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Any subscriber failing to receive this paper promptly and regularly, will please notify us either in person, or by postal card, we will take pleasure in correcting any mistake in this office.

Rev. S. G. VAUGHAN informs us that, at the late Conference of the M. E. Church South, \$40,000 was raised for the South Western University at Georgetown, Texas.

The Hubbard road, the St. Louis & Texas Narrow Gauge is the only independent road from St. Louis to Texas, not pooled, and belongs to itself.

Tur Good Samaritan is a new 8 page monthly paper published by Eld. R. C. Buckner, Dallas, Texas, in the interests of charitable deeds.

A. P. MADDOX Esq., of Kentucky, who married my only sister, paid my own family among other relatives a visit recently.

It is our statement two weeks ago that the County Clerk had given two permits to carry pistols.

Weatherford.

WEATHERFORD, Nov. 10. After a long time I write again. Health generally good.

Cotton sells on the streets at 12 to 19 1/2 cents. Prices are considerably off.

County Court is now in session. Hon. A. J. Hunter presiding; his honor is sweeping the docket as he goes.

Tax Collector Mr. E. B. Ross, is ready to receive the state and county cash.

There was a considerable burglary in town, Hector Huvelle's safe was blown open and some \$1,400 stolen.

tise in the RURAL CITIZEN so that they may catch the western trade, which is a big thing.

What is the matter with Bro. C. M. Wilcox that he does not continue to write for the CITIZEN, stir up C. M. and give us another one of your soul revivers.

The telephone line from Minera Wells to Weatherford was finished on the 9 inst. which connects Weatherford with the east and west by mouth.

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to the Sam Houston Normal Institute for the year 1883-84.

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dis-eased meat, or poor whiskey, and our people want to buy it let them do so, but let us not sell either for the paltry tax upon it.

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New Store! New Goods New Prices.

IT affords me great pleasure to inform the people of Jack county that I am once more fully prepared to supply all their wants.

I have now in stock the largest and best assorted stock of General Merchandise

It is needless for me to say that I am very grateful to the people of Jack county for their patronage in the past, for I feel that almost every one with whom I have had dealings feels assured that their trade is fully appreciated.

In conclusion I feel I am only doing myself justice in saying I now have the most convenient and best arranged business house in this portion of the country.

Hoping to see not only all my old but also new customers at the "same old corner" I am Yours very truly.

JAMES W. KNOX.

J. J. OWENS,

DEALER IN Confectionery and Groceries.

Old Red Store, West Side Square, JACKSBORO, TEXAS.

Has a full line of Candies, Fruits, and a new stock of Groceries. He respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage because he actually needs it to carry on his trade.

PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS

READ THIS! I wish to say to the people of Jack County that still have a first class drill and am prepared to do good work in my line of business.

LA GRANGE FEMALE COLL. GE. 1882. La Grange, Ga. 1886. Respects Sept. 12th, 1886. Sir, I will be pleased to receive your order for the following goods.

THE SICK, WORN AND DEBE THE should read the advertisement of a certain MEDICINE near Texas.

THE CAMPAIGN OF 1881 demands that every voter should be fully posted on the issues of the day, and in order that all may have an opportunity to inform themselves, we offer the

RURAL CITIZEN THE NEXT 60 DAYS at \$1.00 a year. No subscriber at this rate will be taken for a period of less than one year.

Our columns are open for the discussion of all sides of any subject that demands the consideration of the people.

A LIBERAL OFFER! The Subscription Price of Texas Farm and Ranch

The Subscription Price of the RURAL CITIZEN is \$1.50 a year. We will send you a copy of the paper at the rate of \$1.00 a year.

At Victoria, prices are worth \$2.75 per bushel, and it is believed that not less than fifteen thousand bushels will be marketed at that price.

The People's Paper THE Rural Citizen \$1.00 a year till the first of Dec. Strictly in

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His Purchases of the products of the country amount to Thousands Dollars in the year. He has been induced to bring in adjoining counties, to get the best of the produce of the country. His business as could be desired. Prices are as low as the same. His dealings are entirely above board. His goods he sells proves this statement.

H. H. McCONNELL Druggist.

Wall Paper, and Bookseller, The oldest Druggist in the country. Keeps (and sells) Everything in his Various Departments. Quantity the Largest, Quality the Best, Prices the Lowest.

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Wm. Cameron & Co. The Old Reliable Lumber House. WEATHERFORD, TEXAS.

We keep a full Stock of dry seasoned lumber, of all descriptions, cement and cement flues, doors, sashes, and window blinds.

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Thankful for the liberal patronage which has been shown me since opening the house, I hope by honest dealing to merit a continuance of the same.

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**Largest House, the Largest Stock,
and the Largest Business in
North West Texas.**

D. C. BROWN

received his immense Stock of Fall and Winter Goods;
owing to his extensive operations in wool and cotton,
Large Sales he has duplicated the most of his fall
phases. This will give the people an idea of who is
ing the largest and best stock, and who is doing the
ness of Jack County.

His Purchases
The products of the country amount to something near
enty Thousand Dollars in the last sixty days. The
ple have been induced to bring their wool and cotton
adjoining counties, to get the advantage of patronizing
establishment. The reason is plain. His stock has
equal in this country. His house is as well arranged
the business as could be desired, and last, but not least
prices are as low as the same goods can be bought in
Boo; his dealings are entirely satisfactory. The amount
goods he sells proves this statement.

The Accommodations
his customers are entirely superior to any other house
his country. His means and mammoth stock enable
to offer superior inducements to his customers. If
want to deal at Headquarters for everything this is
Fall, everybody," and investigate the
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If you want first class lumber go
to Wm. Cameron & Co's yard at
Weatherford, better lumber is not
sent out from any yard in Texas
than from this yard.

I have just received the largest
stock of Stetson hats ever brought
to this market. Call and see them.
J. W. Knox.

School books, school satchels and
school supplies of all kinds at head-
quarters, that is, at the drug store
of McConnell.

W. S. Ingram has fresh apples,
cabbage, potatoes, onions, melons,
lemons, nuts, all varieties of can-
goods, and a general assortment of
candies.

Fruit Trees Delivered.
We are authorized by R. C.
Johnson of the Iron Ore Nursery,
Grayson county, Texas, to say that
he will deliver fruit trees from the
above named nursery at Jackboro,
the 24th of November, at Willow
Point the 3d of December, at Post
Oak, the 8th of December.

Dr. Robinson's well failed to flow,
however, he has more than 100 feet
of water of an excellent quality.

We learn that Mrs. D. C. Brown's
sociable was a thorough success,
there being a large crowd present.
We have no particulars.

While snowstorms are raging in
the Northern States our tenderest
plants show but very little signs of
frost.

Pure honey in bulk on Tap at
W. S. Jones.

Apples, sweet potatoes, Irish pota-
toes, etc., for sale by W. S.
Jones.

THE CITIZEN is having a boom in
the way of new subscribers. Re-
member you can get the CITIZEN for
\$1.00 a year until the first of Decem-
ber. There are quite a number
of our old subscribers who are
yet behind. Come in as soon as
you can so as to receive the benefit
of the dollar offer.

McConnell has received the follow-
ing dispatch: "Tell the little
girls and boys that I am on my way,
loaded down with more nice things
than ever were seen in Jackboro,
and I will make your store my
headquarters. I will be there on
or about November 30, and remain
as long as I have anything to show,
or your papas and mammas have a
nickel left."
(Signed) Santa Claus.

Money has been paid into the
County Treasury, to pay all Jury
Certificates up to No. 1355. Hold-
ers call and get your money.

W. S. Ingram most respectfully
invites all of his old friends and the
public, to call and examine his large
and well assorted stock of new dry
fresh groceries which he has received
in the past ten days.

Sheet music at McConnell's, and
by arrangement with Oliver Ditson
& Co. of Boston, any music publish-
ed will be furnished at the net prices
of the other catalogues by him.

W. S. Ingram is at his old trade,
buying everything for cash, that is
made by the people in the country.
He gets the highest market price
for butter, eggs, and all vegetables,
and will trade with the country peo-
ple on anything they wish to mar-
ket.

"McConnell's Condition Pow-
ders" are reported as having saved
several horses recently, which were
attacked by the disease which has
been so fatal in the north part of
the county. It would be well to try
them. 5 papers for 50cts.

If you wish to buy extra good
platform scales, weigh half ounces
and as much as 200 pounds, second
hand, use but very little and as
good as new; they were bought
with a closed out stock of goods
and will be sold very cheap. Call
at the CITIZEN Office or McKeehan
Bros.

W. S. Ingram receives almost
daily, fresh from the rail road, all
green groceries that can be had at
this season of the year. His supply
of family groceries is adequate in
quality, variety, and price to entice
all consumers.

The "White Sewing Machine" un-
questionably the best in every particu-
lar, for sale by H. H. McConnell.

The County Commissioners Court
has been in session this week and
adjourned yesterday evening. Two
orders respecting the school funds
of Jack county were made, but we
have not space for them this week.

Mrs. Nelson is visiting her sister
Mrs. West at this place.

"Hog killing time" having arriv-
ed, you all want to go to McConnell
for sage, coriander, thyme, and
pepper, etc. He has enough on hand
to supply the county, and it is fresh.

Tinware and hardware of all kinds
just received at Knox's.

Owens will pay 25 cents for but-
ter and 15 cents for eggs.

Fresh mackerel, breakfast bacon,
lunars, and cheese at Knox's.

Try a gallon of fine New Orleans
Syrup. You can get it at Knox's.

Just received 1-2 a car load of
Patent Flour (very fine) at Knox's.

Wanted—first class carpenters.
Enquire at the Weatherford Planing
Mills or of Evan Jones at Jackboro.

Evan Jones of the firm of Jones
Bros., Contractors and Painters,
Weatherford, Texas, is now staying
at the Wichita Hotel, Jackboro,
and will furnish estimates and plans
on application free of charge. It
will be to the interest of those con-
templating building to call and see
him as he is in position to turn out
work better, cheaper, and quicker
than any other contractor this side
of Dallas. Being proprietor of the
Weatherford Planing Mill which
enables him to make all his own sash,
doors, door and window frames, offices,
desks, counters, shelving, scroll sawing,
turning, and everything in the car-
penter's line. Orders for turning,
scroll sawing, planing, etc. left at
lumber yards, Weatherford, prompt-
ly executed.

Married.
At the Christian church last even-
ing Mr. C. M. Whipp to Miss Ollie
Hughes. The CITIZEN wishes them
a prosperous and happy life.

**Synopsis of the Proceedings of the
County Court, November Term.**
Court convened Monday morning,
November 5 for Civil, Probate, and
Criminal business.

Hon. T. M. Jones, County Judge,
present and presiding; also Sil Stark
County Attorney, W. M. King Sher-
iff and D. B. Mizell Clerk.

The State of Texas vs. Bill Cook.
Bond forfeited.

No. 252. The State of Texas vs.
W. C. Thompson, disturbing relig-
ious worship. Jury verdict, guilty,
fine assessed \$25. Appeal taken.

No. 273. The State of Texas vs. Wm.
Adkins, charged with cutting and
injuring fence; plead guilty, fined
\$10.

M. Cutter, judgement for P10,
\$819.59 with interest from date of
judgement and costs.

No. 200. State of Texas vs. Alex.
Maxwell, plead guilty, fined \$15
and one week imprisonment in the
county jail.

No. 252. The State of Texas vs.
Lee Reynolds, charged with aggra-
vated assault and battery; plead
guilty, fined \$25 and costs.

No. 282. The State of Texas vs.
Rat Fullingim; aggravated assault
and battery, plead guilty, fined \$25
and costs.

Nos. 283, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265,
266, 267 and 268, nol pros.

Court adjourned Saturday No-
vember 10.

Court convenes 1st Monday in
February, May August and Novem-
ber, for Civil, Probate, and Crimi-
nal business.

The Fort Worth Driving Park
gave a week pace at Fort Worth, be-
ginning on the 20th of November
1883. They give \$9000, in purses
and the principal trotters, runners
and pacers in the country have
entered in said races. Sixty five
horses have entered in the trotting
races and about that number of run-
ners. They also have a ten mile
race between Miss Peck and Madam
Marquette the greatest equestrienne
of the age, for a purse of a \$1000.
You will never have such an op-
portunity to see fine horses and
line racing.

Marriage License.
B. G. Burns and E. B. Wood.
J. B. Townsend and N. J. Estes.
C. M. Whipp and Ollie A. Hughes.
(Colored) Alex Johnson and Ellen
Goodwin.

**Real Estate Transfers Recorded in
the Clerk's Office.**
Henderson County to James M.
Cox, Henderson Co, School Land,
96 acres consideration \$192.
W. A. Choice to Warren and Elam
Enoch Cheeney sur, 80 acres con,
\$350.
R. K. Stewart to A. J. Abernathie
R. K. Stewart sur, 1 acres con, \$20.
W. A. Davenport to J. M. Hughes
W. A. Davenport pre-emption 160
acres con, \$360.
J. C. Lindsey to D. L. Stephens
J. W. Buckner sur, 2 acres con, \$100

List of Letters
Remaining unclaimed for in the post
office at Jackboro, County of
Jack, State of Texas, for the month
ending October 31, 1883.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.
B. Black J. N. McElhannon W. M.
Bucey W. G. Myatt J. A. J.
Brin Chas. H. O.
Barker Sterling 2 Owens W. J.
Cates N. Robinson Jack
Chama Mance Rhoads Lee
D. Rogers J. T.
Dove Andrew Rogers J. E.
Deveses A. L. 2 Roy Ed
Egans Joseph Ritehey C. W.
Green H. C. 2 Shoemaker & Sons
Gambell J. H. Sullivan P. P.
Hillard Mr. Stendham W. A.
High W. A. Slover W. A.
Howard Saml. T.
Harris John W. 2 Thomas J. W.
J. Willis H. B.
Jones M. J. Mrs. Webster Henry.

LADIES' LIST.
Cadenhead Katie
Ducrose Mrs. C. A.
Pickett Mrs. W. F.
Robnett Mrs. Jane
Stephens Mrs. Martha
Squires Miss Rhoda.

These letters will be sent to the
Dead Letter Office December 1,
1883 if not delivered before. In
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