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servance of it here for a long time.

—George and Dick Haynes, brothers,
fell out about some trifling matter while at
supper and pitched into each other with
knives, but were parted by their parents
before any serious wounds were inflicted.

—The County Judge has been busy this
week trying parties for different offenses.
Among the convictions Frank Lee for fir-
ing pistol in town limits gets \$10 and costs.
Julia **Hubble** 10 days in county jail for as-
sault, &c.

—Farmers are nearly done laying by
their corn crops. The late hot term has
brought a great change in the appearance
of corn as well as vegetation generally. It
appears now that this will be an exception-
ally bountiful year, and we may reasonably
expect better times in the near future.

—There have been three new postoffices
established in the county during the year,
viz: Agnew, at Norman's landing on the
river, Jas. H. Eades, P. M.; Parnell, at
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