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fore the People.

MERIDIAN, Tex. July 16 .- In the interview with the Dallas News Hon. George Clark placed himself. squarely against the Blair bill which would put the education, morals and religion of the people under the supervision and control of the government; squarely against the Cleveland (misnamed the Mills) tariff bill which embodied the worst sectional and class discrimination by the federal government, squarely against the civil service law which keeps an army government pets in and shuts the door to all other laudibly ambitious citizens, squarely against the interestate commerce law which is throttling commerce and building up the large and ruining the small merchants and squarely markets; government contril of pullic lands by bureaus created without constitutional authority, squarely against government regu lation of the rainoad or other private or quasi public business by and through commissions unknown to the constitution; in short, square- at the office of the pilo. commisly against any and all species of sioners, this afternoon. He said

any citizen of class of citizens. It must be profoundly gratifycrat in Texas that so able a leader stated in this one sentence. the two last legislatures?

government interfence with the

business, or morals or religion of

Clark has sounded the bugle cry

tion is, who will? patriotic states men of Texas rest in ease and let the candidates run as they have done for a decade, without platforms or with platforms that either dodge all live issues or that pander to the sickliest prejudice and blindest ignorance? Will they enlighten and lead the people back "te the old pathe," or the govornment of the fathers? is true a canvass conducted upon able that the schooner bound east, Clark will shake up the unweildy, incohesive and incongruous dem. ocracy of Texas; it will put "music in the air and fire in the woods" and bury many a political corpse at the crossroads, in village, town and city, but it will afford great fun for the boys at the forks and if sky was clear." will win. Respectfully,

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THE LAST OF HOGAN. The All Important Question Now Be- Inventor Campbell's Air ship proves

> The Balloon is Sighted in Mid-Ocean but Parts with Its Car and Sails Away. Hogan Certainly Dead.

the death of the Daring Arconant

PROVIDERE, R. I., July 18,-Ahave taken it over Vineyard sound he would surely appear to perform people here believed that the bal- his hands and knees to do so. loon was the missing Campbell air ship, as no assensions are known office, to have been made hereabouts.

NEW YORK, July 18 .- Pilot Phelan the pilot bore Caprice reports that July 16, in latitude 39. degrees 30, longitude 7, degrees 40, he sighted from the masthead at a long distance away a baloon drag against ging its car along the surface of water. He gave chace to it, but sundown, when about three-quar ters of a mile from it, it collapsed and disappeared from sight.

There seemed to be no longer

any reason to doubt but that Ho

gan is dead. Pilot Phelan was seen

"At 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of Tuesday last, when we were about one bundred and fifty miler sontheast of Sandy Hook, ing to every thoughtful true demo. running before a stiff twent-fivemile northwest breeze, the lookout as Judge Claark had so positively aloft sighted two schooners and a declared himself upon these burn- peculiar looking object lying near ing issues. His position is fully them on the surface of the ocean. "Let One of the two schooers was to the the government keep its hands off leeward of the object, which the and give every man a c) ance." lookout took to be a square-rigger, This is the only issue known to and was bearing northward. The the democratic creed to take on second schooner was bearing east the issues he discussed. But can by southeast. We made up to the any fair minded voter find any of object, and abot 6:30 made her out this kind of democracy in either of to be a balloon about fifty to sixty the two last state democratic plat- feet in diameter. She was in ongi- Street. Her horse was a jewel in forms or in the proceedings or at tude 71.30, latitude 39.56. As it borse firsh; her brigher blue habit tempted proceedings of either of was getting dark and we knew fell in graceful folds against the that probably some one was in shining bay coat af her mettlesome How can such Democratic prin. danger in the balloon, we crowded steed. She was the observed of all ciples be gotten into a state demo- on extra sail and fairly flew over oservers. The plumes of her hat cratic platform, or such policies be- the water toward it. At about 7 droped low on her fine turned come enforcible in the state or o'clock, one hour and a balf after shoulder; a veil concealed her face union? What candidates for the we had first sigted the balloon, and flutterd like a thin blue cloud governorship or for the legislature when we were about one hundred behind her. The Girls looked on or for congress will endorse these yards from it, the balloon parted with envy. Those in the dry goods principles, espouse these policies from some heavy object in the wa- stores forgot their yard sticks, and and wage war for their supremacy ter which it had been dragging rushing to the doors gazed after in county, state and union? Judge along, and flew up into the air her lovely "figger." The drug When several hundred feet above clerks in Bass' and Carter's drugsound democratic government; Will the surface it was cought in a stores tumbled over soda fountains Judge Clark lead the van through north-northwest wind and went and made a rush for Lapowski's the fight impending? Will he before it east-southeast at the rate corner. The boys in the Maverick stand as a candidate for the gov. of about twenty-five miles an hour. Saloon ran out and forgot to pay ernor ship and rally around him When we first sighted the belloon the barkeeper, Lapowski himself candidates for the legislature and and drew close enough to make left a customer at the shoe counter congress on a platform embodying her out, she was eggsbape and and rushed to his side door as the the principles and policies he has tugging at what must have been a lovely equestrian sailed majestical so clearly enunciated? If he will car. About fifteen ropes held her ly past. The crowd held not, then the all-important ques. to the car which was buried several its breath as the blue feet under the water. The balloon riding habit pulled up in front Or will Judge Clark and other was assuming all kinds of shapes, of the Lone Star Meet Market. Mr. inflating and collapsing, and at Gatlin overturned his clerk, and last it calapsed at the end and as skipping gracefully over the meat suming the shape of a pumpkin, block, stood, bat in hand, smilingly arose in the air. There was noth awaiting the blue habit's orders. ing hanging to the ropes of the Fager eyes were bent upon her as balloon. If Professor Hogan was in she slowly lifted the blue veil and the balloon when we came upon turned her face toward the crowd. her then he was drowned. Assist. The boys all fell suddenly back ance could not have been rendered Some boys said, savagely: "The let demgogues blind, inflame and to him by the schooner I speke of devil! She's a nigger." Mr. Gatlin draw the people into revolt against as being to the laward and bound slapped his hat back on his head It northward. It is not at all improb-

> a heavy haze prevailed, though the Hogan was fifty-six years old, and made over four hundred suc-

say when she arrives at her des-

tination. We cruised over the spot

in which the baloon and it car part-

there were no floating objects.

Everything was as quiet and as

calm as a mill pond. At the time

cessful balloon ascentions and thirty-two parachute jumps in the twenty-eight years he has followed the dangerous business. He was regarded as the foremost aeronaut in the world. Some of his friends are still hoping he may still be alive and uninjured and lauded in some out of the way place. He had a contract to appear in Ottawa, Canada, to day to make a jump, bout 7 o'clock Tuesday evning a and the regarded his abfence as a big balloon passed over this city sure sign that some serious mishap heading in a direction that would has befallen, or otherwise they say in a hour or two. A great many his contract if he had to crawl on

A Surrepticious Baby.

On Thursday last a gentleman rode into town from the direction of Meridian with his bat pulled down over his eyes and a baby in his arms. He approached the residence of Rev. Wallace, the colored preacher, and called Mrs. Wallace to the door, told her that he lived between Meridian and Morgan, that his name was Myers, that his wife had recently died, that she had left him au infant, and that he desired her, Mrs. Walace, to take it and keep it two months, at which time he would return and get it and pay all expenses. The child seems to be about six weeks old and has red hair and blue eyes-is perfectly beautiful and many want it. The man left with the child a sack of cloth-all wet, and fifty cents, and rode back towards Meridian Mrs. Wallace refuses to give up the child, but the citizens of Morgan will only await a reasonable time for developments to take propper action in the matter. Meantime, the anxious inquiry is who is the man? who is the mother?—Bosque Citizen.

A Slight Mistake.

A wom an rode slowly down Pine and yelled out: "Cull, give this woman five pouds of pork." Maybe that crowd dodn't feel small as they sneaked back through the alleys to their business.

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THE BARBECUE

Though the Floods Come, It was the Usual Success.

On Wednesday evening the cooks were at the barbecue pits and the fat beef, kids and muttons were quartered and ready for the racks. horizon and the atmostphere and vivid flashes of lightning gave evidence of an impending storm, our first citizens have built comfort that of the noble men and women prevent the continuation of the The meat was placed on the pits and churches in every neigh civilation that has consumed the acter. There are continued stories, and was cooking nicely when it borhood, and by their moral exam- savage forests, and that is making skeiches, poems, a child's page a began to rain in torrents about 12 ple and noble precept, built up a ts in roads upon what was ancient- puzzle department, and six pages rain did not last long and by 8 baqueath to the generations to o'clock a. m. the pits bad been follow them. bailed out and new fire started and God bless the people of Haskell the meats were cooking.

damper on affairs and it was a late ly or neighborhood feuds to drink hour when the crowd assembled at by the hand of the assassia the the grounds near the Jail, but blood of the noble youth of genera largest crowds the day promised to be one of pleas bigher asperations." ure to all, Besides citizens who Hon, J. F. Cunningham of Anturned out, Jones, Stonewall, son was then introduced and Knox, King, Baylor, Throckmor- made an address. Begining The people then repaired to the hood and brain of a great country were at hand. rich land, many of whom had homes. the meeting of old friends in a new fects of a summers sun. land, and the exchange of salutafloated over the ground on the as well as civil developments. gentle morning zephyrs. After the He spoke of their immigration,

will extend to you.

gress of a great county and co memorates the anniversary of the freedom of a great country. To day, for the convenience of the ous 4th.

'y morally and financially. It has Great West of Texas.

only been a few years since the tern civilization tist braved the propriate address. He congratula- Haskell county. dangers incident to a wild country ted the people on the success they by those nobler domestic animals, within his own observation. flesh supplies meat and whose coat towers that giant of the grains, In- and his frolicking sleek cattle. dian Maize and many thousands of He pointed to the beautiful I ittle acres of the virgin soil to day con-A dark cloud dimed the north west the golden grain annually to the built in the short space of four years. wants of man.

but those were not sufficient to able homes, organized a county who nearly 400 years ago planted preperations that were being made its center, and established schools shores, and lit the first flame of ed, but extremely interesting, char o'clock, the fires soon went out and moral and social fortune, that is ly supposed to be the barren plains of music. The typographical ap. the pits filled with water, but the the grandest legacy they could of Texas.

they dwell in brotherly love and The rain seemed to have cast a harmony. They will leave no famieleven o'clock one of tions yet unborn, and as we rejoice that and celebrate these blessing, we ever assembled in the are hapy to meet together, with county congregated at the spacious our friends, and have them assist arbor and people were still coming in the celebration, and by your and it seemed that the rain had on. presence, you do us the honor to ly tempered the temperature, and encourage us to nobler efforts and

tul and gentler sex. There was al- ple and the smiles of Benine Provi- were diminished. ties of North, East. Central and heavens, with the sweat and toil of people enjoy the nice roast meats their worst qualities, the result be-Haskell county to buy some of the abundant crops and many happy The meal was partaken of leas- of mien, restred craft, eager passion

stayed over several days to see the Next he spoke of the hapiness of perfectly at ease. After dinner the and shameless mind. The Scanditheir celebration. Many of these through the scorching blast of the visitors remarked to ye scribe that great dry spell, had grappled with if one would see intelligent, moral the unfriendly element of nature, intellectual and refined people they the deprivations and bardships of tion of her citizens, All agree and prosperous years, when the clouds express surprise that in this respect have given up their treasured rewest Texas was in the lead of the source to the benefits man, and older portion of the state, the hum shower after shower had placed the of friendly conversation caused by need of her people beyond the ef-

He spoke also of the meral sotion between citizen, was hushed cial, intelectual and religious develby the sweet strains of music made opments of our people and urged by the Haskell string band as they upon them the great need of these

music Judge P. D. Sander introduc- and said that only those should be ed the Hou. Oscar Martin who de- invited to come here who were livered a short and apropriate ad- willing not only to aid our citizens dress of welcom, Mr. Martin, said: to plow our lands and till our soil, "Ladies and Gentlemen, it afford but who were willing to aid the me unlimited pleasure to welcome good citizens of our county to bear you to this great celebration, and higer and still higher our moral, in. in the name of to good people of tellectual and religious honors with Haskell county, bid you enjoy to this sort of immigration he said the fullness of your harts the hos- our field in the future, providence pitalites our committees have, and being willing, would not only glitter beneath a shining sun with a This is but the 5th in a series of golden harvest, but above their celebrations, that mark the prog- golden waves there may be seen, spirals of church towers and school buildings dotting every neighborhood, and beckening the man of morals, the man of learning stockmen, was selected instead of and the man of God to come and the 4th of July, and for that pur- settle in our midst. And loudly he about the order, no one was seen ing for a wife was given the daughpose it is to be considered the glori. spoke of the great trust which the people of the present generation held for the benefit of coming pos- many remarks were made upon and who on being dipped into the wa-We have invited you here to see terity, in laying properly the founthe proggress we are making social- dation of the development of the

Dan M. Jones of Anson was next, and pitched his camp here and were having in making the occathere, surrounded with an expanse sion one of pleasure and said he of prairie with nothing to break highly appreciated their efforts to the monotony of the scene, except | fmprove themselves and surounding now and then a herd of buffalo and that it was a great pleasure to or other wild animals that roamed him to witness the proggress they the beautiful prairie at will. But were making, and expressed himrapidly the scene has been shifted, self as being highly gratified at the the wild herds have been displaced developement that had been made

whose labor provides bread, whose He said he knew Haskell eight years ago when it was only noted supplies raiment. Again the scene for its crystal springs where the is being changed from pastoral to cow outfits would stop to camp agricultural, and where five years when making the round ups in this ago the native sod wore its beauti- county, and when the place was ful green coat of natural grasses, only known to the hardy cow boy

city as it nestle on the bossom of tribute from 25 to 100 bushels of the fertile plain, that had been He compared the hardships of the Surrounded with these blessing first settlers living in dugouts to thirty miles square, built a city in the English flag upon the American

> He compared the developement pire in the west to the acomplishments of the ambitious Queen who founded the great city of Carthage on what was suppossed to be a barren coast but arts science and liturature.

He concluded by complimenting the people for their inteligence and culture and thanking them for their hospitalities.

The band then played a few selections that was listened to by allwhen dinner was announced.

of their citizens, the gentlemen were over and the hollidays of an low square, in the center of which story of Pygmalion and Galatea. representing the brawn the man- other prosperous year in the west were the carving tables and tables where the meat dishes were replen- ed by the first man out of ivory and

streamers of brilliant collors. was interesting to all.

of skilled musicians.

concluded by the enchanting tones races of men. The American Indithe band with a soul stirring smoth Eve are numerous and entertainness, that almost articulated the ing. Some traditions trace back

words of the poet. under the influence of whiskey and ter of the king of the muskrats, many encomiums pronounced up- ters of a neighboring lake became on this noted feature,

gallut cowboy, the pioneer of Wes' introduced, and he made an ap- to buy beef cattle send them to

THERE are about 2500 fat two yes old steers in pasturee in this county waiting for a purchaser, and unless one turns up soon they will be ship

QUEEN VICTORIA it is said to have rheumatism so badly that she can scarcely stand up and consequently keeps her chair at all times. There is therefore some reason to believe DRAPER & BALDWIN the reporte that she set the fashion by which the bustle was discarded.

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THE July number of The Old Homestead, published at Savapnah, Ga., by Davis Bros., has been received. Its contents is of a varipearance of the magizine could not be improved. As a matter of fact, that is reclaiming such vast em- it is among the ablest edited, most hansemely printed, and cheapest publication of the kind with which ALBANY we are familiar. There are twentyfour large pages in the magizine, and the subscription is only fifty which in turn proved to be in letters, cents a year. The jublishers-Dain war and in empire the rival of vis Bros., Savannah, Ga ,- will Rhome the ancient dispensatory of forward a sample copy to any address upon application.

> Myths of the Origin of women.

(London Tablet.)

There the first woman was cary.

and the ladies whos personal charms He then spoke of the bountiful ished and the bread and cakes were then endowed with life by Aphroare unsurpassed represented the feast given by the citizens of Hast cut to supply the dining ta- dite. The Greek theory of the refinement the morals the virture kell county to celebrate their grati- bles which had been filled to their of the creation of women, accordthe accomplishments of the beauti- tude for the prosperity of their pee- utmost capacity when these articles ing to Hesiod, was that Zeus, as a cruel jest, ordered Vulcan to make so many prospectors, lawyers land dence. He spoke of the prosperity The dinner was late and thus a woman out of clay, and then inmen merchants, mechanics and of the people brought about by the the appetites of the people were duced the various gods and goddessfarmers, from the cities and coun- union of the waters from the prepared by the delay to make the es to invest the clay doll with all Southern Texas, who had come to her citizens in the field, producing that were well cooked and seasoned, ling a lovely thing, with a witchery urely and every body seemed to be love of dress, treacherous manners, character of the people and witness her people, who had lately passed Tournament begun, the horses were navians say that as Odin. Vill and in fine trim and the knights wore Ve, the three sone of Bor, wero walking along the sea beach they found two sticks of wood, one of The two best riders Messrs, Derrick ash and one of elm. Sitting down by their necessities to sell them to ments, whose reputation is estabcould be gratified by coming to western life, and who had sown and Marr tied each getting the gods shaped man and woman third parties, or transfer them to hat reaped not till since these eight rings out of these two sticks, whittling manufacturers who have no scrulished and whose guarantee is runs resulted in a tie, each getting the woman from the elm and call- ples in forcing payment when it may worth a little more than the paper all the rings each run. On the ing her Emis. One of the stransixth run Derrick took four rings gest stories to uching the origen of and Marr's horse becoming tired woman is told by the Madagascarstumbled and caused him to miss enes. In so far as the creation of his fourth ring and Dirrick was man goes, the legend is not unlike declared the winner. The riding that related by Moses, only that the fall came before Eve arrived. The crowd then dispersed and After the man had eaten the foraged gathered again in the spacious with a boil on his leg, out of which hall of the court house at 9 p. m. when it burst, came a beautfolgirl. terpsichorean sea and swept away her to the pigs, but be was comin smothe glides by the sweet manded by a messenger from heavstrains of music discorsed by four en to let her play among the digstringed instruments in the hands gings until she was of marriageable age, then to make her his wife. The dance continued until a late He did so, called her Barboura, hour and the day's festivities were and she became the mother of all of Home Sweet Home rendered by ans' myths relative to Adam and our first parents to red and white There was one thing remarkable maize; an there is that man, search-

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-Jim Keller is in from the range. -The Barbecue was a grand suc-

-Charley Agaew was in town Saturday.

-Wm. Harvey was in the city this week.

-The Grand Ball was something worth attending.

-J. F. Cunningham Jr. of Anson was in town saturday.

-Dr. L. P. Jones of Benjamin was in town Thursday.

-Clark Campbell of Benjamin was in town last Saturday.

-John Miller of Stonewall county was in town this week.

-Have your Sewing machine repaired by W, H, Parsons.

-J. L. Dewees of Rayner was in the city Wednesday.

-The city and county was vis

-O. J. Baker manager of the han any one,-try them, ho se shoe ranch was in town Tuesday. -E. M. Boyd traveling for B. C.

-W. B. Anthony's delivery wag-

on ran away with the horse the other day.

MONEY TO LOAN.

At the Haskell County Bank on unincumbered real estate. 6-15-tf -F. E. Turner went to Albany

this week after lumber to build a drug store.

-Mrs. J. H. Carter of Sherman is visiting her relativers at this place.

-Jas H. Lockney and Minnow \$18-\$20-\$25. Hunt of Buffalo Gap were in Haskell this week.

Floyd county.

General Repair Shop.

chines, Boots and Shoes repaired for protection. to order by W. H. Parsons.

-The boys didn't get much did good riding.

-J. H. Dolman, county surveyor of Stonewall county was in Haskell Wednesday.

-John McLarren, W. W. Cook Esq. and Lee Smith of Rayner was in the city this week.

-John Dewess one of Haskell county's most promenent farmers was in town Monday.

-Just received, a mixed car load of CASTORIA and WINSLOW'S SOOTHING STrup at

Johnson Bres.

-For an easy quick shave call on W. H. Parsons, only 10 cents, I and a neat hair cut 25 cents.

-The Barbecue was good, and "there ain't no flies on" a ball like the one of the night of the 25th.

-Mr. G. L. Posey has opened up a barber shop and confectionary stand on south side of square.

· -N. PORTER, Abilene, Tex.,--FOR-

\$17.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00

Dave Wells of Collin county were Price 25 cents per box. in city the Monday.

-The Albany Milling Company will pay the highest market price in cash for good milling wheat.

N. H. BURNS, Gen. Mgr.

-Our town is still improving Johnson Bros . have built a portico, and W. H. Parsons has repainted his barber sign.

-See here-One of the best places in the west to buy Oil for painting, and for machinery is at Bass Bros, Abilene-They have a large slock and will sell by the gallon or barrel-try them.

-C. M. Bradford Constable of Benjamin and his deputy Frank McCuer passed through Tuesday having two prisoners charged with stealing goods from the L- ranch.

-Parties buying from us on 30 days time, will please be prompt on the first, unless by special agreement. If we fall behind with our creditors we have to pay interest.

W. B. Anthony & Co. -Jasper Millhollon gave us the head of a cat fish cought in the Clear Fork of the Brazos river to be kept as a curiosity, it is 12 in. broad, the fish weighed 125 lbs. net, Who can show a better Fish o the spring catch.

-See here-when in Abilene we would advise you to go to Bass Bros Drugstore and price their Blanks Books, Memorandum, Writing Paper, Inks & C-They have on haud ited by a fine shower Wednesday. a large stock and will sell lower

-R. D. Wilfong and family and Messrs Lions Dr. Matthews and John Nash of Kauffman ar. Evans & Co. was in the city this rived Wednesday. These gentle. men will probably settle in Has-

> -E. M. Carter's little boy hap. pened to fall down the other day and some little children fell over him and broke his leg Dr. Nethery set it in plaster of parris and the little fellow is now resting easy.

-N.PORTER, Abilene, Tex ..-

-FOR --SINGLE BUGGY HARNESS-\$10.00-\$12.00 and \$15.00. Full NICKLE HARNESS \$16.50 and \$18.00. Team Harness \$12-\$15-

-Bullie Fields is going under the alias of Uncle Dan. They say J. F. Lockney and Minnow he does this in order to sell water-Hunt left yesterday to prospect in mellons to Uncle Dan Moonaham's customers. He has deceived several lately and Uucle Dan -Saddles. Harness, Sewing Ma. will have to get up a trade marke

-Mr. Roach of Abilene Reporter was in the city this week and he will make a report of our progpracticte for the tournament but gress in the Reporter. He is wide awake man and his paper is doing his state and then turned back a big work for Abiline.

Prof. Rice and Mr. Pierson of Wills Point was in the city prospecting this week, and we learned they have made up their minds to move to Haskell.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the Rayner Gin and Mill company will on the 15 day of August 1889, cause books to be opened for receiving subscriptions to the capital stock of the corporation at their office in the town of

S. W. HARDY C. MCLAREN

DIRECTORS I. HOLLOWAY.

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FOR SATE BY DRUGGISTS.

STILL AT LARGE.

Why Governor Lowiz's Detectives Don't Arrest the Pugilists.

AHITCH In Carrying the Prize Fighters Back to Mississippi.

New York July 18. - Detective Norris of Mississippi was at police headquarters to-night and stated that he had been refused warrants at the Tombs police court for the arrest of Mitchell and Donovan, and had sent a telegram to that effect to Governor Lowry. In reply he received the following dis-

patch: "Need not arrest and detain the parties as fugitives from this state, as you suggested. We will await investigation of the grand jury. Ascertain facts as instructed and report to me. Further instructions mailed to you yesterday."

Detective Norris said he had been in the city two days, acting under instructions from the governor. His original intention was to arrest Mitchell. Donovan and others who took any part in the fight as fugitives from Mississippi. The refusal of the Judge to issue the warrants changed the programme and Norris now awaits the mailed instructions of the governor. Since his arrival here Norris said he had been engaged in getting the names, addresses and all possible information about the participants in the fight from the principals down, He branded as a lie the story that he was to get \$250 for taking the Kilrain party safely through Mississippi to New Orleans The detective also added he would be sorry to see Muldoon get into any trouble. The wrestler did him a favor some years ago and remem-

bered it. "The reason that I want to arrest Mitchell is that he is an Englishman intending to leave the country" was his answer to a ques-

"I have looked for him two days and have failed to discover his where a bouts, I was in consultation with Governor Lowry in relation to the fight on June 28 and 29 and July 3. I rode on Sulivar s train as far as Lexington, and from there sent an assistant to the end of the journey. I am an expert telegraph operater and was to keep Governor Lowry posted on what was going on, but the wires were cut. Governor Lowry is indignant because the fighters passed through and pitched their ring in Mississip-

Is Consumption Incurable.

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of the Lungs, and friends and physicians pronouced Incureable Consumptive. Began takeing Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made.

Jessie Midlewart. Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. Kink's New Discovery for condoctors. Am now in best of free at Johnson Bro. Drugstore.

District Judge Risigned.

Castroville, Tex., July 18.-Judge T. M. Paschall who for twelve years has been district judge of this district, will in a few days send to take effect in September.

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THE HOGAN BROTHRES.

The Aeronauts Have a Close Call-The Massing Professor Heard

ST. TOMAS, July 20 .- William Hogan of Jackson, brother of E. D. Hogan, the missing aeropaut, made the ballon assension here at FINE 6:30 last evening, going 4000 feet high, and had a narrow escape from death. The top guy rope of HASKELL the ballon became fastened to the parachute and it was not until the balloon had reached within 190 feet of the ground in its decent that the acronaut was able to shake the rope off. He had jumped before making the discovery, The bolloon would have turned over on the parachute, driving it to the ground and instant death would have been the result. Hogan ahighted on a stone, breaking two ibs and was dragged fifty feet, brusing his side and shoulder. He

let this morning for Jackson. JACKSON, Mich , July 20 .- though nothing to-nigt has been heard from Prof. Hogan, there are many rumors rife that the daring aero naut is safe. A private dispatch is said to have been received by Campbell from Hogan, sent from Cattleburg, a village on Long New York, stating in effect that coming down directly underneath the sitting air-ship. He was nearly overcome with asphyxia and would mind in cutting his way through the canvas monster more dead than alive. He reached the village and was cared for by the people. He in mediately became unconcious from exhaustion and hunger and depend upon the promise. How no one knew who he was until Wednesday noon, when the air ship was found-and Hogan regained consciousness. It ocured to Hogan at this time to keep quiet and give the newspapers a chance to throw themselves, which as it

proved, they did. A VALUABLE PATENT.

Experts Say It Will Revolutionize the Iron and Steel Industry'

CHICAGO, July 20 -A firm in this patented an invention which comworld, Patents have been secured world. It is in brief a process by which molten metal may be rolled into any desired shape, thus saving all intermediate precess. It was invented originally to roll molton solder into thin plates, but the process is pronounced by experts no special mention. And who to be equally applicable to iron have used Electric Bitters sing the and steel in its various forms of plates, structural iron and rails. It is believed that the cost of manufacturing steel rails can be reduced sumption I would have died of to the extent of \$10 per ton and Lung trubles. Was given up by that thin iron plates for tinning can be made much below the cost of the product of tin plates in will remove Pimples, Boils. Salt health." Try it. Sample bottle Wales, thus making a new interest in this country. Molton metal chilled as it passes, the rollers being kept cool by a stream of water which passes through them. Anoth- well as cure all malarial feverer advantage is that the iron and For cure of Headache, Cousumpsteel so rolled will be much more even and closer in texture than that made by the present methods, being free from the air holes which teed, or money refunded.-Price the Governor his resignation to results from the intermediate pro- 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at

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IDELLA

Late corn and gardens are beginingto need rain. Mr. Hampton has a very sick babe at this writing. Mellons! Mellons!! Mellons!!! Mellon eating is the leading industry of our community.

The campmeeting closed on Monday night. The interest was growing, many anxious ones went forward for pravers; christians became revised and prospects bid fair Island, nearly a hudred miles from for a glorious time, but owing to brother Bailey's physical inability be landed within a mile of the to remain longer and preach in vilage at about 10 p. m, Tuesday, open air he was compelled to dis-

Some would like to know why a man's fees as juror cannot be cashhave died but for the presance of ed at par value. It seems that every other kind of script is paid off in full, at least some times, but when the county promises to allow or give a man two dollars a day for his services as juror, he can net is this any how?

In answer to the above we will say that the only fund that is provided to pay jury serip is the occupation taxes, and jury fees paid by parties litigant.

The occupation taxes for each year will not exceed \$400 and the money collected as jury fees will not exceed \$100 There is about \$1000 of script issued aunnually, so it readily appears that the fund is too small. The fact is that city engaged in the manufacture of there is rarely ever any money in tin cans and japanned goods has this fund as those who pay occupation tax can generally buy script petent judges say will revolutionize at a discount and turn it in dollar the iron and steel industry of the for dollar. Jury script will pay any tax a party may be owing the in the leading countries of the county and this is the reason why the excess is paid at all.

Electric Bitters.

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Killed by a Runaway Horse.

Indianapolis. Ind., July 18 .- In Green county this moring a twentyyear-old son of Airam Camden was riding a horse which was attached to a plow. The animal became frightened and the young man was thrown to the ground. In falling one foot was caught in the barness. The horse began to run and young Camden was dragged over the field, his head striking the ground with every leap of the horse The harness finally broke, releasing Camden. He lived but two bours.

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HASKELL COUNTY.

Her Resources, Advantages, Proggress and Future Prospects.

HASKELL county is situated in the southern part of the panhandle on the line of the one-hundredth Meridian west from Greenwich. It is 1500 feet above the sea, and has mild winters and summers. It is 30 miles square and contains 576,-000 acres of land. It was created in 1858 from a part of Fannin and Milam counties, and named in honor of Charles Haskell, a young Tennesseean, who fell at the massacre at Goliad in 1836.

It remained unsettled until 1874 when there was one or two ranches established. Other ranchmen followed and in 1880 the county could boast of 15 or 20 inhabitants. There was no further development until early in 1884, when the town of Haskell was laid off and by donating lots a few settlers were induced to build residences, and in January 1885 the county organized with a polled vote of 57 electors.

Up to 1884 the soil had never been turned by a plow, and the people depended upon raising cattle, sheep and horses as the natural grasses furnished food both winter and summer for immense herds. The poorer people made money by gathering many thousand tons of Buffalo bones and shipping them east to be made into fertilizers for use in the old states.

Experiments were made in 1885 with garden products, corn, oats, wheat, rye, barley and cotton and the yield was bountiful.

In 1886 and 1887 the entire from Dakota to Mexico suffered from seasons of unprecedented dry. ness, but the faith of the few farmers of Haskell county, kept green and in the fall of 1887 farming begun in dead earnest, and the crop of 1888 far surpassed all anticipation, corn made 25 bushels per acre; oats made from 60 to 100, wheat from 15 to 25, rye 20, and per acre, and sorghum, hay and millet was so bountiful it was hardly considered as a part of the general crop and there was no demand for it in the local market. The acreage in farms have been increased to at least 10,000 acres.

TOPOGRAPHY.

The county is an undulated plain with occasional creeks and branches. It is bounded on the north by that picturesque stream the Salt Fork of the Brazos, and on the west by Double-Mountain Fork.

There are a few washes and gulches along the creeks and rivers, but with river breaks, rocks and poor land combined, their area in Haskell county would not average over 10,000 acres that would not be a fine agricultural land.

WATER. It is traversed by numerous

creeks and branches besides the rivers mentioned, some of which are fed by never failing springs of purest water.

Besides the numerous branches that afford water for stock all the time, the south half of the county is traversed by Paint and California creeks with their numerous the town of Haskell on the south. tributaries draining the south half of the county.

Suthwest to Northeast by Lake situated on the direct line of the ple reared among the same sur- ous, as hospitable and good naturand Miller creeks whose tributa. cattle trail over which the Rock roundings, that we have received ed, as law abiding, patriotic and ries furnish water and drainage for Hand, and G.C. & Sa F. propose the benefit of the same advantages, religious as can be found anywhere

the same. Besides the surface water there is an abundance to be obtained by digging from 15 to 40 feet, best of any county in the northand all of a good quality, some of west. In addition to the amount which is unsurpased by that of any received from the state, about \$5,50 have had. Be enlightened by past cheap lands. We have them, and section in the state for purity and per capita, our commissioners court experience. Fortunes have been temperature.

soil readily drains itself of the sur- county. plus water, thereby preventing stagnation of the water and the rieties of weather.

Except mesquite grubs and stumps, which are easily extracted, use of labor saving implements at and cotton.

PRODUCTS.

rye, durah corn, millet, sorghum, well attended. castor beans, field peas, peanuts, pumpkins, and all the squash family, turnips and cotton are grown ty site of, and is situated one and successfully and profitable. Also one-half mile south of the center sweet potatoes do well, and irish of Haskell county, on a beautiful \$17.50 to potatoes as well as anywhere in the table land, and is four years old South: Garden vegetables grow and has a population of 600 to 700. to perfection, and melons luxuriate Has as good well water as can be in Haskell county soil, growing to found anywhere, which is secured fine size of superb quality. Besides at a depth of 18 to 22 feet. Also has the native grasses that grow on the two never failing springs of pure prairies, sustaining large numbers water in the edge of town. Haskell Ecc. of cattle, horses and sheep through. has four drygood and grocery, out the year, Jhonson and Colora stores that sell goods at prices as do grasses grow to great perfection low as can be had in railroad and the hay made from these towns, with 50 cents per hungrasses form a valuable adjunct to dred pounds for freight added, the winter pasture, in keeping and drygoods and groceries as cheap stock over winter.

per acre is about 30 bushel and the first class; one blacksmith shop; price varies from 50c to 1,25 per two cabinet and wood shops; one bushel; the wheat yield for the exchange bank, one barber shop; year '88-a dry year-ranged from one silver smith suop one saddlery 18 to 30 bushels-averaging 25 shop, one boot and shoe shop; bushels per acre, and sold in the one meat market; two livery home market for 90 cents to \$1,00 stables; three doctors; 10 lawyers per bushel; oats yield 60 to 100 and land sgents; one first class bushels per acre, and usually sell at county newspaper and job office, 25 cents per bushel; cotton yields and only one saloon, all doing a balf to three quarters of a bale very good business. The town of per acre, but owing to the great Haskell with her natural advan distance to market its cultivation tages, of location, climate, good wais not engaged in to a great extent. ter and fertility of soil is distined in Other crops make good yields and the near further to be the queen command corresponding prices, city of Northwest Texas, and rail-Home made pork is usually worth road connection for Haskell is all 6 to 8 cents per pound; fresh beef that is needed to accomplish these. 4to 6 cents; home made butter, cotton, one-third to one-half bale sweet and delicous, usually sells at 25 cents per pound, chickens 15 to of the older states and the thickly 25 cents each, and eggs 10 to 25 settled portion of our own state cents per dozen.

SHIPPING POINT.

and our people do their principal sons. Some to restore lost health, shipping to and from Abilene, a some to make their beginning town 60 miles south, in Taylor in the world, others to repair finan county, on the Texas and Pacific cial lesses, others secking safe and ping done to Albany, a town 45 capital. There are many others miles southeast, on the Texas Cen- who have comfortable homes and tral Railroad, but not so much as are well contented, but who have wagon roads.

RAILROALS

from Dalias to this place and one with their present surroundings, to be built from Fort Worth. The and must seek cheaper lands and Texas Central will have to extend better opportunities in other and in a short time from Albany or for newer localities. feit its charter, and Haskell is on To such we would say you are the line as orignally surveyed.

organized a compny to build a a broad field of occupation and inroad from thet city to this sec. vestment to choose from, with ness ever comes. We have a countion of the state where they control | chances greatly in your favor. In nearly all the land and one of the coming to Haskell do not imagine Texas. We have an abundance of principal members owns 150000 we are a people wild and woely acres in this and Knox county, be. indigenous to these "western sides he owns the large addition to wilds," that we are loaded with

to extend their lines.

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RELIGIOUS ORGANZATIONS. The religous and moral status of there are no obstructions to plows, the people of Haskell county will and the land being level or gener- compare favorably with that of any ally rolling, and easily worked, the people. The Methodist, Baptist, Christians,Old School and Cumberonce becomes pleasant and profita- land Presbyterians each have ble, One man with machinery and organized churches in the town of Manufacturers a little hired help has been known Haskell, and have preaching on to cultivate over 100 acres in grain Sundays, also preaching at other points in the county. We have a good Union Sunday School, and Indian corn, wheat, eats. barley, weekly prayer meeting that are

HASKELL.

The town of Haskell is the counas can be bought any where. YIELD AND PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS. Also has two drug stores one notion The average yield of Indian corn one hotel and one restaurant, both

ADVANTAGES AND RESOURCES. In almost every neighborhood there are many of its citizens who are contemplating a removal or a As yet Haskell has no railroad, change of residence for many rea-Railroad. There is also some ship- profitable investments of surplus provide with lands suitable for home, and assist to commence

just the people we want. The land men of Austin have Come and see us, and you will find dynamite and shooting irons, that business town in the northwest. Haskell is 60 miles north of the our conversations are collections T. & P. R. R. and 90 miles sout of cuss words and Mulhattan mix. the purest water. We have a class that we have availed ourselves of in the United states. We have the same educational priviledges, plenty of room; and invite you and Our school fund is perhaps the that we have had the same chris. and all who contemplate a change, tian instructions you yourselves to come, all who want good and have wisely executed a lease for made by the development of new 10 years of our 4 leagues of school countries, and fortunes are yet to The soil is an alluvial loam of land, situated in the Panhandle, be made in our new and equally

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nature with all the conditions of to Abilene, because of rougher children, whom they would like to soil, prairie and valley adapting it to the production or all the grains, grasses, fruits and vegitables of the There is one road being built business in life, but can not do so temperate zone. We have a climate which is a happy medium between the extreme cold and extreme heat, a climate which will preserve the strong and robust and strengthen the sickly and weak. We have a county well adapted to stock raising of all kinds. We have a country where no malarial sickty of the best lands in Northwest mesquite, elm and hackberry tim ber for firewood and fencing, We have the most substantial inland We have the greatest abundance of The north half is traversed from of the Ft. W. & D. R. R. and is tures, but rather that we are a peo. of citizens as honest and industriwant you for neighbors and friends.

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The following is ONLY a PARTIAL LIST of the Lands we are offering for sale in this County, the Titles to which are regarded as absolutely perfect:

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, t cash, balance 1 and 2 years, 10 per cent interest.

No. 2. 640 scres 15 miles west of town, near Double Mountain Fork of the Brezos river, fine land, price \$2.50 per acre, i cash, balance 1 and 2 years.

No. 3 800 acres 9 miles southwest of town, high open ridge land, rich, level and nice, some timber, no surface water but very productive black sandy land. \$2.50 cash, \$2.75 to cut and on partial

With all Attachments. Write for 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. 213} acres 16 miles southwest of town, fine red loam, mesquite land, good grass and good land \$2.50 per acre cash.

No. 6. 304 acres of as fine land as in the county on Lake creek 17 north of town, good mesquite timber, price \$3.00, } cash,balauce 1 year. No. 7. 1,000 acres 4 miles southeast of town, fine dark red loam, mesquite timber and good water, \$3.00 per acre.

No. 8, 320 acres 12 miles southwest of town, on waters of Paint creek good land and good grass, \$1.50, } cash. (Vining.)

Machine, 25 cents a dozen in No. 9. 1280 acres 14 miles southwest of town on Paint creek, fine red loam, farming or pasture land, lays well, \$2.00 per acre, 1 cash balance 1 and 2 years.

> mesquite timber as in the county on head of Lake creek. \$3.00 No. 11. 2763 acres 10 miles southwest 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. No. 13. 640 acres 16 miles north of town on Lake creek. This is a mag-

> nificent body of farming or pasture land, has water, timber, grasses and good land all combined, making it one of the most desireable tracts in the county. 14. 545 acres on Miller creek, very fine level land, will make

splendid farm, \$2.50 per acre cash. No. 15. 320 acres on Paint creek 10 miles south of town, all good leve land with good mesquite timber, \$2 50, 1 cash.

No. 16. 640 acres 12 miles east 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.

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 terms.

No. 18. 320 acres 7 miles southeast of town on Buffalo creek, plenty of

No. 19. 640 acres 16 miles northeast of town, fine level prairie farming land, \$2.50 per acre, 1 cash, balance on easy terms.

No. 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 acres on Brazos river 16 miles west of town, good land, price \$3.00 per acre, † cash.

No. 22. 388 scres 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, 1 cash or \$2.25, 1 cash balance on easy terms.

No. 24, 960 acres 12 miles north of town, good land, timber, water and grass, a splendid place for stock farm, \$2.50, 1 cash. No. 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. 960 acres 10 miles portheast of town, level, red loam land, some

timber but dry, only \$2.00 per acre, 1 cash. No. 27. 430 acres 10 miles north of town on Lake creek, no better land in the county, good grass and timber, \$3.00, } 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 leve

black sandy land, good timber and grass, on Lake creek, only \$3 No. 30, 3 sections (640 acres each) on Brazos river. This is as good land as in the west, lays well, \$2.00 per acre by the section, will sell either section or the whole in a body.

1. 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, } cash. No. 33. 3400 scres 20 miles north of town in the edge of Knox county on Brazos river, ne better land in the state, lays well, \$3.00 per scre, 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

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

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 survey adjoining town, also many choice vacant and improved town lots. theap for cash, and on easy terms to the actual settler. For further information concerning lands in Haskeli county, call on or address us. We also have a good farm of 160 acres in Stonewa.! Co. 60 acres in cultivation, good improvements, will sell cheap for cash For particulars taddress us, Office in court house with county Surveyor and Treasurer.