

Look What You can Get at O. J. Miller's Bargain Store,
 10 dozen eggs for \$1.
 20 pounds granulated sugar for \$1.
 Smoked dried beef at 11 cents.
 Dried salt shoulders at 7 cents.
 Breakfast bacon (sugar cured) at 11 cents.
 Spiced pigs' feet at 15 cents.
 Fresh fish at 10 cents a pound.
 California oranges at 20 cents a doz.
 Banannas at 15 cents a dozen, 717 Austin street.

C. F. SMITH,
Paints AND Oils,
Glass,
WALL PAPER
Decorations,
 404 Austin Street,

Hi There! Stop! Wait a Minute!
 Havent you forgot something. Didn't your pretty wife tell you to get "The Delineator" so she could make Daisy's new dress in style. Go to Herz Bros. and get it or there will be a row. Or maybe it was that box of cigars you were going to treat yourself with. Whatever it was Herz Bros. have got it in either reading or smoking. Give the boys a call for whatever you want at

Don't be Deceived.
 I am still holding down Standard Granulated Sugar 20 pounds for one dollar.
 Franco-American Food Co's French Soups, 3 pound cans, 30 cents each. Star Tobacco 40 cents per pound. Low prices on everything. Call and see **JOE S. THOMPSON,** The Grocer.

Tucker's "Almondine."
 Proof against cold winds and hot sunshine for the complexion. It has already become quite popular with the ladies, as also with gentlemen to use after shaving when troubled with roughness and breaking out. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Prepared only by the Lion Drug Store, by **W. L. TUCKER.**

\$2 warranted shoes at Hilt & Co., 414 Austin st.

Touching Pianos and Organs.
 I claim to be a cheap house, but unlike some of my competitors, I do sell goods that are not first-class. Still I have more first-class goods in my house than any house in Waco, and I do not have to wire anyone to know the lowest price. I can sell a piano like every other first-class house and keep all kinds, both cheap, medium and first-class. But unlike some other houses I do not sell a cheap instrument as first-class, because I am my own boss, and do not have to do as I am told about these things. Neither have I as delicate a musical ear as some, still I sell more pianos and organs, better ones and for less money than any house in Waco notwithstanding the fact that I am not the oldest house in the state and have sold sewing machines and do trade for mules, horses and cattle and take them at good prices and sell goods at cash prices and will meet any competitors. Come and see me.
 Yours truly,
J. B. PAYNE.

To Subscribers.
 I will commence collecting in the residence portion of the city tomorrow Saturday. Please leave 50c at the house.
 Respectfully,
S. J. QUAY, City Circular.

Special Notice.
 There will be no water in the pool at the natatorium on account of improvements to-day and to-morrow. Tub and all other private baths still open. Will be filled for baths on Wednesday.

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SLEEPER SHOES
WACO, TEXAS.



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G R I B B L E
 Are the popular grocers.
 Always new and fresh goods.
 Every delicacy of the season in season.
 All the fine A 1 goods.
 Best of everything, is their motto.
 Lowest possible prices.
 Polite attention and prompt delivery is their style.
Bros.
 417 Gribble Bros. Grocers, 505 Austin Avenue.

ALL OVER TOWN.

See ad of J. H. Shope, top of fifth page. If you miss Shope's ads and prices you may miss a big thing. He is a live grocer with fine goods, lowest prices and one of the nicest business men in town.

The Free South is the only negro Democratic newspaper in the world and J. T. Bailey, colored, the editor and proprietor, is in Waco in the interest of his paper. The paper is published in Fort Worth and Dallas, Texas and Shreveport, Louisiana.


There is a hole about six inches in diameter in South Forth street, opposite the Pacific hotel. It was left there so as to be able to get at a shut-off in the street water main and the cap has been torn away from it. Several horses have been badly hurt by it already.

The Blake Manufacturing Company which has been shut down for several months started to running to-day with a large force of hands. The number of employees will be increased as fast as the old ones come back and new one can be taught until the factory has a full complement.

About the wettest job in Waco today is the one Mr. Fowler the artesian well driller has on hand today. He is lowering the casing in the well for the Waco natatorium. As each successive section is put on the water is carried up fifteen or twenty feet and in falling delays the workmen.

Mr. W. B. Fakes has just returned from Mart and Battle Institute where he went to fill his appointments. He reports crops fine and farmers well up with their work. Politics quiet except as to the gubernatorial question. At Mart people are about equally divided between Hogg and Clark, while at Battle Institute Clark is almost solid. Mr. Fakes will address the people in other portions of the county at an early day.

DR. PRICE'S
Cream Baking Powder.
 Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard



THE SCOTCH-IRISH CONGRESS.

Which Meets in Atlanta April 28th, Will Eclipse All Former Gatherings of the Kind.

The fourth annual congress of the Scotch-Irish Society of America will convene in Atlanta on April 28th, and remain in session three days. The Atlanta Scotch-Irish Society is making great preparations for the event, and the indications are that the meeting will be the most interesting and the best attended in the history of the Society.

Five thousand engraved invitations have been printed from steel plates and mailed to prominent people on both sides of the Atlantic. Two thousand newspaper editors are among this number, and some of the most distinguished men in the United States have accepted invitations to address the congress.

The programme includes addresses by Colonel A. K. McClure, editor of the Philadelphia Times, Hon. James E. McKenzie, of Hopkinsville, Ky., one of the vice-presidents of the World's Columbian exposition, Dr. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton University, Dr. John Hall, of New York, Hon. James McDill, who succeeded Judge Cooley on the interstate commerce commission, Mr. Henry Wallace, of Des Moines, Iowa, Hon. Pat Calhoun, of Atlanta, Dr. J. H. Bryson, of Huntsville, Ala., and other distinguished speakers yet to be announced.

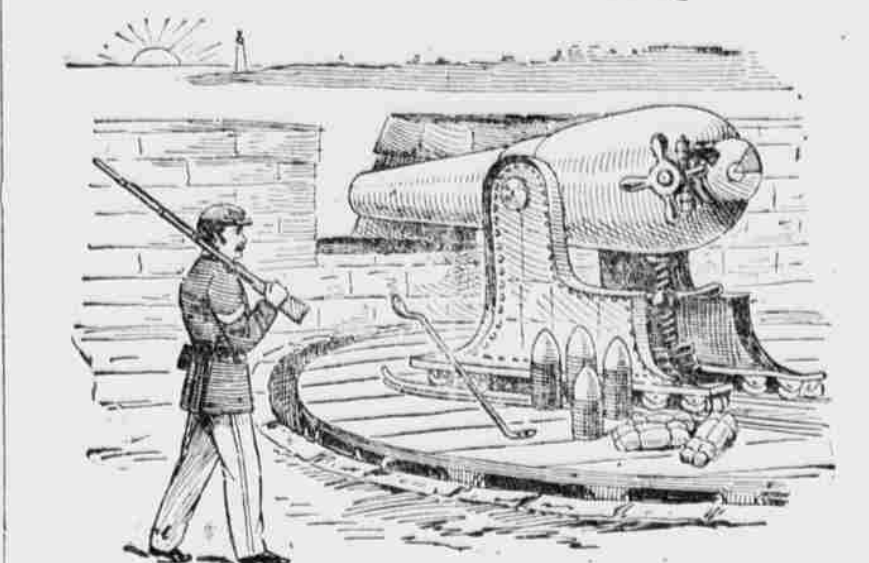
One of the most enjoyable features of the proceedings will be a number of ten minute speeches by some of the wittiest and brainiest men in the country—among them Major Charles H. Smith (Bill Arp), Colonel G. W. Adair, the famous wit of Atlanta, and a number whose names have not been announced. No address will be more than forty minutes long, and the ten-minute speeches will be in the proportion of two or three for every longer address.

Reduced railroad rates have been secured, and from all points south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi, one and one-third fare return tickets will be on sale. The same or approximate rates from points beyond. President Harrison, ex-President Cleveland, Secretary Blaine, Governor McKinley, ex-Governor Campbell, Governor Buchanan and many other distinguished Scotch-Irishmen will be invited.

Special rates have been secured at the Atlanta hotels, and everything will be done to make the stay of visitors pleasant.

Many applications for membership are being received, and this meeting presents a favorable time for persons of Scotch-Irish lineage to affiliate with their brethren and kinsmen. The attendance is not limited to members. The objects of the society are historical, educational and social. It is strictly non-partisan. The only requisites for membership are Scotch-Irish blood, in any degree, good character, and nominal dues, for which members receive the valuable historical works issued by the society.

FURNITURE AND CARPETS.



"SHORE DEFENSES" are the themes of statesmen and rulers, but the masses of the people are seeking a Sure Defense against high prices and poor qualities in Furniture and Carpets. Those who buy of us find ample protection against both, and seek no further place for safety. OUR PRICES CAN NOT BE MET by our opponents. Call and be convinced.

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acter, and nominal dues, for which members receive the valuable historical works issued by the society. Send applications for membership and for further information to **A. C. FLOYD,** Sec'y Nat'l Society, Columbus, Tenn. **T. H. P. BLOODWORTH,** Local Sec'y, Atlanta, Ga.

Artistic Work.
 There are tailors and tailors, some are good, some indifferent and some bad, but Laack & Greenberg in their new place, 414 1/2 Austin street must be classed among the good ones. They are first class skillful cutters, fine workmen and careful and painstaking in their work. They make perfect fits and do the very finest work to be had. Although but recently started, work is flowing in on them from people who know the excellent fits they give and the work they do. They carry a fine line of stylish goods and samples and can get up nobby suits in short order. Give them a call and order and you are sure to be well dressed and well pleased.

THE DOCTORS MEET.

Twenty-Third Quarterly Meeting of the Central Texas Medical Association Tomorrow.

The Central Texas Medical Association meets tomorrow in the city hall in its twenty-third quarterly session. Following is the

- PROGRAMME.**
1. "Diphtheria—Etiology and treatment." By Dr R C Nettles, Marlin. Discussion opened by Dr H C Ghent, Belton, and Dr W T Baird, Dallas.
 2. "Prolapse of Uterus—Its Management." By Dr J M Frazier, Morgan.
 3. "Tertiary Syphilis—Its Ravages in Nerve, Muscle and Bone Tissue." By H C Black, Waco.
 4. "Prolapsus Funis—Its Management." By Dr O J Halbert, Waco.
 5. "Prolapsus Ani—Its management." By Dr Douglas Harr s, Whitney.
 6. "Otorrhoea in Children." By Dr J R Ferrell, Waco.
 7. Voluntary papers and reports of cases.
- The officers of the association are: Dr W R Blalock, McGregor, president; Dr W A Howard, Waco, first vice president; Dr J T Valliant, Bruceville, second vice-president; Dr R C Nettles, Marlin, third vice-president; Dr M L Graves, Waco, treasurer; Dr T W Burger, Waco, editor and curator; Dr W O Wilkes, Waco, secretary.
- The association is in a healthy condition, yet its very existence depends upon the doctors.

Mascott Saloon.
 317 Franklin. Fine Wines and Liqueurs. A place to enjoy the luxuries of one of the finest saloons in the city. Come one, come all, where the finest whiskies will be served.
J. W. FOGARTY, Proprietor.

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The headquarters for diamonds watches, clocks, jewelry and all sorts of jewelry.

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The headquarters for fancy articles and articles of virtue.

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The headquarters for fine and delicate watch repairing is at

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Tickets good for 30 days; on sale April 7 and 8.

W. S. GILLESPIE, Ticket Agent.

BECOMING DESPERATE.

Mandate of the Court of Appeals Arrived.

The mandate of the court of appeals affirming the verdict of the trial court and ordering the removal to the penitentiary of Jas. M. Drake, the slayer of Prof. S. L. Guinn, has arrived, and he was removed Saturday afternoon.

During the long trial Drake has never lost hope until now. He has become desperate and is closely watched. Some time since the prisoners confined with him, on account of some threats he had made, petitioned that he be not allowed the use of a razor, which was granted. He appealed to higher authority, but the sheriff's decision was sustained.

Drake was sentenced just before adjournment of the last term of the district court.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

L. T. Williams, Esq., Announces His Candidacy--His Record.

THE NEWS takes pleasure in presenting the name of L. T. Williams, Esq., as a candidate for county attorney. Mr. Williams ranks with the brightest of the young attorneys of McLennan county bar. He is a product of the county and state. He was born within twenty miles of Waco and educated for the practice in the university at Austin, graduating in the class of 1888. His entire time since he began has been spent in prosecuting for the state. He has served for several years as assistant of that distinguished prosecutor, Joe W. Taylor, Esq. There is not a better trained attorney in the field for the office he seeks than Lud Williams.

Curtis & Orand have the largest stock of screen doors and windows.

Shooting Gallery, south side square open day and night. Drop in.