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Commissioners' Court Proceedings.

The statement of County Clerk John Buchanan as to county finances was approved.

In compliance with the recommendation of the grand jury it was ordered that the following named gentlemen be and are hereby appointed as a finance committee: W. F. Brian of Yukon, C. K. Holschick of Shiner and W. J. Trolley of Moulton, whose duty it shall be to correctly examine and audit the books and accounts of all county officers and report the findings at the next regular court, showing the bonded and other indebtedness with all revenues from whatever source and the condition of all accounts. Said committee shall receive \$4 per day for compensation and they shall continue from day to day until said work is completed. Compensation to be paid out of the general fund.

A contract has been closed with Messrs. French Simpson and W. F. Rogers to lease them the county convicts for the ensuing year for \$7.50 per month each, the lessees stipulating that they shall receive not less than 7 for more than 12 convicts and also that the county shall provide the guard. William Martin of the Nazvid has been employed as guard.

An order was passed authorizing the sale of the mules and wagon used in county road work, Messrs. Simpson & Rogers being the purchasers for \$41.

Owing to the resignation of County Clerk John Buchanan as purchasing agent, it was ordered that the County Judge be empowered to purchase all books, blanks, etc., required by the officers of the county. —Hallettsville Herald.

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Polo boasts of a man, who, though married fifteen years, kisses his wife every time he leaves home. Oregon has a man who can beat that all hollow. Though married twenty years, he kisses his wife every time he leaves home, besides kissing the hired girl every time his wife leaves home. —Mount Morris (Ill.) Index.

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The alleged hero of San Juan hill, Tom Reed facetiously alluded to as "Teddy, the Rough Rider who never rode," and whom "Mr. Dooley" wrote down in immortal ridicule in his exquisite satire, "Atoms in Cuba," is doubtless indulging in his bentish grin over the election results in Ohio and is smelting and snapping about the turn of things in Maryland. —Brownville Herald.

That grin over results in Ohio is now grown rather sickly. It is Hanna who is wearing "the grin that won't come off." —Houston Post.

Coke's Dangerous Cure, at A. C. Koepke's.

Jury List For County Court.

County court convenes on the first Monday in December, the same being the 8th day of said month. The following is the list of jurors who were drawn to serve for said term.

JURORS FOR FIRST WEEK.
J. M. Balleh, Geo. Brady,
Wm. Zander, Frank Jassan,
Ed. Smith, B. A. Billinger,
V. Galin, W. F. Adams, Sr.,
Wm. Bushner, John Zapalbo,
John Borek, Albert Spiekerman.

JURY FOR SECOND WEEK.
Karl Baack, J. S. Pantler,
Wm. Lemps, A. J. Roeder,
J. A. Rothhart, M. T. Andros,
T. W. Branson, W. R. Beeden,
Wm. Ashenbaker, Joe Reyer,
M. M. Bahr, Jno. Rothschmitt.

Mr. Aug Mikussek, one of our most progressive Bohemian farmers, is building a neat home on the land recently purchased from H. B. Shiner. Chas. H. Flatt, Jr., has the contract to furnish the building material.

Four Weddings.

The following parties were united in marriage at the Catholic church at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday Nov. 17th, 1903. Father Hudecek officiating: William Kram to Miss Lena Wendel, Frank Rietschinger to Miss Kate Reab, Anton Sefer to Miss Mary Reab, Jacob Galin to Miss Anna Zbeasch.

Real Estate Transfers.

C. K. Halcbak and wife to C. M. Karssek, lots 7, 8 and 9, block 12, Shiner; \$1 and other considerations.

C. M. Karssek and wife to F. Berkenhoff, lots 7, 8 and 9, block 12, Shiner; \$1 and other considerations.

Expanding Her Hand.
Little Brother (colored) sister is playing cards with a gentleman—Mr. Shuler does Minnie play cards well.

Mr. Shuler: Yes, very well indeed.
Little Brother: Then you and better look out, Minnie said if she played her cards well she would catch you.

Stupid Enough.
Boson—I want to interest you in a financial scheme this morn—
Mresant: Not this morning, I haven't time.

Boson: Why, it won't take you a minute. All you have got to do is to lend me a dollar. —Philadelphia Press.

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"The Hume."

Did you ever stop to ask yourself or your knowing friend the meaning of "The Hume" in the phrase named The Hume? If you are a student for something that will break the above mentioned knowing friend off his feet, just ask him the significance of the three letters quoted. When he fails to answer the question, tell him that the Hume as it occurs in the language cited is simply the anglicized form of the French word "Humeurs" or "Humors," either of which in the French language means "the count's looks" or "the count's govt." or "mood."

Originally the location now occupied by the city of The Hume was the hunting ground of the counts of Holland. About the year 1590 a palace was built in the woods. Presently a village sprang up around the palace—first it was called "The Count's Hunting" and finally, apparently a large city which in the Dutch language has its original significance, in which in modern parlance has been evaluated into "The Hume."

One Bone Built Up In Arches.
The principal element may be said to permeate the entire structure of the human skeleton. The late Professor Owen points this out very clearly, telling us that in man the skeleton is arranged in a series of segments, which follow and articulate with each other in the direction of the axis of the body from above downward.

This principle accounts for the strength and yet comparative lightness of the whole fabric. From the dome of the skull down to the graceful arch of the foot we may trace this suggestion of many beveled angles, which admirably protect the various parts of the nervous and vascular systems of the body. The skull is found to be but a continuation of the backbone, and each of its four segments, the occipital, parietal, frontal and nasal, consists of an upper nasal and a lower nasal arch. Similar arched formations prevail throughout the structure of a human skeleton.

A Venice Industry.
Venice owes the accumulation of great wealth from a new industry to one of her natives named Jacopo. It was in the year 1636 that he observed that the scales of a fish called the breamfish possessed the property of giving a silky luster to water. After experimenting with it he discovered that when beads were dipped into it and then dried they assumed the appearance of pearls. This discovery, however, was easily worn away, and successive experiments led to the manufacture of hollow glass beads, all blown separately, then polished by revolving cylinders and finally coated inside with the pearl liquid, the latter being protected with wax. This branch of industry is carried on in Venice to this day.

A Bed Awakening.
In one of The Hon. Judge's stories the bridegroom, departing with his bride for their honeymoon, is disturbed by a continual tapping on the door of the post-chaise. It begins to bother him exceedingly. "What the deuce is that noise?" he asks himself. "It is nothing but a bed," answers the bride sweetly. "It is only my wooden leg." Only that and nothing more. She had got accustomed to it from long use, but the information put him out exceedingly and caused a cough which was permanent.

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