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PURPORT OF THE FEE BILL

Austin, Texas, April 17.-The bill limiting the tees of office to be charged and received by the several county officers for service rendered, does not go into effect until December 14th, but a short explanation of its purport and scope in view of its importance may prove of public interest at this time.

It will be recalled that the bill as originally introduced, sought to place the county officers upon a salary basis, but a constitutional rock was encountered and it became necessary to change the bill from its original form and instead of making it a salary proposition, permit the collection of fees prescribed by law until ury. the maximum amount fixed is reached, paying the excess after sioners Courts from allowing ex- at your earliest convenience a paying assistants, office expenses, officio salaries when compensa- copy of your course of study. etc., into the treasury. It was tion and excess fees exceeds the sought in the committee amend- maximum amount allowed. When ation in this matter and wishing ment to place the maximum fecs such compensation falls below, for your school continued success, at practically the same amount as then the Commissioners Courts in I am. was allowed under the salary bill, their discretion may fix ex officio but the influences were too great salaries. and concessions were made, in fact, enforced in order to get curing the gigantic evil that has grown up within the State and which has proven itself to be one of the most prolific sources of graft known to the public.

Countles Under 25,000.

approved by the Governor, in \$1200. The order shall state the countles having less than 25,000 name of each deputy or assistant

Collector, \$2750; Assessor, \$2750. Out of the fees collected, the several officers named will pay their salaries and the salaries of such assistants as are allowed under the law, and of the excess collected, shall retain one-fourth, and in counties having between 25,000 and 38,000 population until such one-fourth amounts to \$1250. In counties containing cities of more than 25,000 or in which county the population exceeds 38,000 or in which county the population exceeds 38,000 until the one-fourth amounts to \$1500. In estimating population the last Federal census shall govern. All excess fees, after paying officers' salaries, salaries of assistants and office expenses shall be covered into the county treas-

\$3500; District Attorney, \$2500,

inclusive of salary paid by the State; District Clerk, \$2750; Tax

The law forbids the Commis-

Deputies and Assistants.

Deputies and assistants may be through any sort of measure appointed upon the authority of the County Judge upon the affidavit of the officer that they are necessary, etc., the salaries to be paid them follows: First assistant or chief deputy, \$1800; heads

of departments, not exceeding Under the law as passed and \$1500; all others not exceeding

HASKELL SCHOOL FIRST CLASS

Austin, Texas, April 17, 1913. Supt. R. J. Turrentine, Haskell, Texas. Dear Sir:

The Maskell Free

I am in receipt of your application for the classification of the Haskell High School as a high school of the first class. All information submitted by you has been carefully examined, and I am pleased to find that all requirements made upon high schools of this class are met. We are, therefore, hereby classifying the Haskell High School as a high school of the FIRST CLASS, a certificate showing which will be mailed you soon. In order, however, that our records may be complete with reference to your school, I shall ask that you send

Thanking you for your co-oper-Respectfully yours,

F. M. Bralley, Supt.

The Splendid State of Texas.

To one coming to Texas from a Northern or Eastern State, many surprises are in store. Instead of wild, uncultivated plains, he rides through a country richly endowed by nature with fertile soil, which varies in different localities; but is generously crop productive and unexcelled in any other part of the South. Even without intelligent cultivation, bountiful crops population the following shall be and the amount of compensation are raised, and where scientific agriculture is applied, the results The law authorizes an expense are exceedingly satisfactory. It is not too broad a statement to say that every crop known to agriculture and horticulture in the temperate zone will succeed, and these crops, with careful cultivation, are always of yery high grade. The finest of fruits and city of more than 20,000 inhabit- expense in the conduct of office, the most perfect vegetables are grown here with great success. to be paid out of the fees of the phone, traveling and other ex- More cotton is produced in Texas penses incident thereto. This will than in three other states. A In counties containing 25,000 be allowed and paid out of the quarter of the whole world's crop, excess fees collected by such offi- and a third or more of the crop of the United States is produced in From this it will be noted that this State. There are extensive the maximum amount of tees to timber lands, coal fields, granite \$2400; District Attorney, \$2500, be paid any officer in the State is and marble quarries, and more which includes the \$500 salary \$5000; all above that amount, cattle than in any other state, which, in addition to their value as food, means the establishment \$2400; Tax Collector, \$2400; As- office, including deputy hire, shall of dairies and creameries. One realizes the vastness of this grand State when he remembers that the entire population of the country can be put into it without overcrowding, and that it is large enough to supply the United States with almost everything it needs without exhausting its wonderful resources.-Houston Post.

tion of the present officials' terms,

an amendment to the constitution

has been submitted to the people

placing every officer, from Gov-

ernor down, on a salary basis.

That this is imperatively demand-

ed is shown by the reports and

accounts on file in the Comptroll-

er's Department revealing out-

rageous charges for work per-

formed and which bear the ap-

tirely.



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modes. All models are attractively displayed and attentive salesmen are pleased to point out special designs and try on those selected for intimate inspection.

SPECIAL OFFER

We want every lady in Haskell to get acquainted with our \$4 shoes, and for one week beginning Saturday April 26th and lasting through Saturday of the coming week, We are going to give with every pair of ladies \$4 shoes, one years subscription to Mc-Calls Magazine. We believe that this will induce many ladies to come here and purchase their shoes next week, and when once a shoe customer of ours, you are pretty sure to continue to buy your shoes of us.

McCalls-The Leading Fashion Magazine is something no

the maximum amount of fees to he or she is to be paid.

Assessor, \$2250.

stables in counties containing a Such account will cover necessary ants, will be allowed \$2000 each, including stationery, stamps, teleoffice.

inhabitants, the maximum amount allowed is as follows: County cer, Judge, \$2500; Sheriff, \$3000; County Clerk, \$2400; County Attorney, paid by the state; District Clerk, after paying the expenses of his sessor, \$2400.

Counties of 38,000 Population.

over 25,000 inhabitants or in such reports, though it is not expected counties as contain 38,000 popu-lation, the following shall be the go begging for lack of some one lation, the following shall be the maximum amount received: County Judge, \$35,000; Sheriff, \$3500;

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be paid the officers named: Coun-ty Judge, \$2250; Sheriff, \$2750, account eovering many items not County Clerk, \$2250; County At- heretofore allowed by the courts, torney, \$2250; District Clerk, which shall be submitted at the \$2250; Tax Collector, \$2250; Tax close of each month in an itemized account to the Commissioners

Justices of the Peace and Con- Court for its audit and allowance.

be paid into the treasury. This will mean a huge reduction in the emoluments of some of the coun-In counties containing a city of ty officers, according to published willing to serve the people in an official capacity. In addition to the law which

Collector, \$2750; County Attorney, will go into effect at the expira-

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woman can afford to be without. It is worth \$1.50 a year and only costs 50c a year, but you can get it now for nothing, by purchasing a pair of the best shoes in town at the regular price of \$4.

Some of Our \$4 Styles

Plain pump in patent kid for dress or street wear. Patent colt four button oxford with gray cloth top. Plain dull calf pump, tailored leather bow, low heel, giving it

the English effect. An ideal shoe for the street.

Plain pump in champaign kid, flexible sole.

Tan Russian calf four button oxford.

Black dull calf four button oxford. Same as the above except in color. These two shoes are very popular and fit the foot extremely well, are made of the finest soft calf skin and will make an ideal shoe for walking.

Brown buck six button oxford.

Gray kid six button oxford.

White cloth fourteen button boot.

McCalls Magazine free for one year with every pair of ladies \$4 shoes we sell beginning Saturday April 26th and continuing through Saturday May 5th.

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THE BIG STORE

Haskell, Texas

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City Building Notes.

Success travels upon improved highways. A commercial club is an opportunity factory. All things come to him who meets them half-way.

"We have with us" this morning, Mister Fly. "Swat him." Did you ever stop to consider

proval of the District Judges. the money value of a smile? No use to build good roads unless you mean to maintain them.

Don't forget your home paper sooner will relief be had from the publicity works while you sleep. The bill herein referred to will go severance.

A good wishbone supported by the evil, but the adoption of the a strong backbone, leads to suc-Cess

A little coat of paint covers

multitude of unsightly blemishes. Spend your money with your home merchants. That is the best kind of commercial philosophy.

The man who shirks his duty in the development of his community is indeed a poor citizen,

one's home town is the greatest happiness one could wish.

Is "Paintology" included in your curriculum? Neat, well painted homes are smiles on the face of ing. at first hands, of this your town

This is the age of scientific city evils that have an abiding place Great developement is not al-in every courthouse in the land. ways due to wealth but to per- receive the blessings of the gen- secure a fair price for a crep as if

erations to come. Abraham Lincoln was right when he said, "Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us do our duty as a we understand it.

Cotton Convention Rate. We are notified that the Rail-

April 24th, 1913

rotd rates from all Texas points to Dallas to the Cotton Convention called by the South States Cotton Corporation for April 28, 29, and 30th will be one and 1 fares for Laboring for the welfare of the round trip. We regard it as a matter of self-interest and good business foresight for farmers .coin order to get a full understa ing, at first hands, of this great marketing proposition. It is of a is to produce the crop in the first place. If a crop is produced and sold at a loss or at the bars cost of production, it is little if any better than no crop at all.

other properly anywhere, list it with us and we will get you a trade. We have correspondents everywhere, and can do the business for you. Our abstract books are up to date, and if you want a correct abstract we can furnish it on short notice at reasonable prices.

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If you want to borrow money on land, or sell Vendors lein notes come and see us; we can supply you in short time.

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If you have land you want to exchange for other land or

We are land lawyers and make a specialty of examining and perfecting land titles.

HASKELL, TEXAS,

The system is all wrong, and the sooner the people change it by amending the organic law, the evils that have an abiding place a long ways toward correcting amendment will wipe it out en-

HARDY GRISSOM April Sale, Embroideries, Laces Muslin underwear, Ginghams, Ladies and Calidrens Dresses, Bed Spreads etc.

Genuine savings in New Seasonable Goods, right at the time you need them most. Buy your Dresses, your Embroideries, your Ginghams etc. during this sale. We want to increase our April business to the maximum, and to do this we offer these real bargains in new fresh goods, every article of which we gtarantee to be right in style and quality.

| At Re | Beauty Corsets duced Prices We want every woman to test the merits of this famous corset. As an extra inducement for you to do this, we offer these savings in New Corsets, all this season's models. \$2.00 Corsets for\$1.65 1.75 " " 1.45 1.50 " " 1.45 1.25 " " 1.00 1.00 " "85 New Brashiers in all qualities from | At Big R We have a big assorting Dainty and Stylish. \$1.00 Embroideried Voile 43 .75 " " 38 1.00 " Baby Flow .75 " " .50 " Flownce for .75 and 60c Allover Emb | Embroideries eductions ent of Embroideries, New 5 inches wide for | House Dress In order to make a clean sweep of the entire special lot of House Dresses, we continue the very low price of \$1.15 The cheapest dress in this lot is worth \$1.50. Some are worth \$1.75 and \$2.00. Buy one of these dresses and save the trouble of making. The price is about equal to the cost of the mater- ial. Price \$1.15 | Bargains |
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| Dainty Under At Reduced We offer you a big set ty new garments, right need them and at such r you should buy enough t whole summer. | Prices election of dain- at the time you reductions that | | White Bed Spread AT BIG SAVINGS We have just received a assortment of be spreads which we thin represent the best valu- we have ever had. We bought more than on | The big lot of childrens dresses made of fast color ginghams in neat | 51.50 Dresses \$1.15 |

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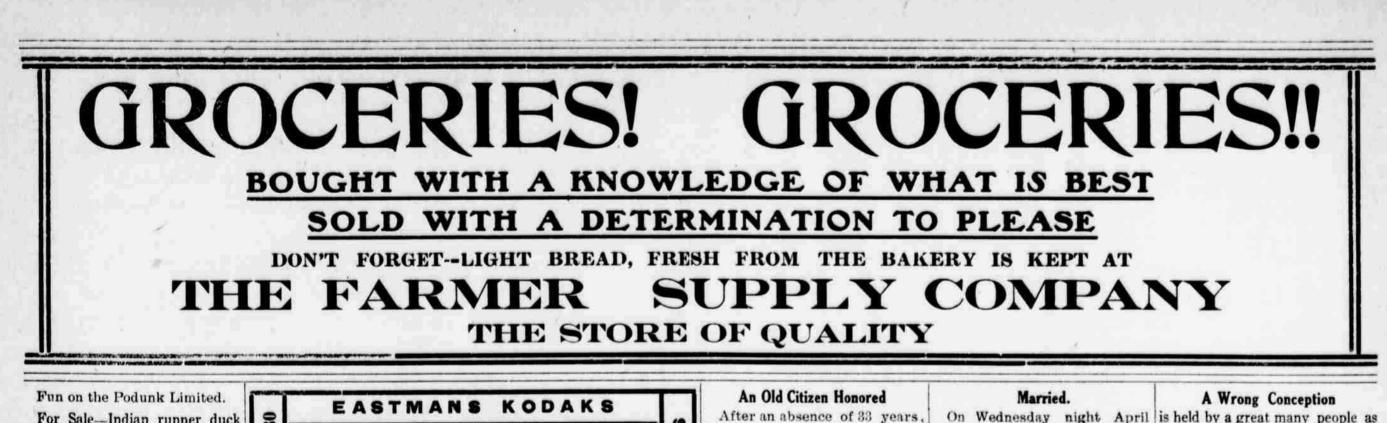
usual amount in order to

get these values, and in

from 6 to 14 yrs. \$1.50

values for1.15

Fun on the Podunk Limited. Red Ant Exterminator at the Fun on the Podunk Limited. Mr. G. T. McCulloh of Abilene 50 gallons carbon now on hand. was in this city several days this Corner Drug Store. L. C. Kenney left Monday for Better get it now. Corner Drug For Sale-Indian runner duck week. LOCA Fort Worth. eggs. J. F. Collier. Store. Do not worry. Kill the pest Mrs. W. M. Taylor of Goree with Marr's Carbon. T. J. Brown left Sunday for Henry Johnson made a business Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dickinson, visited with Mrs E. Sutherlan last NOT San Antonio. trip to Fort Worth this week. spent Sunday visiting relatives at Jim Stockton of Weinert was week. in this city Saturday. Stamford. For Sale-Fine cotton seed, J. P. Lawson, of Stamford, had It costs only 25c to get a good R. M. Beasly and family have business in our city Saturday. J. P. Burt of Weinert, spent J. C. Harvey. 17-2t-p bath at the White Front Barber Sunday with his son, W. F. Burt Get a bath at the White Front moved to Hill county. C. L. Meek was called to Sey-Shop. Fun on the Podunk Limited. of this city. Barber Shop. mour Sunday to visit a friend. Just arrived, carbon. Kill your Carbon! Carbon at Marr's. We buy or exchange furniture. dog. Corner Drug Store. Earl Cogdell made a business Collections, Whitaker and & Co. Wells-Pinkerton. trip to Wichita Falls Monday. Sterling Edwards made a trip Rain, Rain, Rain, Joe Wright has returned from a to Fort Worth last week. Get your stoye wood from Pink-Fire, Tornado, Hail Insurance. ton & Loe. trip to Seymour. B. M. Whitaker & Co. Norman Hancock spent Sun-J. G. Walden spent last week Mrs. Alice Nolen visited in day with the home folks. Tom Owens left Thursday for at Munday. Weinert this week. Oklahoma on a business mission. Hon. Clyde Elkins left Sunday Well the rain came alright, and it for a trip to San Antonio. Titles Abstracted, Perfected came in the nick of time. So did and Examined. Whitaker & Co. Emory Menefee spent Sunday our fresh shipment of Chase & Sanwith friends at Stamford. RM LOANS Life will be brighter if you sew barn's coffees and teas. You all on a singer. Wm. Wells, 15-tf C. F. Crane made a business know what Chase & Sanborn's is, trip to Morgan last week. Judge H. G. McConnel attend-I am now better prepared than ever since I enif you don't, it is time you were tered the loan business to handle your loan business, Mesquite Posts for sale by ed court at Aspermont this week. and as I have secured some new connections for McNeill & Smith Hdw. Co. finding out. That's what it takes We sell new and second hand money, I can now safely say that I will at all times to start you out right in the morn-Kill the red ants. The Corner sewing machines. Wells-Pinkerhave plenty of funds to meet all demands. Our terms Drug Store has the poison. ing, is a cup of Chase & Sanborn's are liberal and expenses low. ton. Loan business is my specialty and I have no See us if you are sick or thirs coffee. Miss Clara Bell Warnock is side-lines. West Side Drug Store. visiting at Wichita Falls this See me if you need money. I have moved my Miss Mamie Meadors has returnweek. office to the rear room of the Farmers Bank, on first F. G. Alexander & Sons ed from Sfamford to this city. floor. Mr. Jas. A. Hankerson left Sun-W. S. Marbet returned the day to attend the district court at J. L. Robertson early part of the week from a Aspermont. Mrs. Hankerson also THE BIG STORE FARMERS BANK HASKELL, TEXAS. trip to New Mexico, where he left for a visit with relatives at went to take up a homestead. Dallas.



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For Sale-Indian runner duck eggs. J. F. Collier.

Mr. Courtney Hunt of Hunt Bros., made a business trip to Dallas this week.

Mrs. Chas. Reed of Anson and children visited with Mrs. Mc-Dean last week.

Mr. Herman Weinert and J. E. Robertson of Weinert, were in this city Friday.

Orpha Neathery, of Stamford was a passenger on Thursday morning's train.

Master Kyle Martin of Anson visited Master Herbert Love of this city last woek.

Miss Josephine Tarbet came up from Stamford Sunday, and spent the day with home folks.

Mrs. R. C. Montgomery spent Sunday with the family of Rev. J. H. Chambliss at Goree.

Mrs. Will Marr and children returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives at Spur, Texas.

Wanted, a set of books to keep before 9 a m and after 4 p m. early part of the week. Address Box. 416, Haskell.

We take the greatest care of your goods hauled by us. Pinkerton & Loe.

Mrs. G. R. Couch returned Sunday from Weinert and Munday, where she was visiting last week.

Preston Carr of Brandenburg, visited his cousin, Mrs. Will A. Dunwody of this city, this week.



Fun on the Podunk Limited. The best carbon at Will Marr's Our drays are always subject to Pinkerton & Loe. call.

County Clerk Roy English has had his office renovated and rearranged this week.

Mrs. Ferguson and granddaughter, Miss Fay Ferguson of Belton are in this city, as guests as a delegate from this place. of Mrs. F. M. Morton.

T. E. Smart of Leuders an old friend of County Treasurer Menefee, was in this city the

Mrs. M. A. Robertson of Seymour, who has been visiting her son, C. W. Robertson of this city, has returned to her home with them.

Rev. C. B. Meador was a pas senger on the south bound train Tuesday on his way from Claude to his home at Stamford.

Fun on the Podunk Limited. Feed the pest Marr 'sCarbon A. G. Spencer, Cashier of the Boone County National Bank of Columbia, Mo., was in Haskell last week.

Judge H. R. Jones left Tuesday for Paris, to attend the Senate of the Praetorians. He goes

For Sale-Fawn and white Indian Runner duck eggs, \$1.25 per doz. R. I. Red eggs, 50 cts. per setting. Mrs. Belva Norton, Pinkerton. 15-17-19-21 Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Merchant have moved from Hale Center to hooks in the bayou Cornie, to

No use to be without a machine when Wells will sell you one for \$2.00 per month. You will sing while you sew. Wm. Wells.

Mr. John S. Post of H- kell, Texas, who formerly resided at Spearsville, La., came to this country a few days ago to meet and shake hands with friends, relatives and comrades. To assure Mr, Post just how much they appreciated his visit, there was set apart Saturday, April 19th, as a social meeting with him, and the point designated was what is knowh as top of the big hill on the public road leading from Spearsville to Lillie, the highest point of elevation in this section, a point where those who participated in the gathering could overlook for miles west, a valley the top of a beautiful green timber, also the

ravine at this point would meas uresomething like 100 ft., down to where there flowed a beauti ful supply of pure ever running spring water. At the noon hour a table was spread whereon there was the most attractive item, to the honored guest, was about 60 pounds of fresh cat fish, which the friends of Mr. Post secured the night before by. set this county. Mrs. Bob Merchant gether with turkey, chicken and who was visiting them returned old country cured ham, besides other suitable dishes that make a picnic party happy. By special arrangements for the din ner, the man whose presence always makes life in any assembly

16th at the residence of Rev. J. to a banker's attitude toward his W. Thompson, who officiated, customers. They think that a Mr. J. L. Collier, one of Haskell's banker is always ready to welprominent young men and Miss come the depositor with open Naomi Hallmark were united in arms, but that when a borrower marriage. The bride is one of approaches, the banker sort of the accomplished young ladies freezes up, and that borrowing of Haskell and belongs to a good money in a bank is like asking a old southern family. The Free favor, that there is some sort of Press joins the many friends of implied humilation in it. Did it the young couple in wishing them ever occur to you that a bank both success and happiness.

Missionary Notes.

For various reasons the Woman's Missionary Society was called in for last Monday.

Next Monday will be literary day and the program will be in charge of Mrs. Oscar Martin, the second vice prerident. Will each member help to make this meeting a success? 'Tis your society. Do not be the cause of a break in the program or the interest of the society.

Atlanta, Ga., broke its own record at the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society held in that city February fifth. The large auditorium of the First Methodist Church was filled at every session, morning, and night, from the opening service Wednesday to the close Sunday evening. Nothing like it had ever been seen even in Atlanta. These audiences were an evidence of the continued the train here Tuesday for Ausinterest of women and men in the tin to attend the meeting of the

could not pay its officer's salaries, dividends or other expenses UN-LESS IT HAD BORROWERS?

Here at the Farmers State Bank we are just as glad to see a reliable borrower as to welcome a new depositor.

Now, if sometime you want to borrow money do not hesitate to ask us. If for any reason we cannot make the loan we will tell you, but we are always able to take care of every safe loan needed by our patrons, and we repeat, we like to see a worthy borrower added to our list of customers.

Farmers State Bank,

Haskell, Texas. Guaranty Fund Bank.

Notice

Good sound peanuts for sale. W. P. Whitford, Haskell Texas. 6 2t-p

Hon. R. B. Humphreys took

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Murray of Stamford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murray of this city.

Found-A pair of spectacles and case. Owner call at this office and pay for this notice and get same. 17-1t

The Baptists of this city have just gotten their church building furnished with a set of new pews.

Dr. Lee of Munday, was called to see little Earnest Sanders who was ill the early part of the week.

G. D. Murray of Fort Worth, who visited his son, J. W. Murray last week, has returned to Practice Limited to diseases o his home.

Mrs. Jacob Hemphill of the east side is visiting her son Guy Hemphill of Swenson in Stonewall county.

FOR TRADE—A small ranch of 824 acres, in Stonewall county, for land near Haskell. T. G. WILLIAMS.

Nice, comfortable rooms, plenty of good hot water and other 15-tf. conveniences for a bath at the White Front Barber Shop.

I have ordered a silo cutte

you. L. A. Stuart. 15-4t.

Mrs. H. C. Scott returned Sunday from the sanitarium at Abilene, where she lately underwent

an operation for appendicitis.

For Sale-Indian runner duck eggs. J. F. Collier. tt

DR. JOSEPH DALEY Abilene, Texas

of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and the scientific fitting of glass-

Visits Baskell the first Monday in each month Next visit Monday, May 5th office at

WRIGHT HOUSE

W. C. Allen left Wednesday that big hearted, jolly fellow, night for Oklahoma, where he W. K. Pryor. You can imagine goes to get a prisoner charged what happened to that 60 lbs. Build a silo and raise the stuff charged with burglary commit-Mr. Farmer, and I will cut it for ed at Rochester in this county. turkey.

> Mrs. J. U. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Pres Baldwin, left Monday far San Antonio, to attend the battle of flowers and visit relatives. They were accompanied as far as Fort neglect any duty incumberent Worth by Mr. Fields.

Thomas L. Montgomery, President of the Farmers State There were present: Messers G. Bank celebrated his 84th birthday the 19th inst. We are pleased that judge is in splendid health.

Mr. J. Garber has returned from Morgain, accompanied by his elder children, Mrs. Garber will arrive Sunday with the rest of the family. They will make Haskell their future home.

day from a western trip. He her good white folks fer der has traveled out of Haskell for presence that day and extended several years for a glove house. to dem a cordial invitation to He reported that West Texas come again. was in fine condition and that he made splendid sales.

Post at the table. We refer to Missionary Society.

of cat fish and 10 pounds of

The young ladies present were Misses Bernice Post, Berdell Post, Marrie Cole and Alice cese, assisted by Rev. E. C. Sea- finer work than any machine on Farrar who were needful not to man will hold services in the the market. Phone Wm. Wells or Presbyterian, Sunday morning, upon them to see that no one April 27 at eleven o'clock. All was neglected at lunch time. are cordially invited. A. Castleberry and family, G.

L. Taylor and family, S. E. Nel- carbon. Get at the Corner Drug pigeons at a bargain. son and family, W. K. Pryor and Store. family, M. S. Butler and family and quite a number of others, about 70 present in all. All of whom were delighted with the day. I am authorized to say that the place where lunch was served is now titled Fort Park,

Mr. Post left Tuesday for home, via. Texarkana, Dallas and Fort Worth with a heartfull of joy for courtesies extended him on his visit here.

A Friend.

Miss Vera Neathery of Stamford was visiting in this city this week. On her return oher home Wednesday she was accompanied by her sisters, Mesdames Wallace Alexander and John Oates of this city who visiting with their sister for a few days.

A party consisting of D. Max King, Claud Collier, Emory Menefee, Lewis Fields, Misses Mamie Odell, Eunice Mckelvain, Julia Winn and Inez Nelson, took a joy ride to Knox City the other evening, where they had a good supper and returned the same evening.

was appointed to set facing Mr. work being done by the Woman's committee, of which he is a

interest where we can break our the own record for a while. Press Reporter.

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member, appointed by the legis-Can't we get to the point of lature to investigate the leaks in penitentiary financial management.

Get the habit of sewing on a Rev. E. A. Temple, Bishop of Singer and you will never regret the North Texas Missionary dio- it, for it lasts longer and does call on him. 15--tf Pure white Indian Runner duck eggs for sale at \$4.00 per dozen, from as fine stock as in the Kill your prairie dogs with State. Also choice lot of fancy

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

Like You Like It

Summer time is here now and we are good and ready for it too in our store, because we have our large and Sanitary refrigerator full of ice and able to keep such eatables that ought to be kept on ice, and there is many things in the grocery store that ought to be kept

THIS WAY IN

We found this out long ago, and when you trade with us you will get the best, and the goods that are kept in the best way.

Ours is better than the law requires.

F. G. Alexander & Sons THE BIG STORE

Mr. Parish came in the other and that Aunt Hannah thanked

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the community at heart, that we

make a campaign against the

habit of envious, vindictive

criticism. We would do this,

if we thought we could accom-

lish any good. But the fellow

who needs the lecturing and who

is guilty does not recognize that

he owes society any duty. All

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BASKELL, TEXAS, April. 26, 1913.

The recent rains in this section have put new life into every thing.

It is about time to begin a war on the pesky fly. He will soon filth and disease germs.

The Free Press is publishing the proposed constitutional amendments to be voted on this summer. Read them and study them or if you do not do so you will not be qualified to cast an intelligent ballot when the election comes.

"Do not do a thing or say a thing just to be mean to some one. There is no use. in being mean. If you could make all the people you meet miserable it could profit you nothing. If you can not say something good of

Notice of Teachers Examination There will be an examination for permanent, first and second penters and contractors over the grade STATE certificates on May state are adopting the eight hour 1, 2, and 3, 1913, at the Courtworking basis, we the undersigned

house. Permanent subjects May carpenters and contractors of Has-1; second and first grade subjects kell have agreed to adopt the v 2 and 3. There will be eight hour per day basis and we another examination on the first take this method of notifying the Friday and Saturday in June.

> T. C. WILLIAMS, Co. Supt. Schools.

Black Joe

Black Joe, is a black Spanish of office? We wish there could jack, raised in Tennessee, is 15 be a change. The whole history hands high, black with white of Texas and nearly every other points. Will make the season state in this union shows failure of 1913, at my farm, one and a in the standard of the lesgisla- half miles northwest of Haskell. Terms \$10 to insure a foal. All sorrel and dun colts free.

E. A. Hutchins. 15-4t.

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Notice to Breeders.

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TITLES EXAMINED AND PERFECTED Non-resident Rental Business Solicited

Haskell National Bank Building.

Notice of Sale. The State of Texas

County of Haskell. ford, et al.

Court of Williamson County, door of said Haskell County, in the town of Texas, on a judgment rendered in Haskell, proceed to sell at public suction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the said court on the 21st day of Feb- right, title and interest which T. P. Weatherruary A. D. 1913, in favor of John Neisser and J. F. Bohac against W. M. Gunter, Tull Newcomb, Charles Dongthe said M. E. Summerford, C. A. Jennings and D. F. Harbison, No. on the 7th day of January A. D. 1913, or at 7465 on the docket of said court, I did on the 8th day of April A. D. 1913, at 11 o'lock a. m. levy upon parcel of land and being 426 acres of land ent the following described tract OT Burleson, by virtue of Certificate No. 102 leaved parcel of land situated in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, and being described as follows, to- of the Clear Fork, a tributary of the Brases wit:

All that certain tract, lot or parcel of land situated in the County of Haskell, State of Texas, and being the North 246 acres of the corner of said Fenner survey ; thence N. 18. Oliver Smith one-third League Survey, Abstract No. 371, Certifi- of survey No. 17; thence S. 1600 varas 8. cate No. 188, patented to the Corner varvey No. 17, a set stone marked S. W. 17; thence N 89 deg. 42.1 E. 408.8 varas heir of Oliver Smith on May 9th, corner in W. B. line Pate survey; thence S. 1874, patent No. 176. Said 246 170 varas to the place of beginning. acres of land herein referred to A Matthews Original Grantee, Beginning at being 833 varas North and South the S. W. corner of No. 15 Block M5 Brooks & and 1666 yaras east and west, save bank of the Clear Fork of the Brases river bis and except a right of way 25 feet vrs. the north bank of same at 1801% vrs. in width along the west line of said tract, set apart for public survey No. 104 Indianola By. Co.,; thence B. road purposes; and on the 6th of S. deg. 42 min. 1 W. 446 vrs. to most morthern N. E corner of the Fenner survey; thence S. May A. D. 1913, being the first | 1 deg. 18 min. E. 2110 vrs. to corner of said Tuesday of said month, between senter survey; thence S. 88 deg. 42.1 W. to another corner of said Fenner survey; thence the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and B. 1 deg. 10 min. 1 E. 1444 vrs. to the N. W. 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house of Said Haskell Coun-tr J will offer for sole and coll to beginning and contains 350 acres more or less. ty, I will offer for sale and sell at Said property being levied on as the property public auction, for cash, all the of T. F. Weatherred to satisfy a Judgment right, title and interest of said amounting to \$1,048.56, in favor of Citin ummerford, C. A. Jenof suit. nings and D. F. Harbison in and to Given under my hand this 8th day of April said property. Dated at Haskell, this the 8th A. D. 1915. By M S. EDWARDS, Deputy. day of April A. D. 1913. W. C. ALLEN, Sheriff of Haskell County, Texas.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale (REAL ESTATE)

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Hill County In the District Court of Wil- on the 8th day of March A. D. 1915, in the hamson County, Texas, J. F. Bo- case of Citizens National Bank of Hillsboro, Texas, versus, T. P. Weatherred, et al., No. hac, Plaintiff, vs. M. E. Summer- \$343, and to me, as Sherio, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 8th day of April A. D. 1915, and will, between th : hours of 10 Whereas, by virtue of an exe- o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p m. on the cution issued out of the District first Tuesday in May A. D. 1913, it being the red, Preston A, Weatherred, J. L. Lightfoot, J. B. Miller, S. Eva Wilson, Oswald Wilson, hoe, D. E. Clop, J. W. Beattis and The Commercial National Bank of Abilene, Texas had any time thereafter, of is and to the following described property, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT-All that certain piece or of Survey No 16, Block M5 for Brooks and by the Commissioner of the General Land offfice, said survey situated in Haskell and Shackelford countles, Texas on the waters River, about 22% miles 8. 45 E. of Haskel town. Beginning at the M. E. Corner of Sarah Blythe survey, an old stone mound, original corner; Thence N 89 deg. 5 minutes W 1900 s varas at; thence N. 18.1 W. 718 varas to stake for 8. W. corner Jos. Fenner; thence 8. 89 deg. 42.1 E. 293 varas the most southern S. E West 1041 varas to pile of rock for N. W. corper; thence S. 89 E, 1210 varas to N. W. corner

SECOND TRACT: 350 acres, Section 21, O Burleson; thence No. 30.1 E. s74 varas south south bank, again recross and at 1448 vrs. north bank of the same 3370 vrs. to south line of

W. C. ALLEN.

precept, he thinks is for the other fellow. He is satisfied with himself. We can not get that public tabernacle built in time for the Haskell County Singing Convention which meets here the second Sunday in May, although it would have been exceedingly be in our midst to spread his fine to have had it for this occasion, but if we get busy we may have it ready for the next big occasion and for the summer

meetings. What about it, Haskell people? We think that the national government should keep hands off of the situation in California in reference to anti-Japanese legislation. We have enough

race questions in this country. If we wait longer to settle the matter of Japanese ownership of land in this country, it will involve a greater cost when it has to be settled later.

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What are you doing to make Haskell grow? Do you throw sold water on every contemplatsd enterprise headed this way? Are you doing anything to help keep the institutions already here from moving away? Be candid and see if you can an swer these questions with a clear conscience, and if you can't, right about face and lend clean premises. a helping hand.

Convention meets in Haskell the second Sunday in May. What are the Haskell people going to are preparing to give the press doabout entertaining the visitors boys the time of their life. And expected on that occasion; We can not afford to sit still and show these people no courtesies. Haskell did well last year, and we should do equally as well if not better this year.

> We notice that City Marshall J. W. French has put down a nice concrete sidewalk in front of his residence. If every place in Haskell would follow this worthy example, you would note with pride the improved appearance of the Haskell homes. Nothing adds more to a place than nice concrete sidewalks and

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How about that city park? town the importance of seeing Haskell needs one as badly as that those who attend the Singany town we ever saw. And we ing Convention are well enter have plenty of suitable sites. tained.

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(S. J. R. No. 18) SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

To be entitled A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds and the levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same for public improvements.

Be It Resolved by The Legislature of The State of Texas:

Section 1. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended lows, to-wit:

Section 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, and defend the State in war or pay existing debts, and no debt created to supply deficiencies in current revenues shall ever exceed in the aggregate at any one time five hundred thousand dollars. The Legislature, however, shall have power to authorize the issuance of bonds to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing amendment at said election who additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas, including a medical department, an Agriculpower to issue bonds for the lots the following: construction of necessary buildmaking permanent im- tural products. and provements. Section 52. The legislature Secretary of State shall cause shall have no power to authorize to be printed and forwarded to any county, city, town or other the County Judge of each counpolitical corporation or subdi- ty, for use in said election, a vision of the State to lead its sufficient number of ballots for credit or to grant public money the use of voters in each county or thing of value in aid of or on which he shall have printed to any individual association the form of the ballot herein ard turnpikes, or in aid thereof. or corporation whatsoever or to prescribed, for the convenient become a stockholder in such use of the voters. corporation, association or company; provided, however, State is hereby directed to issue that under Legislature provis- his necessary proclamation or- ing, elevating and loading agri- trict judge at the county seat ions any county, any political dering this election, and have cultural products. Provided in each of the several counties subdivision of a county, any same published as required by the Legislature may establish at such times and in such mannumber of adjoining counties or the Constitution and laws of such means and agencies as may her as may be prescribed by any political subdivision of the the State. The sum of five be necessary for accomplishing law. The Legislature shall pro-State or any defined district thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so now or hereafter to be described much thereof as may be necessand defined within the State of sary is hereby appropriated out Texas and which may or may of any fund in the State Treas. not include towns, villages or to defray the expenses of pubmunicipal corporations upon lishing said proclamation and a vote of a majority of the resi. printing of tickets and necesdent property taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory (A true copy) to be effected thereby in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except in case of improvement of rivers, creeks, and streams, in

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO building of levees to prevent THE STATE CONSTITUTION overflows, in which case the AUTHORIZING THE ISSU | bonded indebtedness may be for ANCE OF BONDS FOR THE an amount not to exceed one-PURPOSE OF THE CON- half of the assessed valuation of STRUCTION OF THE NEC- the lands of the district to be ESSARY BUILDINGS FOR reclaimed, and, except. THE UNIVERSITY OF TEX- further, that the total bonded AS AND ALSO FOR BUILD- indebtedness of any city or INGS OF VARIOUS INSTI- town shall never exceed the lim-TUTIONS, AND AUTHORIZ. its imposed by other provisions ING IMPROVEMENT BONDS of this Constitution, and kvy FOR THE PURPOSE OF and collect such taxes to pay NAVIGATION, IRRIGATION, the interest thereon and pro-CONSTRUCTION OF vide a sinking fund for the re-BRIDGES AND THE MAIN. demption thereof as the legislature may authorize and in such manner as it may authorize the same for the following purposes,

> to-wit: (a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof or irrigation therefrom or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and water-ways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or bavigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized. bridges and so as to hereafter read as for graveled, sandy clay, or clayed sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses or in aid thereof. SEC. 2.' The foregoing amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at a special election hereby ordered for the third Saturday in July, 1913, the same being the nineteenth day of said month. All voters on this proposed favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following:

For Amendment to Sections tural and Mechanical College 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the and all departments and activi- Constitution, authorizing the ties of a complete university of issuance of bonds for the Unithe first class. The revenue re- versity of Texas, Agricultural ceived from the permanent Uni- and Mechanical College, State versity fund shall be available Penitentiary System, and other for the payment of interest on public improvements and buildthese bonds and for the creation ing of warehouses for agriculof a sinking fund for their re- tural products. Those voting demption at maturity and the against its adoption shall have Legialature shall also have written or printed on their bal-Against amendment to Secinge for State institutions, tions 49 and 52, of Article 3 of The Legislature shall also have the Constitution, authorizing the power to authorize the is- the issuance of bonds for the suance of bonds secured by lien University of Texas, Agriculturon the real property of the pen- al and Mechanical College, State itentiary system to be approv- Penitentiary System, and other ed by the Governor for the pur- public improvements and buildpose of constructing buildings ing of warehouses for agricul-

PROPOSED AMENDMENT other public insprovements by written or printed on their bal-TO THE CONSTITUTION OF a majority vote, shall have lots the words: "For the STORING, CLASSING. WEIGHING, TUFAL PRODUCTS.

(S. J. R. No. 4.) JOINT RESOLU-TION

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of this State:

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of or to any individual, association or corporation whateoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in

any amount not to exceed onefourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such a manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

THIS STATE AUTHORIZING written or printed on their bal- amendment of Section 7, Article THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS lot: For amendment to author. 5, of the Constitution of the FOR IMPROVEMENT DIS- ize road and other public im- State of Texas, relating to dis-TRICTS, AND ALSO FOR provements by a vote of a trict judges and district courts,' THE OPERATION OF PUB- majority and those opposed to and all voters opposed to said LIC WAREHOUSES FOR said amendment shall have writ- amendment shall have written HANDLING, ten or printed on their ballot; or printed on their ballots the MEASURING, Against amendment to author- words: "Against the amend-ELEVATING ize road and other public im- ment of Section 7, Article 5, of AND LOADING AGRICUL prevements by a vote of a majori'y. Those favoring the issuance judges and district courts."

of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds

for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of (H. J. R. No. 41.) A Joint the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and election.

> JOHN L. WORTHAM, Secretary of State.

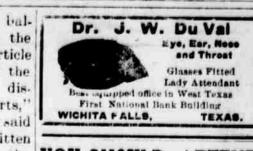
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PRESCRIBING QUALIFI. CATIONS FOR DISTRICT JUDGES OF THIS STATE AND PRESCRIBING THEIR TENURE OF OFFICE.

(L. J. R. No. 11.) A Joint Resolution

Amending Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the creation and formation of judicial districts, the terms of compensation and qualification of the judges of the district courts, and the times of holding court.

Be it resolved by the Legisla-State will, as directed by the



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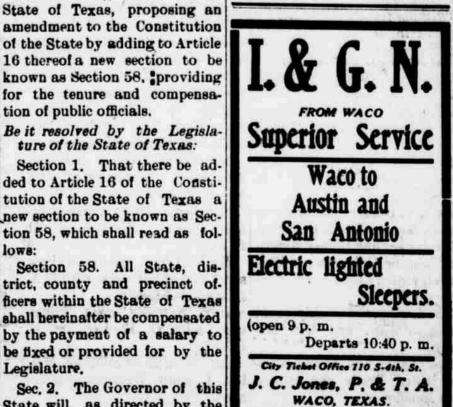
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(b) the construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macad. amized, graveled or paved roads (d) The construction, main. his services an annual salary of

warehouses for storing, handl- otherwise changed by law. ing, classing; measuring, weigh- Court shall be held by a disterm of office shall be fixed by the Legislature.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified elecment to authorize road or ing this amendment shall have (A true copy.)

ture of the state of iel Section 1. That Section 7.

of this proposed amendment in Article 5, be amended so as to the manner and for the time as hereafter read as follows:

Section 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, one or more judges each of whom shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a practicing lawyer of this State, or a judge of a court in this State for six years next preceding his election; who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election; who shall reside in his district during his term of office; who shall hald his office for a period of four years, and shall receive for tenance and operation of public three thousand dollars, until

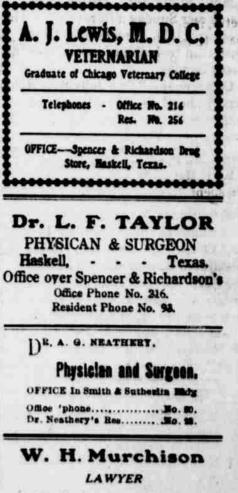
election, or appointment.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the tors of the State of Texas on State of Texas is hereby direct. pen through the same. on the third Saturday in July, ed to issue necessary proclamasame being the 19th day of tion for the submission of this shall be voted upon separately. 19th day of July, 1913, at Those favoring the amend- which election all voters favor-

required by the Constitution, the amendment to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature of this State at the general election to be held for State officers on July 19, 1913, the returns of which shall, as provided for in the Constitution, be made to to the Secretary of State, the result ascertained and proclamation made as provided for in Section 1, Article 17, of the Constitution. There shall be written or printed on the ballots to be used at such election for the adoption of Section 58 Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing term of office at four years;" and also 'against the adoption of Sec. tion 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years;" and those favoring the adoption of said amendment shall erase the language "Against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers the purpose of this amendment vide for the holding of the dis- and fixing their term of office at and if a State warehouse com- trict court when the judge four years" by running a pencil mission be provided for, their thereof is absent, disabled or or pen through the same, and disqualified from acting. The those opposing the adoption of district judges who may be in said amendment shall erase the language "for the adoption of office when this amendment Section 58, Article 16, as an takes effect shall hold their of amendment to the Constitution fices until their respective terms providing a salary compensashall expire under their present tion for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or

Section 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necsaid month, and the amend- amendment to the qualified essary, is hereby appropriated ment. We are prepared to turn ments proposed to Section 52 voters of the State of Texas at to pay the expenses of carrying out as high class job printing a of Article 3, as above indicated, an election to be held on the out the provisions of this resolution,

JOHN L. WORTHAM, Secretary of State.



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We would surely appreciate it. Bro. and Sister Lipscomb and daughter spent Saturday night at Mr. Hunt's.

G. F. Atchison called at Mr. Mrs. W. P. Hallmark and daughter Nala spent Sunday at W. R.

Brown Eyes.

IN HASKELL. Haskell people have found out

since." For sale by all dealers, buckthorn bark, glycerine, Hewitt, Bessie Glen and Clifford 1861, enlisted as a Confederate etc., as compounded in Adlerika, Glen and Owen Toliver attended soldier, the first Company that left the German appendicits remedy, relieves constipation, sour stomach antisepticizes the digestive organs "Ma has solved the servant-girl and draws off the impurities and it is surprising how QUICKLY it helps. Corner Drug Store.

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Come again "Two Jolly School kins have those wild mules brok-irls". hand us our gloves and en come down and take us a ride. Them and you will be well satis-mended by West Side Pharmacy. Some Sundays ago I saw a short

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Ballew Items

Hello Chats:

T. L. Glenn left Wednesday for Fort Worth.

There was a candy breaking at There was a party at Mr. W. S. Hewitt's Monday night.

Singing at Ballew Sunday Nocona, the Comanche Chief,

morning. Misses Mertie Mosely, Ola home, and the 22nd day of March Glen and Owen Toliver attended soldier, the first Company that left the literary at Whitman Friday

night. is invited to attend.

Miss Josie Toliver spent Mon-Let the Free Press do your job day night with Miss Bessie

> Saturday night with Miss Mabel am proud of him and my little Cunningham. Miss Mollie B. Britton of Ft.

> Worth is visiting Miss Rena mother standing at the old spinn-Wright. took dinner at Mr. Cunning-

ham's Sunday. Claud and L. Z. Massie of

place Sunday eve. The good rain Tuesday night is making everybody laugh.

I will ring off and give those other good writers my place. Skip.

O'Brien Subscribers

If you have not already done so, The Free Press. ease remit.

Letter From a Comrade.

Haskell, Texas.

Please pardon me if this is an history of yourself and your good companion in that good paper. To make a long story short, my dear Comrade, 1 came to Texas in '58,

settled in Fannin County, was a Texas Ranger under Sol Ross, Creek just above where it empties and Application will be considered please remit. into Pease, where Sol killed old

evening. Sunday School Sunday and we captured Synthia Parker and Prairie Flower and returned Fannin County, Company F, of the 11th Texas Calvary. Served School will be out May 1st at to the close of the war, recieved Ballew. The school children will an honorable discharge parole,

render a program. Everybody came home, and have been a citizen of Texas since. The Sheriff of your County,

Crofford Allen, married my niece. If you are not acquainted with Miss Mertie Mosely spent him make his acquaintance. I

niece, and they will show you my photograph with Mrs. Allen's ing wheel, made eleven years ago. Thomas Pence of near Rule She is some years since deceased. Hoping to hear from you and your good companion and that we may cultivate that comrade's true

Powell, attended singing at this love and friendship in the future, Most respectully, I am, J. A. Cummins,

Capt. of the Bowie Pelham Camp, No. 572, U. C. V.

Sagerton. We would be glad to have our

subscribers at Sagerton, who have not remitted, remit us on subscription account. The Free Press.

Administrator,

You are Hereby Commanded. That by publication of this Writ for twenty days before the return date hereof in a Newspaper regto, if any they have, on or before will cure any form of itching the May Term, 1913, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House with him in the Memorial Battle of said County, in the town of fought in the last days of Decem. Haskell on the fifth day in May Prof. Hendrix's Saturday night. ber '60 on Pease River or Turkey A. D. 1913, when said Account

Deputy Sherif

Saved Him

"It didn't kill me, but I think it date hereof in a Newspaper reg-ularly published in the County of Hunt's Cure. I was tired, miser-Haskell you give due notice to all able and well nigh used up when I commenced using it for an old persons interested in the Account and severe case of eczema. One for Final Settlement of said Es- application relieved me and a box tate, to file their objections there- cured me. I believe Hunt's Cure known to mankind.

CLIFTON LAWRENCE Helena, Okla.

Knox City Subscribers] If you have not already done so, The Free Press,



The registered horse, Jno. T. Cecil make season at Haskell this year. Breeding Jno. T. Cecil by Cecil Alliton, he by Alliton, Dam Cyrine by Soroco grand dam Dollie, Clates by Joe Gavin.

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| One | Mare | \$25.00 | | |
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| Six | | 20.00 | | |



HASKELL COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION

office. ~

Convention, which meets in Has. Cd, dequast and sincers. Whi kell the second Sunday in May, there was no visible result from Mr. Kiley said that he was ex- the series of sermons, yet we feel pecting it to be a bigger thing that great good has been accomthan it was last year. He has the assurance of a number of prominent music men and singers of being present on this occasion, and he had letters from to return home, bearing with him nearly every singing class in the the good wishes and God Speed of county saying they would be here to participate in the convention. It is estimated that there will be fully 2,000 people, and a great time is truly expected.

In view of this fact, the Free Press desires to urge the citizens of Haskell to begin at once preparations for the entertainment of these people. Haskell entertained the Convention in a royal manner last year, and we cannot afford to fail in our hospitality this year. Fact is, we will have to put forth a little more effort this year, because a larger crowd is expected. We suggest to the business men the advisability of getting together and have the proper committees appointed. The time is only two weeks, and the matter needs immediate attention.

3686 School Children in Haskell County

C. S. News Service

ing to a report just issued by the State Department of Educa tion, and the the total apportionment at \$681 par capita is \$25,whites and 1 are negroes. The house of the tropics. years of age in Texas is 1,017,-133, and 812,896 are white and State. the scholastic population by five in order to ascertain the true population of the County, and on this basis Haskell County has a of 1910.

THE METHODIST **REVIVAL CLOSED**

Mr. J. M. Riley, of the Center | The revival meeting at the Point community, who is presi- Methodist church closed last Mondent of the Haskell County Sing- day. As has been stated in this ing Convention, was in the city paper, Rev. Mr. Hunt, of Snyder, Saturday and called at this who did the preaching, proved hitaself a very able expounder of

In speaking of the Singing the gospel. He was carnest, logiplished, and seeds were sown that will bear fruit in the lives of an awakened membership.

> Mr. Hunt left Monday evening many friends.

Story of a Spotless Town

Cleanliness is said to be next to godiiness.

The plain English of this is that an unclean individual is not noted for piety, nor a city notoriously dirty peopled with men saturated property balance cash and notes. with sanitary idealism.

Summer is coming.

Swat the fly; remove the garbage, eliminate the filth; lift the debris from the alleys and keep the streets clean.

This should be done tor selfish as well as sanitary reasons.

A clean city charms the visitor A clean city charms the visitor dell, Texas, of a sore on his ankle and never gives offense to his which pained him so he could nostrils.

A clean city carries with it a guarantee that the men entrusted with municipal affairs are cleanwhich is only another name for progressiveness.

Sanitary science expelled the miasma from the marshes of The scholastic population of Panama, destroyed the breeding Haskell County is 3686, accord- places of the death-bearing mosquitos and pestilential flies, exiled malarial fevers and dethroned Yellow Jack, for five centuries the saffron-hued scourge of the 249.10 for the 1912-13 term. Isthmus. All this was accomplish-3685 of our school children are ed in a plague spot and "charnel

total number of school children It is easy for an individual to over seven and under seventeen keep clean. Water is almost tree and soap is dirt cheap. It is just as easy for a city to 204,237 are colored. The males be kept clean if health officers and number 515,603 and the females their assistants are ever on the 501,530. The total apportion- alert and receive the hearty and ments are \$6,967,361 for the cordial co-operation of the people. Brownwood was placed on the It is customary to multiply map of the nation because it won the prize for being the "cleanest town in Texas." Now Mayes or Looney aspires to better things. On April 21, San Jacinto day, he population of 18,430 an increase has requested every citizen, male of 21 81 over the Federal Census and female, between the ages of 4 and 90 years to assist in the work of making "the cleanest Texas town" spotlessly clean. Why not Fort Worth? Why not every city and town under the blue sky of Texas? The clean individual is an optimist. He carries a wreath of smiles on his tace. A clean peo-631 ple should be optimistic and a clean city a fadeless joy. It is better to patronise a bath-242 333 house than a booze house. It is 2330 better to deordorize than to putre-

went in the ground. Farmers, of this section are in fine spirits over the outlook for a good crop. Much cotton was already planted and feed stuff, sorghum, Kaffir, and maize crops were just out of the ground and will get such a start as to insure a heavy yield.

For Sale.

260 seres fine Wiebita Valley. Land 3 miles north of Wighita Falls, 175 serves in collivation, 85 acres in fine wheat, splendid im- it been practicable. At first it was provements, one of the very best love for his work alone that gave him farms in the county. Directly accustomed to the pruises it brought in line with the Burk Burnett & him. Between the ages of twenty-five Petrolia Oil Field, can sell oil jease any day, if sold at once will take \$75 per acre, and will accept ums heaped upon it. Persons might \$5,000 in good merchandise or other good property, balance one-third cash and notes to suit; also a splendid five room home; well improved and in best location of Wichita Falls and 4 good vacant lots. Will sell house at \$3,000 and accept as much as \$500 in other property, balance sent up her card. The artist's eye one-third cash and notes. Lots at \$2,000, will accept \$500 other Address, W. J. GRISHAW,

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fore to wor a man had beene fameas. I'v reduced all day and so ne-Mates would improve hated of our it an interest in it, but in time he grew and thirty-live he would go into a gallery where one of his masterideces hung on purpose to hear the encomicompliment him upon other gifts-and he possessed several in no small degree-without exciting in him the slightest pleasure. It was to hear his praises as a portraver of nature that found a place in his heart.

Chidester was thirty-five years old when he painted the great picture of his life. A young lady one day drove up to his studio in her carringe, which bore her family crest, and, alighting, lighted with pleasure. Miss Eleanor Gray, whose name was on the card. was the most beautiful woman of her day. When she appeared at functions. at the opera, driving out, as she passed every head was turned to look at her. At the time she made this visit to Chidester her beauty was simply perfect. Not a line appeared anywhere on her face, her complexion was a most exquisite pink and white, and her figure was a combination of ravishing curves.

"I have called," she said, "to ask if you could be induced to paint my portrait. I know it is a great deal to ask of the most famous living artist, but you will, won't you?"

Chidester stood gazing at her, wrapped in admiration of her beauty, for some time before he replied.

"I can do greater justice to your beauty," he said, "by using you as a model in a picture I am painting representing springtime."

"Paint me to show me at my best,' she replied. "I have nothing but my beauty to interest me-to be proud of." "And I," he replied, "could not live without my art."

The most artistic dressmakers were applied to for designs for a costume which would give the best effect, and one was selected ravishing in its simplicity. The head, neck, bust, the feet and lower limbs below the knee were bared: the hair was partly concealed. Chidester saw before him a perfection of beauty, and he idealized it. The result was his chef d'oeuvre, the marvelous painting which was to him what the Sistine Madonna was to



The Rev. Mr. Brooks was howerd by this congregation, his wife was an es- to visit a patient of whom I had never pletteres when he was a child and by threable hold who was of great month, benth, i asked the person at the mee to her husband in his efforts to phone how he carne to call upon me, hall the post. The Broads children- and he could give no remaon. But he can and no member of the engraged had revelved on filling and it he could tion had a fault to find with any one not get a foctor for her soon he feared of them.

> ried the day Mr. Brooks entered upon come his pastorate of the First --- church. Consequently the anniversaries of both ed. "don't leave us with a dying wothe wedding and his engagement as man on our hands. We'll pay what pastor were coincident. When he entered upon the twenty-fifth year of his ministry, so great was the affection of his congregation that they decided to give him a handsome silver wedding. One year of the twenty-five remained and measures for the celebration began to be talked over.

One morning Miss Tatler, aged forty seven, called upon Mrs. Prime ostensibly for the purpose of asking for a donation of old clothes for a missionary box she was about to send to india, but really as a beginning-a wedge -in an effort she had decided upon to displace Mr. Brooks from the pastorate of the church and put in a candidate of her own. Considering the good man's faithful service, the reverence in which he was held by his parishioners and his intellectual endowments, it must be confessed that Miss Tatler's effort did not give promise of success. "By the by, Mrs. Prime," she said. 'have you noticed how deaf Mr. Brooks is becoming?"

"No. Is his hearing impaired?" "Dear me! Haven't you noticed it? It's the talk of the congregation. Mr. Brooks is a dear, good man, and we all love him and Mrs. Brooks, too, but at the rate he is going on he'll soon be deaf as a post, and there is no church that can be kept up with a deaf pastor; it is a constant interference with his duties."

Mrs. Prime said that she would be sorry to lose Mr. Brooks, and for her part she would prefer him to any one else, even if he couldn't hear thunder. But before Miss Tatler left she had convinced her friend that if they didn't get rid of him the church would run right down. Miss Tatler made a dozen calls during the day, and at every call she put in her wedge. In the evening she counted up her converts Four persons had pledged themselves to try to get rid of the pastor before the matter became any worse. Three simply listened and expressed no opin ion. Five stood up defiantly for Mr. Brooks. Miss Tatler was well satisfied with her day's work. She resolved to devote two days each week to driv-

A DOCTOR'S STORY By EDWIN CONSTABLE, I I was one night called from my bed

the soft the a strown - wary word to me. Build there was a rooms god there who she would die. He had called up sev-Mr and Mrs. Brooks had been mar- eral doctors and all had refused to

"For neaven's sake, doctor," he add we can!"

I lived on a street which, though it was eminently respectable, was not far distant from a district which was quite the reverse. I decided to walk rather than take out my chauffeur, who had driven me a good deal late at night recently and was tired out.

The man at the phone had given me the street and number, and as I proceeded I saw that I was in the worst part of the town. The house itself was neither good nor bad, the worst thing about it being its surroundings I hesitated for a moment, then rang the bell. A woman came to the door. and I noticed that instead of hurrying me to the sickroom she looked out through the open doorway to see whether I had come by conveyance.

"Did you walk, doctor?" she asked. "Yes. Why do you wish to know that?"

"Oh, nothing. Most doctors about in automobiles nowadays."

This interest in how I had come increased my suspicions, especially since the call had been so urgent. As I passed through the ball to a room in the rear I noticed that there was little or no furniture in the house. Indeed. it was what we call vacant, and the people in it had come into it for a purpose. What that purpose was I could only conjecture. If it was to rob me I had no arms with which to defend myself.

As soon as I had entered the room I saw that I had not been called to visit a patient. The only furniture in it was a rickety chair. Two men were there, and the woman who had admitted me remained without, locking the door. The two men looked me over without saying anything.

"Where is the patient?" I asked.

"There is no patient here," replied one of the men. "What we want is money. Write us a check on your bank for \$5,000, and tomorrow after we have drawn the amount we will let you go.'

"And if I refuse?"

The spokesman shrugged his shoulders, and the other man felt something inside the shabby coat he wo which I supposed to be a knife. I knew that all this was to terrify me. "I haven't \$5,000 in bank," I said. "My balance is a little over \$900, if I remember correctly. I will give you a The men withdrew to a corner. where they held a consultation in whispers. Presently they came to me and said that if I would make it sure they could get the money on the check they would accept the amount, and I wrote a note to a friend of mine asking him to draw the funds and give them to the bearer of the check. This satisfied them, and there seemed nothing to do but for me to sit on the rickety chair till the next morning and as much longer as was needed for my captors to get safely away. One of the men went out; the other remained with me. I chatted with him for awhile, apparently making the best of the situation. Suddenly I sniffed the air suspiciously. "There's ozone in this room," I said, affecting to be much frightened. If there was anything in the air it was not ozone; it was rather the want of it. "What's that?" asked the man. "Have you got ozone?" I asked the man, approaching him and sniffing the air as I did so. Then, putting my nose to his sleeve, I added: "You have it. Let me get out of here. I don't want The man looked at me, evidently somewhat frightened, and asked, "What is it, doctor?" "Do you know what leprosy is?" "Yes." "Well, ozone is a similar disease, though it works much quicker. In two weeks you will be a dead man." He turned pale, but kept enough nerve to look at me with an inquiring glance that I knew was to determine my sincerity. "Let me out," I repeated. "The disease is contagious." I kicked furiously on the door. The other man came in to learn what was the matter. I told him his friend had a disease that would carry him off possibly in a few days, and if he didn't get away from it he would come down with it himself. I persisted till I had got them frightened. Then they asked if I could not cure the disease. I told them there was an antidote, but I would have the co for ft. Following means admininge, I made an agreement with them that they would survey Thord and call the whole aft and in t would give one of them a preserver for the medicine and they would not me go as so as it arrived. I sent the man out with the prescription and the money to pay for the medicine. I ordered landanum and when it came gave the patient a dose to cure him and the other a them, 1 loft, and a few minutes inter the pilles had them in charge. STATISTICS.

The scholastic population of the independent districts of Haskell County is shown in the following table. District White Colored Total 150 150 Carney 1

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Iy. Strict sanitary enforcement places money in the pockets of the people: it keeps money in the pockets of the taxpayers; it may cut down the profits of undertakers and tombstone manufacturers, but the Lord will take care of these.

Hats off to the clean mayors of clean towns; to the clean people of clean cities; to all the people everywhere who fight for modern sanitation and cleanliness. May their tribe increase and their labors in behalf of health, home and happiness be rewarded now and hereafter.-Fort Worth Record.

General Rains in Central West Texas.

A general rain fell all over Central West Texas last Tuesday night, and as it fell slow and continued nearly all night, it. put a splendid season in the ground. Haskell had a fall of about 1.20, and in some parts the fall exceeded the precipitation at this place. Wheat and oats were in a stage to be greatly benefited by he rain. Nearly all of the water Your Eye on that Can When

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ap or big-can baking pawder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical - more wholesome - gives best results. Calumet to far superior to sour milk and soda. phael. The world saw and wondered.

What Chidester and all others deem ed a crowning glory was in fact the misfortune of his life. He had been climbing, had reached the crest and must begin his descent. For a time he did not realize this, then feared it. and at last it fell upon him like a death stroke. He hunted everywhere for another model that would inspire him like the last one. He found one equally attractive of its kind, but a different style, a child, He read stories of children by Hans Christian Andersen to fill himself with their innocence, then began his work. It was successful, but it was not his masterpiece. Then the consciousness that he had begun his descent came to him, and he fell into melancholy.

Before a final giving up of all hope he determined to paint his former model, Miss Eleanor Gray, in a new conception. He hurried to her house and sent up his card. When the lady came down to receive him he noticed a tinge of melancholy on her face.

"Why do you look sad?" he asked. She placed a finger beside one of her eyes and said: "I have discovered a line there. Do you not see it?" Chidester declared that he did not. But this did not reassure her. She declared that she had bloomed and must now pass into decay. In vain he told her that she had not reached the richest beauty to which she was destined. that he would paint one more picture of her representing her as "Summer." He could not excite a hope. That litthe line would multiply till it covered her whole person. Where there was one today there would be several tomorrow, and in time she would be covered with wrinkles.

"No," she said, not knowing that he was pleading for himself as well as for her. "I have passed the summit. What you painted was the perfection of my beauty. What you would paint now would be a shade lower in the scale."

A look of distress crossed his face and she asked what it meant.

"You have been describing me as well as yourself," he said. "I, too. have climbed the hill and stand look ing into the valley. I can never make another picture like the one I made of you. From this time forward my powers will wane '

"I cannot understand that." she said. "You are in your prime. There are years of work before you. You will climb higher."

"No. I will not climb higher, but had I not met you I might have been longer in climbing. Your perfection of beauty, coming to you before you were even in midage, brought my perfection in my art long before it should have come to me. Your realization, as mine, will carry us down the quicker. Our descent will be alow, but it will sure.

ng in the wedge. It soon began to be noised about that

there was trouble in the First ---church. "What's the matter?" asked "It's about the pastor," was the one. "Why, I thought they adored reply. "So did I. They say it's his check for \$900." him." hearing. He's getting deaf." "You don't mean it. What are they going to do about it?" "Why, I hear that there is a party for him and a party against him and a likelihood of a split."

Miss Tatler, having ignited the kindling, as soon as the flame burst forth withdrew from the struggle. Her name was never mentioned as its orig inator. Indeed, she was quoted as "on the fence." But when more fuel was needed she supplied it. "Some think." she said to Mrs. Brown, a prominent advocate of the pastor, "that Mr. Brooks is growing deaf. It seems to me that a far greater drawback is his throat. Did you notice how busky his voice was last Sunday?"

"No. Was it?"

"Why, I couldn't hear half he said." Then came those to whom it suddenly occurred that a church couldn't stand still. It must go forward or retrograde. The First --- church had gained nothing in ten years. It must get a man who will bring in persons of influence in the community. It needs a larger organ and a quartet choir. Those things cost money. I understand there's a movement on foot to die with you." to get this big preacher that's been

electrifying the people of N. This big preacher was Miss Tatler's candidate, but his bigness had been created by the lady herself.

But her modesty-so it was supposed -always led her to say: "Don't quote me. I have nothing to do with this matter. I yield to the will of the majority.'

Three months after Miss Tatler put in her wedge the fact that there was dissatisfaction with him first reached Mr. Brooks' ears. Great was his astonishment. "It is my duty," he said, "under the circumstances, to place my resignation before the congregation for acceptance or rejection."

"Don't." said his supporters; "it will give these malcontents an advantage." "Good," said Miss Tatler to herself "It is not yet time for a resignation. We need more on our side for a majority."

The resignation came three months before the anniversary of the Installation of the minister and was voted on in the course of a few weeks. It was accepted.

When Mr. and Mrs. Brooks celebrated their silver wedding there was a dearth of silver presents, but a superfuity of blessings from the poor, who had in great numbers and for many years been the recipients of their kind efforts and sympathy. Fortunately their older children had grown to manheed for an antidote. Having thus drag and womanhood and helped their par ents as their parents had helped others

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Where Indeed?

went home the night of the elec- extremely rare the amount that tion and woke up his wife and told | can be realized may be far greater. her to pack up and get ready to Among the foreign coins in the leave-that Illinois had gone dem- collection is a Spanish coin made ocratic and he wouldn't live in in 1632, which bears the likeness such a state. And storming of Columbus on one side and King later returned home and told his for its rarity, to be worth \$1,000. wife that she needn't mind about packing up, that there was no blace to go to .- Argonaut.

Rare Coins Found Henderson, Kv., April 18-The finding of a metal cask containing a number of old coins may make the city of Henderson richer, unless the relatives of John J. Audubon the naturalist, claims the coins a result of their having been found on property formerly own-

ed by him. The coins were unearthed while several workmen were digging under the stone walls of what was Audubon's grist mill, preparatory to dynamiting the walls, as they were a menace to children, who

have made the lot a playground. The spade of one of the workmen struck a metal object, and investigation showed that it was a cask which weighed more than a

Mayor Thompson Chief of Police Bailey were notified at once, as the workmen thought that the cask might contain something of value.

It required the combined work of twelve men to carry the cask to the mayors's office. A blacksmith forceed off the lid after an hours work and a trayful of coins was revealed.

The majority of the coins in tray were coined during the years of 1600 and 1700, and represented nearly every civilized country. falo, New York, sole agents for Of the American coins there were several gold and silver dollars made in 1800, 1802, 1804 and 1806. It is estimated that the actual value of the coins is \$10,000, and on A Greenville (Ill.) republican account of many of them being

Ambiguous.

A New York politician, in writing a letter of condolence to the be a freak?" asked the stoutish, widow of a late member of the tightly laced woman who had of Haskell County-GREETING: legislature, said: "I can not tell you how pained I lady.

was to hear that your husband had gone to heaven. We were "I often feel sorry for some of in the County of Haskell if there bosom friends, but now we shall you people who seem to find it so be a newspaper published therein, never meet again."-Life.

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Too much care cannot be used in selecting a cough medicine for to take, contain no harmful subby all dealers.

The Sweet Thing.

Fair Visitor-"Oh, don't trouble to see me to the door."

dear. It's a pleasure."-New York.



Sympathetic.

"Don't you ever find it hard to THE STATE OF TEXAS, stopped to converse with the fat

"No, not a bit," was the reply. Record-Herald.

How Foolish

To suffer from Skin Disease giving it a trial.

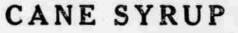
Naturally.

Mrs. Beck-"What party does Mrs. Peck -"I'm the party."-

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Here's the syrup for your cakes. waffles, bread-just thick enough but not too thick-sweet with a delicate, sugar-honey sweetness -absolutely pure-simply delicious





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MANDED, That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published hard not to be freaks."-Chicago but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th judicial district; but if there be no news-

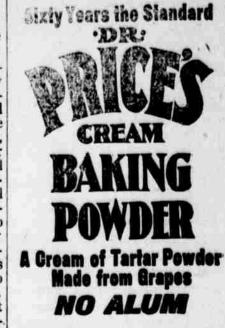
paper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper pubchildren. It should be pleasant Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, etc., said 39th judicial district, for lished in the nearest district to when one 50c box of "Hunt's four weeks previous to the restance and be most effectual. Cure" is positively guaranteed to turn day hereof, D. I. Roberts Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets these requirements and is a favorite with mothers of young bildren everywhere. For each of young and a state stands behind this cure or your money promptly whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holdchildren everywhere. For sale and see the guarantee with each en in the County of Haskell at the bex. You don't risk anything in Court House thereof, in Haskell, Texas on the 26th day of May, A.

D. 1913 then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 9th day of April A. D., 1913. in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1511, wherein J. J. Guest is plaintiff and Annie B. Roberts, D. I. Roberts, C. H. Wisdom and Mrs. Bulah Merchant are defendants.

The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

That heretofore, to-wit, on April 1st, 1913, the plaintiff was lawfully siezed and possessed of a certain tract of land and premises hereinafter described, holding the same in fee simple and that on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants, Annie B. Roberts and husband, D. I. Roberts, C. H. Wisdom and Mrs. Bulah Merchant, unlawfully, wrongfully and forcibly entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff there-from and are now wrongfully withholding said land and premises from the plaintiff to his damage Five Thousand Dollars.

That the premises so wrongfully entered upon and withheld by ney and bladder troubles, removdefendants from plaintiff are ing grayel, cures diabetes, weak described as follows, to-wit: Be-ing a part of the John Giboney survey, known as abstract No. 145 and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and wosurvey No. 165, Patented to John men. Regulates bladder trouble Giboney, Feby. 26th, 1859, by in Children. If not sold by your Patent No. 348, Vol. 13 and being situated in Haskell County, Texas, receipt of \$1.00. One small botbeginning at the N. W. cor. of the tle two months' treatment, and Daniel Roach Survey and the N. E. cor. of the John Giboney Sur-vey in the South line of the Wil-Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis liam Gilliland survey; Thence Mo. Sold by druggists. South 1959-1 varas to the S. E. Cor. of said Giboney survey; Thence North 89 degrees and 52 Tariff Revision, etc.



that citation issue in terms of the law requiring the defendants and each of them to appear at the next term of this honerable court and answer this petition, and upon hearing he have judgment against each and all of said defendants for the title to and possession of said land and premises, for his damages, and for his rents, and for all costs of suit and for such other relief, general and special, legal and equitable, which the law and facts will authorize.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Haskell, Texas this, the 15th day of April A. D. 1913

Guy O. Street, SEAL Clerk District Court. Haskell County, Texas.

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house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the bouse is liable to contract turboid house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The diges-tive organs perform the same was down in bed with an obstifunctions in the human body as nate cough, and I honestly be-lieve if it had not been for Dr. the plumbing does for the house, King's New Discovery she would and they should be kept in first not be living today." Known class condition all the time. If for forty-three years as the best you have any trouble with your remedy for coughs and colds. digestion take Chamberlain's Tab-Price 50c and \$1.00. Recommended lets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

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white at her marriage?"

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There is no use of our "beatas well out with it first as last. lain's Cough Remedy the next time you have a cough or cold. can see why you should not do so. ask another question. This preparation by its remarkable cures has gained a world wide reputation, and people everywhere speak of it in the highest his not returning to life again. terms of praise. It is for sale by all dealers.

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burial.

which there are twelve, last Frijoy and the wedding day is the day night, stating that he was dymost joyous occasion of a ing. About 4 o'clock Saturday morning he was pronounced dead A small boy queried: "Why do by negroes who waited on him. the men all wear black?"-Argo- The body was dressed and prepared for 'burial that morning. One daughter had failed to reach the bedside before the death, and the supposed corpse ing around the bush." We might raised the shroud Saturday afternoon and asked if his daughter had We want you to try Chamber- arrived. On being informed that she had the "dead" man apparently reurned to unconsciousness, on-

> Sunday morning a physician made a thorough examination and pronounced the negro not only dead but sufficiently so to insure

This statement somewhat relieved the other negroes who had been afraid to venture near the house.

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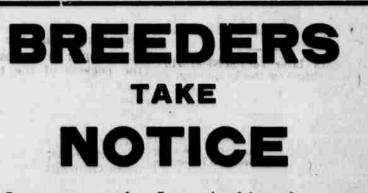
to a Sunday school class. "Why," said he, "does a bride invariably desire to be clothed in holding the possession from him Liver Purifier, the mildest known

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Reddin called for his children of which there are twelve, last Fri-av night stating that he was dr



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There is no reason so far as we ly to return later in the night to