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THE POSTMASTER.— Mr. W. J. Bryan, our new postmaster, is daily adding to the number of his already numerous friends. He is polite and attentive to his duties and has a polite corps of assistants Messrs. Frank John... and Beauregard Bryan. It is ... there is occasional com... about the postoffice, but ... such a position it is an utter impossibility to please everybody. The BANNER believes that it reflects public opinion when it says that the presen... management of the postoffice gives general satisfaction.

Small Fire.

At 12:02 p. m. yesterday the alarm of fire was given; flames were issuing from the old frame storehouse in the rear of Jno. S. Norton's brick store on Ant street. The fire department responded promptly, but as the building was quite dry and old the fire made considerable headway before the steamer got to work. The surrounding buildings were saved without material damage. The old store, and a frame stable on the corner of Ant and Vulcan streets belonging to Mr. Thomas Dwyer were completely destroyed. Mr. Norton had a few barrels of lime and a lot of old plunder in the frame store. The entire loss is about $300; there was no insurance. Mr. Norton's little boy, Sam, aged five years, was playing with matches and set fire to some old paper or straw in the house, and as soon as he discovered what he had done he ran into the street shouting fire! fire! as loud as his little lungs would let him. The old store house belonged to Mr. Norton.

COCOONS.—Mr. C. F. Herbst, of Mulberry place, near this city, on Monday exhibited at the BANNER office specimens of cocoons of this spring's raising. He has too varieties, one of the Chinese worms obtained by him from Washington this sea... ...on, and the other acclimated worms from eggs of last season. There is a marked difference in ...ies; the acclimated ...being nearly ...

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...OSE.—A petition ...ed among the bus... ...nses, on Monday, and ...by every firm to whom ...s presented except three ...ns, agreeing to close up ...m 7 A. M. till 2 P. M. on Fri... ...y next, the first day of the May Fest, in order to allow their employes to participate in the parade and opening exercises. The unanimity with which the petition was signed may be taken as an earnest of the interest taken in the coming fest.

RESIGNED.— W. A. Schropshire, colored, county commissioner for the Washington precinct has resigned and moved to Fayette county. On Thursday county judge McAdoo appointed W. H. Blount, colored, of the same precinct as commissioner in place of Schropshire, at his earnest solicitation. Blount is a representative colored man and has the respect of the citizens, both white and colored, of his section of the county.

A BLIND man was in town Saturday selling tooth-ache ...thing of that drops or some... ...e con... kind. He had a thro... structed of dry goods boxes and endeavored to draw a crowd by singing comic songs and telling anecdotes. As he could't see a steamboat ten feet off he was unable to know whether he had a big crowd or a little one; crowd was generally small and he scooped up but few quarters.

ACCIDENT.—Sunday, Arthur Crozier, brakeman at the Santa Fe yards, met with a serious accident while coupling cars. His hand was caught between the bumpers and the little finger of his right hand was so badly mashed as to require amputation. Drs. Lockett and Williamson performed the operation.

HORSE trading is a regular Saturday amusement among a number of our colored men. One, known ... Jim, is the tycoon of ... trading guild. B... trades from fo... every Saturd... d judge of hon... strictly honest...

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...BRE... ...NHAM needs an ice factory. Last ta... ...e prospectal parties were he... ...hing ing with a view to establi... one, no definite action was taken that we know off. If ice was sold here at anything like a reasonable price a large number of families would use it that now manage to do without. Hempstead, Chappell Hill, Burton, Ledbetter and Giddings on the Western Branch of the Central, and Wallis, Sealy, Bellville, Kinney, Krohne, Caldwell and Milano Junction on the Santa Fe would also get their ice from here.

FENCE ACCIDENT.— Sunday morning before daylight as Mr. August Schweiss was coming to town on horseback he rode against a barbed-wire fence, a short distance below town, injuring his leg and wounding his horse quite severely. There was no plank on the wire fence and in the dark it could not be seen. Under the fence law the owners of barbed-wire fences are required to have at least one fencing plank on them, and a failure to do so renders the owner liable for all damages incurred by such neglect.

WALKING MATCH.—Preliminary arrangements were made ...d forfeits put up Thursday, ...g match between ... and ...

Picnics.

On account of the threatning weather the Christian Sunday school had their picnic last Saturday in the grove at their church in the city, there was a good "turnout" considering the weather. Their table was literally loaded with good things. The children, both young and old, seemed to enjoy themselves finely. Good coffee, ice lemonade; swinging and singing, entered largely into the make up, and were indulged in according to taste.

Late in the afternoon all returned to their houses with the happy faces of each other reflecting upon their memories never to be obliterate.

The Baptist Sunday sch... had their picnic on S... at Watson's grove, b... count of the threatn... of the weather in th... the attendance was ... as it otherwise ... been. As usual th... abundance of edib... onade and all had ...

The Baptist col... school, of Campto... picnic in the g... branch a little bel... and previous to ... picnic grounds ... parade in the c... May Queen, Mi... num, daughter ... Bynum, colore... wagon or flo... her maids ... processio... highly ... The co... there ... exc...

...have ... Pleasant Hill ... poned for a mo... nouncement of i... ...e.

SOME weeks ago ... came here from Ledbetter bringing a horse for sale; a young man of this city introduced the man to Maj. McDonald, city auctioneer, acting street commissioner, etc., etc. The major feeling satisfied that the man was O. K. sold his horse at private sale to Col. Sam Stone for $65. Nothing more was thought of the matter until last Saturday when several men arrived from Williamson county in search of stolen horses. They proved to the satisfaction of Col. Stone that the horse he had bought was theirs and he let them have him. We were unable to learn who the man was who brought the horse here or where he got him.

CONVICT SHOT.— Friday afternoon when the convict cars were crossing Little Sandy at a high rate of speed one of the convicts tumbled off backwards with the intention of escaping before the train could be stopped. The guards fired eight shots at him, only one taking effect and wounding him in the hip, this shot prevented his escape; he was placed in care of a surgeon.

The May Fest.

At a meeting held Wednesday night it was determined by the committee that the festivities be opened on the morning of the 13th inst., by firing a salute of thirteen guns, Capt. Schuerenberg being appointed a committee of one to attend to the guns.

The May Queen and maids of honor will be provided with open carriages, instead of in decorated wagons as heretofore. Six mounted escorts, consisting of two members from each of the fire companies and two of the Bren... ...reys; said escort will ... by the chair... me... Fest committ...

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...ockett, Mrs. Julia ... Mrs. Louise Wilkins ...nted a committee on ...s for girls.

...ollars was appropriat... ...the purpose of purchas... ...prizes for childrens games. ...e Queen's reception and cor... ...tion will take place as soon ...the procession reaches the ...ounds, which will be about 11 ...clock and, and after which an ...ration will be delivered by ...Hon. Harry Haynes.

Mr. S. M. Portis was appointed as chief gate keeper at $3 per day with two assistants at $2 per day each.

Messrs. J. F. Parks and L. J. Lockett were appointed a committee to procure transportation for the queen and attendents.

The chairman was authorized to appoint ten floor managers and four door keepers for the dancing platform.

Capt. Schuerenburg was appointed assistant marshal with power to appoint two aids.

Editors and ministers will be provided with complimentary tickets.

Members of the different companies will assemble at their respective headquarters at 8 a. m. on the 13th. Procession to move at 9.

Independence Locals.

May 10th, 1881.

Editors Banner:

The good citizens of Independence have at last done an act of juctice that has long been delayed—they have put a neat iron railing around the grave of the late Judge Baylor, founder of the university at this place bearing his name. It cost about $80.

The rock hauled for the unfinished college building is sand stone and is somewhat damaged by exposure to the weather.

Mr. W. L. Williams has about finished the improvements on his dwelling.

Rain and grass are plenty.

Your correspondent had the pleasure of being present today at the marriage of John A. Shepard and Miss Alice Thornhill. The wedding took place at 2:30 p. m. Rev. L. P. Rucker, of your city, officiating. The church was crowded with spectators.

Capt. J. M. Williams' fine horse ran away yesterday and hurt itself on a barbed wire fence. S. N. J.

Real Estate Transfers,

Recorded by H. M. Lewis county clerk, for the week ending May 11th:

...s Baker et al to Jacob Neu, Bou...	$ 475
lot in Brenha... Jacob Neu, lot in James Smith to ...	50
Brenham ... ...argh,	
M J Jacob to A J Bloom, 300 acres Newman lge, 40 acres Walker lge, and 2 lots in Brenham.	6700
B A Randle to I G Randle, 2 lots in Brenham and 5 tracts of land in Burleson county	11000
C C Hemming to J M Key, lots in Brenham	5000
C C Hemming to A E Lipscomb, 102 acres, S Clampit survey	125
D C Giddings et al to M A Healy, 3 lots in Brenham	1800
R Walker to John Walker, 2½ acres, James Walker lge	25
M E Mundine et al to Nancy Watkins, lot in Brenham	100

Scratch no More—Itching Piles.

Is one of the most annoying diseases in the world, and yet all can find sure relief by the use of Dr. Swayne's Ointment. It has been tested in thousands of instances and invariably makes a sure cure. The symptoms are moisture like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. Reader, if you are suffering from this distressing complaint, tetter, itch, scald head, ringworm, barber's itch, any crusty, scaly, skin eruptions, use Dr. Swayne's Ointment and be cured. Sent by mail for 50 cents; three boxes $1.25. Address letters, Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia.

All Persons who Aspire to Beauty

Of personal appearance should not neglect that natural necessity, the hair By many it has been neglected until it has grown thin, gray, or entirely fallen off. The London Hair Color Restorer restores Nature's losses and imparts a healthy, natural color, thickens thin hair, cures dandruff and all itchy eruptions on the scalp, insuring a luxuriant growth of hair, in its natural color. Ask your druggist for London Hair Restorer, universally used by ...ashionable world both at home ...and Price 75 cents. Six bott...

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BY TELEGRAPH.

Houston Volksfest and Press Convention.

(Special to the Banner.)

HOUSTON, May 11.—The Volksfest opened to-day with a splendid parade. The members of the State Press convention participated, being provided with carriages. Houston is crowded with strangers from all parts of the state.

Mr. E. L. Dennis delivered the address of welcome to the editors on the part of the Cotton Exchange and Board of Trade at 10 A. M. Col. J. W. Fishburn, editor of the Mexican Ledger and president of Press association, made a fitting response.

Press association met at 3 P. M. and appointed committee on credentials after which it adjourned to meet at 7:30 P. M. Much interest is manifested for the success of the association.

At the fest Judge Gustave Cook delivered the English oration and Col. Schutze, Esqr. of Brenham, delivered the German oration, both orations were fine and well received. Pigeon shooting and prize drilling took place in the afternoon; fire works at night.

The gentlemen of the press meet with unbounded hospitality. Geo. H. Sweet, of the Galvestonian Journal of Commerce, delivers the oration to the press association and Miss Florence Gerald, of Waco, delivers the poem on Thursdoy morning at 10 o'clock.

Commissioners Court.

At a regular term of this court begun on the 9th day of May, Thomas Phears presiding, the following preceedings were had:

Ordered that the overseer of road precinct No 31 be authorized to buy 600 feet of lumber and 20 pounds of nails.

Resignation of John Carlisle as justice of the peace for precinct No. 2 was accepted.

H M. Lewis allowed $1.25 for express charges.

E. Reicharett allowed $11 for furniture for poor farm.

Alf D. Gee allowed $22,50 for boarding and guarding prisoners, also $3,25 for same.

John Carlisle allowed $15 for holding inquest on bodies of Henry Cambric, Shed Hazley and Joe Montgomery.

Holmes Montgomery allowed $10 for burying Joe Montgomery.

Alf. D. Gee allowed $57,50 for summoning witnesses for grand jury. Nathan Felder allowed $6 for same services.

R. S. Neblett allowed $25 for summoning witnesses for grand jury.

Geo. D. Barnard & Co. allowed $8,25 for record for drummers license.

Adran Testard allowed $94 for 47 days attendance at March term district court as bailiff.

H. W. Harry & Bro. allowed $14,20 for stove for county judge's office,

Sam Stone allowed $10 for 5 days use of opera house.

F. H. Walker allowed $20 for summoning witnesses for grand jury.

Geo. Emerson allowed $2.50 for carrying pauper to poor farm.

C. Minkwitz allowed $8 for cash paid for blanks.

I. N. Mayfield allowed $8 for trees furnished road overseer.

H. H. Knoxson allowed $16 for feeding and guarding prisoners.

B. S. Rogers was appointed justice of the peace for precinct No. 2 to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John Carlisle.

Petition of J. L. Moore, district clerk, asking that his salary be increased from $300 to $900 for ex-officio services for which there is no fees allowed by law was rejected, it appearing to the court that the condition of the county finances is not as to render it expedient to grant the request. Ordered that his salary remain as heretofore, viz: $25 per month.

Corpus Christi.

From.

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 5.

Editors Banner:

As a few items from the southwest may prove of interest to your readers I will give them briefly. This town is situated on Corpus Christi bay and presents quite a picturesque appearance. With the sky so blue and the air so balmy I can't see why people ever die here, and if there was the same enterprise here the Galvestonians possess she would divide the commerce with her sisters of the gulf. At present but two Morgan steamers come here,

Gov. Hunt's road from here to San Diego is splendidly constructed and is being pushed rapidly to Laredo.

Corpus has five handsome churches, two of the pulpits are filled by former residents of Washington county, Rev. Dr. Clarke, formerly president of Baylor female college, and Dr. Carroll; both are doing fine work.

Society here is all that could be desired and permit me to say that for modesty, beauty and refinement the ladies are equal to any in the world.

There is no farming of any consequence in this vicinity—wool and hides are to commerce what cotton is in your section of the state.

Land that is not under fence is very cheap here. A company of U. S. artillery that has been stationed here for some time left this morning for the Rio Grande. A. G. C.

MARKET REPORT.

BANNER OFFICE, May 11, 1881.

COTTON	
Good Middling	10⅞
Middling	9½
Low Middling	8¾
Good Ordinary	8
Ordinary	9¾
HIDES.	
Dry Flint	10@12
Kips	12@12½
Damaged	half price.
Butcher's Green	4@5
Wool	@
COUNTRY PRODUCE.	
Butter	20
Eggs	10
Corn	25@35
Sweet potatoes per bu	
Chickens, per doz	$2.50 $3
Turkeys, each	50
ESCULENTS.	
Potatoes, northern,	—
Onions, " "	—
GROCERIES. AT WHOLESALE.	
Bacon, clear sides	10½
" breakfast	12½@
Hams, choice	12½
Lard	@12½
Coffee, per sack	14 @16½
Sugar, pure white, per lb	9 @10½
" prime	8½
" choice	9 @
Rice, choice	7½@
Dried apples	9 @
Molasses, choice	55 @65
" Molasses, home	@
Syrup Golden	75 @
Cornmeal, per bu	65 @
Flour, fancy, per 100 lb	@4 50
" choice	3 50@
" XXX	2 75@3 00
Salt, coarse, per sack	@1 50
" fine	@2
BAGGING AND TIES.	
Bagging	—
Ties, all kind, per bdl	—
LUMBER.	
Rough lumber, all kinds, per M	$20 00
Texas lumber	170 0

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

This is beyand question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cures the worst cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without a parallel in the history of medicine. Since it's first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10 cents, 50 cents and $1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porus Plaster. Price, 25 cents. Sold by Jos. Tristram, druggist, Brenham, Texas.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, constipation, Dizziness, Loss of appetite, coming up of the food, yellow skin, when for 75 cents, we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Jos. Tristram, druggist.

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy—A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diptheria, Canker mouth and Head Ache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by Jos. Tristram, druggist, Brenham.

Advertising Cheats.

It has become so common to write the beginning of an elegant, interesting article and then run it into some advertisement that we avoid all such cheats and simply call attention to the merits of Hop Bitters. in as plain, honest terms as possible to induce people to give them one, as no one who knows their value will ever use anything else.

AN INTERESTING LETTER.

It rings of a grateful heart and gives honor where honor is due.

Mr. S. W. Capps, of Scottville, Macoupin county, Ill., writes under date of Aug. 20, 1880, to Dr. Swayne & Son: "I sent to you for three boxes 'All Healing Ointment, having had the itching piles for about 23 years, and have been treated for them by eleven different doctors, and have paid out at least five hundred dollars—yes, I would be safe in saying one thousand dollars—but never was cured of that itching which annoyed me almost to death. When I became warm, particularly at night, the itching would begin, and the only relief was to bathe in cold water, sometimes as often as six or seven times in one night. I concluded to try your Ointment and the result is a perfect cure, and I will say that it is the best Ointment in the world, and will recommend it to one and all as such. Swayne's Ointment is sold by all the best druggist.

A great writer has said that "Stubborn Audacity is the last refuge of Guilt," which truth finds forcible illustration in the practical fabrications which from time to time are gotten up to sell on the name and reputation of Simmons Liver Regulator. A majority of these parasites have died a natural death, while in four instances perpetual injunctions have been issued by the courts for the protection of the public and the suppression of these frauds. But the fear of exposure and punishment does not prevent the crimes of counterfeiting. When one subterfuge is exposed and prohibited a new fraudulent device is invented. Therefore beware of these deceptions, and take only Simmons Liver Regulator, manufactured by J. H. Zeilin & Co., in the White Label with the large red Z and Mortar on the Wrapper. Consumers who value their health and lives cannot exercise too much vigilance and caution when buying to see that they get the genuine.

It is Found at Last.

Something new under the Sun.—A new era is dawning upon woman. Hitherto she has been called upon to suffer the ills of mankind and her own besides. The frequent and distressing irregularities peculiar to her sex has long been to her the "fireful spring of woes unnumbered." In the mansion of the rich and hovel of poverty alike woman has been the constant yet patient victim of a thousand ills unknown to man—and without a remedy. "Oh Lord, how long!" in the agony of her soul, hath she cried. But now the hour of her redemption is come. She will suffer no more. for Bradfield's Female Regulator. "Woman's Best Friend" is sold by all druggists.

Dr. J. Bradfield, Proprietor, Atlanta, Ga. Price, $1.50 per bottle. Sold by all Druggists, and also by R. E. LUHN and FINKLEA & RALSTON, Brenham; Tompson, Schott & Co., Galveston and Dallas, and all leading dealers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

Rev. Sylvanus Cobb ... thus writes in the Boston Christian Freeman:—"We would by no means recommend any kind of medicine which we did not know to be good—particularly for infants. But of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup we can speak from knowledge; in our own family it has proved a blessing indeed, by giving an infant troubled with colic pains, quiet sleep, and the parents unbroken rest at night. Most parents can appreciate these blessings. Here is an article which works to perfection, and which is harmless; for the sleep which it affords the infant is perfectly natural, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." And during the process of teething, its value is incalculable. We have frequently heard mothers say that they would not be without it from the birth of the child till it had finished with the teething siege, on any consideration whatever. Sold by all druggists. 25 cents a bottle.

HOODS BRIGADE.

The members of Hoods Brigade residing in Washington county are requested to meet in Brenham, at the office of H. S. Tarver & Bro. on the 14th day of May, at 9 o'clock a. m., to make arrangements for the entertainment of the Brigade which meets in Brenham in June next. Each member living in Washington county is earnestly urged to attend.

B. ELDRIDGE,
T. A. BABER,
H. S. TARVER.

The largest assortment of wall paper and straw matting in the city E. REICHARDT.

Don't doubt—S. S. S. cures all impurities—it matters not of how long standing.

A Losing Joke.

A prominent physician Pittsburg said jokingly to a lad... patient who was complaining her continued ill health and his inability to cure her, "t... Hop Bitters!" The lady to... it in earnest and used the B...ters, from which she obtain... permanent health. She n... laughs at the doctor for his jo... but he is not so well pleas... with it, as it cost him a go... patient.

THE DOCTORS DISAGREE

as to the best methods and remedies... the cure of constipation and disordere... er and kidneys. But those that hav... Kidney-Wort, agree that it is by far t... medicine known. Its action is promp... ough and lasting. Don't take pil... other mercurials that poison the sy... but by using Kidney-Wort restore the... ual action of all the organs.—New Co... vant.

Lovers of the Beautiful

Should call at once on Mrs. M. A. Jameson, at the old Schwarz stand and examine one of the prettiest, most fashionable and cheapest stocks of millinery goods in the state. Our stock this season has been purchased at the lowest cash figures, and so carefully selected, as to allow us to say we can suit the taste of the most fastidious, and at such prices as to defy competition. Call and see for yourself.

LIQUID OR DRY.

Some people prefer to purchase medicines in the dry state so that they can see for themselves that they are purely vegetable. Others have not the time or desire to prepare the medicine, and wish it already to use.

To accommodate each class the proprietors of Kidney-Wort now offer that well-known remedy in both Liquid and dry forms.

Sold by druggists everywhere.—Truth.

CHAS FELTON, late of Houston, Texas: pianos and organs skillfully tuned and repaired; 19 years practical experience; orders left at J. McFarlands book store or through post office; references, Dr. G. H. Beaumont, Mrs. Mattie Pressley.

If you need furniture of any description, call at

E. REICHARDT.

MISS CORA HELLENSWORTH begs leave to inform the ladies of Brenham and vicinity that she has just received her spring stock of millinary goods, comprising all the latest novelties. She respectfully solicits the ladies to call and examine her goods and prices. Mrs. R. A. Testard will be found in charge of my rooms over Couch's store. Opening day will be announced soon.

Merchant Tailor.

J. L. Ammons has removed to the store next door to Newbouer Bros. where he has the largest and finest assortment of foreign and domestic piece goods ever brought to Brenham. Suits made to order at short notice.

THE POPULAR DEMAND.

So great has been the popular demand for the celebrated remedy, Kidney-Wort, that its having an immense sale from Maine to California. Some have found it inconvenient to prepare it from the dry compound. For such the proprietors now prepare it in liquid form. This can be procured at the druggists. It has precisely the same effect as the dry, but is very concentrated so that the dose is much smaller.—Lowell Mail.

"I'M ALL PLAYED OUT,"

is a common complaint. If you feel so, get a package of Kidney Wort and take it and you will at once feel its tonic power. It renews the healthy action of the kidneys, bowels and liver, and thus restores the natural life and strength to the weary body. It can now be had in either dry or liquid form and in either way is always prompt and efficient in action.—New Bedford Standard.

Removal.

A. N. Calloway has removed to the Dwyer building, corner of Main and St. Charles streets, where he has fitted up a new and splendid gallery and is now prepared to take pictures in the highest style of the art.

J. D. Carr,

— Dealer in —

STAPLE AND FANCY

GROCERIES,

First door west of Opera House.

Having purchased the stock of Groceries recently held by Geo. A. Giddings, I desire to say to his patrons that I expect to continue the business at his old stand, where I will be pleased to see them. Satisfaction guaranteed as to price and quality of goods.

☞ Goods delivered free of drayage within city limits.

Notice to Stockholders.

You are requested to attend the Annual Stockholders meeting of the Brenham Compress company, to be held at their office at the Brenham Compress, on the first Monday in June, 1881. A full attendance is solicited as business of importance will be brought before the meeting. Also an election of directors for the ensuing year will be held.

The meeting will be called to order at 2 o'clock, p. m. By order

E. REICHARDT President.
FRANK H. TAMPLET, Secretary.

Dog Lost.

Stolen or wandered away, on the 4th of April, a large handsome and very attractive Blue Belton Setter dog.

Color:—Liver and liver ticked or blue; will answer to the name of "Maydor." Had on a common leather collar, with bright buckle on it, and a D ring stitched on outside. I will be exceedingly thankful and will reward liberally any person informing me by mail or otherwise, of his whereabouts.

HARRY HAYNES,
Independence, Texas

Citation.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Washington county, Greeting:

Whereas oath has this day been made before me by N. J. Thompson that Anthony White and Amanda White are absent from this state, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them, you are hereby commanded, that you by making publication of this writ in some news paper printed in Washington county for three successive weeks before the return day hereof, summon the said Anthony White and Amanda White to be and appear before me at my office in the town of Washington, in the county of Washington, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1881, to answer the complaint of the said N. J. Thompson, for the sum of fifty-one dollars founded on an open account for burial expenses and medical services rendered by the said N. J. Thompson to the said Anthony White Amanda White during the years A. D. 1879 and 1880, due and payable in the years 1880 and 1881.

Herein fail not and of this writ make due return as the law directs. Given under my hand this the 19th day of April, A.D. 1881.

GEO. W. BROOKS, J.P.W.C.

A FINE assortment of VISITING CARDS, just received. Send in your orders to the BANNER office. Satisfaction guaranteed

DRESS GOODS.

200 pcs mxd patterns lawns 8c
50 " lace buntings, 12 1-2c
100 " linen lawns, 12 1-2c
150 " deberge dress goods 10c
50 " entirely new Seersuckers damassie, 25c
150 " wash poplins, 10c

D. W. Bloombargh & Co.

SILKS! SILKS!!

50 cents! 50 cents! 50 cents!

D. W. Bloombargh & Co.

DRESS GOODS!

We have received a full line of latest styles and designs in Silks, Satins, Buntings, Grenadines, Dress Linens, &c. Samples sent free. No trouble to show and price goods.

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White Goods Department.

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RACING ON THE SECOND DAY!

A GRAND BALL WILL BE GIVEN ON THE

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ALL ARE INVITED.

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