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Attorney & Counsellor-at-Law Notary Public,

Thus one of the most interesting which the three accused attendants mysteries in Denver's criminal inflicted upon the unfortunate man annals is suddenly unraveled. The He declared the patient was not names of the persons arrested are unruly, but seemed dazed and un R. Gonewald, F. R. Shinna, Mrs. F. | capable of understanding what wa R. Shinna, W. O. Bacon, and J. C. wanted of him, Brent sand on McCoy. The arrests were made this their arrival at the asylum they Mrs. Rice entered a demurrer to afternoon by Officers O'Neil and were given a cold bath and then he Gus Nobles. The thieves had a contract drawn cold room for fifteen minutes, then programme, she riplied that if he up, in which they declared them. after examination by the doctor, did, she would kill herself. Both selves ready to stand together to the attendants took charge of them progarmines were enacted to the the death, and promising even Burns was ordered to sit on a death to any one who should betray bench. He seemed not to under and Mrs Rice went to the strychtheir secret. This contract was stand and did not do so, whereup. nine bottle and took a big dose of uncarthed by a detective agency. on he was violently thrown down The officers and detectives inter upon it. Rising in a dazed and ested in the case were Detectives helpless way Attendants Richard. to find in time to save his wife's Lenton, Daily, Howe, O'Neil and son kicked him violently in the Thompson. At this writing the of- abdomen, and caught him by the ficers are with Undertaker Rollins collar and threw him to the floor. digging up the body which is con- and so the brutality continued, cealed near the cometery. Bacon is the three attendants Richardson, a clerk. Gronewald is a well-known Crogan and Preha each taking part

fighting his son in an unprovoked manner, Rice firmly replied to his neighbor that the bottom of Master Rice's pants should come violently in contact with the paternal slipper. this proceeding, and when Mr. and Burns were left shivering in a Rice insisted upon carrying out the letter. Rice flogged Master Rice, it. Rice came over to town in search of a Doctor, which he failed life. She died in agony in a short while after she had swallowed the fatal dose. ANOTHER JUST AS STRANGE. Last night Doss Britton, who lives five miles west of the city. gave a ball to his neighbors. Until 1 o'clock the guests shuffleed their feet to the strains of the fiddle, At their fists. They undertook to that hour the dancers departed, The body of Col. Greenlaw has dress his wounded leg, jerking him leaving the Britton family alone, the only remaining guest being Britton's brother. Doss Britton sat he took his pistol and blew his THE MAPTIST CHURCH MATTER. At a meeting at the Baptist church his head. That night the witness and Burns were put into the same nointed and J. M. Figh were appointed as a committee to take beds. Tables furnished with the one of them showed signs which a pall of water was brought and to permit the council of fourteen the well practed eyes of the detective at enderstand to be present to see that the affair to be present to see that the affair to be present to see that the affair is properly conducted, but to have of weakening and he was taken to the conclusion that the wifness was no voice in the verdict.

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grocer. No letters will be allowed to in kicking the helpless lunatic in be received by the prisoners, who side and stomach, striking and cutting and brusing his face with are now at the city juil and they

been found to be buried in a hole about roughly anb causing him about three miles from Riverside excruciating agony, meantime concemetery. Undertaker Rollins and tinuing the blows. When this was down and fiddled until about 3 the city detectives have gone out done Crogan picked up one of Burns o'clock, while his brother sat near this afternoon to dig up the corpse. shoes, and taking it by the toe beat tors, which were in an unhappy All the parties arrested are well the unoffending patient over the condition. Just as Doss was about koown and prominent citizens, and head with the heel of it cutting to retire it occurred to him that he some of them are old timers here. great gashes and covering the un could find a way out of the troubles Their arrest will create as great a fortuante victim with his own bloud which oppressed him, and acting sensation as did their crime. The By this time he was in a semicom renalty for such an offense is ten atose condition, and was fast losing brains out. years in the penitentiary. The con- conclousness. He was then jarked fession of the parties shows that off his seat. which was covered the solo and real object of the of- with blood that had run down from last night Bretheren A. C. Reeves,

TO SECURE A RANSOM. All the arrests were made at the cell. Burns was ordered to remove evidence in the charges now pend places of business where the men his clothes, but not complying, was ing against Bretheren Hayden and were. Mrs. Shinna is still unac- slapped and cuffed. Finally the Holt, and to present the testimony quainted with the fact that her attendants stripped him, and then day in June, the date of the trial husband is under arrest. She is Richardson kicked him in the Dr. Hayden asked that the council supposed to be the woman whom abdomen, kicking him across the of fourteen which passed upon the Mrs. Greenlaw saw at the grave. cell. At another time witness Hanks charges be recalled, that the As soon as the men were landed said he heard the sound of blows testimony be submitted to them and that their option be given to in jail the detectives began a series in Burns' celt and loud cries from the church for adoption or rejection. of cross-questioning, but all the Burns, lasting several minutes. The The church would not grant this men at first stoutly denied any attendants, Dr. Schulzer, Crogan request on the ground that it preconnection with the affair. Finally and Richardson were there. Then ferred to dispose of the matter Tables furnished with the one of them showed signs which a pall of water was brought and itself. The church agreed, however,

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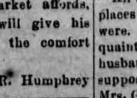


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the city. He is interested in the HASKELL county Prapidly fill. question of suspended animation, ing up with first class people, and and this led to a conversation with will soon rival her older neighbors. him in regard to the case of Mrs.

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tesy. The FREE PREss wishes uccess to the young met ropolis.

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audience. He was pleased this young lady in Jefferson has complimented the good judgmen the county commissincers court that from some cause decomposi displayed in building a court house. tion has been kept off. Life is all

body ma intains a good appearance Monday morning. Monday night it will hurt nothing to delay the he came back and heard that the city might have been totally des burial.

From the beginning of the year I troyed as far as was known in Boskept an account of the cases of ton, for the storm had cut off all suspended animation discovered communication. Last Ohristmas and reported in the papers. They night was an unusually quiet news averaged one a week in the United night in Boston until shortly before States. That is a fact which should 12 o'clock, when word came that cause physicians to be very careful the town of Marblehead was being when they pronounce patients dead. destroyed by fire. Reporters were

AT THE MIGHT EDITOR'S DESK.

a night at the news desk in the The Daily Exciting Experiences of Metropolitan Journalista.

[William Taylor, Jr., in The Writer.]

Pass but one night in the office m., time for the first edition. Galley Wilhelmina Stahl of Jefferson park of a metropolitan daily, and your after galley of pen pictures has whose body showed no signs of appreciation of your breakfast passed from the hands of the devil of patented land that can be had decomposition when buried yeste- paper will be heightened tenfold. to the proof-reader, theace to the day' though according to scientific Say it is 7 o'clock. The night editors "correct" men. thence to the form. tests she had been dead ten days : and their assistants have begun their Page after page has been made up, Libora. There is the list of the city pushed to the stereotypers, and then

There is postively only one sure editor, showing where the local men the plates rushed to the press room. test of death and that is decompo. are assigned. He has coved every There is still the city edition, which sition and an advanceed stage at available spot for news-the theaters, contains the very latest news, and that. Any other tests applied by ball-rooms, meetings, weddings. which must go to press at half-

a physican is absolutly useless and His scouts are at the botels, lying past three. The forms of the first ABILENE had an eye to business proves nothing. I see that the in wait for notable arrivals; the and second pages are generally as well as an appreciation of a doctors who had been waiting on detective reporters are out among changed for this edition. Those heigh class of citizens when she Miss Stahl, cut the tibeal artery to the police and inspectors watching matters of special interest to the banqueted the editors. Printers show the relatives that circulation for the latest criminal news. The country reader, and of but little ink is going to help her in ter prise- had stopped and to prove conclu | water front is covered, the hospitals interest in the city, are removed ing citizen build a great city and sively as they supposed, the death are looked after and he is ready for and the latest news is substituted she wants to acknowledge the cour- of the patient. Well, now, if that the night. The general directions It is near closing time. "Good night" girl happened to have been in a from the managing editor are also bas come from the Associated tance as we say, suffering from there. He expects "stories" from Press; the hundreds of special suspended animation, why then so correspondents the world over, who correspondents have sent in their soon as she revived she would have been instructed to send in "no more;" the local men have bleed to death in a few miutes, and their matter. He wishes such a passed in their last sheets; the copy

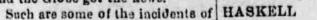
the doctors who perpetrated that local event to be well placed and cutter in the composing room has made the arrangements. The FREE fiendish outrage would be virtually to be "given a good show." Other heard the welcome ring of three PRESS will give \$10.00 as a bonus murderers. I take it that what I general instructions are given and bells; the last form has been locked; to them and we know of others who may say on this subject would the night editor is left to his fate. the last page stereotyped.

and the Globe got the news.

will do a great deal more. The have but little weight, because the All night long he receives "queries" "Good night" has passed through town or county had better take nlightened public is not aware from correspondents offering the the upper stories. In the basement, of the unreliability of doctors' best news in their localities. He where the presses are, all is bustle decisions that a person is dead. must get all the news into his and excitement. The pressmen are Cases of suspended animation, in paper, advertisements and other in aud out under their giant pets, Rev, S. H. Blair says he which the facts were discovered too matter such as editorials, to the oiling the wheels and preparing for preached in Rayner last week to a late, are entirely too numerous. contrary netwithstanding. He gov- the last run. They climb up on the large, intelliget and appreciated They speak for themselvs. I hear erns himself accordingly. side, and fitting on the cylindrical "A steamer has arrived here with stereotype plates, they seem like with the people of that infant city now been appearently dead for nine the latest news from Samoa. I can careful hostlers saddling a mighty He reports the rock work of the days and still no sign of decompo give you 1000 words," wires the steed for a battle of life and death. clerks office as completed and sition appears. What can this San Francisco correspondent. The great endless rolls of paper, "Boil it into 200 and rush it," is still black and meaningless, are mean? But one thing, That is the night editor's answer. slung to the sliding cranes and roll-



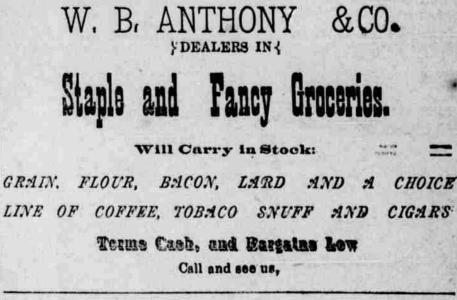
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gave a very thrilling and artistic have never been used in this case. man. account of a double tradegy in so I am told. I have a case in which an estimable lady played a mp mind where the body of a fatal roll of which her husband young man was buried in a yault acted the counter port, the lady and in three years the body was was a sister of Mrs. Geo. Posey and removed and found to be not well know by citizens of Haskell, decomposedr. The physician It seem that her husband's conduct thought that fact strange and laid had rendered their living to gether the body on the dissecting table impossible and she had returned to study it. An incision was made to live with her widowed mother in with scalpel and instantly the Delta county. She wrote her man arose, being thoughly resuscihusband a touching letter assuring tated. He lived for years too. I him of her undying love and ad had the pleasure last fall of intervised him to return to his old home viewing a lady in Indianapolis who came to life after fourteen days of in Tennessee. suspended animaton. Her little

He after wards went to see her brother clung to her against the to effect a reconciltation and on the will of their parents. Six doctors second visit finding his pleading of no avail he shot her dead and with the same emoking pistol sent a and at last it was considered foolish to keep the body any longer. bullel through his own brain. The But tho boy threw himself on his mother heraing the pistol shots rnshed in upon the death scene and sister and said they should not put so great was the shock, of the awful her under the ground. Mind your, scene that she is hardly expected shaken their heads and said she to live. Mr. Lackey is well acquain. was dead. ted with the family and says the 'No, no she is not dead,' cried lady was gentle. kind and accomthe brother. plished, and had only been married a few months.

An editor is expected to blow the country and induce immigration to develope its resorces, and slowly moveing. this makes every body rich. and he is then considered as a sort of dead beat. The FREE PRESS is going to adopt the system of cash boy asked. or no go, and unless the paper is

worth \$1 50 per year to subscribers supposed-to-be-dead. and say they always patronize since married. I had a talk with what it was. Before many hours Donaldson succeeded in making a home paper in a way that suggest her shortly after.

that home papers are no good, we I tell you it horrifles me to learn city had been almost totally wreck. Mayor Douglass was very popular. want to say to those who pay for all that is going on. It is impossi. ed by the now famous earth. He was about twenty-seven years such ratronage that if they no not ble to tell what persons so consti- quake.

heir patronage.

several dead-graphic story,"- their proper stations at the ends of that would do that outside of the THE Dallas news of last Friday use of embalming fluids which is flashed from the New Orleans the presses. At last the signal comes.

"No, thank you! The Associated stops to make the delicate adjust-Press will cover it for us," is wired ments that will add the finishing back.

Now the St. Louis man has wak- the machinery begins its tremened up. He hus the story of an dous task, and soon the whole unknown Bostonian who was found building is filled with the clatter. dead in the street. Immediately he and the very earth is shaken with is told to wire full particulars, with the effort of the great steam presses. any facts that may assist at identi | The long night of labor over; the fication, and the detective reporters | waiting boys go home at last; the in Boston are put at work. child is born.

So all night long the editor in charge is kept informed of the do- A TENNESSEE MAYOR KILLED, ings of the world and at a moment's

notice he may reach thousands of He Tries to Arrest a Negro Charged miles for a tempting bit of news. At midnight the office is at its busiest. At that hour news is pouring came in and made the usual tests in from all quarters-local, New England, foreign, Washington and | Tipton county, Tenn., last night general. Every "story" must be which resulted in the killing of watched. Untruths must be eradicated, doubtful facts verified li. It seems a warrant had been issued belons utterances avoided, badly for the arest of Henry Donaldson' six Indianapolis physicians had written matter rewritten and com a negro, who was charged with prenensive headlines placed over attempting to rape a white woman. every article.

Mayor Duglass was one of the posse Great pieces of news, as a general of ten men who went to the negro's thing, come most unexpectedly. house to effect the arrest. They found

Accidentally he pushed aside A modest dispatch was received his cabin closed and called upon the band which held her jaw in from Savannab, on a night that him to open the door. Receiving place. It fell and the people in was unusually quiet, from a news no answer they gave warning that the room saw it the brother saw it editor's point of view, saying that unless the door was opened they and noticed his sister's tongue was all the country there had been would break it down; at the same shaken by an earthquake, and that time informing him they had a "See, see" he cried, "she is alive' Charleston, S. C., seemed to have warrant for his arrest. Just at this They all saw and were horrified. lost all connection with her neigh. period a gun was thrust through "What do you want' sister?" the boring cities It was after midnight the door and discharged by the when the dispacth arrived and set negro on the inside. The charge "Water, water," came from the the night editors of all the dailies struck Douglass, who was in front, at work. Something must be the killing him instantly. Being dark we will discontinue the same upon They gave her water and she matter at Charleston, and they and fearing another discharge the notice. We have men comes to us revived and is sill living' having would not quit until they found out posse immediately retreated and

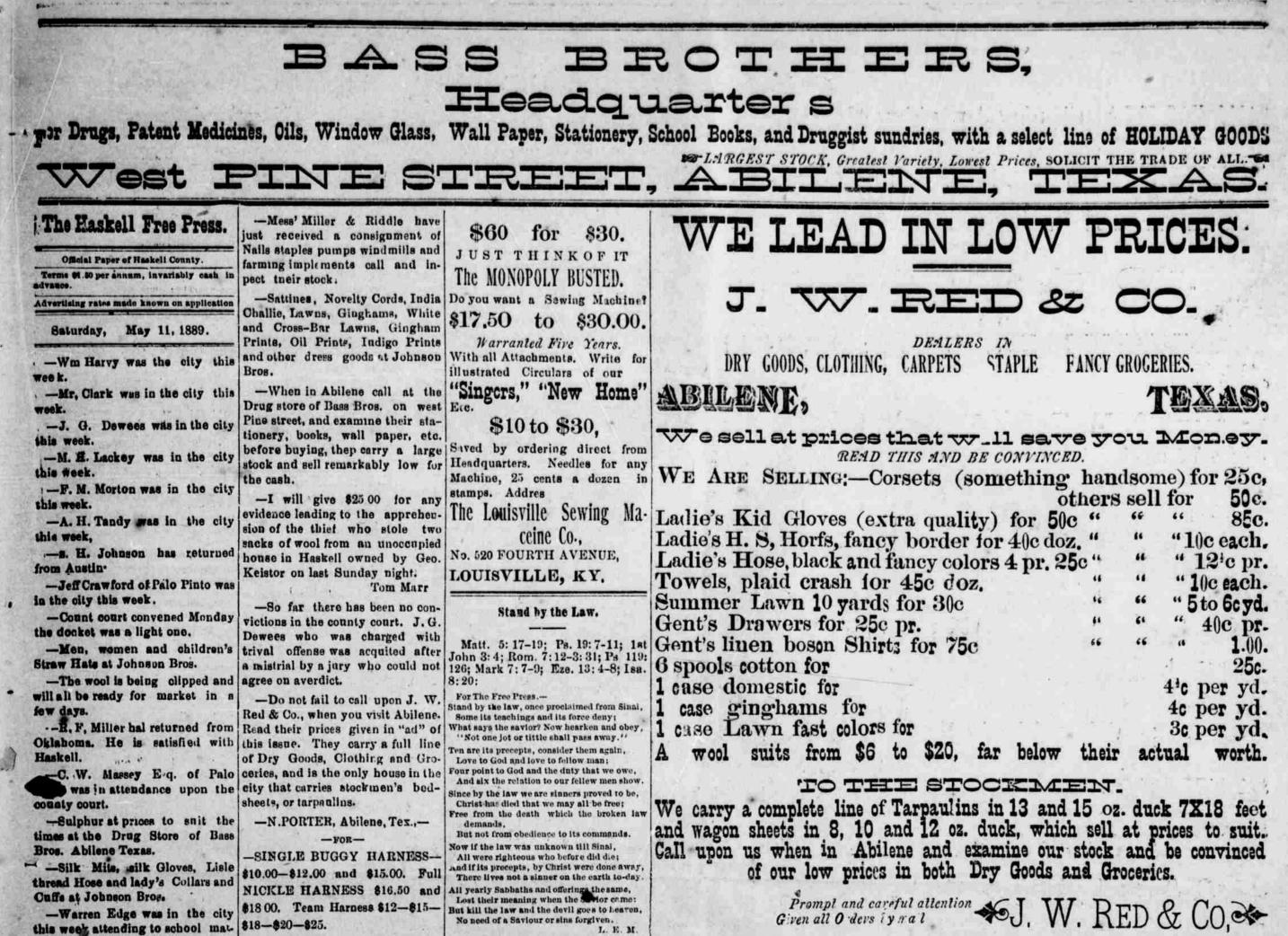
the country knew that that great his escape. He is still at large.

think the paper worth the money tuted as to be liable to fall into a So it was with the great blizzard mourn his sudden death. If Donwe don't want it and would say to trance, therefore friends ought not in New York a year ago. Every aldson is caught the law's delay these who never pay we can make to rely on the meer word of a night editor knew that there was a will hardly interfere with his im. out with a very limited amount of physician. It does not hart to great storm raging in New York mediate taial outside of a temple wait a few days. As long as the city when he left his deak that of justice.

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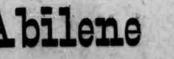
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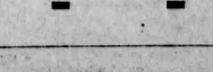
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Oklahoma Polls a Big Vote at Her Firt Election and Captain Couch is Elected Mayor-Notes.

CLEARING THE CHEROKEE STRIP. FORT RENO, I. T., May 2 .- Capt. | yards in advance of the girl's father Hall and a company of cavalry left Wright was there, however, and at Kingfisher yesterday to eject the once asked Grave to retract what settlers from the Cherokee strip, he had said. To this Graves aud a company also left Guthrie replied that he would not do it; for the same purpose. Several hun- that the statement had been made dred settlers are now on the strip. by Wright and he did not propose They are determined men who have to utter a falsehood to shield him. staked everything on the Oklahoma Wright said he would ask him one opening, and failing to get their more time to retract and be had claims, have gone to the strip. No better do so. Graves replied as organized resistance to the military before that he would not, whereuis expected, but cases of individual pon Wright drew a pistol and resistance and a large amount of commenced shooting his victim. hardships and suffering are certain who was unarmed. The first shot to ensue.

GUTHRIE AND OKLAHOMA CITY, striking him in the back, causing A dispatch from. Guthrie says the him to fall from his horse. Wright' surveyors engaged in laying out who was on foot, then walked up the Guthrie town site have succeed to the wounded man and placing ed in locating the exterior corners the pistol near his head fired the of the business quarter, and Mayor third time. the last shot causing Dyer at once issued an order to all instant death. Several persons property owners to make their lots witnessed the shooting, but none it conform to the lines laid down. appears were near enough to inter-The past two days have wrought cept the murderer, who immediate many changes in both Guthrie and ly fied. Sheiff Chaney was tele-Oklahoma City. At least fifty grahed for and left Tuesday night buildings have been erected in each with the bloodhounds. Yesterday place. Two banks are doing busi- morning the trail was struck and ness in Guthrie and a third will be followed all day across Red river third parties, or transfer them to lished and whose guarantee is manufacturers who have no scrulodging may now be secured for a eveninig the min was found sitting ples in forcing payment when it may worth a little more than the paper reasonable sum. In three or four on the railroad track near Caddo, weeks both towns will have reached I. T., sixty five miles from where a point where predictions as to the murder was committed. Wright their future can be made with who was on foot, covered this entir greater certainty. The work of set- distance in about twenty-six hours tling claims is proceeding rapidly, When he found himself surbut there are few indications that rounded by the officers the mursettlers will do much toward im- derer attempted to draw his pistol, proving their lands this year, but was at once covered by a Between Gathrie and Kingfiser Winchester, and finding resistance there are not more than a dozen useless he surrendered without claims on which plowing has been futher trouble and was placed on begun. The fact is the season is too the train and brought in on the far advanced to promise any decent cannon ball and lodged in jail. reward for labor this spring and After the arrest the prisoner informmany of the settlers have gone to ed the sheriff that he had bought Guthrie, Oklahoma City or King the pistol on purpose to kill fisher where there is a demand for Graves. He had accomplished men and teams in hauling freight, his purpose and was satisfied. Oklahoma City has settled its The murderer is a nephew of Col. differences arising from claim W. B. Wright, a prominent crimijumping and the people there pro- nal lawer of Dallas. fess to view the general situation TROUBLE BREWING. with great satisfaction.

The Haskell Free Press. county, last Tuesday evening. The following particulars of the tragedy were learn to-day.

> It appears that Wright had been making some slight remarks about a young lady, the daughter of his employer, who was related to Graves, who informed the young lady's father of what he had said. The father question Wright about the alleged slander and the latter denied having talked about the girl, branding the statement of Graves as false. Wright sent a DRAPER & BALDWIN note to Graves asking him to meet the former with the girl's

father for the purpose of adjusting the matter, Graves went to the place appointed for the meeting thinking the affair would be settled in an amicable manner. took effect in Graves' arm the next

Yonug Lynch.



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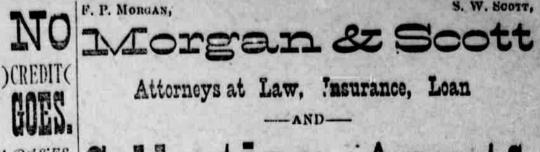
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- No. 1. 137 acres, about 10 miles northeast of town, mostly prairie, but some timber, dry, dark red loam, price \$1.50 cash, \$2.00 to cut, ash, balance 1 and 2 years, 10 per cent interest.
- No. 2. 640 acres 15 miles west of town, near Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos river, fine land, price \$2.50 per acre, 1 cash, balance 1 and 2 years.
- 800 acres 9 miles southwest of town, high open ridge land, rich, No. 3. level and nice, some timber, no surface water but very productive black sandy land. \$2.50 cash, \$2.75 to cut and on partial payments.
- No. 4. 160 acres 5 miles north of town on Benjamin and Haskell road, close black land, level and rich, near Lake creek, some timber, good grass, price \$3.50 per acre.
- No. 5, 2131 acres 16 miles southwest of town, fine red loam, mesquite land, good grass and good land \$2.50 per acre cash.
- 304 acres of as fine land as in the county on Lake creek 17 north No. 6. of town, good mesquite timber, price \$3.00, 1 cash, balance 1 year
- 1,000 acres 4 miles southeast of town, fine dark red loam, mes-No. 7 quite timber and good water, \$3 00 per acre.
- No. S. 320 acres 12 miles southwest of town, on waters of Paint creek, good land and good grass, \$1.50, ½ cash. (Vining.) No. 9, 1280 acres 14 miles southwest of town on Paint creek, fine reg
 - loam, farming or pasture laud, lays well, \$2.00 per acre, 1 cas balance 1 and 2 years.
- No. 10, 640 acres 7 miles northwest of town, as fine black land, with good mesquite timber as in the cousty on head of Lake creek. \$3.00 per astre, terms casy.
- No. 11, 2763 acres 10 miles sonthwest of Haskell in 921 acre blocks, mostly prairie, on Willow Paint, \$2 00 per acre, will sell a portion or all in a body.
- No. 12 320 acres about 15 miles southwest of town, a splendid little piece of dirt for a farm, only \$2.00 cash.
 - 13. 640 acres 16 miles north of town on Lake creek. This is a mag-

OKLAHOMA'S FIRST ELECTION.

Oklahoma, I. T., May 2 .- The Bloodshed Expected as a Sequal to deputy United States marshal of this place this atternoon arrested a man named Roberts, from Texas, for introducing whisky into the territory.

this morning five men arrested on Lyach of the Bowie abstract to file their claims.

Blackburn, recorder; Mr Violet, Neb., and James Sharp of New police judge; Quinton, treasurer; Boston. It is understood that the ladies voted, many did not vote. ted his death and felt hostile officers of the city. Total vote, 1366.



The murderer of Frank Graves in Jall-Full Particulars of the Affair.

BONHAM, Tex., May 2 .- Sheriff torn letter to Mrs. Sharp, from her Do not permit any dealer to im-Chaney arrived in town to-day sister Mrs. Goodwin' had been pose upon you with some cheap with John Wright, the man who found which being pieced together imitatiod of Dr, King's New and for all Kidney, Liver and deliberately murdered Frank was easily deciphered and which Discovery for Consumption, Stomach Disorders stands unequal. Graves near Honey Grove, in this | letter advised Mrs. Sharp to insure Coughs and Colds, but be sure you Price 50c. and \$1. at Druggist.

Ceve, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he and signed by Tom Lynch, it is are in danger. Consumption alsaid, stating in substance that a ways seems, at first' only a cold. would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters.

> This great remedy will ward off. as well as cure all malrian Diseases,

- nificent body of farming or pasture land, has water, timber, grasses and good land all combined, making it one of the mos desireable tracts in the county.
- 1001S, No. 14. 545 acres on Miller creek, very fine level land, will make a splendid farm, \$2.50 per acre cash.
 - 15, 320 acres on Paint creek 10 miles south of town, all good level land with good mesquite timber, \$2 50, 1 cash.
 - No. 16. 640 acres 12 miles cast of town, Paint runs throught it, about good land, balance suitable for pasture, good timber and grass and protection for stock, a magnificent place for stock ranch.
 - No. 17. 320 acres 10 miles north of town, very fine level land with good grass and timber, only \$3 00 per acre cash.
 - No. 18. 320 acres 7 miles southeast of town on Buffalo creek, plenty of stock water, grass, timber and splendid land all cambined, makes this one of the most desireable tracts in the county, only \$3 00 per acre, on easy torms.
 - 19. 640 acres 16 miles northeast of town, fine level prairie farming land, \$2 50 per acre, } cash, balance on easy terms.
 - 20. 1476 acres 7 miles east of town on Red creek, about 1 good farming land, balance good pasture, creek runs through survey, timber, water and grass combined, makes this suitable for a stock farm, price \$2.00 cash, \$2.25, 1 cash.
 - No. 21, 320 avres on Brazos river 16 miles west of town, good land, price \$3.00 per acre, } cash.
 - 22. 388 acres about 9 miles east of town on Red creek, splendid red land, price \$1.50 cash.
 - No. 23, 640 acres 14 miles west of town, fronting the Brazos river, good farming and pasture land, \$2,50, \$ cash or \$2.25, \$ cash balance on easy terms.
 - 24, 960 acres 12 miles north of town, good land, timber, water and grass, a splendid place for stock farm, \$2.50, } cash.
 - 25 424 acres on Brazos river 18 miles northwest of town, as fine land as in the county, only \$3 00 per acre.
 - No. 26. 560 acres 10 miles northeast of town, level, red loam land, some timber but dry, only \$2.00 per acre, ½ cash. , 430 acres 10 miles north of town on Lake creek, no better land
 - in the county, good grass and timber, \$3.00, I cash down.
 - No. 28. 640 acres on same survey as No.27, same quality of land, timber and grass, \$3.00 per acre, terms easy.
 - No. 29. 320 acres 6 miles north of town on Benjamin road, fine level black sandy land, good timber and grass, on Lake creek, only \$3.
 - 30. 3 sections (640 acres each) on Brazos river. This is as go land as in the west, lays well, \$2.00 per scre by the section, will sell either section or the whole in a body.
 - No. 31. 640 acres 11 miles northeast of town, very good red loam prairie land, only \$2 00 per acre cash or \$2.25, 1 cash.
 - No. 32, 640 acres 8 miles east of town on Haskell and Throckmorton road, splendid land at \$2.00 per acre, 1 cash.
 - No. 33, 3400 acres 20 miles north of town in the edge of Knox county, on Brazos river, no better land in the state, lays well, \$3.00 per acre, will sell in a body or cut to suit the purchaser
 - No. 34. 300 acres 7 miles south of town on Mule creek, \$2.50 cash or 82.75, 1 cash.
 - No. 35, 500 acres on Miller creek, all feaced with good house, two rooms, very fine land, grass, water and timber. Price and terms upon application.
- Am satisfied Electnic Bitters saved No. 36. 320 acres 9 miles southeast of town, good land, water, grass with some mesquite timber, Horse creek passes through it, only \$2.25 per acre. A splendid ranch.

The above are only a portion of the splendid bargains we now offer to the home-seekers, and now is the time to purchase.

We also offer for sale some nice 80 acre blocks on the Peter Allen aurvey adjoining town, also many choice vacant and improved town lots. cheap for cash, and on easy terms to the actual settler. For further information concerning lands in Haskell county, call on or address pr. I also have a godl farm of 160 acres in Stonewall Co. 60 acres in cultivation, good improvements, will sell cheap for cash. For partiaddress us. Office in court house with county Surveyor and Tre