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ter.

SAN MARCOS wins the court
house, and will still remain the
county seat. We congratulate
San Marcos.

HON. A. B. Storey of Lockhart
is a candidate for Chairman of
the State Executive Committee.
Storey is a good man and is well
qualified for the position.

PROF. W. E. Rabb, the demo-
cratic nominee for the legislature
says he will be governed by the
vote of his constituents on the
submission question. He, how-
ever, favors an anti-treating bill.

WEATHER-CLERK, Moore, re-
ported cool weather in Texas last
week, but so far none of it has
reached Shiner. In fact, it has
been excessively hot, the temper-
ature ranging around the 100
mark.

EX-GOVERNOR Sam Lanham
died at his home in Weatherford
last Thursday night and was bur-
ied Friday at Weatherford. The
funeral was attended by a large
concourse of friends and State
officials.

THE young Turks are said to be
in the ascendancy in Turkey and
there is much bitter feeling
against the Sultan. Along about
Thanksgiving Day the young
turks will be in the ascendancy
in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO is to have a new
million dollar hotel. It is to be
the finest in Texas and one of the
finest in the south. Houston
will have to get up and hump-
itself if it wants to keep up with
San Antonio.

THE GAZETTE entered its 16th
year last week but was busy and
forgot to mention the fact. The
GAZETTE is not given to boasting
but will continue to get out a
newsy and interesting paper, de-
voted to the interests of Shiner
and Lavaca County. The sub-
scription books are always open.

THERE was a great deal of
argument and nagging going on
in Shiner among the partisans of
the different candidates for State
offices up to the time of the July
primary. But since the result
has become known no one seems
to be kicking, but accept the ver-
dict in good spirit. It is demo-
cratic to abide by the will of the
majority.

THE Republicans of Lavaca
County held their convention at
Hallettsville last Saturday and
nominated Mr. Louis Trautwein
for representative and it is stated
that Mr. Trautwein will ac-
cept the nomination. Messrs.
G. A. Pannewitz and S. A. Thule-
meyer of Shiner were named as
delegates to the state convention
at Dallas.

Exchange Gossip.

The Standard Oil company was let
off from its \$20,000,000 fine just in
time to make its contribution to the
republican campaign fund available.
—Houston Post.

One good turn deserves another, the
Standard has always been a liberal
contributor to the Republican cam-
paign fund.

Things are surely always made easy
for the rich. If a hard-working news-

Nominees of the Demo- cratic Primary of July 25, 1908.

For Representative
51st District.

W. E. RABB.

For Tax Assessor Lavaca
County.

MR. RUDOLPH VALENTA.

For Tax Collector.

S. L. BENNETT.

For Commissioner
Precincts 3 and 7

LOUIS WAGENER.

For Constable Precinct 3,

CHAS. STRAUSS.

For Public Weigher
Precinct 3, Shiner.

OTTO C. HENKHAUS.

For County Attorney
of Lavaca County.

W. T. BAGBY

For County Judge.

W. R. McCUTCHAN

For County Treasurer.

A. B. DEVALE.

For Justice of the Peace
of Precinct No. 3.

J. C. HABERMACHER.

For Sheriff of Lavaca Co.

A. B. NOBLE.

For Commissioner, Pre-
cinct No. 2, Gonzales Co.

J. C. NEIGHBORS.

For Constable of Pre-
cinct 6, Gonzales Co.

J. P. BOOTHE

paper man had been fined \$20,240,000
he would have had to pay it.—Houston
Post.

The Gazette would have been forced
to sell its plant to pay that fine.

Mr. Bryan's assertion that he did
not coerce anybody, must be cold com-
fort for the bleeding Colonel Guffey
and the battered Pat McCarren.—New
York Press.

Mr. Bryan merely held them in line
and made them behave.

Here's hoping that the crop pros-
pects make good by November. The
political situation will take care of it-
self whether it's intended or not.—
Galveston Tribune.

Mr. Boll Weevil will have to be con-
sulted on that point.

Dryer News.

As I have a few minutes time this
morning I will try and state a few of our
items.

Eliert Gerdes was in Yoakum Saturday
trading.

The Lutheran Brethren held their reg-
ular services here Sunday and it was well
attended.

Anton Giese left for Kennedy Monday
on business.

Chas. and Julius Krause were in Shiner
Friday.

Anton and John Kueck from Hochheim
Prairie were in our burg Sunday.

There was a party at the home of Mr.
F. Klohs Saturday night, and everyone
present seemed to have a good time.

Emil Brauer of Cheapside was ming-
ling with friends here Sunday.

Ernest Krause and sister, Ella, were
visiting near Sweet Home Saturday and
Sunday.

Rudy Niemann left for Charlotenburg
Sunday, where he will remain with his
brother during the week.

J. Krause has bought the 100-acre farm
of L. R. Crawford, near Dryer.

Misses Martha and Dana Cunningham
of Hochheim were seen at the home of J.
C. Neighbors Sunday.

Willie and Otto Bressel of Cheapside
were in our burg Sunday.

F. G. Gerdes made a business trip to
Yoakum Friday.

A Leap Year ball has been announced
to come off at Turner Hall Saturday
August 8th.

George Pargmann was in your city
Saturday.

As I'm sleepy, I will say good-night.
Reporter.

A Delightful Birthday Party.

A very pleasant and enjoyable
birthday party was that given by Mrs.
Johnny Lockmann at her home in the
southern portion of the city, to a large
number of her friends on Thursday
last.

The home was artistically and beau-
tifully decorated with evergreens and
roses, the dining room deserving spe-
cial mention, which was prettily ar-
ranged and decorated in red and green
the color scheme being carried out to
the very point.

Tiny souvenirs of green and red
crepe paper were pinned on each guest
as they were escorted into the dining
room. An appetizing and refreshing
lunch was served, consisting of all
kinds of delicious cakes, iced tea, so-
da pop, and iced lemonade with fruit
as desert.

Mrs. Lockmann is an ideal enter-
tainer, and words of applause were
given her for the delightful afternoon.

Merry conversation and laughter
was the main feature of the entertain-
ment of the evening and a jolly old
time was had. Some sat out on the
lawn seeking a much cooler spot while
others were in the house chatting with
might and main, and from all appear-
ances every one was making the affair
one of great pleasure.

As the sun began slowly sinking in
the west and the shades of night were
drawing near at hand, each thanked
Mrs. Lockmann for the nice time spent
and wishing her many more such
pleasant and happy birthdays as all
were allowed to share with her this
time, and added the wish that she may
live to see a hundred birthdays and
be as happy as on this occasion.

Those who were so fortunate to be
in attendance at this delightful birth-
day were: Mesdames T. S. Hughes,
Horns, Habermacher, Dittmar, Otto
Muecke, Chas. Pfeil, E. Muecke, Geh-
rels, Herder Chovanetz, Merseberger,
Edmund Wolters, Sam Nave, A. B.
Dunn, Christian Wagener, Mitchell,
Bill of Sommerville, and Misses Sel-
ma Jungbecker, Mac Hughes, Ella
Richter, Jewell Mitchell, Lydia Wag-
ener, and Dora Kussel of Bay City.

Lone Tree Cullings.

Well, well, I have kept quiet
long enough, thought I would
send in the doings of our farm-
ers. News is rather scarce here
but will try my best to pick some
out anyway.

Weather has been pleasant so
far, how long it will remain so is
hard to tell. It's lightning and
thundering every eve.

Gathering the Queen of the
South is the order of the day
now, but the lovely gathering
will be shorter than expected.

John Horky of Seaborn, Bay-
lor Co., has been around Yoakum
and Shiner the past week visiting
kinfolks and shaking hands with
his old friends.

We are sorry to report the
death of Mr. J. Peter, Sr., of
Morris prairie, who died so sud-
denly at his home July 24, and
was buried next day in Yoakum
Catholic cemetery. A very large
crowd attended the burial. He
leaves eight sons and two daugh-
ters. We extend heartfelt sym-
pathy to the sorrowing children.

Ed. Marek left for Cuero last
Saturday to spend several days
with his brother, Gus.

Miss Hanna Hagens celebrated
her birthday to day, hope she
had many in attendance. I am
very sorry that I couldn't be
present, we were invited but
could not get there.

The dance at Vlastenac Hall
last night was a grand success.
All that were there had a time
hard to beat, I know I enjoyed it
in the first degree.

Misses Fannie Herchek and
Jennie Marek and the lady's
mother were in Yoakum shop-
ping last Saturday.

There is to be a Leap Year
dance at Turner Hall August 8th.
If you all want to have a good
time then come out there and en-
joy yourself. Music is to be fur-
nished by the Shiner band, girls
empty your purses. I would go
if mamma would give me fifty
cents. Hanna of Lone Tree,

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cost—and better
beer is not produced
in the United States.
Your loss if you
don't get it.

BREWED AND
BOTTLED BY

Lone Star Brewing Company,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

won't we have a time! I surely
did enjoy the last one there.

Magnolia of Dryer, I expect I
know you, if I am not mistaken.

A very large crowd has gather-
ed to spend the day across the
Guadalupe River. Had a fine
dinner, about forty-five pounds
fish were eaten. Two boats were
sailing up and down the river;
Bashful Fifteen, how did you like
the boat ride?

Chas. Schmidt and Reinhardt
Knippa of Hochheim and Gus.
Berkenhoff of Koerth attended
the party at Lone Tree last Sun-
day, which was given by Girlie
and May.

Wake up, Hillcrest, let's hear
from you again, you know we ap-
preciated your letters very much
looks like you have forgotten L.

T. Prairie, you ought to come
down once more and view this
beautiful country, how natural it
looks.

We will have a sewing party in
this neighborhood pretty soon,
hope we will have another good
time, that is, if I am invited.

Minnie Hartmann spent the
day with her friend, Lillie Hoyer.
Rudolph Peter and sister, Al-
vina, were here yesterday and to-
day, visiting the home of their
brother, Jno. Peter.

Well as I am sleepy after the
ball last night, and tired after
the fish fry to-day, will say good-
night for this time, and will come
again if you all don't object.

MAY

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