

FOSTER.

Special Correspondence.
 Foster, I. T., Aug. 11.—The weather is cool and pleasant. Indications of rain to follow. We have had no rain in this community yet, though good rains have visited neighboring communities.
 Cotton has begun to open and picking will soon be in full progress. It is thought the yield will be fairly good.
 Stock water is getting scarce. Stock are not doing well on account of grass and water, both being scarce.
 S. O. Eggleston sold a bunch of beef last week. He drove to Paula Valley with the intention of shipping but sold before he loaded.
 Jim Walker and family and Mrs. Hanna Allen of Wise county, Texas, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Sunday.
 Dr. Eads has been on the sick list for several days, but we are glad to say is able to be up again.
 Tom Howerton of Dixie, I. T., was here this week prospecting. He will probably move to this place in the near future.
 Miss Daisy Neal of Marietta, who has been the guest of Misses Carrie and Ruby Alexander for some time, returned to her home last Saturday.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of P. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state of aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.
 (Seal.) **A. W. OLEASON,**
 Notary Public.
 Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Family Pills are the best. Send for testimonials, free.
P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
 Sold by all druggists, 75c.

DIXIE.

Special Correspondence.
 Dixie, I. T., Aug. 11.—Almost everyone is idle, although it will be only a short time till cotton picking will be on hand. Farmers report it opening very rapidly.
 Mr. Taylor and family, Mr. Hallabaugh and family and the family of Dr. Benson went to Texas last week.
 Mr. Overstreet and Mr. McVain went to the new country last week to find a more desirable country in which to live.
 Henry Means and Newt Orr are visiting in this community from near Cornish.
 Mr. Robberson has been renovating his store preparatory to receiving his fall and winter dry goods.
 Mr. Moore returned from Cumberland Saturday.
 Rev. Cook and wife of Oklahoma are conducting revival services under a tabernacle this week here.
 Tom Harris has returned from a visit to Oklahoma.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Odell, a girl. Mother and babe doing well.
 Health of community is good except Mr. Keeler, who is still reported as being sick.

Consumption Threatened.

"I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption," says C. Unger, 211 Maple street, Champaign, Ill. "I tried a great many remedies and I was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since. For sale by Bonner & Bonner."

ROBBERSON.

Special Correspondence.
 Robberson, I. T., Aug. 11.—We had a nice shower last Wednesday and it is raining now. Cotton is in fair condition.
 W. M. McCarty shipped a car of cattle to Kansas City the last of the week. Mr. McCarty went with with them and will visit his brother in Missouri before returning.
 Prof. J. C. Morgan has moved back to Elberson.
 Ben Woods and Mrs. Robberson are convalescing.
 Dr. Cunningham reports Mr. Weatherford as being pretty sick.
 S. J. W.ley, who went to Leavenworth with Marshal Colbert the first of the week, returned home Sunday, reporting an enjoyable trip.
 A revival conducted by Elder Nolan of Elmore is in progress.
 Jim Hart, who has been in Texas for some time, has come back to Robberson.
 Our ball nine played with Tussy at the latter place Saturday. Score, 12 to 7 in Robberson's favor.
This is an Advertisement.
 If you are looking for a laxative Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is IT. The convenience and merit of this valuable remedy will be explained to your satisfaction by W. B. Frame.

PROVENCE.

Special Correspondence.
 Provence, I. T., Aug. 11.—A nice shower fell Thursday which will be a great help to cotton. There is some complaint of boll worms through the section.
 Another new residence is being erected in Provence.
 Dewey, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Beckham, passed away Wednesday. The remains were interred in the Provence cemetery Thursday.
 The country roads leading to the place are being worked so that they may be in good condition for hauling cotton.
 Provence will have two good crops this fall and will be able to give the cotton brought in.
 Our merchants propose to buy their customers' cotton and pay the highest price for it.
 Rev. Ginn began a protracted meeting here Friday night.
 Messrs. Bud Howard and Homer Tullos, who have been visiting friends here for several days, left this morning for their home at Lone Grove.
 The ball game here Saturday between the home team and the Mansfield team resulted in a score of 1 to 1 in favor of the home team.

There is So Much News

that even if it comes by telegraph you overlook some of it. Isn't it a fact that you have seen Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin advertised several times and have neglected to try it? An ounce of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is as good as a three weeks' vacation. Ask any druggist or anyone who has taken it. Sold by W. B. Frame.

HEWITT.

Special Correspondence.
 Hewitt, I. T., Aug. 11.—Fred Gate, representing Tyler & Simpson of Ardmore, was here Wednesday.
 The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Todd died Thursday and was buried Friday.
 Zan Williams, representing the Pennington Grocery company, was here Friday.
 J. F. Sheppard and family left Friday for their home in East Texas.
 Mr. Hunter returned Friday after a few days' stay in Texas.
 We had a nice rain last Friday.
 Deputy McEmore was here on route to Cornish Monday.
 We learn that W. J. Greenwood's little child was buried at Boman Point Sunday.

Quick Relief for Asthma.

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure. For sale by Bonner & Bonner.
 When a man's wife goes to the mountains without him because he is too busy to leave the office and his office boy mails the wrong letter to her on the wrong day, it spoils his holiday at the sea shore.

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man. For sale by Bonner & Bonner."

A dog howled all night in front of a certain house in town recently, and the woman is so superstitious that she made her husband double his insurance next morning.

Have You Seen It?

We keep Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in plain view, but if you don't happen to see it, why ask for it. The manufacturers guarantee it to cure Dyspepsia and all forms of Stomach Troubles. Sold by W. B. Frame.

We always try to steer clear of those whose conversation is said to be "elevating."

Foley's Kidney Cure is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine.—For sale by Bonner & Bonner.
 Maybe the old way to keep a good cook would be to marry her, and maybe then she'd stop being a cook.

The President

of the American Federation of Labor, Union 8,215, says: "I am using your Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin myself and in my family, and find it does lots of good. Yours truly, Geo. Campbell, Clinton, Iowa." Sold by W. B. Frame.

For some people a new money-making scheme would be the old-fashioned way of earning it.

It Needs a Tonic.

There are times when your liver needs a tonic. Don't give purgatives that gripe and weaken. DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel all poison from the system and act as tonic to the liver. W. Scott, 531 Highland avenue, Milton, Pa., says: "I have carried DeWitt's Little Early Risers with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and easy to take. Purely vegetable. They never gripe or distress. City Drug Store.

\$142,500.00

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY IN JAN. 1903

TO SMOKERS OF THE

BEST AND LARGEST SELLING BRANDS OF CIGARS IN THE WORLD!



HOW MANY CIGARS will the United States collect Taxes on during the Month of December, 1902?

(Cigars bearing \$3.00 per thousand tax.)

\$142,500.00 will be given in January, 1903, to the persons whose estimates are nearest to the number of cigars on which \$3.00 tax per thousand is paid during the month of December, 1902, as shown by the total sales of stamps made by the United States Internal Revenue Department during December, 1902.

Distribution will be made as follows:

To the... (1) person estimating the closest	\$5,000.00	in cash
To the... 2 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00	"
To the... 5 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00	"
To the... 10 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00	"
To the... 20 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00	"
To the... 30 persons whose estimates are next closest	5,000.00	"
To the... 50 persons whose estimates are next closest	2,500.00	"
To the... 100 persons whose estimates are next closest	2,500.00	"
To the... 2,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	20,000.00	"
To the... 8,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	15,000.00	"
To the 35,213 persons whose estimates are next closest we will send to each one box of 50 "Cremo" Cigars (value \$2.50 per box)	75,000.00	
35,213 persons	\$142,500.00	

Every 100 bands from above named cigars will entitle you to four estimates.

(One "Florodora" band counting as two bands from the 5 cent cigars mentioned; and no less than 100 bands will be received at any one time for estimates.)

Information which may be of value in making estimates—the number of Cigars now bearing \$3.00 Tax per thousand, for which Stamps were purchased, appears below:

In December, 1900,	467,092,208 Cigars.	In March, 1902,	516,500,027 Cigars.
" December, 1901,	479,312,170 "	" April, 1902,	516,835,163 "
" January, 1902,	496,983,717 "	" May, 1902,	523,035,907 "
" February, 1902,	445,495,483 "		

In case of a tie in estimates, the amount offered will be divided equally among those entitled to it. Distribution of the awards will be made as soon after January 1st, 1903, as the figures are obtainable from the Internal Revenue Department of the United States for December. Write your full name and Post Office Address plainly on packages containing bands. The Postage, or Express charges on your package must be fully prepaid, in order for your estimate to participate.

All estimates under this offer must be forwarded before December 1st, 1902, to the . . . FLORODORA TAG COMPANY, Jersey City, N. J.

You do not lose the value of your bands. Receipts will be sent you for your bands, and these receipts will be just as good as the bands themselves in securing Presents. One band from "Florodora," or two bands from any of the other Cigars mentioned above, will count in securing Presents the same as one tag from "Star," "Horse Shoe," "Spear Head," "Standard Navy," "Old Peach and Honey," "J. T.," "Master Workman," "Piper Heidsieck," "Jolly Tar," "Boot Jack," "Old Honesty," "Razor," or "Planet" Tobacco; or one "Sweet Caporal" Cigarette Box Front.

Send each estimate on a separate piece of paper, with your name and address plainly written on each. Blank forms for estimates will be mailed upon application. Illustrated Catalogue of Presents for 1903 and 1904 will be ready for distribution about October 1st, 1902, and will be mailed on receipt of ten cents, or ten tobacco tags, or twenty cigar bands.