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The San Antonio Express says:

"Everything comes to be who waits," an observation which is better philosophy than grammar.

Cuero Star.

The Express attacks the last legislature in one column and defends it in another. There should be more harmony between its editors.

Cuero Star.

Last year, 1906, Ellis county raised 158,345 bales, Hill 139,719, Williamson 138,528 and McClenahan 127,502, the only counties reaching 100,000 bales.

Guadalupe Gazette.

NEVER get it into your head that you are too good to mix and mingle with "common people."

No man can be a gentleman who treats the workingman as an inferior being.

Grandview Tribune.

UNDER latest instructions from Austin the old plan will be followed, making no change in the tax assessment for the present year.

The law is not yet in effect requiring a raise and the position taken by Assessor Schwab along is vindicated.

Cuero Star.

WHAT good reason is there to raise the Governor's salary?

Governor Campbell spent \$15,000 to get a \$4000 job. Make it \$8000 and the winner will need to spend \$30,000, and that is a good deal more than the office is worth.

Belton Journal.

An editor is a man who is liable grammatical blunders, toothache, typographical errors and lapses of memory, and usually he has half a million people watching to catch him tripping.

And yet the world is full of people who want to be editors.

Pittsboro (Pa.) Express.

IN the ouster suit at Austin, the Bailey vouchers were admitted to be genuine, and it was further admitted that the Standard Oil company audited them and other expenditures of the Waters Pierce branch.

It seems that someone must have handled the truth rather carelessly during the Bailey controversy, it was the Attorney General either.

Wichita Times.

NEWSPAPERS of the State began to comment upon the action of ex-Governor Francis Missouri with the Waters-Pierce (Standard) Oil Co., now being brought on in the trial of the oil cases at Austin.

It appears from the testimony that even when Francis was governor he was connected with the oil trust and helped it get its tentacles fixed more firmly upon the people of Missouri.

It is shown further that Francis has been in the service of the oil trust ever since then and was in its service when he brought Senator Bailey and H. Clay Pierce together.

Pioneer Exponent.

"Sacred Platform Demands."

Why not amend the constitution and do away entirely with the legislative branch of government, by substituting in its stead a rip-roaring, billious, wind-jamming political convention of the people through all the devious paths of life? And, echo answers why? says the Laredo Times, which is another way of saying that a body of leading men who have been chosen from every corner of the state bent upon making men of their choice the nominee whether or not they are competent to make laws in a few hours to govern a great state like Texas, in the face of the fact that the constitution contemplated the election of representatives from every district of the state for

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Abilene Reporter.

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that a lot of penniless jaspers

who will never realize a red cen

from it, are falling in line with

this rich men's scheme to crowd

the State with a plentitude of

working cattle.—Hallettsville

New Era.

Mr. Kirby seems very success

ful in organizing clubs with "mill

ions" attached. The "jaspers"

are not let in on all of them, how

ever. They were not invited to

join his "forty million" club, de

signed to control the timber

lands and the lumber out put and

Kills Mail Order Business.

The big page and half-page ads

in the local newspaper, says an

exchange, are the worst shots

any town gives the mail order

houses.

"They tell of first class goods at

prices that no mail order house

can beat. They tell of goods the

customer can see before he lets

go of the money. You can see

what you buy. The merchant

who has goods, sells them at mail

order ads, 75 of them.

his store through the newspaper

which is read by the people. That

makes the most vital way of break

ing up the mail order business.

A. Townlev.

The effect of Scott's Emulsion on thin, pale children is magical.

It makes them plump, rosy, active, happy.

It contains Cod Liver Oil, Hypophosphites

and Glycerine, to make fat, blood and bone,

and so put together that it is easily digested

by little folk.

ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00.

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THE Jacksonville Reformer

says town killers are classed

in seven different bunches, as fol

lows: "First, those who go out

of town to do their shopping;

second, those who want a quiet

town instead of push and bust

ness; third, those who imagine

they own the town; fourth, those

who deride public-spirited men;

sixth, those who oppose every

thing that does not originate

within themselves; seventh, those

who seek to injure the credit

and reputation of an individual." If

you are one of these, for good

ness sake quit it.

The War Hero.

Tommy—"Did you do much

fighting during the war, papa?"

Papa—"I did my share of it."

Tommy—"Did you make the

troop?"

Papa—"Yes, to right, I did."

Tommy—"Did they catch you,"

Papa—"Success."

Good Teams. Harness and Saddle Horses, always on hand. Write for information.

H. A. WOODS,

Shiner, Texas.

SHIP YOUR COTTON TO

Jno. D. Rogers & Co.

GALVESTON, TEXAS.

Warning on the "People's Ticket."

May we ask you for

your support?

Pay your bills by check and thus have a receipt for each

and every bill. No accounts too small for us.

The cotton crop of Colorado

county amounted in 1902 to 11,403

bales. In 1903 it was

11,533 bales. In 1904 14,751 bales.

In 1905 19,915 bales and in 1906

27,503 bales.

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