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Narrow Escape of a Little Girl at Paris, Tex.

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Just as the Cowcatcher of Train Brushes Her Dress—A Lady Deserted by Her Husband in the Choctaw Nation.

PARIS, Tex., Aug. 9.—A terrible accident was narrowly averted at the Texas and Pacific depot yesterday morning. A crowd was awaiting the east bound cannon ball train, when Daisy Bryan, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryan of this city, ran on the track beside the platform, when the train approached from behind her. No one saw her danger until it was within a few feet of her, and it seemed as if a horror-awed the child. All were speeches with horror. Mr. Howe, a one-armed young man, saw her situation and sprang out and caught her and dragged her back. As he did so the cow-catcher brushed her dress.

On Tuesday two strangers, husband and wife, arrived in the city and registered at a hotel. Mrs. Bryan went to her room and took a nap. While asleep, her husband went away. As he did not return that night she went to City Marshal Shanks and asked him to send for her husband. Inquiry was made and it was ascertained that her husband left the train at Fort Smith. The next day the lady, Mrs. Bryan, left the hotel and proceeded to Fort Smith by the first train leaving her penniless. Marshal Shanks paid her fare to Fort Smith. Her parents are here and are looking for her and have no线索 for her strange conduct.

County Assessor Mills has completed the list of taxables for the present year. The tabulation is in counties; non-resident, 15,101; resident, 65,160 acres, $327,565; non-resident, 63,012 acres, $34,783; back taxes, $102,952; personal property, $136,556; county, $1,004; total, $649,972. The tax levied will yield: State ad valorem, $10,128.55; state school, $22,521.60; state hotel, $3,824.30; county, $2,543; county polls, $15,738. Total, $64,972. The increase this year being $452, 249.25, will be a labor pinch on the suspen- sion bridge on Sulphur on the line of Lamar and Delta counties on Saturday, Aug. 15. There will be a large number of prominent speakers present.

There was no palaver of any kind; the chairman, George White, except governor of the Choctaw nation was held yesterday. It went off quietly. The speakers were on the same platform and held action.

The two orphan schools which were provided by the late Governor Andrew, county, and city officials, have been located, one at Luska and the other at the foot of the town.

Mr. T. E. Byrnes has resigned as ticket agent of the Frisco, Santa Fe, and Atchsons. The former ticket agent of the Santa Fe at McGregor, F. D. G., is now in the employ of the Atchsons.

There are 1500 watermelon rotters in the city and this is now very common.

There is a rise in Red River, the water being sixteen feet at Arthur last Tuesday.