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Mrs. M. W. Gibson has moved away and desires to sell her property here at once. : : : : : :

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SNAP-SHOTS AT THE NEWS

DAILY HAPPENINGS OF THE CITY BRIEFLY TOLD

Douglass Bodenhamer is sick in bed.

Attorney W. M. Tidwell of Ferris attended district court here today.

If you need a Typewriter it will pay you to see me at once.
tf J. B. Blaffer.

Attorneys J. B. Bisland, T. H. Collier and J. H. Sharp of Ennis attended court here today.

The New Century Typewriter is the best. For sale by J. B. Blaffer. tf

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Choice alfalfa clover seed, cane seed, pure corn chops, choice oats, hay, etc. at Sleeper Grain Co. 83

Mr. G. A. Campbell of Sherman spent Saturday in the city. Mr. Campbell once lived in Ellis county, but several years ago bought a farm near Sherman.

By order of the president, the Home Mission Society of the M. E. church, will meet at the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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Prof. Amzi Carothers, who is teaching the Sardis school, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the city with his brother, Sam Carothers, who is on the sick list.

Car fancy McAlister coal on track. Special prices from car. Both phones. Sleeper Grain Co. 78

SODA WATER

To sell good soda water it is necessary to use good materials. We use the utmost care in the making and selecting of our syrups and all the other requisites that are used at our fountain. We also pride ourselves upon our service. The result is that no better glass of soda water can be had in town than that served at our fountain.

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PRESCRIPTION DRUGGISTS

Both Phones - - - - No 34

Prof. J. W. Saxon, principal of the Maypearl school and editor of that sprightly little weekly paper, the Maypearl Messenger, attended the teachers' institute here Saturday.

Coal from $6.00 to $8.00 per ton according to quality and quanity. Sleeper Grain Co. 83

The meetings at Gospel hall will continue every night this week, conducted by W. Pinches, of Detroit, Mich. Invitation extended to all to attend. Services begin at 7:30 o'clock. 83

T. R. Vaughn, a good citizen of the Milford country, passed through the city this morning with a wagon load of corn which he said he was taking as a present to his children at Lancaster.

Mr. J. C. Seney, who has been shoe-maker at the store of Crow Bros. for a number of years, is packing his household goods and will move to Holdenville, I. T. Mr. Seney is a good man and the LIGHT regrets to see him move away from our city.

Rev. J. G. Putman, pastor of the First Methodist church, filled the pulpit of the Methodist church at Hillsboro yesterday, Pastor Duncan being on the sick list. Rev. Putman's pulpit was occupied by Presiding Elder Sensabaugh.

H. M. Burleson, of Mountain Peak, passed through the city today en route home from a visit to a sick brother near Loona, Freestone county. Mr. Burleson says a neighbor of his brother had 100 acres in cotton last year and gathered only 1100 pounds of seed cotton. Mr. Burleson says the people of that section are preparing to plant Irish potatoes and other vegetables.

PERSONA

Bert Shands was in Lan today.

Fount Ray of Italy spe day in the city.

Col. W. M. C. Hill went as this morning.

Jodie Martin of Dallas the city yesterday.

C. A. Kirksey was a pas to Dallas this morning.

Neil Sims and Mack rth spent yesterday at Corsica

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clopt or- sicana are guests of the fa P. P. Smith.

Mr. Wm. Clarkson, of C a, spent last night and tod he city the guest of his moth w, Mrs. L. T. Gulick. Mr. n is engaged in the machine n- dry business there.

Escaped an Awful F

Mr. H. Haggins of Melbo a, writes, "My doctor said I h sumption and nothing could e for me. I was given up to e offer of a free trial bottle. King's New Discovery for c tion, induced me to try it. s were startling. I am now e road to recovery and owe a. King's New Discovery. It saved my life." This great guaranteed for all throat a diseases by Thomas & Moor gists. Price 50c and $1.00 bottles free.

A barn on the Whitefie h near Forreston was burned day. Some meat and other belonging to a man named who was renting on the plac destroyed with the building.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss
LUCAS COUNTY, }

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that senior partner of the firm of F. J. Chen doing business in the City of Toledo, Co State aforesaid, and that said firm wil sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for every case of Catarrh that cannot be cur use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in ence, this 6th day of December, 1886.

{ seal } A. W. GLEASO Notary

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Winter coughs are apt to re consumption if neglected. Th be soon broken up by using F Honey and Tar. Sold by Fearis.

Office Much Sought Aft

The office of county commis in this county, and other co for that matter, is getting much sought after in the p campaign. The position of co sioner in this county in the old was chiefly one of honor, wi remuneration of a substantial acter, but now the place pa reasonably good salary. The test for county and precinct o in this county has hardly g under good headway, but al there are more entries for co sioner than ever known. Moore, who represents precinct 4, is the only member of the pr board who has no opposition.

Mysterious Circumstance

One was pale and sallow and other fresh and rosy. Whence difference? She who is blus with health uses Dr. King's Life Pills to maintain it. By ge arousing the lazy organs they c pel good digestion and head off stipation. Try them. Only 25c Thomas & Moore's drug store.

Mr. J. P. Goins, who form lived near Garrett and last wi moved to Plano, Collin county, in the city today. He said he come down to look after the aff of his daughter, Mrs. Richa whose husband, Charley Richa died last Thursday. Mr. Goins he was well pleased with that tion of the country. He says if boll weevils were to destroy the ton crop the people would not the effects to any great extent, they raise hogs, cattle, wheat, co and alfalfa.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best croup and whooping cough, conta no opiates, and cures quickly. Ca ful mothers keep it in the hou Sold by R. W. Fearis.

Hay.

I have two cars of choice M souri prairie hay. Price 40c p bale delivered. Per ton $10. Co Mosley.

Health

Means the ability to do a go day's work, without undue fatig and to find life worth living. Y cannot have indigestion or cons pation without its upsetting t liver and polluting the blood. Su a condition may be best and quic est obtained by Herbine, the be liver regulator that the world h ever known. Mrs. D. W. Smit writes, April 3, 1902: "I use He bine, and find it the best medicin for constipation and regulating th liver I ever used." Price 50 cent Sold by Hood & Martin.

A DELEGATE MEETING

Fifth District Republicans Called to Assemble at Dallas March 22.

The state republican convention will meet in Dallas on Tuesday, March 22, and on the same day the republicans of the fifth congressional convention will hold a convention for the purpose of electing delegates to represent the district in the national convention to be held in Chicago June 26. J. S. McEldowney, of Midlothian is chairman of the executive committee of the fifth district, and while in the city Saturday he issued his official call for the Dallas meeting, which is as follows:

Midlothian, Texas., February 19, 1904.—To the Republican Electors of the Fifth Congressional District of Texas: By direction of the republican congressional executive committee of the fifth congressional district of Texas, a delegate convention is hereby called to be held in the city of Dallas, Texas, for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternates to represent this district in the national convention, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before it. Said convention shall assemble at 10 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, March 22, 1904.

The same basis of representation and the same rules and regulations will obtain in this convention which have been adopted by the state executive committee for the state convention, called to meet in Dallas on the same date.

It is requested that each chairman send in as soon as possible after the holding of the county convention a copy of the proceedings, accompanied by a list of the delegates chosen, and it is important that these should reach me on or before March 19, 1904, at Midlothian, Texas. J. S. McELROWNEY, Chairmon Fifth Congressional District Committee.

Attest: H. C. FORD, Sec.

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RANDOM THOUGHTS

BY WILL H. MAYES

I heard of a man the other day who had been buying cotton futures and who had made several thousand dollars The market changed and he began to lose money. Being a strict church member his conscience began to hurt him as soon as he got on the losing side. He met a brother in the church and asked him if he thought dealing in cotton futures was gambling. "Certainly," was the reply. "So do I," he said, "I used to think it was all right, but now I think it is gambling and the riskiest kind of gambling and I am going to quit too." As long as he made money, it looked good to him when he lost it looked bad.

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We too often shape our opinions by our own selfish interests. Our decision is affected by the ownership of the ox gored. I have seen church fairs tolerate practices that every minister would condemn in individuals. The business conducted on the lines of most church fairs would not be tolerated by fair minded people. Even the methods often adopted in church collections smack of extortion. An effort is frequently made to wring money from the congregation knowing it is unwilling to be worked. Every preacher knows the way it is done, but some justify the means by the ends, though it has somewhat the appearance of a highwayman's hold-up.

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Short cuts to fortune by way of the cotton exchange, or any other exchange of the kind, is indeed a pretty risky business. Of course a man uses his judgment in investing in futures, but there is always a fellow on the other side of the deal backing his judgment with his money. Usually he follows it as a business and from long experience is better prepared to take care of his money than the novice. Your money is never safe in a cotton deal as many people have lately learned, and though you may win for awhile, unless you are remarkably fortunate you will in time lose both earnings and capital. It is the lucky fellow's winnings we hear most about and not the other man's losses. Of course some men can afford to lose their investments, but if you can't, you had better stay off the exchange. I am not discussing the question of right or wrong involved in such speculations, but purely the advisability of engaging in such transactions from a business standpoint.

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The greatest trouble with future dealing is the fascination about it that holds a man to it whether he is gaining or losing, the delusive hope held out that he will make big money after awhile, the mania for making money in that way. The strongest proof that can be given of the danger from it is that if the great commercial agencies learn that the small merchant is engaged in it, his credit is at once weakened.

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All of this speculative fever comes from too great a desire to get rich quick, to earn money without labor, to pile up a fortune without waiting. It is commendable to desire to make and save money, but to regard it as the sole object of life is wrong. Life seems to have become, with some men, a mad struggle for fortune which lasts right up to the grave. But few ever become satisfied with what they secure though they know they possess many times more than they can ever use. I believe that more satisfaction can come from doing good with money than from gaining more of it than can be used. Carnegie's idea of giving away his fortune before his death is a commendable one. He may not be using his gifts to the best advantage by establishing libraries, but the influence of his wealth will be felt for centuries to come. A man does not have to be a millionaire to help mankind with his wealth. There are dozens of opportunities all around us for the man of moderate means, who wants to do permanent good to his fellowmen.

H. & T. C. Rates.

San Antonio, Tex.—On sale March 1st and 2nd. Rate $8.40. Limit March 4th.

Fort Worth, Tex.—On sale March 7th and 8th. Rate $1.70. Limit March 13th.

On sale daily March 1 to April 30 to California common points and intermediate points on direct lines one way second class colonists tickets at rate of $25.00.

Galveston, Texas—On sale for train No. 6, March 5, and all trains of March 6. Rate $9.60. Limit March 13.

Sherman, Texas—On sale March 6 and 7. Rate $3.30. Limit March 13.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. Sold by R. W. Fearis.