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THE Texas wheat crop is reported as looking very promising.

THERE are said to be twelve hundred convicts in the Georgia penitentiary.

GOV. NICHOLLS, of Louisiana, lost an arm and a leg in the confederate service.

THERE is a law in the State of Michigan prohibiting the marriage of cousins.

IT is rumored that Gen. John A. Logan has tendered his services to Russia.

A NEW bank, with a capital of $50,000, has been established at Gainsville, Cook county, Texas.

MISS SOPHIA HENDERSON, daughter of ex-Governor Henderson, died at Houston on Saturday last.

IT is thought that the Texas Pacific Railroad will be completed to Weatherford by the 18th of July next.

A LARGE number of Kentuckians are settling in Wilson county, to engage in farming and stock raising.

THE Comanche *Chief* thinks that the times demand a little more legal hanging. Jurymen must learn to do their duty and punish criminals as they deserve.

THE *State Gazette* is decidedly the best paper published at the capital, and we cordially recommend it as a firm, unwavering and reliable Democratic journal.

DR. T. P. ROBINSON has been elected Chief of the Houston Fire Department for the ensuing year, with S. K. McHenry and A. Williams as his Assistants.

AT the late term of the District court of Grimes county, there were eleven decrees for divorce granted.

"Marriage is like a rabble rout
Those who are out would fain be in;
Those who are in, be out!"

GEORGE A. GESLIN, the stenographer to the President, is a sort of office-holding barnacle. He has been private secretary to four Post Masters-General, to-wit: Creswell, Jewell, Tyner and Key.

An important land case is now on the docket, which involves the title to a large portion of the town of Brenham.—*Dallas Herald.*

Mistake. Only *one hundred acres* in the Eastern *suburbs* of town is involved in the suit.

THE Houston Daily *Age* has been enlarged to an eight column paper, and takes rank among the first class dailies of the land. We are glad to see this evidence of prosperity, which we are certain can not be greater than the enterprise of its gentlemanly proprietors and able editor richly merit.

SEWING MACHINES.—The patents upon the Grover & Baker, Wheeler & Wilson, Howe and Singer Sewing Machines expired on the 8th instant, and anybody is now at liberty to manufacture these machines, in consequence of which a great reduction in the price of sewing machines may be looked for.

THE profits of the Graniteville (Ga.) cotton factory has been $74,915 the past year, the stockholders have to proceed at once with the building of another factory with a capacity of 10,000 spindles. The Charlottee (N. C.) *Observer* states that within twenty-five miles of Charlotte there are seven cotton factories.

SLOW TRAVELLING.

A communication for the BANNER, written at Piney, Austin county, dated the 1st inst., only reached us yesterday. The intelligence it contains would now be stale, but we condense so much of it as will now be of interest to our readers.

At the time of writing, everything growing on the soil looked well. Gardens unusually fine.

The people of Piney are suffering from thieves. As many as five yoke of oxen being stolen within a very short time, and numbers of cattle and horses.

They have a fine singing club, the Concordia, inaugurating their new hall, a large and spacious building, the 28th ult. The club has been in existence seventeen years. Music, speeches and lager all flowed at the inauguration of the hall, which was finely decorated with flowers and evergreens. A string and brass band discoursing music, there was a ball at night given by the club.

At Ive' creek, there will be a school festival, Monday the 21st inst.

We are obliged to our correspondent for his good opinion of the BANNER. If it is in his power, the junior will be on hand. No people know how to get up school festivals better than do the people of Ives creek. We have attended several of them, and their management commended them to the approval of the visitors and guests. But whether we attend or not, we know our friends will have a "good time."

THE PRODUCE TAX.

Write us down as bitterly opposed to any tax upon produce. The farmer is taxed too much already. He pays a tax upon his land and improvements; a tax upon the team with which he makes his crop; a tax upon his plows and farming utensils, and now to demand an additional tax upon the product of his soil is an unmitigated outrage, which amounts to oppression and robbery.

What, tax the bread and meat the thrifty farmer has provided for the support and maintenance of his family. No, never!

In Panola county the farmers have formed a combination for the purpose of resisting the payment of this unjust and oppressive tax, and it is to be hoped that they may succeed in their struggle for right and justice.

Your Part.

When you go to church today, remember that you are not a mere auditor, but one of the performers. If the meeting is to accomplish its true purpose for you, you must engage in the services. Too many persons go to church as they go to a concert or a lecture. But the preacher and the choir are not the only ones who have parts to perform in Sabbath worship, nor the only ones responsible for success or failure. One might as well let them eat his dinner, as to let them do his praying, and thinking.

And here let us say that it would be an improvement if there were more to join audibly in that part of the service which specially invites all,—the singing. Why should not all sing who can sing? The most unmusical of us can catch the spirit of the song; and in all the exercises we can be attentive, alert, ready to receive the full benefit. Then the stranger, when he leaves us, will report, "The congregations of Brenham are not made up of the 'wooden' men and women you see in some places. They are alive and awake. They mean business when they go to church."

WACO now has street cars, whereat the papers and people rejoice much. It will come Brenham's time after a while. At present, with plenty of hacks, we can manage to get along very comfortably without street cars.

PRESIDENT HAYES.

We like the views expressed below by the Baltimore *Gazette*. Its conclusions are in unison with our own; and, as we think, correct:

"It is a great mistake to suppose, as some persons and papers are doing, that because Hayes is apparently firm in his resolution to carry out his Southern policy, he is determined to break with his own party and will eventually drift into the opposition ranks. It is equally absurd to imagine that the President's action is based upon the notion of his ability to destroy both the political organizations now in existence, and build upon their ruins a great conservative party combining the best elements of the two. That he has courage enough to persist in a course which has alienated some of the most vigorous and influential men in his party, naturally creates wonder in the public mind and excites undisguised alarm among his own partizans. But it must not be forgotten that his administration is yet but a few months old, and that, as yet, he has done nothing inconsistent with his whole life as a republican leader. We do not believe that he ever contemplated playing the role of John Tyler or Andrew Johnson, and we predict that before six months have passed away he will be stronger with his party than ever before since he entered public life. Mr. Hayes is a thorough Republican and he intends to remain one. If he should be deserted and assailed by the great conspirators, who fraudulently made him President, there will be plenty of republicans left of the better class who will sustain his policy and endorse his action. Nor will he be able, if willing, to capture any respectable number of Democrats, either by flattery or plunder. On the contrary, the party which antagonized him in the presidential contest will be more vigorous than ever in opposition, and thus consolidate its strength for a new conflict and a certain victory in the near future. Such being the condition of things, the course of independent men and the independent press of the country is plain. When the President does right he should be promptly applauded. When he does wrong he should be swiftly and severely condemned."

THE ISLAND CITY.—Our recent trip to this queen of the Gulf, was rather brief, when it would have been protracted had we been able to consult our feelings, instead of being compelled to be governed by other considerations.

The city is rather dull—but this is the dull season every where and Galveston, notwithstanding her enterprise, is not an entire exception to the rule. But brief as our stap was, we found time to interchange friendly greetings with several old friends, and among them Col. Geo. P. Finlay, who engages in skinning Radicals *con amore*. We also called on Mr. Lovejoy, a rising young lawyer, and a gentleman of much promise. Stopping at the "Washington," we found the genial and accommodating Mr. E. W. Poole, clerk of that establishment ready to extend a hand of welcome to an old acquaintance, and make a temporary sojourn pleasant. Busy as we were, we found time to call on our old confrere John Levin, connected now with the *Galvestonian*, and were glad to find him in fine health and hopeful spirits.

STATE FAIR.—Our readers would do well to remember that the State Fair opens at Houston, Tuesday, the 22d inst We have alluded to the Fair twice before in these columns, and mention it again, because we, in common with every Texan, desire that it may be a success, which it promises to be, and deserves to be, from the number and variety of the premiums offered. We hope Washington county will furnish a large number of contributors and visitors.

MAJOR WEST, a distinguished attorney of Austin, pronounces the law imposing a tax upon the farmers bread and meat, unconstitutional, and he might truthfully have added: "unjust and oppressive."

The most popular style of trimming new spring bonnets this season is to put a pretty face inside!

HOCKLEY LOCALS.

Hockley May 8th 1877

Editors Banner:—

Our Dramatic club's rendition of "Dead Shot," and "The loan of a Lover" was, if possible better than their former attempt. We still think: "Some inglorious Milton here may rest. Some Cromwell guiltless of his country's blood." A large, and of course *appreciative* audience assembled to witness the triumph.

I must mention the three young lady *Debutantees*: Miss Lottie Grinstead, as "Louise" did justice to the piece, and as "Ernestine Rosendall" seemed to enter rather earnestly into the spirit of her character, and was hapily enabled to cast off the influence of appearances which seemed to embarass her heretofore. Miss Nellie Garrett, as Chatter did surprisingly well when we consider she has had no opportunity of even seeing acting. I cannot be too extravagant in praise of "Gertrude" rendered by Miss Bertha Greig; her second attempt, one would judge her a professional. She depicted to weakness of the lovesick maid, and the supercilious arrogance of the same maid when she becomes a favorite of fortune, and wishes to take revenge for her former neglect upon her dilatory admirers, with consummate skill and native, unconcious ability. She undoubtedly has rare genius, and with culture can achieve success.

Mr. Jeff. Montgomery, as "Capt. Amersfort," Mr. Higgins as "Wiseman," and Mr. Greig as "Swyzel" showed by their correctness that they had studied hard to succeed. Mr. Murray as "Peter Spyke" "Hector Tinid" showed high Dramatic culture. Mr. Murray is manager, and L. M. Montgomery President of the club.

I believe we are promised in a few weeks a three act Drama but have not been favored with the title of the piece as yet.

Hockley is quiet; dealers are stacking large stocks of lumber here for the fall trade. No cash orders coming now. In about 3 years this once vast "pinery" will be exhausted. Copious rains have fallen, and Houston prairie should now be called "mamoth pond." "Ye Loke" was overtaken by a terrific hail storm on last Sunday, when there was no tree nor shrub for shelter. The hail came in such a teritic shower that my horse, frantic from its pelting fury, dashed away from my hand and rushed across the prairie to a fence for protection, while I was forced to double blanket and overcoat over my cranium for protection. The stones were small, and only lasted about 15 minutes, or perhaps the readers of the BANNER would not have been afflicted with this, or subsequent communications from "Ye Loke." Some little danger to crops by the hail. I was much relieved to see two buggies with ladies reach a house just as the stones began to fall.

The peculiar scream of a panther is disturbing the denisens of Walnut creek. I have been fortunate enough to hear his suggestive wail, and do not wish to court his nearer acquaintance.

NOMME DE PLUME.

THE Austin *Leader*, Hayes organ, is out in the advocacy of a new party; and the editor amuses himself in abusing the Democratic party, and predicts its early demise. It is strange that none but Repulicans advocate the new party move; and it cannot therefore be considered as anything else than the Republican party sailing under new colors. It will never amount to anything in this State; the Democracy will crush it out. Radicalism, no matter what name it may attempt to sail under, will never again obtain power in the Lone Star State. It is dead and burried beyond resurrection.

THE European war, it is said will bring large quantities of gold to America for the purchase of breadstuffs, and some of our exchanges are felicitating over the idea, for getting that this demand works a corresponding disadvantage to us, by causing a considerable advance in the price of provisions at home.

GEN. T. M. Logan, of Richmond, Va., is to deliver an address before the survivors of Hood's Brigade, at their annual re-union at Waco on the 27th of June next.

Cole's Circus and Menagerie.

WILL EXHIBIT AT BRENHAM WEDNESDAY, MAY 23d.

In speaking of this great show the Mobile *Register* says: "The old saying that 'all shows are alike' has no appellation in the case of the Circus and Menagerie under the management of W. W. Cole. Their exhibition had been well heralded in advance, so that people attending at Mobile expected to see something of real merit. They were not disappointed. From the time when the grand procession commenced to move through the streets until the last performance closed at night the city was crowded with pleased and satisfied people. Traveling by rail, and so avoiding the dust and soil of the turnpike, all of the wagons, chariots, trappings and properties looked fresh, clean and new, and eclipsed anything ever before seen in Mobile.

The animals of Mr. Cole are unusually fine specimens, large, healthy and with no trace of the half-domesticated appearance that so much detracts from the interest of many similar exhibitions. Whatever the bill promised was fulfilled.

BEAUTIFUL EXTRACT.—If we die to-day, the sun will shine as brightly and the birds will sing as sweetly to morrow. Business will not be suspended a moment and the great mass will not bestow a thought upon our memories. "Is he dead?" will be the solemn inquiry of a few, as they pass to their work; but no one will miss us except our immediate connections, and in a short time they will forget and laugh as merrily as when we sat beside them. Thus shall we all, now active in life pass away. Our children crowd close behind us, and they will soon be gone. In a few years not a living being can say, "I remember him."—We lived in another age, and did business with those who slumber in the tomb. Thus is life! How rapidly it passes!

A dispatch to the *News* from Denison, dated may 11th states that Capt. Lee, commanding the post of Fort Griffin, Texas, with a party of forty soldiers and ten Tonkaway Indians, surprised a band of Comanches one hundred and fifty miles west of the post of Griffin, on the 4th inst., killed four and captured six squaws, 69 horses, 12 lodges and a quantity of supplies. On the 6th he captured and burned three lodges and some supplies. Casualties—one negro sejeant killed. These Indians had been depredating on the buffalo hunters, running off their horses, and otherwise harassing them. The success of this scout will be a wholesome lesson to marauders.

Boys and young men sometimes start out in life with the idea that one's success depends upon sharpness and chicanery.—They imagine if a man is able to "get the best of a bargain," no matter by what deceit and meanness he carries his point, that his prosperity is assured. This is a great mistake. Enduring prosperity can not be founded on cunning and dishonesty. The trickey and deceitful man is sure to fall a victim, soon or late, to the influences which are forever working against him. His house is built upon the sand, and its foundation will be certain to give way. Young people can not give these truths too much weight.

THE BARNES HOUSE.—This new house, formerly the Exchange, is situated on Main street, Houston, and is kept by a gentleman who understands his business. Mr. Barnes is a favorite with all who know him. The house having been refitted and returnished from basement to garret, our readers, visiting Houston during the State Fair, as many of them will do, will find at the Barnes House the comforts and conveniences of home, besides being on the route to the grounds.

An old feud between J. M. Brown, Sheriff of Washington county, and Hugh McKeown, of the same place, was ended on the 4th by the former killing the latter.—*Comanche Chief.*

The unfortunate affair above mentioned, occurred at Giddings, in Lee county.

Fourteen ex-Governors of States now occupy seats in the United State Senate, viz: Clayton, Coke, Harvey, Boutwell, Stevenson, Anthony, Alcorn, Booth, Oglesby, Morton, Whyte, Hamlin, Randolph and Burnside.

It now looks like no man can tell to what extent the Turco Russian war will go. It is supposed that the Sultan has the power and influence to arouse the whole Mahomedan world, by simply unfurling the Standard of the Prophet. There are fully 350,000,000 of them on the earth.

IT is announced that the colored people of Houston intend starting a newspaper of their own.

There are nine newspaper proprietors in the English House of Commons.

Murder Will Out.

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