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NEBRASKA FARMER GIVES A PARK FOR A WIFE.

A Story of Marriage Without Love & D. votes and Marriages for Love - A Romantic Affair, but not Here Romantic.

BEATRICE, NEB., Oct. 15.—The details of one of the most unique trades ever consummated in this part of the country have just come to light through the filing for record of a deed to a tract of land in the western part of the county. The deed is from Chris Christensen to Nils Jensen, and conveys eighty acres of farm land to the latter, but the remarkable part of the deed is the consideration which is given for the land. It reads as follows: "For and in consideration of one woman, to-wit the wife of Nils Jensen." This queer document caused an investigation to be made, and the following romantic story was learned by the curious newspaper man who went to the farm of Christensen:

Nine years ago Christensen left Sweden for this country to make his fortune, and when he started he left in the old country a young woman who was to be his wife as soon as he became able to send after her. This girl, Mina Peterson was the daughter of a poor drunken brewer who led his family a dog's life and was confined on the verge of starvation. After Christensen left Mina expected to hear from him constantly, but no letter ever reached her and she had no idea what part of the United States he went, she could not write to him. Among the young men of the town was Jensen, who also looked with loving eyes upon Mina, but she would have nothing to do with him, for her heart was true to Chris. As year after year went by with no word from her absent lover the maid came to the conclusion that he was recreant and this idea was fostered as much as possible by Jensen, who at last was successful in getting Mina's consent to marry him. The drunken father also insisted that the wedding should come off, and more to get away from such an unhappy home than through love for Jensen, Mina consented, and they were married. This was five years ago. After two years of hard times in the old country Jensen determined to try his fortunes in America, and with his wife and one child started for the New World.

After wandering about for some time, they landed in Nebraska with no money. Jensen obtained work on farms in different parts of the state but was unable to get ahead financially. The man and wife drifted over the state, doing work at such places as they could get employment, until at last they reached this city, and about a month ago they heard that a man and woman were wanted to work on a farm in western part of the county. Jensen applied for the place, and as chance would have it the man and woman were employed on the farm of Christensen, but the people were so changed that no recognition was had. Some thing familiar in the woman's appearance let Christensen to make inquiries, and he discovered that it was his long lost love. He said nothing to either Jensen or his wife, but a few shrewd questions showed him that Jensen knew more about the reason for his letters never reaching Mina than the husband was willing to acknowledge.

One evening he began telling a story to his hired man and wife and recounted the story of his life from beginning to the present. He told how Jensen had taken the letters from the postoffice and destroyed them, and when he got through the latter was so overcome with what he thought was Christensen's knowledge that he confessed his infamy. The three talked long into the night about the matter and before the morning came it was decided that Jensen would give up the woman who openly said that she did not love him, and he agreed to get a divorce and give up his wife and child if Christensen would give him a start in the world. Mina was will-

ing and anxious, and the result was that the deed to the eighty acres of land was passed, and the woman is now living as the wife of Christensen. A divorce was procured and the marriage followed on the same evening. Jensen lives at the farm until he can build a house, and the whole lot seem happy over the new turn of affairs.—Ft. Worth Gazette.

Campbell's Great Campaign.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 16.—Gov. Campbell's campaign through the democratic counties of the northwest is unprecedented in the history of politics of this section of the state. Before his appearance on the scene the democratic leaders feared there would be a loss of votes on account of the third party movement. His meetings were held in all the counties where the third party was supposed to be the strongest and the receptions accorded the governor have dispelled all fears on that account. After the meeting at St. Mary's last night the governor and party took a special train for Lima, and this morning proceeded to Bowling Green, the county seat of Wood county.

Ten thousand people were about the stand when the governor began his speech. The governor's handling of the tariff to-day was masterly. In his speech at Ada Major McKinley had told about the tariff the Canadian farmer would have to pay when he took his wheat to Buffalo and asked his audience to inquire of the Canadian farmer who paid the tax. The showed by the report of the Republican collector of customs at Buffalo that last year but three bushels of Canadian wheat entered that port for American consumption and that was used for seed by American farmers, who had to pay the increased cost caused by the tax. If the Major wants to know

WHO PAID THE TAX. In this case, said the governor, let him point out the American farmer who purchased this seed wheat from his Canadian neighbor. The governor's description of American and Canadian farmers was one of the brightest bits of sarcasm ever heard on the stump. His farmer audience laughed until big tears ran down their cheeks and there were many ludicrous references to "Jiminy's" manner of "getting there." Assuming a serious tone the governor admonished his audience that they must not become too hilarious as it disturbed the funeral arrangements now in progress in the republican camp, and republican newspapers were complaining of the noise being made by democratic meetings this year.

On the governor's arrival in this city he was met at the station by a hand and several democratic clubs. A NIGHT MEETING. A night meeting was held in Memorial hall and it was fairly jammed with voters. Every bit of the standing room was occupied, corridors filled with people and thousands were unable to get into the building. Many waited about in order to get a glimpse of the democratic standard bearer, but those inside stuck to their posts to the very close. The governor's speech to-night was devoted to the tariff. He made an entertaining comparison of wages paid in this and other protected and free trade countries. His discussion of trade and its relation to the tariff evoked the wildest enthusiasm. His audience was composed largely of workmen, and he was constantly interrupted with cries of "You are right governor," and "That is the way to give it to them."

UP IN THE CLOUDS.

A Tower to be Constructed at Chicago 1120 Feet High.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—The stars and stripes, it was decided to-day, are to wave 1120 feet above the ground, higher than ever flag was waved before. It is to be done during the world's fair from the American tower. The builder is to be Andrew Carnegie of Pittsburgh. Over 25,000 people will be accommodated in the tower at one time and two of the elevators are to start from the ground and run more than 1000 feet with-

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out change or stop directly to the lookout landing. The width of the tower at the foundation level is 440 feet in each direction. After long continued negotiation the Keystone bridge company of Pittsburg, one of Andrew Carnegie's concerns, has made offers in writing that are satisfactory to the promoters. A conference was held at the union league to-day with Mr. A. F. Griffin, president of the company, and Mr. Edward E. Cragin, representing the promoters and several capitalists. As a result the Keystone company has agreed in writing to construct the metal portion of the tower and have it completed Feb. 1, 1893. The company will have to pay a heavy forfeit per day for any delay. President Griffin expects that the tower will be built by Oct. 12, 1892, less than one year from date. Options have been secured on the ground immediately joining the world's fair officials, if desired, so that the tower grounds will be included under their jurisdiction. The total cost will be about \$1,000,000. Subscriptions have been received from Chicago.—Ft. Worth Gazette.

Campbell's Advantage.

In Ohio the joint debate between Governor Campbell and Maj. McKinley was conducted, as it ought to have been by gentlemen. They discussed political acts and theories and while Governor Campbell is not so logical a speaker as Mr. McKinley, the facts being on his side he was able to make statements that were unanswerable. The hardest blow that was struck by Governor Campbell was a certificate from the state board of equalization that in ten years the appraised value of farm lands in Ohio had depreciated \$90,000,000 and that upon an appraisal of perhaps one-half the actual value of the land, so that the depreciation was in fact about \$200,000,000. He also had read in the same connection a report from the census bureau showing that the wealth of Ohio had increased \$243,000,000. Of course this wealth and no part of it had gone to the farmers; it had gone to the manufacturers, while the farmers were becoming poorer and they were becoming richer. Taking the values in 1880 with the \$243,000,000 increase the farm lands ought to have appreciated \$160,000,000; as it was, they decreased in value \$200,000,000 making an actual loss of \$350,000,000.—Ft. Worth Gazette.

TRUMPHE OF SURGERY.

A Man Kept Alive for a Year with a Quarr Contrivance.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 15.—The second days session of the Mississippi Valley medical association convened at 10 o'clock this morning the attendance is large, and great interest is shown in the proceedings. The most interesting feature of the programme was the presentation by Dr. A. Dickson of Kentucky

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The Haskell Star has folded its tent and departed for greener fields. We trust it has entered a place of rest, where subscriptions are paid in advance.—Morgan News.

History shows that children follow the example of their parents. If a man is an outlaw and has figured as a defendant in the courts all his days his children will do likewise.

We often hear one man speak of another as a sharp man. What does he mean by this? Does he mean that the fellow is an unmitigated grand rascal always seeking to take advantage, or does it mean the fellow is a refined, honest, talented, educated gentleman, who enjoys the confidence, good will and esteem of all who know him.

TRAIN ROBBERS.

The Supposed Killer of B. B. Tarver Behind the Bars Again.

FORK SMITH, Ark., Oct. 20.—On the night of June 16, 1888 the midnight passenger train on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, was held up two miles from Gibson Station, I. T., by four men, who robbed the express car, but secured only \$8 and a gold watch. Two shots were fired by one of the robbers, one of which wounded the newsboy in the arm and killed a cattle man named B. C. Tarver of Roschud, Tex. Alex S. Lewis, who lives near Tulsa, I. T., was arrested, but managed to escape. He afterwards was captured and lodged in jail here. One of his pals has confessed and will testify against Lewis in the case which is now in progress in the Federal court. About fifty witnesses are present and the case is attracting much attention.—Fl. Worth Gazette.

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A NEW RAINMAKER.

PROFESSOR MEAGHER'S SCHEME FOR BRINGING RAIN.

Two Currents of Electricity Passing all the Time—When they Intermingle Rain is Produced.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 19.—Another rainmaker has appeared, and says that he can command the clouds to open and pour down their water at will. Professor Richard Meagher, who about six months ago startled the scientific world with his theory on irrigation and floods, which he evolved after close and patient research, now says that he has the proper theory for making rain, and after the first cost of material and rain stations the process will be cheaper than any form of irrigation that is known. Professor Meagher has been studying the subject for a number of years, and unlike most men who find a new thing that is of a benefit to mankind, he does not expect to make money out of himself, and consequently gives the result of his studies to the world at large for the good it may do. The professor has spent much time during the past year on the arid plains of the West and Northwest and in the mountains and the result of his observations is, that all rain is produced by an electrical condition of the atmosphere. With this as the starting point he began the study of the precipitation of moisture and has become convinced that he can produce rain in any quantity and at any time. To show that he has a true theory, he says that he can produce rain in any quantity and at any time. To show that he has a true theory, he says that he can go out on any day when there is an abundance of moisture in the air and cause it to rain with such simple material as he can pick up around any farm.

The professor's idea is that there are two currents of electricity passing all the time—an earth current and an air current—and when these currents get supercharged the excess of electricity passes from one current to the other, and while this is in progress there is a condensation of the moisture in the air and a consequent fall of rain. This being accepted as the truth, the question now arises, how can an exchange of these two currents be made at will? This was the problem that the professor set about to solve, and now he says that he has the key to nature's storehouse of water.

The professor's attention was called to the solution of the problem by reading the accounts of the increased frequency of severe electrical storms in Paris since the erection of the Eiffel tower, and the fact that these storms are not only more frequent, but they are more violent. With this starting point he went to the Rocky mountains and there began investigating the electrical currents of the earth and air. He found that by erecting steel-tipped poles on the tops of mountains he could, by connecting and disconnecting them with the earth, cause an intermixture of the currents and could in a measure, telegraph from one pole to another without connecting wires. By the use of a strong battery he could bring thunder and lightning at will, and when he sent a charge into the air, current it was invariably followed by rain.

His theory is that the arid regions should be divided into rain sections of about one hundred miles square. In the center of each of these sections there should be built a tower extending into the air not less than a thousand feet; these towers to be constructed of iron and with a skeleton frame to give as little resistance to the wind as possible. Electricity could be generated either by immense dynamos at some central station or by heavy batteries in each tower. In either case the result would be the same, but the electricity from the dynamos would be better, for it would be regulated with more certainty. Each tower would thus be in the center of a thousand square

miles and would cause rain to fall over that territory. After the erection of the towers the cost of producing rain with electrical discharge would be less than one hundred dollars. Each station could be cared for by one man who could be had at a nominal salary and whose duties would be to keep the tower in order and make the necessary connections when the rain was needed.

The professor's idea is to have the general or individual states erect the towers and make appropriations for the maintenance of the same, and then appoint a rain committee to order rain for each territory as it is needed. He thinks the government should take the first step in the matter, and then the states should have the management of them. While he has not made close calculations on the cost of the towers, he is confident that it is in the power of the government to erect them and show the theory is a correct one, and then large ranch owners in order bring rain whenever they wished it. The towers would not cost to exceed \$2000 each, if they were properly constructed, and the appliance all complete would not increase this \$2000. With this starting point one can readily see that \$1,000,000 would erect 200 towers covering an area of 25,000,000 acres of land. Each tower could be managed at an expense of \$3000 per year. It being well recognized that timely rains are worth millions of dollars to crop producing countries it can readily be seen that towers over a section of the country 400,000 square miles in extent could be supplied and cared for one year at an expense of less than the benefit for the next year, less than the benefit for the first year, while the succeeding years would be at an expense hardly worth calculating when compared with the vast benefit to be obtained from timely rains.

If the professor is correct the state of Texas, which has the greatest amount of arid land of any state in the Union, would be converted into the best agricultural state at a nominal cost. The area of the state is 274,353 square miles, and if it is conceded that one-half of this is arid, which is an enormous estimate, it would give about one hundred thousand square miles to be cared for. According to the preceding calculation this could be done at an expense of \$300,000 for the first year including erection of towers, and all necessary supplies. This being the cost Texas would have redeemed for cultivation 64,000,000 acres of land that would be the most fertile of any in the Union at a cost of less than 10 cents an acre.

Colorado and Kansas could combine, redeem and place in a high state of cultivation their arid lands at a similar cost and the result would be that land which is now given over to prairie dogs and snakes would sustain thousands of prosperous farmers. The erection of the towers and plants could be paid for from the first sale of lands which would be redeemed by this process and the subsequent expense of keeping the towers running would be paid out of the interest of the money received from the sale of excess lands after the towers were paid for.

Those who are acquainted with the professor think this no Utopian scheme for they know that he has devoted his life to the study of such subjects, and that he is not expecting to make any money out of the matter. He thinks he has discovered the secret of nature, and is willing that the whole world should profit by the discovery. He is now in correspondence with several large ranch owners in Texas, Colorado and Wyoming, and he thinks that enough money will be raised by these men to test the theory without asking the government to give a cent towards it. If this is done these gentlemen will buy large tracts of land at a nominal figure, and then redeem it and make their profit by the sale of tillable land.—Fl. Worth Gazette.

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Mrs. Thurman was born in Chillicothe in 1811, and her maiden name was Mary Dun. Her father, Walter Dun, was a wealthy land owner and merchant at that place. White Mary was still a young lady her father moved to Lexington, Ky. Here she married a Mr. Tompkins, but he died after a few years, leaving one daughter, Nancy. She was married to Judge Thurman in November, 1844 and has been his almost constant companion and helpmate since during his long professional and public career.

Judge Thurman is much enfeebled and broken down, and it is the opinion of those who know him best and understand his condition, that he will not long survive her death.

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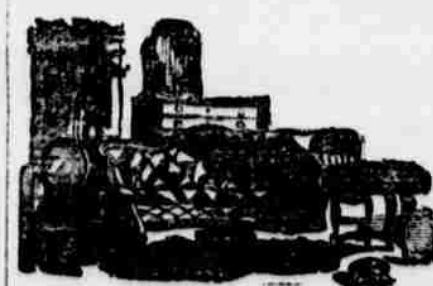
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SEYMOUR, TEXAS.
—W. R. Gillmore was in the city Thursday.
—The ring of the hammer and hum of the saw continue to float over the city.
—Graham flour just ground this week, Haskell Grocery Co.
—S. H. Johnson desires to negotiate with some gentleman for an infant swine.
—Mr. R. N. DeLong left Monday to visit his old home in Young county.
—Onions and potatoes at Courtwright & Collin's.
—J. M. Marcy was in with cotton this week.
—A large line of Roger Bros. silverware at J. E. Glover's in a few days.
—Hams and breakfast bacon at Courtwright & Collin's.
—Miss Mattie Preston left for Terrell Friday, to visit her sister Mrs. R. D. Wilfong.
—Mr. Wallace Fields, and family, have moved to Sherman. Haskell has lost a good citizen.
—California pears and grapes at Courtwright & Collin's.
—See the best shoes and at the lowest prices at the ladies' emporium Call and get prices before buying.
—Go to McLemore's when you want anything in the drug line.
—John Vannoy left Monday for his old home in Throckmorton.
—When in need of hardware, call on Miller, Riddle & Co.
—McEire's WINE OF CARDUI for female diseases.
—Buy all your Saddlery at Riddle's.
—W. F. Rupe and E. F. Springer have purchased the Seymour hack line.
—S. L. Robesson made a business trip to Abilene this week.
—A fresh line of pure drugs, paints, oils etc. constantly arriving at the Palace Drug Store.
—McLemore's is headquarters for everything in the drug line call and see him.
—McLemore will save you money on dog poisons, oils, wall paper etc. etc.
—Frank Hubbard has opened up a short order house on the south side.
—I will pay \$1.50 per head for the delivery to me at Haskell or to A. J. Messer at his residence any horses branded ace Clubs on left thigh. J. C. English. 3t
—Miller Kiddle & Co. are receiving their line of Hardware. Call and get our prices.
—WINE OF CARDUI, a Tonic for Women.
—When in Haskell call at the City Hotel, where every thing is kept neat.
J. W. Becknell.
—The general traffic agent of the Wichita Valley railway was in the city this week looking after the interest of his road.
—Builders material, Carpenters tools, Bolts, Cartridges, Powder Shot, Giant Powder, Fine Tinware, Queensware, Glassware, and Furniture at Miller, Riddle & Co.
—F. W. Carrick, the shoe and boot maker has moved to the Rike building on the southwest corner square.
—A good residence, good water, garden, orchard, stables, barn etc., in Haskell for sale.
10-3t H. G. McConnell.
—When you go to Albany, be sure to stop at the City Hotel, situated in business center of town two hundred yards southwest from R. R. Depot

—For a real genuine bargain, good goods at low prices. Call on R. S. DeLong & Co.
—Cartridges, loaded shells and other ammunition at the Haskell Grocery Co's.
—Save your money and buy your goods from D. R. Gass and save 20 per cent you will surely need it.
—F. T. Hubbard, of Albany, a first-class baker of twenty-five year experience has located at Haskell.
—With the cash you can save money by buying your School Books and wall paper from Bass Bros. Abilene Texas.
—Apples, oranges and potatoes at Courtwright & Collin's.
—L. Masbacher, of Messrs. Laposki & Bros., of Abilene, was in the city this week.
—Capt. E. M. Posy caught a fish the other day that weighed 52 pounds.
—Fresh graded pine apples, shred cocoanut, rolled oats, hominy flakes, just received at Haskell Grocer Co.
—Ladies emporium is the place to get your fine hats dresses and shoes.
—Capt. W. E. Rayner, of Rayner, was in the city this week.
—Why should you go to Bass Bros, Abilene, Tex., to buy School Books? Because you can save money. Try them and be convinced.
—J. C. Mc Laren and Tom Lanier, of Rayner, was in the city this week.
—Cream cheese, 5 lbs bucket jelly, bugas beans, fancy candles and many other goods just received at the Haskell grocery Co.
—The Palace Drug Store presented us with a sample bottle of Sanfords ink which we accepted with thanks. The ink is the very best that is made.
—All are entitled to the most their money will buy. So don't fail to cash your dollars at R. S. DeLong & Co's.

—Arbuckle coffee 25 cts. Haskell Grocery Co.
—Call at McLemore's Drug Store when you are in town and buy what you need in his line.
—All the latest novelties of hats to be displayed at the Ladies Emporium during the grand opening.
—Dickenson Bros. will sell beef for 5 and 9 cents. Our motto is to always compete with our competitors.
McEire's Wine of Cardui and THEFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT are for sale by the following merchants in Haskell county:
Hagard & Kirby Haskell
—FOR SALE—
A fine Stallion and ten good mares with foals. J. C. English. 10-3t
J. A. Foster the proprietor of the City Hotel wishes to say to the people of Haskell town and county, that the rooms and tables are now first-class at the City Hotel. When you go to Albany stop with him, and you will be pleased.
Mr. Becknell has purchased the most fashionable and complete set of hotel furniture for his new hotel ever put in a house of this kind in the west. Haskell has good reason to rejoice for it is truly said that visitors are impressed with a town favorably or unfavorably according to hotel accommodations other things being equal.

NOTICE
All persons indebted to me are requested to call at my office and settle up. I will take corn, oats or anything else on account.
A. G. NEATHERY.

NOTICE
You must pay up your beef bill or your meat will come up short next month. Respectfully,
DICKENSON BROS.

It is a Notorious Fact!
That J. F. Stroop is selling goods cheaper than they were ever sold before, in this country. If you are going to pay cash for anything in the goods line; it would pay you to price his goods. A splendid line of clothing at cost. Gents underwear and overwear, either wool or cotton. Heavy or light at the lowest possible price. Ladies Woolen underwear cheap. Ladies and Misses Jerseys for less than cost, Boots and shoes at the rock-bottomest kind of prices. Childrens Boots for 50 cents a pair. Hats good and, wool hats for half their value; a nice line of Rolled Gold plate jewelry, just from the factory and warranted to wear five years; watches cheap, but reliable time-keepers; clocks cheaper than ever known and will get you any kind of a watch or jewelry cheaper than any one else; have the finest Henriettas and Cash mers in town for the least money; blankets white and colored large and fine for less than ever known; Gents Heavy wool under wear in suits, priced so low down you can hardly reach down to it. If you want to buy any thing come in and see
J. F. STROOP,
South side, Haskell, Texas.

Notice to Contractors.
The commissioners court of Haskell county will meet on the second Monday in November 1891 to receive bids for the construction of a court house, to be built of stone and to cost not exceeding \$45,000. Plans and specifications must accompany each bid and the contractors to whom the contract is awarded must take in part payment, the courthouse property now on hand and in use by said county.
The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
H. G. McCONNELL,
County Judge.

EDITOR FREE PRESS.
Perhaps a line or two from this part would be interesting. We had preaching here the second Sunday by the Rev. Rogers.
The people are quite busy at

ABILENE DRY GOODS CO.

Is right to the front with a large stock of goods lower than they have ever sold them THEY MUST GO and go early in the season. In order to accomplish this we have made

A FLOOD OF LOW PRICES

\$15,000 WORTH OF WINTER GOODS THAT MUST GO FOR ALMOST WHAT THEY WILL BRING
We bought these AT FORCED SALE and can afford a big sacrifice on them.

\$4,000 Worth of dress Goods	reduced 40 per cent.	\$3,000 " Clothing	" 50 per cent.
\$2,500 " Boots and Shoes	" 35 per cent.	\$1,000 " Cloaks etc.	" 40 per cent.
\$2,500 " Furnishing goods	" 35 per cent.	\$2,000 " Hats and Notions	" 45 per cent.

THIS WILL BE CHARACTERIZED AS

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BE SURE TO CALL ON US.

ABILENE DRY GOODS CO. ABILENE, TEXAS.

WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS CO., New Haven, Conn. GUNS FOR ALL KINDS OF GAME EVERY VARIETY OF Ammunition.

present, gathering cotton.

We are to have a wedding here soon and as I don't suppose you have heard who, I will tell you. Mr. L. A. Lindsey and Miss Mary Daugherty are to be married the 8th of Nov. It will take place at the residence of A. P. Daugherty, the bride's father. One of the neighbors will give a dinner in honor of the young couple the next day.
S. C.

To The Public.

There has been a great demand in Haskell for a first-class hotel the demand has at last been met. The Lendell hotel on the Northeast corner of the public square is now about complete. It contains 28 commodious rooms is thoroughly ventilated and conveniently arranged. I have rented this building and have furnished it with the latest designs of antique oak furniture, each room suit of this furniture and carpets, the equipments of this hotel are second to none in the State and having had several years of experience I feel able to manage the same in a manner to merit the most liberal patronage of the public. The tables will always be provided with the best the markets afford. This house will be open to the public the 15th of Nov., and I solicit a continuation of the liberal patronage of the public.
J. W. BECKNELL.

Notice.

All the teachers and trustees in Haskell county as well as any patrons who are interested in the welfare of the public schools of Haskell county are requested to meet at Teachers and Trustees Institute at the school house in the town of Haskell on the first Saturday in November 1891 at 3 o'clock P. M.
H. G. McCONNELL,
County Judge.

In accordance with the above call by Judge McConnell for a Teachers' Institute, Saturday Nov. 7, 1891, the following programme is submitted for said meeting:
Teacher's Institute
J. W. Mefchant,
Superintendency of public schools,
Judge H. G. McConnell,
Geography in the primary grades,
Miss Sallie Ramsey,
The teachers preparation for work in the Institute.
Miss Gillie Rike,
"Methods" of Teaching Reading,
D. R. Conch,
Programme submitted by J. D. Warren.

GOOD LOOKS.

Good looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be inactive, you have a bilious look, if your stomach be disordered you have a dyspepsia look and if your kidneys be affected you have a Pinched look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. **McEire's Bitter** of the vital organs. Cures Pimples, Boils, and gives a good complexion. Sold at A. P. McLemore's Drug Store, Large and Small.

Governor Cambell and the Recorder.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 16.—[Special]—Governor Cambell is speaking at Bowling Green, O., to-day. The information is conveyed in a special to the Dispatch that the governor says that the New York Recorder's retraction of statements for which he threatened to sue them for libel is not sufficient. He demands that the identity of Ralph Wilkinson, the alleged author of the sensational article, be revealed or the suit for libel will be pushed.

GUARANTEED CURE

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a cough, cold, or runny throat or chest trouble and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottle free at A. P. McLemore's Drug Store, Large and Small, and Dr.

N. Porter,

SADDLERY
Wholesale and Retail
Harness and Collar Factory;
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Everybody Read This.

- Saddles collars and Harness,
- Buggy whips, Wagon whips, in fact every thing kept in a first class Saddlery House, going at Jobbers' cost.
- Duck Collar \$ 30
- Good wool faced Collar 1.35
- Good wool faced collar 1.50
- Good Kip leather collar 1.15
- Good Kip leather Collar 1.00
- Good Home made buggy harness 6.25
- Good Home made buggy harness 7.25
- Good Home made Wagon harness 12.50
- And so on down the line,
N. PORTER,
No. 25 Pine Street, Abilene.

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Haskell County.

Her Resources, Advantages, Progress and Future Prospects.

Topography, Water, Soil, Products, Shipping Points, Railroads, Public Schools and Mill Facilities.

Haskell county is situated in the southern part of the Panhandle on the line of the one hundredth Meridian west from Greenwich.

It remained unsettled until 1874 when there was one or two ranches established. Other ranchmen followed, and in 1882 the county could boast of 15 or 20 inhabitants.

Up to 1884 the soil had never been tilled by a plow, and the people depended upon raising wild sheep and horses, as the principal sources of their wealth.

There is a general belief that the settlement of the county was made in 1882 with garden products, corn, wheat, etc., but the fact is that the county was settled in 1884.

The county is an undulating plain with occasional creeks and hills. It is bounded on the north by the Red River, on the east by the Texas and Oklahoma lines, and on the west by the Double Mountain Fork.

There are a few creeks and gulches along the border, and over the whole country there are scattered hills and mountains.

It is traversed by numerous creeks and branches. Besides the rivers mentioned, some of which are fed by never failing springs of pure water.

Besides the numerous branches that afford water for stock all the time, the south half of the county is traversed by the Red River and California creeks with their numerous tributaries during the south half of the winter.

The north half is traversed from Northwest to Northeast by the Red and Miller creeks, whose tributaries furnish a daily mail service from Haskell to the north.

Besides the surface water there is an abundance to be obtained by digging from 15 to 25 feet, and all of a good quality, some of it is not surpassed by that of any section in the state for purity and temperature.

The soil is an alluvial loam of great depth and fertility, varying in color from a red to a dark chocolate, and by reason of its porosity and friable nature, when thoroughly plowed, readily drains in the rainfall and in dry seasons absorbs moisture from the atmosphere, and for the like reason the soil readily drains itself of the surplus water, thereby preventing stagnation of the water and the baking of the soil, and the germination of miasma.

Except mesquite grass and stumps which are easily extirpated, there are

no obstructions to plows and the land being level or generally rolling and very fertile, the use of labor-saving implements are profitable. One man with machinery and a little help has been known to cultivate over 100 acres in grain and cotton.

Indians, when they raise barley, ryed corn, millet, sorghum, castor beans, field peas, peanuts, pumpkins and all the Spanish family, turnips and cotton are grown successfully and profitably. Also sweet potatoes do well and Irish potatoes as well as anywhere in the south. Garden vegetables grow to perfection, and melons luxuriant in Haskell county soil, growing to fine size of superb quality. Besides the native grasses that grow on the prairie, sustaining large numbers of cattle, horses and sheep throughout the year, Colorado grass grows to great perfection and the hay made from this grass forms a valuable adjunct to the winter pasture, in keeping stock over winter.

The average yield of Indian corn per acre is about 25 bushels and the price varies from 50c to 1.25 per bushel, wheat yields from 15 to 20 bushels—averaging 25 bushels per acre, and sold in the home market for 90 cents to \$1.20 per bushel. Cotton yields a half to three quarters of a bale per acre. Other crops make good yields and command corresponding prices. Home-made pork is usually worth 6 to 8 cents per pound, fresh beef 4 to 6 cents, home-made butter, sweet and delicious, usually sells at 25 cents per pound, chickens 15 to 25 cents each, and eggs 15 to 25 cents per dozen.

At yet Haskell has no railroad, and our people do their principal shipping to and from Abilene, a town 60 miles south in Taylor county, on the Texas and Pacific railroad, Albany on the Texas Central 30 miles from Haskell on the northeast, and Seymour on the Wichita Valley road 45 miles northwest.

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The land near Austin have organized a company to build a road from that city to this section of the state where they control nearly all the land and one of the principal members owns 150,000 acres in this and Knox county, besides he owns the large addition in the town of Haskell on the south.

Haskell is 62 miles south of the T. & P. R. R. and 92 miles south of the Ft. W. & D. R. R. and is situated on the direct line of the cattle trail over which the Rock Island, and Ft. C. & S. E. propose to extend their lines.

Our school fund is perhaps the best of any country in the northwest. In addition to the amount received from the state, about \$5,500 per capita, our commissioners court have wisely executed a lease for 12 years of our 4 leagues of school land, situated in the Panhandle, the revenue from which added to the amount received from the state gives us a fund amply sufficient to run the several schools of the county ten months in the year.

There is a daily mail service from Haskell to the north, a weekly mail north to Benjamin and a daily mail to Seymour, also a tri-weekly express line to Albany, these all carry express and passengers.

The religious and moral status of the people of Haskell county will compare favorably with that of any people. The Methodist, Baptist, Christian, Old School and Cumberland Presbyterians each have organized churches in the town of Haskell, and have preaching on Sundays also preaching at other points in the county.

The town of Haskell is the county seat, and is situated one and one-half miles south of the center of Haskell county, on a beautiful table land, and is seven years old and has a population of 442. Has as good water as can be found anywhere, which is secured at a depth of 18 to

22 feet. Also has two never failing springs of pure water in the edge of town. The town of Haskell with her natural advantages of location, climate, good water and fertility of soil is destined in the near future to be the queen city of Northwest Texas, and railroad connection for Haskell is all that is needed to accomplish these.

In almost every neighborhood of the older states and the thickly settled portion of our own state there are many of its citizens who are contemplating a removal 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 losses, others seeking safe and profitable investments of surplus capital. There are many others who have comfortable homes and are well contented, but who have children, whom they would like to provide with lands suitable for a home, and assist to commence business in life, but can not do so with their present surroundings, and must seek cheaper lands and better opportunities in other and newer localities.

To such we would say you are just the people we want. Come and see us, and you will find a broad field of occupation and investment to choose from, with chances greatly in your favor. In coming to Haskell do not imagine we are a people wild and woolly indigenous to these "western wilds," that we are loaded with dynamite and shooting irons, that our conversation are colloquies of cuss words and Mulholland mixtures, but rather that we are a people reared among the same surroundings that we have received the benefit of the same advantage that we have availed ourselves of the same educational privileges, that we have had the same Christian instruction you yourselves have had. Be enlightened by past experience. Fortunes have been made by the development of new countries, and fortunes are yet to be made in our new and equally as good country.

We have a country endowed by nature with all the conditions of soil, prime soil, and all the grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables of the 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 country well adapted to stock raising of all kinds. We have a country where non-malarial sickness ever comes. We have a county of the best lands in Northwest Texas. We have an abundance of mesquite, elm and hackberry timber for firewood and fencing. We have the most substantial inland business town in the northwest. We have the greatest abundance of the purest water. We have a class of citizens as honest and industrious, as law abiding, patriotic and religious as can be found anywhere in the United States. We have plenty of room and invite you and all who contemplate a change to come, all who want good and cheap lands, we have them, and want you for neighbors and friends.

Reader please hand this to your friend.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Haskell County, greeting: You are hereby commanded to publish this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 39th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Haskell County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Haskell on the Third Monday in March, A. D. 1892 the same being the 21 day of March, A. D. 1892 then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10 day of July, A. D. 1891 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 91 where in Jas. S. Hogg Governor of the State of Texas is Plaintiff, and D. D. W. Carver is Defendant, and said petition alleging that heretofore to wit, on the 2nd day of Nov. A. D. 1882 Defendant by his obligation in writing of that date for the sum of \$608 dollars by defendant executed and delivered as the law directs promised to pay to the Governor of the State of Texas and his successor in office on the first day of January of each year, thereafter one twentieth of the amount of his said obligation with eight per cent interest on said obligation from the date thereof, or before the first of March of each year thereafter the date of said obligation.

That 7 years of said time has long since expired yet defendant though requested to do so, has never paid the interest due on said obligation nor any part thereof for the said

seven years, but refuses so to do to Plaintiff's damages \$318.30 dollars. That said obligation was given for a part of the purchase money on a certain tract of land situated in Haskell county, Texas, and better described as section No. 236 in Block No. 45 Certificate No. 303 and originally granted to the H. & T. C. R. R. Company and heretofore set apart to the Public Free Schools of the State of Texas; said land was on the 2 day of November, A. D. 1882 sold to A. F. Jaeger Defendant in accordance with the acts of the Legislature of the State of Texas passed and approved July 8th A. D. 1879, and the acts amendatory thereto passed and approved April 6th A. D. 1881, wherefore Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to answer this petition and show cause why he should not be ejected from said land, and that Plaintiff have judgment against Defendant for the sum of \$608 dollars, the same being the amount due Plaintiff by Defendant and for writ of ejectment and restitution of said land, costs of suit and general relief and equity etc.

HERIN FAIL-NOT, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. L. Jones, Clerk, of the District Court of Haskell county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Haskell this the 16 day of Oct. A. D. 1891. J. L. Jones, Clerk, Dist. Court Haskell County.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Oct. 15.—James Hayden was a young farmer in the upper part of Tassosa county, thirty miles from this city. He was twenty-five years old, six feet high, had yellow hair, blue eyes, white teeth and good digestion. He owned 500 acres under cultivation and 500 acres of woodland, had \$3,000 in the bank and did not owe a dollar. He courted Ruth Smith, a good looking young girl, daughter of a neighbor. They were to have been married a month ago. He came to town and was measured for his wedding suit. The girl fell in love with a traveler who sold windmills, pumps and barbed wire. She refused to keep her engagement. Hayden blew his brains out to-day.—Ft. Worth Gazette.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Oct. 15.—James Hayden was a young farmer in the upper part of Tassosa county, thirty miles from this city. He was twenty-five years old, six feet high, had yellow hair, blue eyes, white teeth and good digestion. He owned 500 acres under cultivation and 500 acres of woodland, had \$3,000 in the bank and did not owe a dollar. He courted Ruth Smith, a good looking young girl, daughter of a neighbor. They were to have been married a month ago. He came to town and was measured for his wedding suit. The girl fell in love with a traveler who sold windmills, pumps and barbed wire. She refused to keep her engagement. Hayden blew his brains out to-day.—Ft. Worth Gazette.

The telephone as a fence-maker. The telephone has been put to many uses, but it has remained for a Chicago telephone to realize a family after a separation of twenty-five years. While carelessly looking over a telephone directory late one night last week, Miss Helen Wheeler happened to run across the name of W. W. Wheeler. That being the name of a brother whom she had neither seen nor heard of for many years, she determined to call him up by telephone as soon as the first opportunity presented itself. The next

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