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Kile Terry＇s Funeral． Hovston，Tex．，Jan，23．－Th orenoon the funeral of the late reeidence of Major Thomas $R$
Franklin ou Travis sireet， Franklin ou Travis sireet，corner
of Walker．The remains were followed to their last resting place in Glenwood cemetary by represen people．Among them were several well known business men who
med had been soldiers under Ool．Frank
Terry，father of deceased，in th Terry，father of deceased，in the
late war，and there was also a bus of colored people who were atta d to the family years ago．
Rev，C．W．Beek with conducted the aeivi
grave．

The relatives of the decease who had come to attend the funer Were Mr，and Mrs，Moran Smith Mr．and Mrs．William Thacher of fornia．The last named was his brother

## Atter ingalis has Sroken

WAshisatos，Jan，23．－About week ugo Senator Ingalls announc ed that be would make a speech on he negro problem．This fact wat whispered around and the day fo he important eveut was thought to be Tuesday and when that time
arrived it was then poetively an－ ounced for to day，for Senator ligalls is not an orator or a states wan but be is an advertiser tha money to a circus．He likea an audience and obtains them，and he had one to－day
Long before 12 ，clock when the henate met，the corridors on which with people erowding into the sen ate chamber fa order to secare seats，and when $1 \%$ came there was no standiug room．Every available place in the galleries had a man or houxe，clerks of senators ant of enate committers and all others were there．
The press
The press gallery，which ordina g usually more excitement in the house than in this diguified assembly，was filled with newspa per men．
About five minates before $20^{\prime}$－ clock，the hour set for the speech， Mr．Ingalls emerged from the
cloak room．Ho was dressed becomesastatesman，and walked as becomes a man loaded to the guards with intelectuel freight on
an important matter．He has a good voice，rather coarce for a mau ot his thinness，but is not attractive
in his gestures，because being in his gestures，because being tong and thin，when he throws out his
arms the spectator is involuntarily eminded of the opening and st ng of a long．Uladed kuife． within that time he gave the worl ome new exprcestiony but not ingle new idea．He declared that he was treating the matter，which was the mott grave that had ever confroated the white man，in phil－ sophical spirit，and be proceeded rail like a fisthwoman at the
outh．This elicited applause trow the colored brother，who was it oodly numbers in the galleries． ody numbers in the galleries．
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peace．Then he declared that the Daucasian of the aouth wasa a very wicked person for not living in peace with the negro．In fact
there are dozens of men in every there are dozens of men in every
town in Texas who could take ap Cown in Texas who could take ap
this effort and tear it into dollrags． There was no logic and no consisst－
and ancy about it．It offered no cure onsisting wholly of declara ing the existence of evils and de． acribing them in a way that would mako the Kunsans applaud and aegroes in the gallery encore． The question seems to be，can
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saying give them their righte nd so，sorrowfally，I have to re ord that the markiness that haug about the question today is ab

## THREE CRIMINALS

## Are Arrested in the thdian Nation Conveyed to Paris．

Grenvilles，Tex．Jan．23－Dep－
aty Marshall Heek Thomas passed through here to－day on his way to
Fort simith having in custody Polly Impson，W．H．Alexander and Jim July，aliae Jim Starr，the latter be－
ing badly wounded and was car． ried on a stretener．Impson is ried on a Etretcher．Impson is
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an．Alexander is charged with thaving killed his companion，Dan eling in a wagon in the cua saw nation a few weeks ago．After the killing，it is alleged that Aiex－ ander took Stendman＇s wagon and leaw，which was recovered by the officers who made the arrest．
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000 acres of land. It was created in 1858 from a part of Fannin and honor of Charles Haskell, a young honor of Cbarles Haske!l, a young acte at Goliad in 1836. hen thered unectlied until 1ois stablisbed. Other rauchmen fol lowed and in 1830 the county could boast of 15 or 20 inhabitants.
There was no further development atil early in 1854, when the tow Haskell was laid off and by do ducel to build residences, and Jasuary 1885 the county organized with a polled vote of 57 electors.
Up to 1884 the soil had neve been turned by a plow, and the people depended upon raising cat he, sheep and horses as the natura grasses furnished food both winter The poorer people made money by gathering many thoussud tons Buffalo bones and shipping cast to be made into fertilizers for Expe old states
Experiments were made in 185 wheat, rye, barley and cotton an the sield was bountiful. from Dakota to Mexico suffered from seasons of uuprecedented dry armers of Haekel! county, kep greer and in the fall of 1887 farm ing begun in dead earnest, and the ticipation, corn nade 25 buehel per acre; oats made from 60 tu 100 wheat from 15 to 25 , rye 20 , and cotton, one-third to one-haif balif
per acre, and sorghum, hay ond millet was so bountiful it wa harderal crop and there was no de mand for it in the lueat marke The acreage in tarms have been in creased to at least 10,000 acres.
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25 cents per pound, chickens 15 to 25 cents each, and
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Haskell. It lisa a dails mail Haskell. It has a daily mail, over which line also brings exprese freight, and proves very eatisfactory to our people.
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the people of Haskell county will compare favorably with that of winy people. The Methodist, Baptist, Christians,Old School and Camber land Presbyteriana ench have organized charches in the town of
Haskell, and have preachiog on Haskell, and have preaching on
Sundays, also preaching a: other points in the county. We have good Union Sunday School, and well attended
The town haskele.
The town of Haskell is the coun-se-half mile sonth of the cent of Haskell county, on a beautifu and has a population of 600 to 700 Hos as good well water as can be water in the edge of towe. Haskeli stores that sell goods at prices as
low as can be bad in railroand towns, with 50 cents per hun-
dred pounds for freight added. and drygoods and groceries as cheap ns can be bought any where, one
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stores one hardware one noti stored one hardware one noti n
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firnt class, two blacksmith shops; tirst class, two blacksmith shops;
two cabinet and wood shops; one lumber yard one exchange bank, 018 barber shop;
one silver smith shop one saddlery shop, one boot and shoe shop; one meat market; two livery stables; four doctors; 10 lawyers onanty newspaper and jub office and only one saloon, all doing a Haskell with her natural advan tages, of location, climate, good waer and fertility of soil is distined in the near furtber to be the queen city of Northwest Texas, and rall road conneetion for Haskell is all that is needed to cecomplish the
alvantages and rebources. In almost every neighborbood sellted portion of our own state there are many of its citizens who there are many of its citizens who
are contemplating a removnl or a change of residence for many reasons. Some to restore lost health, some to make their beginning in the world, others to repair financial losees, others secking safe and
profitable investments ot surlus profitable investments of surplus
apital. There are many who have comfortable homes and are well contented, but who have
children, whom they would like to provide with lands suitable for home, and assitt to commence business in life, but can not do so with their present surroundings,
and must seek cheapur lands and better opportunities in other and ever lucalities.
To such we would say you are Come and bee ur, and you will tind broad field of occupation and investment to choose from, with coming to Haskell do not imagine

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