	2.2000
Fund	34.5
Total	32,792.7
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in 8	10.000.0
Surplus Fund	1,000,0
Undivided Profits, net	2,889.1
Individual Deposits, subject	w.com. I
to check	17,852.1
Cashier's Checks	51.4
Bills Payable and rediscounts	1,000.0
Total	32,792.7
State of Texas,	
County of Haskell. We, H.	
on wine president and Alue D	January -

as vice-president, and Alvy R. Couch a cashier of said bank, each of us, d solemnly swear that the above statemen is true to the best of our knowledge an

belief. H. Weinert, V-President, Alvy R. Couch, Cashier. Sworn and subscribed to before me this 27th day of April A. D. nineteen hundred and twelve.

Witness my hand and notarial seal or W. J. Fairis, Notary Public.

Directors

Senator Coke, Jr.



Standard Bred Stallion, 16 hands nigh, was sired by Senator Joe, riar she wuz clean gone. Hain't seed school boys. In general the high and Senator Joe by Senator Coke, of the famous Wilkes' stock, Senator neither hide ner hair o' her since. school boys made better records Bailey's favorite stock of horses. Senator Joe's dam was Lucy Q. who The Fort Worth High School produced seven stallions, all of whom made fine records, among them won first place and the Beaumont being Reno Clipper and Reno Baby. The latter holds the world's record of pacing and trotting as a two-year old.

Senator Coke. Jr. is a combination saddle and harness horse. He is a dark brown with large flat bones and good high feet, excellent for the final contest. The Haskell conformation and style, a fine breeder, has a very kind disposition much bout what's a goin' oh in ther team qualified for all the final and easily handled. This horse was bred by J. S. Hayes, of Denton county, who now lives four miles northwest of Haskell. He was gaited as he spoke. "Tell ye what, thar jist weight and vaulting events, as and driven by V. P. Keel, of Gainesville. Mr. Keel is one of the direcwell as the mile relay, coming tors of the Texas Saddle Horsemen Association. He got more blue rib-San Antonio, Sherman and Temple. bons at the Fat Stock show in 1912 than any other Texas man.

This horse will make the seasoh at Simmons livery stable. Terms. of Haskell, was awarded third \$10.00 for the season. Call on J. T. Hallmark or Jack Simmons, who will be in charge.

J. J. Stein, Owner.

· STOCK FOR SALE

Kinnison and Cahill have a Rumors of this state of affairs to trolled by an executive board of phone message from Dr. Bunk- name of Thomas-Branham Auto five, three representing the A. ley to stop selling oil stock in Co. These young men are worand M. College, one representing the oil proposition southeast of thy Haskell boys and we predict the academies and one representing town. There must be somethe high schools of the state. thing doing. From other of Prof. Berry to a place on the sources we have news that would

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Poor appetite is a sure sign of Association, and hope to have a impaired digestion. A few doses meet of the southern states next of Chamberlain's Stomach and year after the state meeting of Liver Tablets will strengthen ANNOUNCEMENTS. each individual state that co-operates with the movement. It is appetite. Thousands have been planned that each state will select benefited by taking these Tablets.

This is campaign year and you excurive boards of the southern should take the Free Press and states, for the southern champion- keep up with county affairs. Sub-Encouragement has al- scribe now. Only \$1.00 per an-

> NO. 396. Statement of the Financial

Condition of THE CONTINENTAL STATE BANK

at Sagerton, state of Texas, at the close of business on the 18th day of April 1912, published in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper printed and published at For Sheriff: of May, 1912.

TO STREET VINCEN	
RESOURCES.	8 /
Loans and Discounts, personal	
or collatteral\$	20,943,30
Loans, real estate	2,787.60
Overdrafts	8.19
Real Estate (banking house)	4,475.15
Furniture and Fixtures,	1,024.30
Due from approved reserve	
Agents	100.05
Due from other Banks and	- TO. J.
Bankers, subject to check,	183.90
Cash Items	
Currency	2,260.00
Specie	3,364.95
Interest in Depositors Guaran-	
ty Fund	318.86
Total\$	33,106.25
LIABILITIES,	100
Capital Stock paid in	10,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	236,62
Due to Banks and Bankers	
subject to check,	136.31
Individual Deposits subject to	
check	10,596.02
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,000.00
Cashier's Checks	137.30
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	10,000.00
	PERSONAL PROPERTY.
Total	33,100.20
State of Texas,	
County of Haskell, We, J. C. I	avis, vice
and M D Cmith as	cashier of
president, and M. R. Smith as said bank, each of us, do solem	Carried Street

best of our knowledge and belief. J. C. Davis, Vice-President. M. R. Smith, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 27th day of April, A. D. 1912, Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid. W. P. Caudle, Notary Public, Haskell County, Texas.

Directors.

Garage Changes Owners.

Marion Thomas and Clifton Branham have taken over the City Garage, and the business will be conducted under the firm and wish them success.

Mrs. M. Bishop, Columbus, Kan- Office in the McConnell Building sas, suffered from a weak back a of Prof. Berry to a place on the sources we have news that would board representing the high schools of the state. This is a disgood strata of oil bearing sand. Foley Kidney Pills and soon after the pain left my back and today I am fully cured." For sale by Robertson's Drug Store.

Subscribe for the Free Press.

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

For Representative of the 102nd Legislative District: R. B. HUMPHREYS, (Re-election)

For District Attorney JAS. P. STINSON (Re-election)

For County Supirintendent: T. C. WILLIAMS, (Re-Election.) D. F. BELLENGER.

For County Judge: A. J. SMITH, (Re-election). H. R. JONES, For County Attorney: GAYLORD KLINE.

F. L. DAUGHERTY. OSCAR MARTIN. C. B. LONG,

W. D. Falkner, Re-Election. For District Clerk: L. C. ELLIS. GUY O. STREET, (Re-Election, E. W. LOE,

For County Clerk: JOHN L. ROBERTSON. JESSE D. HALL, ROY ENGLISH

For Tax Assessor: R. H. SPROWLS. J. W. TARBET, [Re-Election.] OTIS B. SMITHEE.

For Tax Collector: J. E. WALLING. [R-Election.] For County Treasurer: EMORY MENIFEE [Re-Election.]

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: A. T CREWS. C. H. RUSSELL, (Re-Election. E. L. NORTHCUTT. For Public Weither, Precinct No. 2:

WILL MABRY. For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: R. C. WHITMIRE, [Re-Election.] T. A. WILLIAMS, J. S. MENEFEE J. A. PARISH.

For Commissioner Precint No. 2: B. H. OWSLEY.
W. J. FAIRIS—Re-Election.
J. T. THERWHANGER.
E. L. RIDLING. W. R. HUNT.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:

J. B. DAVIS-Re-Election. S. R. RIKE

For Commissioner Pre. No. 4: G. W. SOLLOCK, [Re-Election] R. D. C. STEPHENS, D. M. GUINN.

For Justice of the Peace of Pre. No. 1: J. S. POST. [Re-Election.]

For Constable Precinct No. 1: A. G. (Cap) LAMBERT, W. D. JOINER.

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LOCAL

Mrs. M. E. Wadkins visited in Stamford this week.

A fresh line of candy at Will Marr's, the Corner Drug Store.

W. A. Marsh returned Saturday from a business trip to El Paso.

New line of screen doors at the

Haskell Lumber Co's. Yards. J. L. Jones of Rule took the

train here Monday for Munday. Wanted-\$3,000 worth of Haskell Co. scrip. J. H. Méadors.

Mrs. Turrentine has been a recent visitor to Stamford.

We are in the market for poultry and eggs, Co-operative Store. Mrs. Jasper Ellis is visiting in

New line of screen doors at the Haskell Lumber Co's. Yards.

Rule.

Miss Fowler Perry visited in Abilene this week.



Your youngster needs good clothes.

Going through all the stunts the average lad does, he probably gives his clothes some hard knocks.

It takes bully good clothes to see him through some of his Louisville, Ky., to spend several rough and tumble days.

are the dependable kind that are warranted to give excell'ent service.

We can prove to you that it 2t is the best sort of economy to buy your boys clothes here. "If you want the best-you

want chefection Boys Clothes.'

Prices:

FOR SALE BY

Robert Revnolds of Anson was tr visiting in this city Tuesday.

New line of screen doors at the Haskell Lumber Co's. Yards.

Mrs. Westbook of Rule was guest of her mother recently.

Bring your eggs and poultry to Co-operative Store. J. E. Bernard left Friday for Seymour, on a business mission.

J. E. Yeager spent several days in Goree this week.

C.D. Long made a business trip to Goree Tuesday. Fred Alexander spent several

days at Stamford college, visiting land. school friends. New line of screen doors at the

Haskell Lumber Co's. Yards.

Mr. G. J. Graham has returned from a visit to Hillsboro. E. E. Marvin left Tuesday even-

ing for Dallas. Miss Lucile Hughes has returned from a trip to San Antonio and

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

Sanders & Wilson.

P. P. Roberts was in Weinert Tuesday.

Miss Maxwell has returned from a visit to her parents, at Cisco.

I have some gasolene engines for sale or trade. J. D. Kinnison. Mrs. Bert Johnson visited her sister. Mrs. Warnock at Wichita

Falls this week. Judge D. H. Hamilton made a business trip to Stamford this

Lewis Marr went to Weinert Wednesday.

Kaffir corn, milo maize and millet seed for sale at M. A. Clif-

Miss Lois McConnell has returned from an extended visit to friends in South Texas.

F. L. Goose left today for weeks with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCarty Perfection, Boys Clothes left Thursday for Denning, N M., to spend several weeks.

For the best fire, tornado and hail insurance, see Texas Land Co.

Miss Flora Garvin spent the week in Fort Worth visiting her grandmother.

C. D. Grissom returned from Alvord Monday. He reports his brother-in-law, to whom he was called last week as much improved.

Hardy Grissom save money. Hair cut 25cts. at for sale or trade.
A. P. Kinnison's Barber Shop.

W. P. Whitman left Saturday for San Marcos, Corpus Christi Mrs. O, Neathery a fine boy. and other points.

If you want to trade property trict conference at Albany this here for property elsewhere list week. with Texas Land Co.

Mrs. W. O. Killingsworth visited and Oscar Carothers of Rochesin Stamford Sunday with Mes- ter were in the city Thursday. dames Ray and Howard

Mrs. Warren of Knox City has opened up a general grocery and been been visiting her sister Mrs. produce business in the building G. B. McGuire of this place. formerly occupied by the north side market. Rowden by boll cotton seed,

\$1.00 per bushel. Come at once. M. A. Clifton. Mrs. O. T. Maxwell of Cisco.

nas been visiting her daughter, Miss Ida Maxell last week. Our abstract books are com-

plete and up-to-date. Get your Mrs. Greer's father at Aquilla abstracts from Sanders & Wilson Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders have gone to the country for a

month's outing. WANTED-Man with team to haul and sell wood ready cut. Kate Snyder,

Some good Oklahoma land to trade for Haskell county. See me at once. J. D. Kinnison,

Mrs. Gray was the much enjoyed visitor of Mrs: Brockman and many friends last week.

160 acres of land in Oklahoma, returned to her home Saturday. some money and an automobile to exchange for Haskell county T. G. Williams.

Hollis Fields went to Abilene Sunday night to attend the bedside of Mr. Sherick.

A. D. S. Tooth Paste is the best for the teeth. Try a tube, at Will Marr's the Corner Drug Store.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson who has been visiting in this city, left for her home at Marlin Sunday night.

A. C. Foster, Arthur and Miss Adina Foster and Ed Ellis of Rule

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

We are requested to announce that Congressman Choice B. Randell, who is a candidate for U.S. Senator, will address the people of this county and section in Haskell, May 7th, at 8 o'clock p. m. Mr. Randell is a prominent citizen of our state, a man of splendid ability, has efficiently served the people of his district as congressman, and is entitled to a large audience to listen to his address in presenting his claims for election to the office of U. Senator. Be sure to hear

M. H. Stone and wife of Pinkerton took the train here Thursday morning for Abilene.

If you are in need of a good gasolene engine. I have them. J. D. Kinnison.

J. C. Pence left Thursday for Wilbarger county, where his young children are.

Mrs. La Da Costa Nolen of Weinert, was visiting in the city this week.

I have Tennessee Jacks for sale or trade. If not sold will make the season 41 miles east on the Throckmorton road or at I can make money and you can Haskell. Also good milk cow

W. T. Boatwright.

Born on last Friday to Mr. and New Goods Arriving Rev. W. P. Garvin attended dis-

Dr. Dunn, Strother Menefee

McKelvain trading Co. have

We were informed Saturday by

J. M. Blakemore that J. R. Dins-

more has a drill on his place and

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Greer re-

Our rug stock is complete.

Jones, Cox & Co.

Fresh shipment of Brussels and

yelvets just arrived. Come in and

Sid Hemphill, who has been

visiting his parents, Mrs. and

Mrs. Jacob Hemphill, returned to

his home in Scurry county Mon-

Miss Douthit of Lueuers who

has been visiting Miss Manning

and Mrs. D. H. Bell of this city,

I have some small farms in

Comanche county to trade for Has-

kell county land. See me at once.

Mrs. A. M. Getz is expected

home Thursday from a visit in

Fort Worth and Wichita Falls.

She will be accompanied by Mrs.

Our rug stock is complete.

Fresh shipment of Brussels and

velvets just arrived. Come in and

Rev. T. R. Waggoner left yes-

terday for Rochester and will

preach the baccalaureate sermon

Wanted-A second-hand wind-

mill. Phone me, Holt line, four

rings. J. E. Bolles (1t)

from an extended trip to Dallas.

Mr. Keister met her on the return

at Wichita Falls and accompanied

City to make their home. Mr.

Jackson has been with Mr. Carr

Rev. W. P. Garvin, Rev. S. P.

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reasonable charges. Phone,

Fred Alexander, Miss Byrd

attended an atheletic game on the

campus of the Stamford College

E. W. Grogan, a brother of

Mrs. Sherick, and Miss Ruth

Grogan, a niece, both of Byers,

E. O. Sherick of Indianola,

L. A. Stewart got a phone or-

der from W. A. Earnest, at Mun-

day, for 100 yards of gravel to be

shipped from this point, at \$1.25

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis have a

telegram/announcing the birth on

April 30th, of a son to Mr. and

kerton, unoccupied. The origin

Mrs. Terry Davis at Abilene.

The citizens of Haskell

4 o'clock by the firm alarm.

of the fire is not known.

Iowa, brother of the late A. C.

the early part of the week.

too late for the funeral.

are in the city.

per yard.

Mrs. J. S. Keister has returned

see them. The quality shows.

at that place tomorrow.

her home.

bog well up there.

for the past two years.

Tuesday evening.

Getz of Fort Worth.

J. D. Kinnison.

Jones, Cox & Co.

see them. The quality shows.

turned Monday from a visit to

and her grandfather near Waco.

is drilling for oil.

This weeks express and freight has brought in many new and good things for all departments of the store. We especially call your attention to the following.

Cotton Voile with dainty stripes of lavender and black for only Voile is one of the most popular material for spring.

Cotton Voile Luster finish in white, tan, light blue and reseda green price

Light colored percale for aprons with neat figures of red, blue and black price 10c.

Baby irish flouncing dainty patterns on excellent quality of batiste. specially priced. See our assortment of embroideries in all widths. Our stock is complete and prices low.

Our Stock was never in better shape in we have just what you want.

Special Sale of Flowers

In order to completely clean up our millinery department we offer you choice of a large assortment of the latest flowers regular price 25c to 50c per bunch for only

J. R. Johnson, S. E. Carothers, T. W. K. Head and G. J. Miller J. D. Kinnison made a trip to left Friday for Macon. Ga., to light plant office or by check not Wichita Falls this week. He re- attend the annual reunion of the later than the tenth of each ports that they have brought in a Confederate Veterans.

Mrs. Hall Morrison and chil-Mr. and Mrs. Jno. L. Jackson dren, who have been visiting in and family left Tuesday for Royse this city, left Friday for their home at Graham, Texas.

Robert Harrison of Waxahachie who owns a half section of good farm land in this county, was in Roberts and F. G. Alexander at- Haskell Saturday. Mr. Harrison tended District Conference at made the Free Press a pleasant Albany this week, leaving here call while here.

Our stock of rugs is complete Fresh shipment of Brussels and velvets just arrived. Come in and see them. The quality shows.

Jones, Cox & Co. Rev. T. R. Waggoner preach-

ed the baccalaureate sermon at the Methodist church last Sun-Ellard and Miss Frank Alexander day at 11 o'clock a. m. to a large audience. Those who heard him pronounced it a very fine NO SIR, I CAN'T discourse.

McKelvain Trading Co. will pay fancy prices for hens next week. We have a fine offer for chickens, They are in demand. We have been paying 13t cents this week for eggs, cash, and hope for a bet-Sherick was in the city this ter market next week. Phone No. week. He arrived here a day 65.

> Mr. and Mrs. Everhart of Bells, who have been attending their son who was hurt on the High School Campus a few days ago, have returned to their home, They are the parents of Mrs. O. B. Norman of this city.

McKelvam Trading Co., paid cents for hens this week. Don't know what next week will bring were Remember that hens were bringawakened Friday morning about ing 54 cents when we went into The business and now 7 cents and no fire proved be a dwelling of T. A. higher in the market. We propose to be live wires and hustle market. Phone No. 65.

Payments, hereafter, for lights will be required to be made at month and if not paid by this time service will be discontinued. It is too expensive to keep a collector. Haskell Power Co.

Mrs. W. H. Murchison went to Stamford Sunday night to meet Mr. Murchison. Mr. Murchison had been to Austin on professional duties and on his return he visited Bastrop, his former home.

The combined Retinoscope and Ophthalmoscope is the best known test for the eyes to see if they are diseased and to get the exact strength of the glass needed for the eye. We have just added one to our optical department making it complete in every detail. Come and see what we have. Parsons & Brewer,

Jewelers and Opticians, north side.

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LEGE GILLIAM, Assistant Cashler

Citation By Publication.

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Haskell for eight weeks previous to the return day hereof, the heirs of Starling McGraw, deceased, the heirs of John Draddy. deceased, the heirs of Samuel H. Smith deceased, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, the heirs of Wm. Smith, deceased, and the heirs of S. H. Martin, deceased, whose names and places of residence are unknown and also S. H. Martin and James P. Armstrong, whose places of residence are unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof to be holden in the County of Haskell, at the Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas, on the 27th day of May A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a Pention filed in said The nature of the plaintiff's

demand being copied from plaintff's Original Petition is as tollows: 1. That Plaintiff resides in the County of Haskeil, State of Texas, that the names and places of residence of the defendants, the heirs of Starling acGraw, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of John Draddy, deceased, and of the

tract or parcel of land hereinafter

s ribed by metes and bounds as metes and bounds describing the mand being copied from plaintiff's

tract; thence N. down the river ing, using and enjoying the same,

In East Bodying an taxes increon for the five year of said premises is of the value of \$1,000,00.

That the plaintiff's claim and differ any cause of action in behalf of any of the defendants of the first cate vo, 224, issued by the Board of Lain Commissioners of Jasper Defendence of Lain Commissioners of Lain Comm

of Grimes County. Texas, on April title.

10th, 1870, (e) Deed from W. G. 7. Wherefore, plaintiff prays the said defendants now unlawconveying the land as described in be issued and served by publica- from the plaintiff the possession said patent, dated December 1st, tion as the law directs in this thereof to his damage \$25,000.00 1886, (h) Sheriff's deed (together same, 1886, (h) Sheriff's deed (together same, with judgment and order of sale and return authorizing said deed of said court, at office in Haskell, the Brizos River with its meanders District Court of Tarrant County, A. D. 1912. Texas) by A. D. Tucker, sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, to M. Marx. Clerk Dist. Court, Haskell County, E. 75 varas to a stake in the E conveying all the interest of C. E. Texas. the docket of said court, No. 1364, wherein W. C. Allen is plaintiff and the heirs of Starling McGraw, deceased, the heirs of Samuel H. Smith, deceased, the heirs of S. H. Martin, deceased, the heirs of S. H. Martin and Jas, P. Armstrong are detendants.

The nature of the plaintiff's Texas by J. C. McLaren, Sheriff S. in Stonewall County, Texas, dated
May 6th, 1890 and acknowledged
by said sheriff before Herbert L.
The State of Texas. Posey, County Clerk of Stonewall County, Texas, on May 6th, 1890, (j) Deed from M. Marx to M. M.

same in 2nd subdivision of this Original Petition is as tollows:

Henderson to Nat B. Davidson that citation in terms of the law fully and wrongfully withhold 1876 and acknowledged by said character of case requiring de-Henderson before Bob F. Homan, fendants and each of them to ap- ly entered upon by said defendants Clerk of the District Court of pear at the next term of this court and wrongfully withheld from the Milam County, Texas, on Decem and answer this petition and that plaintiff are bounded and described

County, Texas, on January 11th, on, showing how you excuted the from which a cottonwood bears N

Guy O. Street,

trict Court of Tarrant County, has everything beat for burns." Texas) by J. C. McLaren, Sheriff Right! also for boils, ulcers, sores,

ber 4th, 1876, (f) Deed from Nat
B. Davidson to C. E. Odem, conveying said land dated July 19th, possession of the land and premises las2 and acknowledged by said Davidson before J. M. Hammond, damages and rents above alleged vey patented by the State of Texas County Clerk of Clay County, and cost of suit, against all defendants and also for his writ of possession and execution.

Lynn, conveying said land, dated January 4th, 1886 and acknowledged by said Odem before T. J. day of the next term thereof, this Powell, Notary Public of Tarrant County, Texas, on January 11th, considering and rents above alleged vey patented by the State of Texas to Starhog McGraw by patent No. 609, Vol. 18, dated June 8th, 1871, Abstract No. 705, Certificate No. 224, survey No. 59, beginning at the N. W. corner of survey No. 57 in the name of Arthur Slayden for S. W. Corner of this tract, on showing how you excluded the from which a cottonwood bears No. in the case of Marx vs Odem in the Texas, this the 20th day of March N. 1343 1 2 varies to a stake on the bank of said river; thence E. 2625 varas; thence S. 150 vares; thence line of said Starling McGraw sur.

Texas) by J. C. McLaren, Sheriff of Stonewall County, Texas, to M. Marx conveying all the interest of C. E. Odem and M. O. Lynn in that portion of said land situated in Stonewall County, Texas, dated May 6th, 1890 and acknowledged May 6th, 1890 and and its location, by the State of or else plaintiff will introduce To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded, Haskell County are hereby commanded, Haskell County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded, Haskell County, Greetings:

Yo defendants, the heirs of Samuel H. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Wm. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Wm. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Smuth deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. J. Wilcox. The heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Sm. H. Martin, deceased, the heirs of Samuel H. Caussey, conveying with other lands, the 314 acres described in that you summon, by making certificate by Starling McGraw to Joseph Thomas, dated June St., 1838 and acknowledged by said McGraw before John Bevil, chief Justice and Ex-officio Notary Public of Jasper County, Texas, (k) Deed from M. M. M. Caussey and wife to the plaintiff, and that the places of residence of the defendants, the heirs of Starling McGraw to Joseph Thomas, dated June St., 1838 and acknowledged by said McGraw before John Bevil, chief Justice and Ex-officio Notary Public of Jasper County, Texas, (k) Deed from M. M. Caussey and wife to the efendants ought that the places of residence of the defendants, the heirs of Starling McGraw before John Bevil, chief Justice and Ex-officio Notary Public of Jasper County, Texas, (k) Deed from M. M. Caussey and wife to the 640 6-10 acres of land described under the Texas Statutes of three, five and the places of the defendants ought that you summon, by making certificate by Starling McGraw to Joseph Thomas, dated June Bevil, Place and June Bevil, Place and Jule Bevil, Place and Jule Bevil, Place and Jul P. Armstrong are unknown to the plaintiff.

2. That heretofore, to- it:—On the first day of January, A. D. 1912, the plaintiff was lawfully sized and possessed and possessed and possessed of a certain sized and possessed of a certa Public of Haskell County, Texas. whose places of residence are un- conveying the land as described in adverse possession of the lands tract or parcel of land hereinatter described, holding the same in fee simple, that on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants, each and all of them, unlawfully and wrongfully entered into possession of the defendants and they are each hereby notified to protect of and unlawfully and the said detendants now unlawfully and the said detendants now unlawfully and wrongfully withhold or recover to his damage, \$12,50,000.

That the premises so wrongfully entered upon by said defendants and there does not here of the bossession of the base of the same upon the trial of this cause to be used as evidence or else the plaintiff further claims thereof to his damage, \$12,50,000.

That the premises so wrongfully entered upon by said defendants and there does not be used as evidence or else the plaintiff further claims and wrongfully withhold by them from the plaintiff are bounded and described as follows: \$314\$ acres of land from the plaintiff are bounded and described are conveying said land dated by said Davidson, to C. E. Odem of this cause to be used as evidence or else the plaintiff further claims and wrongfully withhold by them from the plaintiff are bounded and described are of the form the plaintiff are bounded and described as follows: \$314\$ acres of land from the plaintiff are bounded and described as follows: \$314\$ acres of land from the plaintiff are bounded and described are of the follows: \$314\$ acres of land from the plaintiff are bounded and described are of the court, and the heirs of Starling McGraw on the 83th, assed out of the lands and tenements as described to a sid part the Honn. District Court, at the court, the hold of the court, and the court, of the court, of the court of this and a period of more than 3 years before the Honn. District Court of this land as and tenements and they of the lands and tenements and escribed out of the lands and tenements and escribed of the Honn. District Court, at the Court Mnach and the follows: \$3100 and the follows: \$3100 and the follows: \$3100 and the follo 4. That all the transfers, deeds known, to be and appear before said patent, dated December 1st, and tenements so described for a Starling McGraw on the 8th day of land sued for in this case be- and Jas. P. Armstrong are defendants.

Yol. 18, said 314 acres being de
The nature of the plaintiff's de- authorizing said deed in the case recovery thereof accrued, (c) of Marx vs Odem, in the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas,) by A. D. Tucker, sheriff of Haskell County, Texas, to M. Marx, con-land from him because he district County and the District Plaintiff says that defendants ought not to have, hold or recover any of said 640 6-10 acres of Green, and costs of suit.

County, Texas, to M. Marx, con-land from him because he district. same in 2nd subdivision of this Beginning at a stake, the S. W. Corner of survey No. 43 in name of G. G. Alford, same being N. W. Corner of this survey on bank of Brazos River from which a mesquite bears E. 125 varas, a bunch of cedar bears N. 66 deg. E. 6 varas; thence E. with S. line of No. 43, 2,700 varas to N. E. corner of survey; thence S. pass N. W. corner of survey No. 58 in name of Arthur Slayden at 205 varas, at the defendants ought not to have, hold or relocation in behalf of any of the defendants, the heirs of Arthur Slayden at 205 varas, at the defendants ought not to have, hold or relocation in this survey and held under title and color of this successed. The Plaintiff resides in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, that the ferendants from the defendants, the heirs of Starling McGraw, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Samuel H. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Samuel H. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the defendants, the heirs of Dewit C. Smith, deceased, and of the of Arthur Slayden at 205 varas, at have, hold or recover said 314 and of the defendants, the heirs of turn authorizing said deed in the half of any of the defendants for have, hold or recover said 314 acres, a stake in E. B. line of Starling McGraw survey; thence W. 2,700 varas to a stake in W. B. line of Starling McGraw survey; thence of Starling McGraw survey; thence of Starling McGraw survey in those whose estate he has, have for S. W. corner of this 314 acres for S. W. corner of this 314 acre for S. W. corn laintiff.

2. That heretofore, to-wit: On that portion of said land, situated him and he therefore does not set out the plaintiff was lawfully in Stonewall County, Texas, dated out the nature of such claim or suit and after any cause of section of said paying the same, and paying all taxes thereon for the first day of January, A. D. that portion of said land, situated the first day of January, A. D. the first day of January, A. D. the first day of January, A. D. the plaintiff was lawfully before the commencement of this seized and possessed of a certain by said sheriff before Herbert tract or payed of land beginning.

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Allen and wife before A. C. Foster, thereon, showing how you have Notary Public of Haskell County, executed the same.

3. That the plaintiff claim and title to said land is as follows (a) and other documents referred to

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Toledo, O. We. the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly

Sheriff's Sale.

State of Texas: said subdivision being recorded in Vol. 2, page 336, surveyor's record of Haskell County, to which reference is made for more par-

W. D. Falkner. Sheriff Haskell County, Texas.

He Would Indeed.

"What's this word, pa?" asked Willie, pointing it out in his

"Phenomenon," replied pa. "Well, what is that?"

A Texas Wonder.