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Prohibition and Demoeracy.
The tollowing letter explains itselt Waco Tex., Feb. 18-Hon. James J. VincintMeridian Tex.: My dear Sir: inst., asking my opinion as to what ought to be done by the Democratic party in Texas in the
hibition, and hasten uer result of the election last sumthemost sanguine that the principle o protibition was hartily detested by
the people of Texas, and could fini the people of Texas, and could fin government; and with average peo
p'e such result would have been

## Iy threatenerl our institutions summer is sill abroad in the Ia and aggressive and defiant as ov

 It is true we hear nothing now ofinteution to agitate for another el coming quite fashionable, especially with prohibitionists who want office to insist that prohibition is a dead is. ocratic circles; but all the while the are crying peace they are secretly work laying plans for the future suing for power and vengeance. My Luformation frow those who ought t
know leads me to believe that thei purpose is to capture and dominate
our party organization dictate its pol icy, nominate and olect its represen Legislature, and thus place themselve in position to accomplish indirectly signally lost in their direct appea to the people last year, Had I no di
rect information upon the subje.ct the conduct of their cunvass last year leaders and organs then and since would force me to the same concluThe determination of the issue sub ple by the Legisla- tion has been finally settled and rimony or threatened in"any manner some shape or other? If we to the good fellowship of the party. It believe the professions of some who our form of government and every Tex the question agitated, all is wish an had not only a right to determine within the party, and yet the rattle his own course but a high duty which was acting as a sovereign. Yet th furnish a parellel to the methods em ployed by the partisans of this tem of moral terroism was inaugura ted before the campatgn fairly open by clerical threats. The weak were intimidated, the strong cajoled, the of this government depended upon pios exhorted, the wicked flattered of their adoption. Cranfill's principles Was denounced as the associate of vag
abonds and a sympathizer with vice and immorrality. Democrats who
had wandered off from the party had wandered off from the party
teachings and joined in this hideous
collsade, taunted other Democrats wher remained faithful to the princi-
ples and traditions of the party as
renegades and disorganizers, the foes of society and of good morals and
government. Such utterances and
abuse jnaturalyl provoked resentment and retallation in our ranks and the
election left us with divided Demo-
cratio in the party presaging nothing but presult on the part of the prohbbition ists would have tended very greatly rassed condition, and to ally all hos. tulity on the part of those who gath
ered victory; but it seemed reasonable concession was not down speakers liad declared throughout the canvass that prohibition was here to
siay, and we often
$\qquad$ heard announced
ic party had to be Washed their These utterances

and they had regain
at were possible. This committee met in secret consul.
tation in this city only a few :lays af-
ter the election; and resolved to keep up their organization. Why this a dead issue, I am at a loss to was disbanded promptly the day af ter the election, because the purpose plishod. The prohbibition committee is not only continued in existence,
having on its rolls many members claiming to be Democrats, but mouth after the election, as I observed in the
public prints, this committee was at work commissioning persons to trav pel temperance," whatever that and commending them to the faith tul as devoted friends of prohibition.
Therr newspaper organs continued mark for destruction every prombany of them in every is sue teemed personal abuse of their oppn with unabated fury. Why all hould the war continue if the ques -

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 the measure, his motives were assall.
ed, his integrity questioned; and he lory carr ied to its legitimate concluther agitation and peace and quie come, through Democratic supremac embodying condemnation of all lawe or incerfere ith individual liberty I induige no apprehension as to the
result of such an appeal, but my advice would be the same if defeat was inevitable. The gravity of the quesconsideration cither for our friends or ourselves, and we would prore rec
ant to duty if we failed to put for every exertion for the due preserv
tion of true Democratie principl

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- Wistrict court convens Monday. -Mi. J. L. Cunuingham returne oon a trip to Dallas Wednesday. -Mr.P. P. Polk we regret to note is confined to his bed quire sick. -Mr. Grant of the Johnson mine pleasant call saturday. --Mr. E. C. Lewis, the wholesoul constable of Mineral Wells, was on our treets one day the week
ards by calling at the Count Judge's office
-Mr. J. H. McMillon, teacher nf the Pleasant Hill school made us pleasant call this morning.
-Judge Hendry and Mr, M. Lynn returued fro

| Redus hotel last Monday, in which Mr. T. C. Palmer and Miss Eliza Hu ter, Mr. John Harris and Miss Hal Hunter, was the contracting parti Eider W. E. Neubrough officiating -The A bernathy hotel is the "chie when it comes to wholesome food an kind rearment. The Star out sampled the fair at this hotel a da or so ago, and voted the premium Mrs, Abernathy in the culinary art. <br> -Capt. J. A. Knight called 'roun tQ see how we was getting alon this mornlug, and knocked over o temporary table, breaking our o horse lamp chimney and spilling our mik, Call again uncle John. <br> - We have had our hands full th week. It is no little job to set up delinquent tax list and set the mat ter necessary to change from a paten to a home print in one week, wit the small force in our office. Th we did this week, which is our excu for being late. <br> Coalville smoke. <br> Coalville Tex., F'eb. 28, 1888. <br> Ed. Star: <br> Theugh our coal is here yet, mo of the ville is gone. The people who are here now will leave when scho shall have ended. The average terdance at sohool is about 60, 1 |
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ED. Sorde
As I have been a friend and a con stant sabscriber to tho Star during my residence in Palo Pinto county,
I feel at liberty to comment upon an article communicated to your paper in which I was personated as a loafer Ihave direct reference to an article by Ike in your paper of the 25 th
inst., in which he says that Col. Rice Jasper Oden and Bud Good win wer on the streets ayain. Now, do not
understand me as denying that I wa understand me as denying that I w and have been with a slight exceptio for seven or eight years. But Ike's intentions was not to place me in a
favorable attitude before the people, he had rather die than do so. Then Why this mention of my name,
could to be possible that Ike is smartcould it be possible that Ike is smarting under defeat, if 80 , 1 rather cumstances. In personating me and giving vent to his feelings of hatred, this would bo county Judge, this Wouid be dictator to the tarmers
alliance, this would be lawyer, aud would be farmer this would be schoolteacher and would be something else at the coming election, sees fit from back, and then titter and laugh like some idrot or hyena, that had done something that considered smart.
If I had no ots way of wounding
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ring on your immigrants Jas. B. Speer migrants. from Blocton Ala.
The chlldren of the school and some of the youth shook the light fantistid toe, at the house of Mr O. H. Lipps and P. H. O'Conor, in the employment of some one prospect ing for coal have been sinking shaft a few miles trom here. Mr. Ed., we too have ron
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$\qquad$ ural gas. Puobably friend Son the Star can now induce the me chants of that "burg" to advertise
that is it there are any merchants in that town, which we ralher doub from scanning the columns of the Star.-Baird Star. We admit Bro. Gilliland, that there are no merchants represented in our paper, but there is no doub about there being merchants in ou lown. There are two dry good sand two grocery stores, one drug store and another suon to be opened, a liv ery stable, blacksmith shop and three tin good hotel. But it seems that they
have (with one exception) no use for the advertising columns of a new paper.

Notice.
I take this method of informing th traveling public that I will run hack daily to and from Gordon during D is trict court. Good teams

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on the first Monday in March on the first Monday in March, to consider matters of importance to thei
interests, among which is the ques tion of representation in the convenwest snon tock convene at Denve Colorado. It is earnestly desire that every man who is interested in
cattle raising, will be present at the time and participale in the conven G. W. Mc Donald J. S. Straughan $\begin{array}{ll}\text { George Simpson James Owen } \\ \text { A. B. Hitt } & \text { J. A. Knight } \\ \text { J. B. Hart } & \text { Jack Hin }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { J. B. Hart } & \text { Jack Hituson } \\ \text { W. K. Bell } & \text { T. C. Hindman } \\ \text { G. D. Oaks } & \text { Thom }\end{array}$ J. L. CunninghamD. I. Cunninghan

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