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#### Proceeding of Commiss- cases 2191 and 2190, and amounts Nay.

ioner's Court.

The Commissioners Court met in regular session Monday, February 12th, with all members of the Court in attendance, and transacted the following business:

Bids for the County Depository were received and the First State Bank of Brackett was selected as Depository for the Funds of the County, it being the highest bidder.

Reports of J. C. Beckett, Sheriff, and Jim T. Nolan, Clerk, examined and approved.

Annual Statement of the First State Bank, County Depository, examined and approved.

The following Presiding Officers and Election Judges were appointed to serve for two years:

Precinct No. 1, R. C. Ballantyne. Presiding Judge; S. Noel, R. W. Lane and A. A. Bitter, Judges.

Precinct No. 2, John F. Dooley. Presiding Judge; Dav. Rose, Judge.

Precinct No. 3, G. A. Briggs, Presiding Judge; Max Herbst, Judge.

Precinct No. 4, D. G. Owen, Presiding Judge; Aaron Salmon, Judge.

Precinct No. 5, T. L. Sprout, Presiding Judge; Walter Yancy Judge.

Precinct No. 6, W. W. Jame

A. L. Cashell, Comr. Prec. 2, as above. Ordered that Prects. 1, 2, and Yea. 4 be charged with \$51.10 each, Aug. Wipff, Comr. Prec. 3, large congregation was present and Prect. 3 be credited with Yea. F. O. Long, Comr. Prec. 4, \$153.30. Ordered that extra ex- Nay.

pense for repairs, etc., to road machinery be charged to Yea. Prects. 1, 2, 3 and 4 equally.

\$1643.87; Prec. 4, \$1643.88.

examined and approved.

deed of conveyance to Kinney place. Trevinio. Upon petitions signed by 140 County for Lot. 18, Blk. 14, Resident Tax Payers and Voters above described.

of Commissioner's Precincts 1, 2, Report of Aug. Wipff, Road 3 and 4 of Kinney County, Texas, Supervisor Precinct 3, examined

presented the Court on February and approved. 15th, 1917, requesting a Local It is ordered by Court that Election be held at all regular beginning 1st day of March, voting places in this County, on 1917, County Treasurer shall March 12th, 1917, it being deemed receive 1 percent for receiving expedient by Court that an and 1 per cent for paying out of election be held to determine Kinney County Funds, instead of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  for receiving and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  for paying whether or not sale of intoxiout.

cation liquors be prohibited in There being no further busi-Kinney County, the Court, upon ness before the Court, it adts own motion, orders such an journed February 16th, 1917. election be held on date above

nentioned as provided by law. FOR SALE-My house and Miller and Tom Perry. The following vote was ordered lots in Brackett. For further The two teams showed their winning all games played.

limit. ecorcel: particulars inquire of Valdemar lack of practise, but yet made With the starting of the season P. H. Fritter, Comr. Prec. 1, Christensen, Petersen's store. the fans realize that there was by this game, is expected that Advertise in the News.

Welcomes 36th Infantry.

At the evening service at the Episcopal Church last Sunday a for the services, and a good representation from the 36th Infantry were present for the Jos. Veltmann, County Judge, occasion.

Rev. Fenner in a few well Ordered by Court that Lot 4, chosen words extended a cordial Court apportioned R. & B. Block 19, Spofford, Texas, being welcome to the soldiers and Funds as follows: Prec. 1, \$1643.- property of Kinney County, be invited them to participate at the 87; Prec. 2, \$1643.87; Prec. 3, and same is hereby exchanged Church Services, Sunday School with Hobbs & Co. for Lot 18, and Choir practices of the Church. Report of H. B. Jones, Butcher, Blk. 14, Spofford Texas, and the The members of the parish County Judge is authorized to were glad to see the soldier boys Ordered by Court that Clerk execute in behalf of Kinney present at this service and in issue warrant of \$5. to Jos. Velt- County proper deed of con- Church, and it is hoped by all mann, said sum being same paid veyance, and same be delivered that they continue attending the by him for burial of Petasio to Hobbs & Co. of the proper services whenever they take

#### Baseball Season Begins.

The baseball season for 1917 began Sunday when the 36th Infantry and Brackett baseball teams crossed bats at the Ball Park, the Infantry emerging a winner after a spirited contest with a score of 9 to 0. Despite the one sidedness of the score, the game was more interesting

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# **Taking Care Of** Money

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This Bank Solicits Your Account

The First State Bank

(GUARANTY BOND.) CAPITAL \$30.000.00 SURPLUS \$20.000.00 Brackettville, Texas.

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than supposed, and the capacity good material on hand with efforts will be made as soon as crowd that attended it shows which a good baseball team can possible to organize a good team. that the sport spirit is more alive be built, and one that will be and such a one as will put the than ever before. The battery able to take on all comers with- town on the map as on preceding for the Brackett team were out hesitation and with the years, and show the fans that greatest possible chances of their confidence is not misplaced

in backing the home team to the

son, Presiding Judge; Phillip Engelke, Judge.

Precinct No. 7, Jim Harwood Presiding Judge; Sibe Brooks. Judge.

Quarterly report of George Herzing, Treasurer and report o J. J. E. Wickham, Sheep In spector examined and approved Upon application by T. D Rife and nine other freeholder of Road Precinct No. 3, for roafrom Macie to Standart, along G. H. & S. A. R. R. track, it was ordered by Court that County Surveyor Chas. F. Hodges Henry Smidt, J. F. Ray, Sedar Breiten and Chas. Gaebler be ap pointed Jury of View, to proceed to lay out, survey and describe said road, and make their report to the next Court including field notes of survey and description said road.

Ordered that Clerk issue warrant for \$9.86 in favor of J. A. Small, being for double rendition

Until regular Feby. term of the Court, 1919, or until appoint. ment of their successors, the Court appoints as Road Oversee for Kinney County Prec. No. 1 R. W. Lane; Prect. No. 2. McKavitt groad, J. R. Rowland: Tularosa road, W. H. Wilson: Schwandner road, Sarapio Hidalgo; Prec. No. 3, Neal Brown; Prec. No. 4, J. E. Clark.

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Quarterly reports of P. H. Fritter, Road Supervisor of Prec No. 1, A. L. Cashell, Prec. No. 2, and F. O. Long, Prec. No. 4. examined and approved.

A. L. Cashell by order of Court is authorized to change road to go around Clamp and Dooley trap, and clean Lane road to McKavitt road, 7 of a mile distance.

\$4000 was transferred by the Court from General Fund to the Road and Bridge Fund, and Precincts 1, 2, 3 and 4 be credited with \$1000 each.

Court ordered J. C. Beckett be credited on Finance Ledger with cases:

2191 C. L. Birdwell, Convict bond, \$105.

2190, Esuebio Talamantes, Convict Bond, \$10.

It is to Your Interest ave to Bank a very ha very put out a very have a very be that you buy with us, a reliable and established firm. We handle all kinds of goods for every use -- for stockmen, farmers, sheep and goat men, and what you need:

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# lires that did not require setting in thirty years-on a Studebaker

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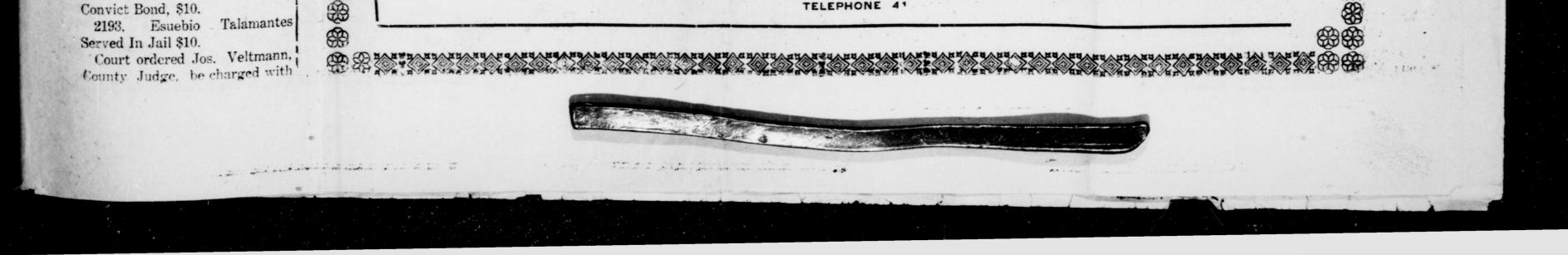
# Leaving Store In lown--

that's US--has a few confidential words for you, Mr. Customer: We want YOUR trade, and YOU want the goods, OUR goods, because:

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2. Give satisfaction 3. Quality. and,







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feel great by morning. They work mortgages are authorized by law to reported and left it up to the full comwhile you sleep-never gripe, sicken be accepted. It further declares that mittee to reach a decision. or cause any inconvenience, and cost such bonds shall be lawful investment only 10 cents a box from your store. for all funds which may be lawfully Millions of men and women take a invested by guardians, administrators, Cascaret now and then and never trustees and receivers; for savings have Headache, Biliousness, Coated departments of state banks, for banks, Tongue, Indigestion, Sour Stomach or savings banks and trust companies Constipation. Adv.

#### They're All Alike.

"To elevate the stage," said Augustus Thomas, at the Players' club in be an easy enough job if there weren't so many people like the new Shakespeare club.

ganization :

"'I understand your new Shakespeare club is a great success.'

"'Great success? You bet your sweet life it's a great success,' he answered warmly. 'Why, we accumulated enough in fines for nonattendance during the first month to take us all to tional amendment completely revising a box party at the musical comedy of the present judicial system. The Rob- priations. "Back Up Bettina."'"

In proportion to its size a fly walks 13 times as fast as a man can run.

cense gins and conduct hearings re-Many Measures Have Been Considered garding gin prices, etc., was engrossed by the house Friday. The Clark bill. establishing the John Tarlton Jr. A. and M. College at Stephenville was called up by Mr. Miller of Dallas and passed finally.

Friday's Senate Proceedings. Senator Buchanan of Bell introduced a concurrent resolution providing for a committee from both houses to draft a bill for a complete revision of the tax laws of the state.

board and a manager or superintend-

ent, and as further amended Friday

by striking out sections authorizing

the commissioner to regulate and li-

The subcommittee named to make recommendations in regard to an in-

Friday's House Proceedings.

When the "bone dry" submission resolution was called up it was passed to engrossment with two votes shy of the necessary two-thirds to pass the resolution finally.

Considerable wrangling took place before the submission resolution was engrossed, and it was threatened that a constitutional convention would be called if the prohibition question was

Austin, Tex .- The house appropriations committee Thursday refused to ficiency item of \$2,550 for water, fuel and light for the governor's mansion, or a deficiency item of \$300 for labor discussed by the house Saturday-one and employes for the governor's mansion. The vote in committee, which followed the receipt of a subcommittee's report, was 5 to 4 in favor of striking out these deficiency appro-

bills.

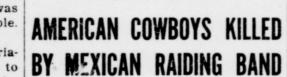
permit public utilities corporations to mutilated, were found on the Mexican condemn property in the same man- side three miles south of monument ner as the state and cities do, was No. 53. visions were eliminated from the meas. killed, the enacting clause being strick-

The Buchanan of Scurry bill relative

San Antonio, Tex .- Coincident with the reopening of the American embassy in Mexico the big army of national guardsmen concentrated on the border will be in process of dissolution. Orders were issued by the war department Saturday directing Major General Funston to begin the immediate demobilization of the all-guard units, including Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, remaining in border camps and it is expected that the last troop train will be on its way north by March 7.

General Funston still will have on the border nearly fifty thousand troops of the regular army disposed along the line from Brownsville to Yuma. Ariz.

Secretary Baker emphasized that the withdrawal of the state troops is in Germany, but carries out a policy determined on long ago by the administration. The order was issued after General Funston had reported that with the new disposition of rebels he felt that he had enough men to meet any exigencies that might arise. The number of guardsmen to be demobilized under the order is about 53,000.



Bodies of Men Kidnaped When Mexicans Crossed Boundary on Raid

Are Found.

Hachita, N. M.-Lem Spillsbury, Mormon scout, and companions Thursday discovered the bodies of Andrew P. Peterson, Hugh Acord and Burton It being senate bill day, the house Jensen, American cowboys kidnaped devoted most of the morning to senate Monday when Mexican bandits raided the Corner ranch sixty miles south-First, the Caldwell bill, which would west of Hachita. The bodies, badly

> According to the story told by Spillsbury and companions, each victim had been shot in the head several times

since late Monday. Spillsbury, who

served as scout with Major General

According to information gathered,

A majority of the population looked

rebels in Northern Chihuahua. "We

remember Columbus," said one. It

was recalled that Villa before his raid

on Columbus sent a warning that he

It was considered likely that the



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bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under omel now. Your druggist will tell you my personal money-back guarantee that the sale of calomel is almost no way connected with the crisis with that each spoonful will clean your stopped entirely here.-Adv.

> Shipping Fever Eye, Epizootic, Distemper and all nose and throat diseases cured, and all others, so matter how "exposed." kept from having any of these diseases with SPOHN'S DISTEMPER COMPOUND. Three to six doses often cure a case. One 50-cent bottle guaranteed to do so. Best a case. One 50-cent bottle guaranteed to do so. Bese thing for brood mares; acts on the blood. 50c a bottle, \$5 dozen bottles. Druggists and harness shops or manufacturers sell it. Agents wanted. SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists, Goshen, Ind., U. S. A.

Absinthe-Minded. "Did you hear how Bill queered himelf last night?"

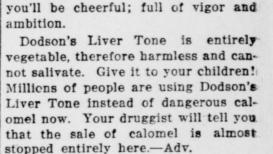
"No, what was it about?" "Well, he was at his girl's house, and he was talking to her father when it happened. You know Bill is a little absent-minded at times, and that aused the trouble. The old gentleman said to Bill: 'Are you twenty-one yet?"

"And Bill-"

"The darn fool blurted out: 'Yes I'll take a little bourbon." "-Michigan Gargoyle.

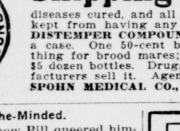
STOP THOSE SHARP SHOOTING PAINS "Femenina" is the wonder worker for all female disorders. Price \$1.00 and 50c. Adv.

Telephone lines in use in the United States during the year 1912 amounted to 20.248.326 miles.



Influenza, Pink

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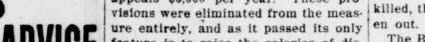
When the stomach and liver are in good working order, in ninety-nine cases out of every hundred general good health prevails.

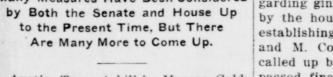
Green's August Flower has proven a blessing and has been used all over the civilized world during the last fifty odd civilized world during the last fifty odd years. It is a universal remedy for weak stomach, constipation and nerv-ous indigestion. A dull headache, bad taste in the mouth in the morning, or that "tired feeling" are nature's warn-ings that something is wrong in the digestive apparatus. At such times Green's August Flower will quickly correct the difficulty and establish a normal candition. At all druggists or normal condition. At all druggists' or dealers', 25c and 75c bottles.



LOSSES SURELY PREVENTED

**A FRIEND'S** 





Austin, Tex .- A bill by Messrs. Cald-

well and Gibson was passed finally by the senate Saturday which, if it becomes a law, will make all bonds issued under and by virtue of the federal farm loan act lawful investment

JUDICIAL SALARY BILL PASSED

accepted as security for all public de-A Cascaret to-night will make you posits where deposits or bonds or vestigation of the university trouble

chartered or transacting business un-

# der the laws of Texas, where invest-

ments are required or permitted, and providing that where such bonds are secured by notes or other obligations, New York, "to elevate the stage would the payment of which is secured by not submitted to a vote of the people. mortgage, deed of trust or other valid lien upon real estate situated in the

state, then such bond or bonds shall "I said to the treasurer of this or- be regarded for investment purposes carry in the appropriation bill a deby insurance companies as Texas securities.

Only two matters of legislation were the Robertson bill to increase judicial salaries, and the other the De Bogory joint resolution proposing a constitu-

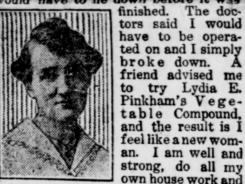
ertson bill was passed finally, 71 to 38, amended, however, very materially. Originally it provided that judges

of the supreme court and court of criminal appeals should receive \$7,000 per year and judges of the courts of civil appeals \$6,000 per year. These pro-

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Woman Saved From a Serious Surgical Operation.

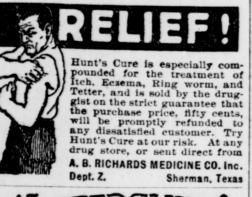
Louisville, Ky.—"For four years I suffered from female troubles, head-aches, and nervousness. I could not sleep. had no appetite and it hart me to yould have to lie down before it was



own house work and have an eight pound baby girl. I know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved me from an operation which every woman dreads." - Mrs. NELLIE FISHBACK, 1521 Christy Ave., Louisville, Ky.

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feature is to raise the salaries of district judges to \$3,600 per year, instead to the amending of city charters met of \$3,000 as at present. The De Bogory joint resolution was to engross it.

passed to engrossment by a vote of 80 to 27. This is fifteen votes short of the ninety-five that will be required to ing" bill came up for discussion, but pass it finally.

Saturday's Senate Proceedings. The Farm Loan bank bond bill mak-

ng all bonds of the bank conform to honor. senator Lattimore had the bill pro-

ty can come under it. The bill authorizing the state to pur-

to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegemerce to be used as the Northeast charges against Governor Ferguson Texas State Normal passed.

tion seeking to have the legislature go The resolution was tabled. on record favoring the location of the an. I am well and strong, do all my government armor plate plant at Gainesville.

> Saturday's House Proceedings. nal, appellate and district judges was years was finally passed. finally passed.

in Texas was engrossed.

Representative O'Bannion of Marlower house providing for the appoint- the senate Wednesday tabled Senator Salazar made to him at Ojitos, the ment of a committee of seven to in- Johnson's resolution providing for an purport of which was that he (Salavestigate the charges against the gov- investigation of certain acts of Gov- zar) intended to raid an American

troduced in the senate.

Austin, Tex .- The statewide tick as follows:

eradication bill, a bill prohibiting the Ayes-Bailey, Bee, Caldwell, Clark, and children would be protected. owning and operating of pool and bil- Dayton, Dean, Floyd, Gibson, Hall, liard halls for profit, a bill limiting Harley, Henderson, Hopkins, Huds- border from Ojitos to deliver Salazar's campaign expenses in municipal elec- peth, Johnston of Harris, King, Mc- demand for the ransom, his Mexican tions, and a bill creating a junior Agri- Collum, Page, Parr, Woodward—19. wife was held as a hostage and Spencultural and Mechanical College at Noes-Alderdice, Buchanan of Bell, cer said he was told by Salazar that Stephenville were among the impor- Buchanan of Scurry, Decherd, Johnson she would be shot if he did not return. A. B. RICHARDS MEDICINE CO. Inc. tant measures passed by the senate of Hall, Lattimore, McNealus, Robbins, Friday Smith, Strickland, Suiter, Westbrook

The tick eradication bill is the com- -12.

mittee substitute for the original Hud- In the house Wednesday Mr. Estes RAILROADS ORGANIZE FOR speth senate bill and provides for introduced a bill creating a new state dividing the state into three zones, normal to be located at Calvert, and DEFENSE OF UNITED STATES from north to south, and is the bill Mr. Spradley a bill requiring all food agreed upon by a large delegation of articles containing glucose to be so cattlemen representing every section labeled.

of the state. Only one amendment The house passed finally the senale was made, and that transferred Kin- bill by Mr. Strickland making an apney county from zone 1 to zone 2. propriation of \$65,000 for co-operative The bill provides for compliance with work in fighting malaria in eighty

the law requiring compulsory dipping counties in East Texas. in zone 1 by March 1, 1919; in zone 2 Wednesday's Senate Proceeding . by March 1, 1920, and in zone 3 by After Senator Johnson of Hall ad March 1, 1922. The vote on final pas- introduced a resolution calling fo an which will work in conjunction with sage was 24 to 1. An effort will be investigation of the governor and his the commanders of the four departmade to have the bill passed in the actions, Governor Ferguson addressed ments of the United States army. W.

house at once. By a vote of 20 to 7 the senate pass- cusations in the resolution. The reso- Pennsylvania railroad, sent word to ed finally a bill which is a composite lution was tabled after much wrang. the White House saying that this was of the senate bills by Mr. Dean and Mr. ling. Wednesday's House Proceedings.

Tuesday's Senate Proceedings. The senate concurred in the house's independents' " pipe line bill. The employers' liability bill was

county was passed to the third reading. passed after several amendments had been added to it.

Acord's head had been mutilated with a similar fate when the house refused a machete. The clothing had been

torn from all three and there were nu-Thursday's Senate Proceedings. merous cuts and bruises indicating, it Representative Holland's "moochwas believed, a desperate struggle of the Americans against heavy odds. was tabled. Search had been kept up continually

Ceneral John A. Hulen was invited to address the senate, and he spoke only a few words acknowledging the

Pershing's punitive expedition in Mexmas Lake region, was one of the first a resolution calling for in thestigaviding for the creation of juvenile tion of Senator Johnson of Hall, who to volunteer his services. beards changed so that Tarrant coun- had called for an investigation of the Acord, Peterson and Jensen, unarmed. governor. This was also tabled. late Monday rode into the camp of the Twelve senators signed a resolution chase the Commercial College at Com- introduced Thursday asking that Mexicans. They were immediately made prisoners. by Senator Johnson of Hall be refer-Senator Dayton introduced a resolu- red to the house for further action. with apprehension on movements of

> Thursday's House Proceedings. The senate bill which would allow public service corporations to condemn land as counties do was killed.

The Robertson bill increasing the The senate bill remitting Galveston. salaries of supreme, civil and crimi- county taxes for another period of ten band which killed the American cowboys returned to the Salazar forces at The appropriation committee refused Ojitos.

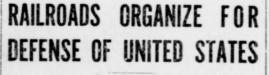
The house joint resolution which to carry in the appropriation bill a Ed Bunk Spencer, the American neproposes a constitutional amendment deficiency item of \$2,550 for fuel, gro ranch foreman for the E. K. Warchanging the entire system of courts water and light for the governor's ren & Sons interests, who reached the mansion. border late Tuesday with a demand for

a ransom of \$5,000, also brought a shall introduced a resolution in the Austin, Tex.-By a vote of 19 to 12 statement which he claimed Jose Ynez ernor as set out in the resolution in- ernor Ferguson. This action came border town which would surpass after a debate that lasted all day. Villa's raid at Columbus, N. M., and

The vote tabling the resolution was in which all "men of gringoland will have to take care," but that women

was coming.

While Spencer made the trip to the



New York .--- The railroads of the United States this week informed President Wilson that the resources of their organization are at the disposal of the government in the event of war Presidents or other officials of eighteen of the roads were appointed a special committee on national defense, the senate on invitation, denying ac- W. Atterbury, vice president of the

The Cuban Revolution.

sistant criminal attorneys for Harris Santiago de Cuba.-When liberal forces took possession of the sugar mill at Palma Soriano, owned by Presi-

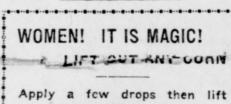
the plan of the railroads.

A bill was introduced creating the dent Menocal, Saturday, they captured The senate committee to investigate Central Texas normal, to be located at two brothers of the president. The

The Johnston bill providing for as-

A torpid liver condition prevents proper food assimilation. Tone up your liver with Wright's Indian Vegetable Pills. They act gently and surely. Adv.

Belgian war airplanes are sometimes decorated with brownies or other grotesque figures.



corns or calluses off with fingers-no pain. 

> Just think ! You can lift off any corn or callus without pain or soreness. A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it freezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of freezone, like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the shortly you will find the remedy. Price \$1.00 and 50c .- Adv. corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off. dries instantly. It doesn't

eat away the corn or cal- After marriage has opened a blind out even irritating the surrounding skin.

Hard, soft or corns be- A well known actress gives the follow-

sale drug house .- adv.

#### Keep Them Busy.

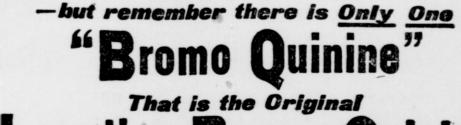
"I'm a man of few words." "Maybe, but you seem to give what ew you have plenty of work."

An integral part of the modern loco- More than 30,000 government civil weighs nearly seven tons.

notive-the cast steel side frame- employees are paid less than \$820 a year each.

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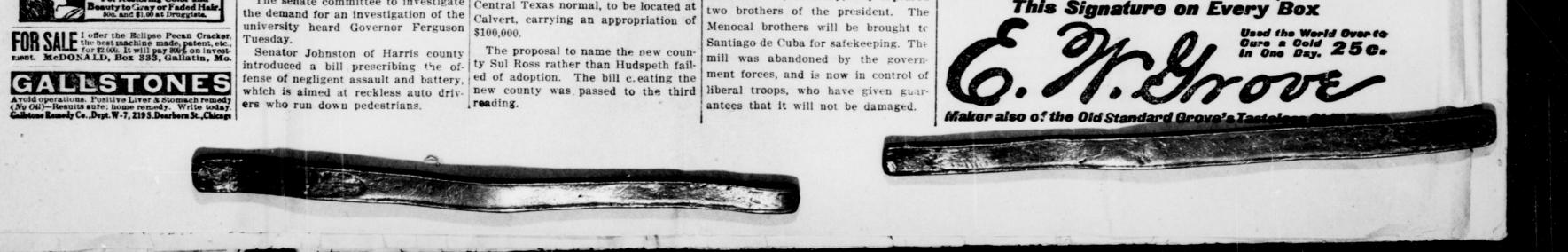
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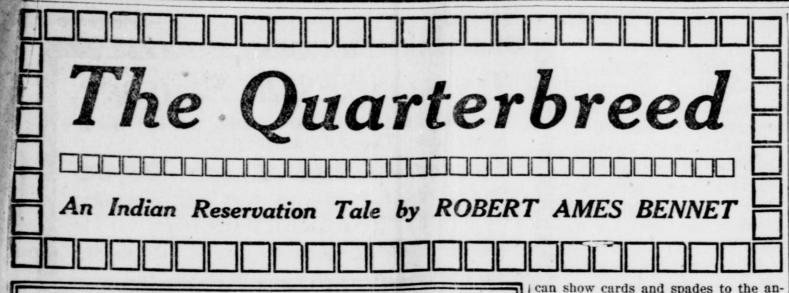
The wall flower at a ball is often

the only girl present who can bake bread.

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OLLOWING the killing of Agent Nogen and threats of an outbreak among the Indians, Capt. Floyd Hardy, U. S. A., goes to Lakotah reservation as acting agent to quell the trouble. He is wounded from ambush, and falls in love with Marie Dupont, who nurses him. She neither accepts nor refuses his proposal of marriage, because she and Vandervyn are intimates. Hardy learns the Indians are disaffected because Marie's father, Jacques Dupont, a wily post trader, and Reginald Vandervyn, agency clerk and nephew of Senator Clemmer, have cheated them in an illegal tribal mine deal, and purposes to right the wrong. He makes friends with the tribesmen and calls a council at the mine. What occurs there-how desperate conspirators work against the captain-is told in this installment.

#### CHAPTER XIV-Continued. \_8\_

Hardy was greeted with a murmur chiefs to sign two copies of the memoof welcome and admiration, and the randum. This statement was unhesicrowd made a path through their tatingly interpreted by Redbear, and midst to the inner ring of the chiefs. the chiefs, who knew by experience Followed by Redbear, Vandervyn and that most agency papers were signed Oinna, he walked along the passage in duplicate, made their crosses and between the living walls of silent, thumb-prints as fast as Vandervyn

furtive-eyed Indians, and seated himwrote their names on the two papers. self on the blanket that had been Oinna ventured to whisper to her spread for him beside old Ti-owabrother that the papers did not look konza. Shortly before the start down alike. He hastily repeated the remark into the valley Vandervyn had again to Vandervyn. The girl cringed close borrowed his superior's writing pad to her grandfather. But Vandervyn and fountain pen. He now sat down showed no anger. He smiled at her at Hardy's shoulder, with the pad and in a manner that brought a blissful pen ready. glow into her soft eyes, and explained

After a ceremonious silence the that one paper gave the proceedings head chief's crier announced the pur- of the council in full, while the other the two white men and the pair of Inpose of the council. This was fol- consisted of brief notes. He then mur- dian police emerged from the canyon lowed by declamations from three or- mured to her something that at first of Sioux creek into the agency valley, ators, whose main purpose seemed to brought a shadow into her joyous face, be to give an exhibition of their abil- but in the end left her radiant with ity in painting word pictures. When happiness.

they had finished, Ti-owa-konza arose, and warmed the hearts of his people had signed the papers and Redbear to the tribe.

rock, nor did he hear the smooth explanation that the agent wanted the

eat crow as if it were quail!" rallied Vandervyn with seemingly genial sarcasm. "Do I understand that my resignation is accepted?"

"If you insist."

make the return trip as equals," said Vandervyn, and, as if freed from all rancor by the thought, he fell into a mood of suave gayety.

Vandervyn was still as gay and goodhumored as at the start of the journey. He even volunteered to inter-

vene for Hardy with Marie. When the leading men of the tribe with an impassioned eulogy of their and Oinna had attested as witnesses, offer," replied Hardy in rather a stiff new friend, the chief of the Long- Vandervyn thrust the documents into tone. "If Dupont is at home, may I knives, who had come to be a father his pocket and went to rejoin Hardy. ask you to send him to the office?"

As he handed over the paper that "Certainly," replied Vandervyn, and sive. Haray attributed the girl's half-Hardy then explained the good that Hardy had signed, he remarked that, all the way down to the agency he somber quietness to his presence. As had resulted on other reservations if there was no objection, Redbear chatted genially. When they came to they left the supper table, he asked the taking of land in severalty. and his sister would remain in the the level behind the warehouse, he Dupont to come to the office. and advised that the council name a mountains with their grandfather un- waved his hand in friendly parting. Marie and Vandervyn followed them delegation of chiefs to go at once to til word should be received from the "S'long. See you later. Be sure to as far as the parlor, where the young government for the tribal delegation chop off your whiskers in time for man dropped into the easiest chair, supper. You'll need to look your with a disgusted, "Lord! he makes me "You are ready to return to the best." weary-all that benevolent blatter!"

Vandervyn shrugged, smiled good-

humoredly, and vaulted into his sad-

Still doubtful of his companion,

"Every little thing counts on promo- | a just price for their mineral lands. | tion-like merit marks at school." | Don't look so shocked, Miss Canada. "You see!" agreed Hardy. "I can't It's the regular way such things are vyn. "I've told you why. I'll fix it pretend to altruism. I am ambitious handled in all representative govern- so we'll get the mine and maybe someto stand well in my profession. If I ments-ours, the Canadian and Eng- thing else-and I'll fix Hardy !"

detail, I put merit marks on my rec- French-all the same." ord, as Mr. Vandervyn has so aptly expressed it." like to hear you speak in that cynical Marie's challenging gaze softened, tone."

and she looked thoughtfully down at her white hands.

selfishness?" she murmured. The appearance of the Indian boy the bulk of the appropriation, and in the dining room doorway checked give the tribe the percentage-or

nothing." Hardy's reply. "I cannot believe that even your During supper the girl remained government will permit its officials to unusually thoughtful and silent. Har-

gels! I'm out for the good things of dy discussed with Dupont plans for rob either the tribe or the people of life, and I make no bones over it. But the instruction of the tribe in agricul- the country," declared Marie. "There solitary meal. He knocked at his that doesn't prevent me from being a ture. The idea had occurred to him cannot be a majority of dishonest con- daughter's door. After quite a delay blooming benefactor as well. If you that the government might permit him gressmen." wish to know the real reason why I'm to build an irrigation system for the resigning, it's because I have planned farming lands of the tribe, using Into go on to Washington with the dele- dian laborers, and paying for the gation, and pull wires to get the tribe work out of money appropriated for a big slice of graft for their mineral the sale of the mineral lands. When

Vandervyn chose to listen, it was lands." Hardy saw the frank sincerity in his with a half-amused smile that did not companion's eyes, and responded to always cover the underlying cynical the assertion with an instant apology: irony. Most of the time he devoted "Mr. Vandervyn, I beg your pardon himself to an attempt to rally Marie for misjudging you. At times your out of her thoughtfulness. Instead conduct has been ill-advised, but I of responding, she became more pen-

no longer doubt your good intentions." "It takes an officer and gentleman to

"I do. Now that is settled. We

#### CHAPTER XV.

#### A Lover's Promise.

When, midafternoon of the next day,

"It is very kind of you to make the

committees and the plea of party loyalty and log-rolling. But that's not my fault, sweetheart. You know I-" "I know you've yet to receive per-

mission to call me that!" broke in the girl.

Vandervyn bit his lip. "You forget I am going away."

"Back to Washington-and your fiancee !"

"Quite true. And I'm going to stay, unless there is some inducement for me to return here," he rejoined. It was Marie's turn to bite her lip. "How can you say that, when you know that I-that I-"

"I told you how it was, and why I cannot break off with her until-" He stepped nearer, his eyes aglow with passionate allurement. "You know I love you, only you, Marie! And you love me, sweetheart !"

eyes and pleading voice, all her reserve melted. Instead of eluding his advance, she swayed forward, and per-He crushed her to him, and showered girl.

kisses on her lips and blushing cheeks -upon her dusky hair when, overhis shoulder.

mine! Say it!"

pered. Submissive and loving as was the

reply, it struck the ardent smile from Vandervyn's face. His embrace relaxed, and for a moment he stood staring over the girl's head, his lip between his teeth.

"Tum !" grunted Dupont. "Mine and all !" repeated Vander-

make a good showing when given a lish parliaments, the German, the "Didn't know you was still so down on him. Wasn't it all smoothed over? The girl's eyes clouded. "I do not You been acting that way."

"Wait and see me rub his fur the other way! I'll put over a game on "Oh. it's not because I don't be- him that-" Vandervyn checked the lieve in democratic government. In disclosure, and began asking ques-"Isn't even self-sacrifice a form of despotic countries the regular proce- tions about the traits of the five dure would be for the officials to take chiefs chosen as tribal delegates.

Half an hour after sunrise Dupont came jogging back home, his heavy

face set in a satisfied grin. The complacency of his look lessened when he entered, and saw the Indian boy removing the evidences of someone's she called to him that he might enter. "No; the big majority are honest He found her seated at the foot of the

fools. They are managed by means of bed, with a little leather-bound book in her lap. Though her eyelids were swollen, she met him with her usual look of quiet self-possession.

> "You let Cap eat alone," he remarked. "Don't call that being hospit'le, do you?"

"If he had been more considerate, Reggie could have remained until the delegation leaves," coldly replied the

"Well, we got to keep in with him till Mr. Van gits things fixed. You see, if he gits mad and reports on us to Washington, we'll git kicked off the reservation and barred from any chance of the mine."

#### "Did Reggie say that?"

"Yep. It's why, he says, he leaves it to you to keep quiet about the engagement. If you let on about it to Hardy, he's likely to git jealous and Under the enticement of his soft put Senator Clemmer next. That would queer the whole deal at this stage of the game."

"I do not believe that Captain Hardy mitted him to take her in his arms, would do such a thing," declared the

"All right. Mr. Van leaves it to you to tell him, if you want to. I come, she pressed her face against ain't saying Cap mayn't be a straightlaced in everything else. But when He quivered with the joy of mas- it comes to being dead gone on a girl tery and possession. "You are mine- like you, and at his age, too-needn't tell me he won't do his level best to "I-I will marry you!" she whis- put Mr. Van out of the running any

way he can." The girl sprang up, her eyes afire with a flare of unreasoning anger. "He shall not !" she cried. "Reggie is coming back !"

"He won't have no chance to if it leaks out about you and him going to git married."



Washington and ask for the confirmation of the new treaty. More than to come on to Washington. once during Redbear's interpretation

with me."

dle.

within.

of the acting agent's statements Oinna agency with me?" asked Hardy. betrayed surprise. Ti-owa-konza no-"We can start at once, if you wish," assented Vandervyn. ticed this sooper than Hardy. He spoke to his granddaughter. The girl "Le will," faid Hardy. "The girl cast a timid look at Vandervyn and shall remain here, and you will come

hesitated. Her brother smiled cunningly and said: "It's all right. Tell him."

"What's that?" queried Hardy. "Nothing-nothing, sir," quavered

the girl. "Only, Charlie-he added Oinna in lead, and rode over to where something to what you said."

"I put in that you and Mr. Van the brother and sister stood in the would try to get them big pay for midst of their grandfather's immedithe mineral lands," boldly explained ate family. When the girl confirmed Vandervyn's statement that she wished Redbear.

"Surely you've no objection to that, captain," remarked Vandervyn. "Was that all?" Hardy asked the

girl. "Yes, sir. He only-"

"Very well. I have no objection to the statement. But I now must decidedly insist upon an exact interpretation of what I say. Miss Redbear, you will tell me at once if your the envelope and read the brief note brother either fails to interpret what I tell him or makes any additions-"

"Ye-s, sir, if-" faltered Oinna. Her man with a level glance, "your rescovert glance of appeal met with a ignation-to take effect at once. It is reassuring smile from Vandervyn. She dated yesterday." ventured to look up at Hardy, and her voice became steadier: "Yes, sir, of sented a week ago if I'd had the course. Only Charlie was just trying slightest idea you were going to insult to help, and he won't do it again."

Hardy resumed his explanations and advice. When he had finished, several more orators had to exhibit their eloquence. The council then proceeded to accept the acting agent's advice and name a delegation. As Ti-owa-konza insisted that he was too old to venture so long a journey among the white men, five of the younger subchiefs and headmen were chosen to represent the tribe.

During the closing ceremonies of the council Vandervyn leaned forward beside Hardy, and showed him an abbreviated but accurate memorandum of the proceedings.

"It's as well to have these things in black and white," he suggested. "We could get the chiefs to sign this before the council breaks up."

"Very good. A record may be valuable for future reference," agreed Hardy.

He rapidly read the writing, interpolated a few words, added a line, and gave it to Redbear to interpret.

When the council acknowledged the "I've Had Enough of Your Bullying." accuracy of the memorandum, Hardy signed it, and asked the chiefs to add their marks, with Redbear and Oinna acting as witnesses. At this Vandervyn volunteered to serve as penman, and officiously ordered Redbear to bring the chiefs over to a nearby "I see," said Hardy. He reflected a eral misunderstanding of motive to moment, and remarked: "There seems captain," she remarked with frank ?" veniently make their marks on the cept your resignation, if you insist were unduly harsh, but I now underpaper.

Hardy offered no objection to this. The council had finished its work, and there was nothing suspicious about man now-not your clerk."

"Of course he is doing it merely Dupont soon clumped into the agency office, fairly oozing with jovial to help himself 'n his career," murfriendliness. mured Marie.

"Howdy! Howdy, Cap!" he greet-"Or to get the handling of the tried. "Marie, she seys she'll cok to bal frids," suggested Vandervyn. see you at supper. Mr. Van says you "There is the slice of graft for wanted to see me. Anything I can somebody out of all those millions."

do, Cap, just call on me. I'm ready "You really think that?" "What else can you expect-governto call quits now, if you are." Hardy accepted the proffered hand, ment on one side and Poor Lo on the

Hardy took the ponies of Redbear and and exchanged a cordial grip. other? It's the usual thing. I ex-"This pleases me very much, Du- pect to get my share." pont," he responded. "We will all "You?" exclaimed the girl, her eyes now work together for the tribe. I widening with a look of astonishment

give you my best wishes that you and reproach. may win the mine." to remain in the mountains, he took "We got a fair show to, seeing as "Wait a bit before you dig up your ceremonious leave of the noble old how you ain't going to let on about it tomahawk, Miss Sitting Bull. If I

chief, and rode off to rejoin his party. in your report. Now, just tell me succeed in getting the tribe fifteen During the brief interval Vanderwhat I can do for you." vyn's gay humor had disappeared. He "Merely a few words as interpre- that was talked about, it strikes me met Hardy with a frown, and held out one of the letters that he had written

police at once to ride over to the a nice little percentage as commisthat morning. Seeing that it was adrailroad with these telegrams and let- sion." dressed to himself, Hardy tore open ters. The sooner I receive instrucyou should have good pay for proving tions to send the delegation to Washington, the better."

"So," he said, fixing the younger "That's no lie. Mr. Van says the money can't be appropriated till con- he added, his blue eyes glowing goldgress meets, but the treaty is fixed up en with ardor. "I don't want all my so's the amount can be settled on and pay in money. How about an advance the reservation ordered divided up by royalty in-something else?" "It would have been dated and prethe treaty commission."

toward her. She blushed and retreat-"Ah !" exclaimed Hardy. "We may ed around the tea table. get the agricultural lands allotted in "No, no," she remonstrated. "I told time for the planting of winter wheat. Come; we will send off these tele- you we must wait until-until you are grams and letters."

the mountains, not one of the police but was more than willing to serve the new agent. Two of the younger men were soon cantering away down the valley on their best ponies, proud of the fact that they had been chosen

freed from your-cousin." "Wait?" he rejoined. "You're try-Since the return of the party from ing to play me against that tinfoil

hero. Do you think I'm going to stand for that? I'll have to go on at once, and fix things so that the delegation will not have to hang round the capitol all winter."

"You will have to leave before the to make the night ride to the railroad. doloretton?" The girl was almost dis-

> at the unexpectedness of the cement. have to go at once," repeated

vyn, frowning. "I thought of he would have told me before his messages. I could have led them for him that the game have started off without a As it is, he has messed things a way that will require the e of a good lobbyist to pull game in any kind of shape to

mot like the way you speak a game, lobbying," murmured

ervyn smiled condescendingly. ear girl, a crooked deal can brough the devious ways of

ie. An honest, straightforward bowlder, where they could more con- to be no reason why I should not ac- rectness. "I still consider that you stron's pulling to get as far as the

> stand that you meant well and per-"But you will use only honest meth-"I do," said Vandervyn. "I've had haps had some excuse. Reggie says ods in your lobbying?"

enough of your bullying. I'm a free that we are all to work together for "What else?" queried Vandervyn, Vandervyn suddenly changed his the good of the tribe."

"I-love-you!" she murmured, quick to sense the change that had come upon him.

At the candid confession his eyes again glowed, and again he crushed her to him.

"You love me! You own it!" he dler shall not prevent!" cried. "You are mine!" "No !"

With a sudden, violent thrust for which he was all unprepared, she burst from his clasp and sprang clear of him.

"What is it?" he muttered, staring at her, half bewildered.

"Oh!" she cried. "It was the way you- Oh! how could you?" She put up her hands, like a child, to hide the scarlet that flamed in her cheeks. "Go, please go! You have made me tell- And I have promised to marry Vandervyn laughed amusedly. you-when you come back."

"If I do come back," qualified Vandervyn in a flash of chagrin.

or twenty millions, instead of the five Marie drew herself up to her full height, the color ebbing from her face. ter," said Hardy. "I wish one of the they could afford to allow yours truly Her voice was as cold as her eyes. "Do you wish to free me from my promise?"

"Oh, Reggie, pardon me! Of course "Never !" he burst out. "You'd give yourself to Hardy. He shan't have yourself such a friend to the tribe." you. You've promised-you said it." "And to each member of the tribe!" "Not now-not yet-not until you come back to me, free from your cousin. Leave me, I asked you to go."

When he perceived the look in her eyes, he picked up his hat and left He had risen, and was coming the house without attempting to argue. She closed the door, and hastened into her dainty little bedroom, to sink on her knees before the crucifix at the foot of her bed.

#### CHAPTER XVI.

The Fighting Chance. Vandervyn was up before dawn. But Marie was up an hour earlier, and sent her father over to make sure that her lover came for the breakfast she had prepared for him. While he ate, she stocked his saddlebags for the trip, and gave the pinto a good feed of oats.

He tried to see her alone, and failed. She was too clever for him. But when he went out to mount, she permitted him a single parting kiss in the presence of her father.

Dupont had saddled one of his own ponies to "ride out" with the trayeler. As they jogged down the road in the dim starlight, he bit off a

chuckled.

Vandervyn. Marie has agreed to hitch up." s and the departments without

max r, such as this treaty, needs president's signature."

didn't intend to take you."

his eyes wide and guileless. "I wish tone: "I'm glad to hear you say it,

"Married!" The angry scarlet of the girl's cheeks deepened to a rose. Notes of indignation and joy mingled oddly in her half-murmured prediction: "He will come back! That med-

"You won't go and git Cap down on us, will you?" remonstrated Dupont. "Wait and see," she replied.

When, at the usual supper hour, Hardy presented himself at the Dupont door, his bearing was reserved and somewhat diffident. Dupont, who was alone in the parlor, genially bade him enter. But Hardy lingered in the doorway until Marie appeared.

"Pardon me, Miss Dupont," he said, as he met her look of surprise. "I came to say that if you do not consider it worth while to board me, I can make shift for myself."

"Indeed, but you shall not!" exclaimed the girl with a graciousness that brought a glow into his grave face. "What should we do without your company at table?"

"You are very kind to say it." She smiled. "Where have you been keeping yourself all day?"

"I rode up Wolf river to the falls. A canal to irrigate a large area could be led down from there, and later on



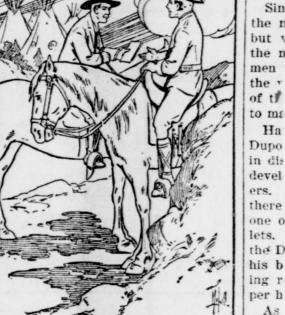
#### The Girl Sprang Up, Her Eyes Afire With Unreasoning Anger.

'chaw" of plug tobacco, squinted at I believe a dam could be constructed the vague form of his companion, and above the falls at a comparatively small cost. It would convert the val-"What's the joke?" irritably queried ley above into a large storage reser-

voir, to hold the winter floods." "'Tain't no joke, Mr. Van. Just the "You must show me your plans at same, it tickles me to know you and the falls themselves!" declared Marie with an enthusiasm more gratifying "Who said anything about an agreeto him than would have been a perment?" snapped the young man. sonal compliment.

"Now, now, keep on your shirt!" They went in to supper, earnestly soothed Dupont. "Marie wouldn't discussing his plans for the betterment never have let you kiss her if she of the tribe.

Do you believe that Marie



me as you did yesterday," Vandervyn

burst out angrily. "You'd have had it

self to borrow your pen and paper."

upon my acting on it."

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Vandervyn's suggestion that the "You will change your tone, sir, if "It pleases me very much to hear to earn my commission all free and Jake. You see, she does not altobowlder would afford an easy place you wish to ride in my company," said you say it." above-board. You need not be sur- gether like the idea of keeping quiet for the chiefs to sign. He rose and Hardy, with a cool self-control that "What interest have you in helping prised, however, if a big slice of graft about our engagement-our betrothal, returned to his mare, while the crowd checked the other's anger. them?" she queried, evidently reluc- is deducted from the amount appropri- you would say in Canada. But if flocked off to the bowlder after their "Gad! if only you weren't such a tant to believe his motives unselfish, ated to pay the tribe." Hardy should hear of it, he probably chiefs. He did not see Vandervyn self-righteous prig!" exclaimed the "It means a good mark on his of- "How dishonest!" would notify my uncle. Then goodby lay out two papers on the top of the younger man. "You're so sure you ficial record," bantered Vandervyn. "It's the only way to get the tribe mine and all."

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Marie

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as crooked as her father and lover? Will Hardy eventually be able to get a square deal for the Indians?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

1:11 :





There seems to be a tendency on the part of the government to day from a short trip to San

Chas. E. Reamer returned Sun- Pythias Lodge of that city.

on the part of the government to	Antonio	George Herzing and daughter,	ich of printing the commones	Automobile, Stage and Express Line
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should be investigated and a		Antonio Friday where Mrs. Bless	mene myreacions for the mgn	BETWEEN
Federal Board regulate the prices.	a stock of magazines on sale at	received medical attention.	pender ento jear, and the class	
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will cause disaster to the people		Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Veltmann		SPUTTORD and DRACKETT
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	tasty smokers at the California	where they had spent a couple of	Owen W Vincent T S Denter	
Tet what you ware have some	Exchange.	days the guest of relatives.	Owen, W. Vincent, T. S. Benton	
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greater knowledge and power in			Spofford attending a meeting of	
things, and not step aside and	ing Monday morning.	the California Exchange.	the Masonic Lodge.	HENRY VELTMANN, Proprietor.
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like people, grow bigger and	dow oftomoon from San Antonia			
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upon American territory and	Test Olash	you can find out for your self:	and Mrs. Frank Rose, Jr., and	& Paint And Repair Now! &
enamy in the murder of Ameri-			Rudolph, John Filippone and Joe	
cans so soon after Pershing had		the Manhattan serves cool,	Rose motored to Del Rio Sunday	
	left last Fridry for their home in		morning returning the same	X
	Del Rio after a short visit with	way.	afternoon after a visit with	
from that Country.	relatives here.	Rev. Goodrich R. Fenner of	friends in that site	A
	Miss Corol Maddams laft that	Uvalde was here Sunday and		fall. Make your necessary building
The House and Senate want to	latter part of last week after an	conducted services in the man	nev. Robert Fame of Sabinal.	
investigate the Governor the	latter part of last week after and	ing and evening at the Esigen	abbibted by neer. marold fr.	* *
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Pro and Anti leaders are having	O. H. McAdams, and family.	Church.	meeting every evening at 7:39 at	ğ Eagle Pass Lumber Co. ğ
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New Magazine Store.

We learn that a new Magazine store will be opened in the very near future in the building formerly occupied by Miss Beulah Jones and her Novelty Store, and will be under the management of Mrs. E. Ward and Mrs. Laura, Gilson, and who will keep besides their line of magazines other lines of goods for sale. What this other line will be has not yet been stated.

The need of a magazine store has long been a pressing one in this community, and now that one will be opened for the benefit of the people, the reading public of this place will be glad to have the opportunity that they have desired and wished for, and that it will be patronized liberally is evident from the satisfaction expressed by all who have long desired to see such a store open its doors.

#### Gladys Young.

Miss Glady's Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Young of this City, died Saturday afternoon at 2:30 after a short illness with pneumonia, her life measuring but fifteen short years.

Miss Young was well known in this county and city, as her parents have made this County, the northern part, their home for some time, and moved into town when the school term began so that the children, six in all, could attend the school. So, surviving the young lady are three brothers, two sisters and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Young.

The remains were shipped Sunday afternoon to Livingston in Eastern Texas where they were

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School Notes.

Already the "Commencement Bee" is beginning to buz around within the classic walls of our High School.

The new basket ball court was put up this week on the boys' yard and a new ball has been ordered for the boys.

The Senior Class has selected the style of invitations to be used at commencement this year; and have also chosen "the class flower" and "class colors" "Purple and Gold" are the colors and the "Marechal Niel" is the "Class Flower".

This week closes the sixth month of this session of the Brackettville Public Schools, leaving three more months yet to be taught; and so far, it has been a most satisfactory term to the teachers, as the pupils have been attending as regularly as could be expected, and most all of them have worked hard to make a good record in their studies.

This week has been a busy one in our schools, on account of being the last week of the month, calling for many examinations and tests in the grades and subjects in the course of study. Next week the pupils will all get their monthly report cards for the month of February showing many details of their month's work, such as attendance, absence, tardiness, daily lesson work, and deportment.

Our Senior Class has three young ladies in it this year, Margie Seargeant, Velma Velt-

interred. Together with the many friends of the young lady and family the News-Mail extends its sincere condolences to the sorrowing family and relatives.

#### The Star's New Program.

The Star Theater has announced a change in their Universal Program, made by the Universal people themselves, and which new change will be welcomed by our people.

As has been customary, the Star has been showing the regular Universal program of three reels nightly, and the 5 reel Red Feather on Saturday. Now the Universal people have increased their program by an extra reel each night, making night, and it is not saying too four where there were three before. This addition will make the program all the more interesting and varied and will surely be welcomed by the Star's misses, were dressed in many patrons.

This addition will put our local program on a par with those showing in the big cities and where the Universal program is shown.

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enjoyment as their elders, and with Hobart Henley and Gertrude

#### Children Mask Ball.

The grownups had their mask ball Friday of the week before last; the children had their pleasure of a mask ball last Friday much to state that their enjoyment greatly exceeded that of the grownups.

The children, little tots and varied and pleasing costumes, although many preferred just to that. Many others, however, used ingenuity in their selection and there was merriment for all present. The little folks danced and enjoyed themselves until the you are: clock struck ten, when it was

concluded, after enjoying for a furnished by the 36th Infantry Orchestra.

When the younger folks concluded with their mask ball then the older folks held a dance.

The children had a happy time and all were delighted to have had the same opportunity of

from the way the tots speak of Selby, "A Child of Mystery". it it must have been the biggest time any of them ever had in spending an evening in an amusing and entertaining manner as

The Universal Program. The New Universal Program, better than ever, is out! Beginning Sunday, the 25th, there will duty, for these two little fellows Antonio. put a mask on and let it go at be shown at the Star every night certainly deserve it. Four reels instead of the features and enjoy them. Here Barksdale and Dooley Barber on the ranch Saturday.

few hours the merry music and Louise Lovely, "Stronger their widowed mother that makes week. Than Steel", Dan Russell in their case interesting. And in Plumber", and Universal Ani- to patronize these boys we do Saturday. mated Weekly 351; Monday, 2 not feel that we are getting out reel IMP with Edith Roberts and of our way or are doing a favor,

Harry Benham, "Toto of By- but justice to a cause that needs Ways", Gale Henry in JOKER, rewarding. "Tale of A Turk", and a Big U, "The Flash of Death"; Tuesday, 2 reel Bison with Edith Johnson

Fred Church, and "Sammy Jonsin Slumbers Not", A. B. Prior, F. W. Herbst was Elledge. and Rex with Madge Kirby, united in matrimony to Miss Lou nesday, 12th Episode "Liberty" by the Rev. Winter Green. with Jack Holt, Eddie Polo and The affair was quiet only imme-Marie Walcamp; Thursday, 3 diate relatives witnessing the reel Gold-Seal with special cast, ceremony.

Edith Roberts, Eddie Lyons and that Mr. Herbst had invested in Lee Moran in 'Practise What an automobile, and dame Rumor Mrs. H. Newman of Luling you Preach", a Nestor; Friday, intimated that something was arrived Thursday and joined her

Help the Boys.

the streets.

We feel that in saying a good Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Martin and word for two of them that we daughter Harriett are visiting are doing a good thing, and a friends and relatives in San

A Quiet Wedding

Shops and are doing good busi- Miss Laurel Jones of Knippa Beginning Sunday a two reel ness. But it is the fact that all visited her Brother Geo. Jones Laemmle with Allan Holubar their earnings are taken home to and family here several days this

Prof. T. S. Benton and Rev. L.KO, "The Perils Of A asking that all who need a shine H. W. Bennett visited in Uvalde

Saturday.

O. W. Zuehl attended the GH&SA RR Agents meeting in San Antonio Monday.

> Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Stendebach are visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Spofford Locals

"Giant At the home of the bride's Aubrey Tuttlebee of San Powder", Powers Cartoons, uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio is the guest of Leroy

Mrs. Randolph Curtis and "The Prodigal Daughter"; Wed- Anna Page, on Sunday evening children of Marfa are the guests of the Misses Curtis.

> Mrs. J. T. Green and daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell and children of Cline visited friends here Sunday.

mann and Thelma McIntosh, and they all stand close together in the quality of their school work, and there is but little difference in their average grades each month. They take it time about in leading the class; one will be a little ahead one month, and the next month another will be in the lead by a slight difference in the average monthly grades.

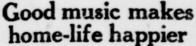
The teachers of the Brackettville Schools will be a happy bunch this afternoon as they will all receive their salaries for the month just closing, and out teachers all most fully appreciate this promptness by the School Board to pay each month's salaries promptly. In many towns the It is not often that one is Mr. and Mrs. A. L. York and teachers get their salaries only

they did at the school auditorium. impelled to say a word in favor Miss Charlotte Dudley of the 3 or 4 times a year, or else have of "shine" boys who stick around Las Moras visited friends here to dispose of their vouchers at a discount of 6 to 10 per cent.

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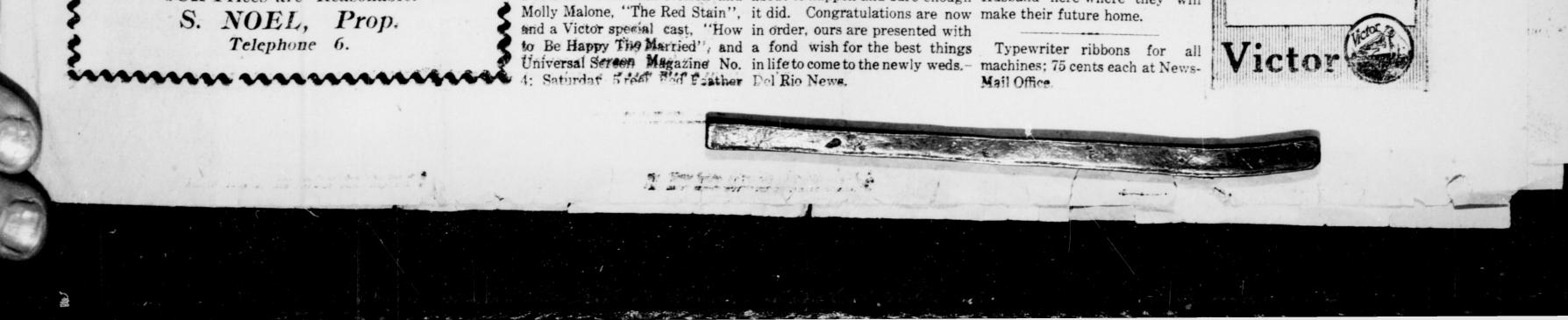
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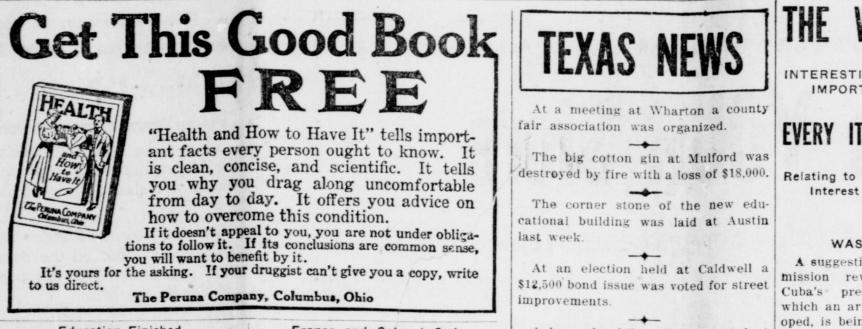
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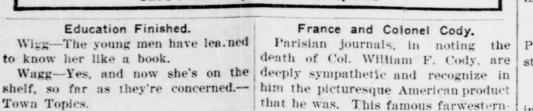
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in Palo Pinto county in March. The er, who was known in France as here as Buffalo Bill, on his arrival on the continent at the end of the last century was the sensation not of the hour but of the year, and his wide gray felt hat, with its narrow band of leather, It takes about ten minutes to prove was the fashion not alone in male headwear, but in feminine adornment. Thanks to him," says a French journal,/"Paris was made acquainted with the many diverse races of the new years, only 19.5 miles of new track World-redskins, negroes of Virginia. cowsboys and others of multiple origin, without counting East Indians, Chinese, Arabs and Cossacks of the Don. The youth of that day revered Colonel William Cody. Some time later they



iant and Remove Dandruff-Real Surprise for You.

A large dry kiln will be erected at Pittsburg, Texas, for the purpose of storing sweet potatoes.

-+-A prohibition election will be held

county has been dry for more than two years. The Texas insurance and banking department has granted a charter to

the Lone Star Mutual Insurance Company of Dallas.

Railroad construction in Texas last year reached the lowest ebb in forty

having been laid.

---Saturday approved city of Houston clared Woodrow Wilson and Thomas ter of 1918. bond issues of \$75,000 for water works R. Marshall president and vice presiand \$25,000 for paving.

The Jefferson county tax rate will recent years only a perfunctory means at 47.25c.

The first farm loan association for Scurry county has just been organized, Your hair becomes light, wavy, flufwith A. S. Berry, president; J. W. fy, abundant and appears as soft, lus- Berry, vice president, and J. P. Chambtrous and beautiful as a young girl's less, secretary-treasurer.

The public schools of Delhi have

been closed on account of the preva-

lence of a disease in that section. The

disease resembles spotted fever to

some extent, but so far physicians of

the county have been unable to cor-

rectly diagnose the malady.

after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this-moisten a cloth with a little A contract has been awarded by the Danderine and carefully draw it Adams Bayou Canal Company of The largest naval appropriation bill

through your hair, taking one small Orange for the building of one mile in the country's history was passed ernment's expenditures for the second strand at a time. This will cleanse addition to their canal near Orange. Tuesday in the house. It carries more quarter of the present year. This was the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil Besides the large rice acreage that will than \$368,000,000, provides for the sec- an increase of 900,000,000 frances over



IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS. EVERY ITEM A NEWS ITEM

Relating to the Latest Happenings of Interest Just now Throughout the World.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

A suggestion that an American commission review the returns from Cuba's presidential election, over which an armed revolution has developed, is being considered at the state department as one possible solution of the situation.

The postoffice appropriation bill, carrying \$332,000,000, was passed by the senate Friday and sent back to the house, which will ask for a conference on the amendments.

states and the political parties, and Franks of Corpus Christi, secretarythat promotions be made only on a treasurer. merit basis, was issued Friday by President Wilson on the recommendation

of Postmaster General Burleson. Congress completed Thursday the

dent, respectively, elected. At a joint session of the senate and house the A big gas well flowing 10,000,000 sealed vote was canvassed by states cubic feet of gas daily has been with the usual quadrennial ceremony brought in at Damon Mound, fifty- and the result of the balloting of the

be 1.75c less this year than last. The of ratifying the popular vote, was encounty commissioners court has fixed tered formally on the official records. the maximum tax rate for the county The count showed 277 votes for the Hughes and Fairbanks.

> The American government is much disturbed over the revolutionary outbreak in Cuba, but while it stands try. ready to protect its interest there, no apparent preparations have been made for active intervention.

Evidence of an international opium smuggling ring, with its base in the City of Mexico and connections in Shanghai, Honolulu, Chicago, New York and other American cities, was uncovered Friday at San Francisco, Cal., according to United States government agents. Within a year more than 30,000 cases of opium have been shipped to Mexico, according to government representatives.

Count Johann von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, departed for home Wednesday board the Scandinavian-American liner Frederik VIII from Hoboken, N. J. With him was the Countess von Bernstorff and nearly two hundred German diplomatic and consular officials. The departure was accomplished quietly and was marred by no untoward incident.

The Texas Shoe Retailers' Association, meeting with the Southwestern Shoe Travelers, at the closing session Thursday at Fort Worth, Texas, elected officers as follows: George Volk of Dallas, president; W. E. Buckley of Houston, first vice president; An executive order directing that M. L. Bridges of Taylor, second vice appointment of postoffice inspectors president; Robert M. Logan of Fort be apportioned equitably among the Worth, third vice president; C. E.

Great activity is evident in all branches of the steel industry in this country. Manufacturers of cars and locomotives closed contracts for approxconstitutional formalities carrying in- imately 100,000 tons of rolled, forged to effect the will of the voters express- and cast steel, and orders are being The attorney general's department ed last November and officially de placed as far ahead as the first quar-

#### FOREIGN NEWS.

Striking at the French line in Champagne midway between Verdun and Rheims, troops of the German crown prince have taken ground to a depth electoral college, once the deciding of a half mile on a front of a mile and factor in presidential contests, but in a half. The attackers captured 858 prisoners, including 21 officers, and 20 machine guns.

Shipping totaling at least 9,536 tons democratic nominees and 254 for has fallen prey to the German submarines, according to the latest reports. All the seven vessels sunk in last few

days, which include a sailing vessel and a trawler, were of British regis-

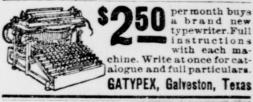
Alexandre Ribot, French minister of finance, Friday asked the French 9.574,000,000 francs to cover the gov- All Druggists .-- Adv.



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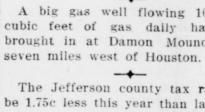
Seed Free instructions how to sow and grow. Some fine hand-picked seed for saie. BD-WIN RIPLEY, De Land, Fia.

Evidently Knew How to Get "Pork." Guide-This is the Parthenon. Tourist-Gee, what a congressman they must have had !---Life.

#### DON'T PUT IT OFF.

If you are suffering from Dizziness, Headache, Biliousness, Constipation or Sour Stomach, take one BOND'S LIVER PILL at bedtime tonight. You will wake up we'l, without any unpleasant "after effects.' BOND'S PILLS are sold on their genuine merit, and never fail to please those who use them for Malarial troubles. They chamber of deputies to appropriate are Small, Mild, Safe, Inexpensive, 25c

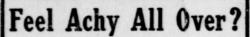
He Slipped a "V" to the King.



Appropriate.

"What head shall I put on this story about the electrocution at Sing Sing?" asked the new man at the copy desk.

"You might run it under 'Current-Events,'" suggested the man who edited the alleged funny column.



To ache all over in damp weather, or after taking a cold, isn't natural, and often indicates kidney weakness. Uric acid causes many queer aches, pains and disorders of the organs. Well kidneys keep uric acid down. Tired, dizzy, nervous people would do well to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They stimulate the kidneys to activity and so help clear the blood of irritating poisons.

#### A Texas Case



improved my health in every way. Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Boz DOAN'S RIDNEY PILLS FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

#### The Wretchedness of Constipation Can quickly be overcome by CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Purely vegetable

-act surely and CARTERS gently on the ITTLE liver. Cure IVER Biliousness, PILLS Headache, Dizzi-

ness, and Indigestion. They do their duty. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature

Brent Good

# Uric Acid!

Ever since the discovery of Scheele in 1775 that uric acid was found within the body-most eminent physicians agree that rheumatism is caused by it; also many distressing symptoms as headsche, pain in back, stomach distress, wollen feet and ankles, gout, etc.

It was Dr. Pierce of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y., who discovered a new agent -called Anuric, a harmless remedy that if taken before meals will carry off the uric acid from the system and in this way the pains and aches, the creaky joints and all the distressing symptoms of rheumatism and other maladies dis-

doubled the beauty of your hair. Besides beautifying the hair at once. Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invig-

orates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. But what will please you most will

be after a few weeks' use when you dustry. will actually see new hair-fine and downy at first-yes-but really new hair-growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store and just try it. Adv.

#### Word to Girls.

The late Inez Milholland Boissevain. the beautiful suffragist, never wearied of impressing on young girls the duty of being as beautiful as possible, for she knew what an instrument for good beauty, rightly used, can be. One of Mrs. Boissevain's favorite dicta was:

"A girl can't help her looks, but her looks can help her.'

is often followed by pneumonia. Before it is too late take Laxative Quinidine Tablets. Gives prompt relief in ed county judges in the state, as precases of Coughs, Colds, La Grippe and Headache. Price 25c .- Adv.

"I hate an obese man." "So do it, but I like a fat job."-Chi cago News

#### "A NEW CAR OVER NIGHT."

It is no longer necessary to deprive your-self of your car for ten days or more while it is in the paint shop. A new, easily ap-plied, black auto enamel has reached the market, called BLAXSHINE, that enables you to save \$20 or more. It flows easy, dries hard over night, will not crack or chip, brush marks will not show, produces a black, glossy finish, resists heat and cold and can be washed with hot or cold water. The Twin City Varnish Co., St. Paul, Minn., established thirty years, manufacture this article BLAXSHINE, which can be ap-plied by anyone. Enough of the enamel for any size car, and a complete outfit for applying, can be had for \$2.85, delivered by parcel post. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. A postal card to the above address brings you a free sample of work and description. FREE-Your initials in gold sent with each package. You can apply It is no longer necessary to deprive your sent with each package. You can apply them yourself with BLAXSHINE. Adv.

The Hell Gate bridge, now nearing completion, cost \$30,000,000.

A public auditorium seating 4,200 is to be built in Louisville.

health and strength. They're brought to you by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Take this medicine, and there's a safe and certain remedy for all the chronic weakenesses, derangements, and diseases pe-culiar to the sex. It will build up, strengthen, and invigorate every "run-down" or delicate woman. It regulates and assists all the natural functions. At some period in her life, a woman requires a special

tonic and nervine. If you're a tired or afflicted woman turn to "Favorite Prescription," you will find it never fails to benefit. Sold in tablet or liquid form.

year building program adopted last the first quarter. pumping plant built on the canal. year and includes administration emer-

Dr. William B. Phillips, who has gency amendments authorizing the The British sailing vessel Ainsdale, just visited Burnet and Llano counties, government to commandeer private from Buenos Ayres for England, was where he examined the graphite de- shipyards and munition plants in time stopped by a submarine 180 miles off posits, said the deposits were wonder- of national peril, and to purchase the Cape Clear, on the Irish coast, and basic patents of aircraft. ful, and he is confident they can be made the basis of a considerable in-

Rafael H. Elizaldo presented to Secretary of State Lansing Tuesday his suceeds Gonzalo S. Cordoba as minis-

ter at Washington. STATE AND DOMESTIC NEWS.

The Texas railroad commission con-

cluded its monthly hearing Friday at The farmers of Walker county are Austin, Texas. The propositions for increasing the acreage this year not revision of carload rates on cotton only in cotton and corn, but peanuts, linters between Beaumont and Galpotatoes and peas, and are putting in veston, proposed scale of charges per large crops of food stuffs of all kinds. car on small circus and show outfits On every hand they are fencing in so as to apply the scale on all railthe fields and taking in new ground roads in Texas, and the petition for that has lain idle for years, or has additional passenger trains on the Panhandle and Santa Fe between No. 53.

The vote was 20 to 16.

statement issued Tuesday by the Unit-

-----Sweetwater and Amarillo were consid-In an effort to minimize the amount ered and taken under advisement. of delinquent taxes for the current ----year, Comptroller Terrell has request-

siding officers of their commissioners courts, to co-operate in the matter of collecting unpaid taxes from those who either failed or refused to pay their taxes prior to January 31. of eight and one of six.

A Goliad county farmer, K. D. Delaney, harvested from forty acres 980 bushels of Spanish peanuts and sold Goose Creek oil field, near Houston, them on the market at 80c a bushel, Texas, Wednesday, and a 1200-barrel getting \$784. From the same forty tank, containing 800 barrels of oil, was acres he baled thirty tons of hay, crushed by a falling derrick. which he retained for his stock. The hay he considers worth \$660, at \$22 a

tract for the construction of a steel dent Wilson's peace note Friday adbridge across the Coletto Creek on journed its public hearings at New the bounary line between Victoria and York City.

The Texas fire insurance commis- Bankers Trust Company of St. Louis, France. sion, through its fire prevention di- Mo., Saturday were sold to A. R. Ponvision, has started an inspection of all der of San Antonio, Texas, representing recommendations for improve- tions. ments for fire protection. The inspec-

motes fire will be carefully noted.

Of twenty-seven samples of milk collected from the dairies of Brownsng either skimmed or watered, ac

and in just a few moments you have be added, there will be an additional ond installment of the great three the amount of the appropriations for master at Yuba City. Cal., many Hin-

sunk after the crew had abandoned

Emperor Charles of Austria has credentials as minister from Ecuador. placed Field Marshal Archduke Fred-Minister Elizaldo, who formerly was erick second in command of the Ausminister of foreign affairs in Ecuador, tro-Hungarian army. The archduke but the emperor has taken over the at main headquarters.

her.

bodies of Andrew P. Peterson, Hugh Sacramento (Cal.) Bee. Acord and Burton Jensen, American cowboys kidnaped a few days before. when Mexican bandits raided the Corner ranch sixty miles southwest of Hachita, N. M. The bodies, badly mutilated, were found on the Mexican side three miles south of monument

In connection with the Japanese approval, now confirmed, of China's ac-Willie Hoppe, world's balk line bil- tion in supporting the attitude of the liards champion, broke all records in United States toward Germany on the a three-cushion billiards match at submarine question, it is further stated Cleveland, Ohio, Friday when he de- that Japan has promised China all posfeated Jake Schaefer 50 to 25 in thirty- sible support, including the mainteone innings. He had two high runs nance of order in China, where German influence is considerable.

The American seamen who were Fourteen derricks were blown down taken to Germany as prisoners on the by a windstorm which struck the captured British steamer Yarrowdale have been released.

The American schooner Lyman M. Law was sunk on February 12 off the coast of Sardnia by a hostile subma-Leaving further examination of rine says a Stefani dispatch received

brokers' statements as to their deal- at Cagliari, Sardinia, Wednesday. The ings for customers on the Stock Ex- vessel was loaded with agricultural At a joint meeting held in Victoria, change during December to a subcom- machinery. The crew of twelve, of the Victoria and Goliad county com- mittee of three, the congressional com- whom eight were Americans, were missioners court have awarded a con- mittee investigating the leak on Presi- landed at Cagliari.

> A prize of 500,000 francs for the crew of any French, allied or neutral vessel which succeeds in destroying The \$4,190,000 in stocks and bonds an attacking submarine is provided for of the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf in a resolution introduced in the chamrailroad held by the receiver for the ber of deputies Thursday at Paris,

> > sent to the bottom.

Seventeen members of the crew of school and hospital buildings in the ing business interests of the city, for the White Star Line steamer Afric are cities of Texas, with the view of mak- \$1,000,000 cash and other considera. missing as a result of the destruction of the vessel by a submarine. The Afric was of 11,999 tons. Two other The Ohio senate Wednesday passed vessels, the British steamer Foreland, every condition which permits or pro- the Reynolds bill, giving Ohio women 1,160 tons, and the Norwegian motor the privilege of voting for president. vessel West, are reported to have been

> Eighty-five per cent of the oranges The Spanish minister at Brussels, and 75 per cent of the grapefruit re- Belgium, has taken over the American

> > The British steamer Inishowen Head, 2,050 tons, has been sunk. Her crew was landed.

Lieutenant Guynemer, the noted There's a Reason French aeroplane pilot, has brought No change in price, quality or size of package.

dus have accumulated sufficient wealth in the orchards and vineyards of Sutter county this season to justify their retirement to India, where they and

their families may enjoy a life of idleness upon the earnings. In the last fortnight the sum of \$12,-000 has been received by the post-

master for money orders, ranging in amount from \$100 to \$3,000. There was one at the latter figure.

One Hindu bought a \$5 money order, was previously commander in chief, payable to King George of England, explaining, through a letter written to supreme command, and is now staying the ruler, that he is a loyal subject of England and a sympathizer with the allies. He then purchased a suit of Lem Spillsbury, Mormon scout, and American clothes and also a ticket on companions Thursday discovered the the largest steamer for Calcutta .--

#### Marvelous Electric Power.

The tremendous, almost inconceivable possibilities of electric power are strikingly brought out in a giant motor recently built for use in Pennsylvania steel mills. This motor is the biggest in the world. It develops 15,-000-horse power. While the motor is of an impressive bulk, it could be easily inclosed in a medium sized room. Some idea of the concentrated efficiency of electric power is realized when one thinks of how many acres would be covered by the 15,000 horses whose work equivalent it can tirelessly produce.



supplies balanced nourishment for sturdy muscles and active brains.

Goliad counties at a point known as Meisiner's Crossing, a short distance from Germantown.

tions are to be most thorough, and

The state fire insurance commission has announced credits for good fire records as follows: Corpus Christi, loss ratio .322, credit 15 per cent; maining on trees in Florida was frozen interests in Belgium. Weatherford, loss ratio .497, credit 6 in the recent cold wave, according to a per cent.

ed States bureau of crop estimates. The estimated loss is 1,700,000 boxes of oranges and 555,000 boxes of grapeville, sixteen showed adulteration, befruit.

not been planted at all. A NEGLECTED COLD A Common Liking.

appear. You can easily prove this your-self, by obtaining Anuric at almost any the dull headache, the lazy liver, if you cording to Food and Drug Commis-Eighteen thousand barrels of potadrug store, or send Dr. Pierce 10c. for will take a pleasant laxative made up of sioner Hoffman. This percentage of toes awaiting shipment in six ware- down his thirty-first enemy aeroplane, trial package. Try it and be convinced that Anuric is many times more active than lithia and eliminates uric acid as hot nouses at Presque Isle, Maine, were it was announced in the official comdestroyed by fire Tuesday. The loss munication issued by the war office at is estimated at \$150,000. Paris Monday. lask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. water melts sugar.



CROSS, FEVERISH

CHILD IS BILIOUS

Look, Mother! See if tongue is

coated, breath hot or

stomach sour.

OR CONSTIPATED

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping.

When cross, irritable, feverish, or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels. and you have a well, playful child again. When the little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic-remember, a good "inside cleansing" should always be the first treatment given.



Government Highway and Health Experts See Big Benefit to Men So Employed, as Well As to the Public.

ROAD WORK FOR

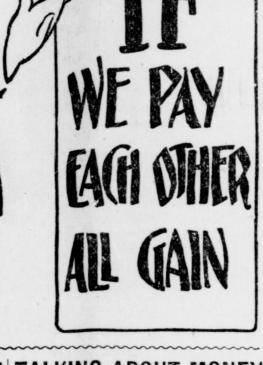
Uncle Sam has gone on record as an advocate of the employment of convict labor on the public roads.

J. E. Pennybacker and H. S. Fairbanks of the office of public roads of MUST the department of agriculture and Dr. W. F. Draper of the public health service recently collaborated on a bulletin which set forth the ideas of the Europe Faces Huge Shake-Up in government experts on the subject. "This may sound like an old story," said Mr. Pennybacker, chief of the division of road economics, in discussing the interest taken by his office in the subject, "and it is fundamentally, but until recently its most important and TROUBLE AHEAD FOR AMERICA promising angles have been lost to sight.

"Employing convicts on open-air work is by no means a radical departure from established methods-from long-established methods, I may say. There are numerous references in history to the employment of prisoners on the public works of the ancient kingdoms and almost invariably these works were performed in the open air. In fact, the practice of indoor labor is of comparatively modern origin, and dates back no further than the development of the workhouse in the sixteenth century, while the penitentiary, possible ways, going, perhaps, to an nineteenth century.

"In America perhaps the earliest record of the employment of prisoners on public works is to be found in an enactment of the Virginia colonial assembly of 1658. I might trace the his-

Millions of mothers keep "California tory of convict labor throughout the Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a ensuing years to the present and the teaspoonful today saves a sick child facts would prove that outdoor labor proverbial wastefulness and slipshod feelings get rusty, and sometimes their tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50- of many forms has been widely aglcent bottle of "California Syrup of tated for convicts at all times in the



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# REORGANIZE TALKING ABOUT MONEY

Here's Pay-Up Lesson for the Kids at Home.

Always Pay Bills Regularly, Because It's Best to Do So-Stingy Folks Usually Become Rusty Through Money Doesn't.

If you don't pay too much for it, Laddie, money is a good thing to get. Some folks forget that money costs anybody anything and they try to get something for nothing--which never happens. It costs sweat and brains and-but you sit down at the table there and write down as many things as you can think of that folks pay for money, health, chum life with children, the spirit of play-and things like that.

business in the most efficient of all If you don't pay too much for it, Laddie, money is a good thing to as it is now known, is a product of the extreme of state control of all com- keep. Some folks forget that keepmerce and industry. And this organi- ing money costs somebody something zation of business intercourse will con- all the time it is kept doing nothing. tinue for many years. The weight of Money doesn't get rusty by being kept, business competition, manufacturing, even if some jokers say it does. No, transportation, selling and buying will money doesn't get rusty, but folks do be directed chiefly against America who get the habit of making it act because of our immense national rusty. Their joints get rusty, their wealth and largely because of our friendships get rusty, their generous table like meat. The most economical watered entirely by electric sprinkling bills get terribly rusty—the bills they the finest Durum wheat. Write Skin-From manufacturer to wholesaler, owe other folks. Some of them-the ner Mfg. Co., Omaha, Nebr., for beaufolks-say they must keep all the tiful cook book. It is sent free to mothers.-Adv. money they can get so that they can have a good time some other time. But

# SUFFERED SEVERELY Is Mealtime a EVERY MONTH Worry to You

Lady Tells What Cardui Did for Her and What It Will Do for Suffering Women.

Deepwater, Texas .- "I think Cardui is indeed a wonderful medicine," says Mrs. Minnie Starnes, of this town. "In 1905, I broke down in health suddenly . . . I suffered agony. Had bearing down pains . . . also my back and limbs and hips. . . . Sometimes I was in bed all the time and again I was in bed all the time and again I Give proper help at once-TRY was just able to be up. I suffered most severely at . . . and would be confined to my bed four or five days.

"Nothing I did ever did me any good until I took Cardui, but I suffered two Cardui advertisement. He got me a bottle. I began taking it and next month I never felt any pain at all, did

all my work without any trouble. . . ." Mrs. Starnes says she did not take any more Cardui then until 1908, when she took four bottles, with excellent results. She concludes her statement with the following: "I would advise a trial. It will relieve all anxiety and fear as is natural for them to have. I know, for I had the experience my-

self." Judging from the experiences of so his foosteps? many thousands of other women, you can depend on Cardui to surely help you, if you suffer from any of the complaints so common to women. Get a bottle from your druggist to-

day, and give it a fair trial.-Adv.

Gratitude. Grocer-Now that I gave you a ba nana, what do you say? Mary-Please open it.

### **GOOD FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN**

and Spaghetti because of its delicious can give them all they want. It is a great builder of bone and muscle, and does not make them nervous and irriand nutritious food known. Made from wagons.

IS THE APPETITE POOR IS THE DIGESTION WEAK IS THE LIVER LAZY, AND THE BOWELS CONSTIPATED

Under such conditions you cannot obtain the maximum value from your food.

HOSTETTER'S years this way before I took Cardui. Stomach Bitters

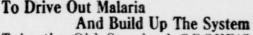
> Privileged Class. "Seers deal in futures, don't they?" "Yes, especially financiers."-Baltimore American.

Roman Eye Balsam is an antiseptic ointment, applied externally and not a "wash." all expectant mothers to give Cardui Its healing properties penetrate the inflamed surfaces, providing prompt relief. Adv.

> Do you happen to know a father who would want his son to follow in

Anuric cures Backache, Lumbago, Rheumatism. Send 10c. Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for large trial package .--Adv.

More than two-thirds of the world's supply of tin is mined in the Malay Peninsula.



Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC. You know what you are taking, as the formula is Children love Skinner's Macaroni printed on every label, showing it is Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The taste. It is good for them and you Quinine drives out malaria, the Iron builds up the system. 50 cents.

The streets of one English city are

Figs," which has directions for babies life of this country. children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here, so don't be fooled. an original idea. Yet, when we recom-Get the genuine, made by "California mend the utilization of prison labor Fig Syrup Company."-Adv.

Dose of His Own Medicine. "You are not compounding that prescription as I would," remarked the

stranger who had dropped in. "Dump in a little of this and a pinch of that." "What do you mean? Are you a

druggist?"

"Nope."

"Then what do you mean by telling me how to run my business?"

"Oh, I'm the manager of the ball team. I notice you in the bleachers occasionally handing me unsolicited advice."

WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY is her hair. If yours is streaked with ugly, grizzly, gray hairs, use "La Creole" Hair Dressing and change it in the Latural way. Price \$1.00 .- Adv.

#### New Meter Successful.

The latest development in metering appliances is a coal meter built on the principle of a water or gas meter. This instrument was devised primarily to measure the coal consumption of factory boiler rooms, but it may find a wider application on a smaller scale. It operates on the same principle as a water meter, the stream of broken coal pouring down a chute and turning an inclosed vane. The meter can also be used for grain, according to the inventor. Its use on coal was entirely successful.



"Pape's Diapepsin" cures sick, sour stomachs in five minutes -Time It!

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order-"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes-that-just that-makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and ploy free labor. eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing-almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction.

and women who can't get their stom- Such practice in self-restraint and achs regulated. It belongs in your proper living under the guidance of the

#### **Objections Are Overcome.**

"So you see we are not setting forth to maintain and improve the road systems of the country, we do say that if road work by convict lab r is updertaken with proper attention to all of its possibilities, the results will succeed in quelling the many objections that economists and criminologists are raising everywhere. Our scheme has, of course, its objectionable features, but a full consideration of its advantages and drawbacks seem to show that such employment might be provided for at least a part of the prisoners in all the states with good results.

"I think that the advantage which carries the greatest force is that road work is undoubtedly more healthful than any form of employment provided in a prison shop. Hard manual labor. in close touch with fresh air and sunshine, is universally recognized as most beneficial, while continuous dwelling within doors is a most unnatural life and can exert no marked good effect upon any of the states' prisoners. Prison statistics show that a majority of prison inmates are of the laboring class and their habits of life kept them out of doors. This being the case, outdoor work would materially fit them to take their place in the world at their release and resume

#### their former occupation. Free Labor Not Affected.

"Prison officials favor road work for the reason that it removes the convict as far as possible from competition with free labor, and this is a most important point. No matter what form of employment is adopted for prisoners, unless it be entirely unproductive, it is true that the interests of free labor are affected to a greater or less extent, and this, obviously, is not a fair condition to impose upon the law-abiding citizen body. But road work, being performed in the interests of the public only, enriches no private employer to the injury of the free laborer, nor is its product placed on sale in competiroad work performed by convicts could not be undertaken at all, for financial its. reasons, if it were necessary to em-

"As now practiced in a number of states, work with the road camp is reserved as a reward for prisoners who have proved their merit and good intention in confinement. By doing away with all marks of degradation, such as stripes and chains and shaven heads. and by granting a degree of freedom as the ability to use it is manifested, the publicity of the convict's position on the roads is transformed from a mark of disgrace to an acknowledg-It's worth its weight in gold to men | ment of the confidence of his keepers. cheerful insistence. camp fits him to live a life of similar circumspection after his discharge. All prison officials who have followed this system declare that this is the actual effect on prisoners who have been road workers. As a useful factor in penal discipline, its merit is being all toc

business organization.

Finance and Politics When

War Ends.

This Country Will Have to Pay Debts

and Conduct Business More Effi-

ciently-Purpose of Pay-Up

Week Explained.

All of the nations in Europe are

bound to reorganize their whole busi-

ness world, their social world, and

probably their political world. The

immense debts that have been piled up

will compel each of the nations to do

from wholesaler to jobber, from jobber to retailer, and between retailer and customer there is bound to come a closer and more compact relation. O! Getting the habit of keeping all Open book accounts will give place to of one's money is a very costly habit trade acceptances, credits which can to get-it is almost as costly as the be discounted for their full value, and keep active in open channels the money heretofore tied up in open book accounts. This change is already being earnestly advocated by national business associations as one of the first and most necessary steps in the mobilization of American business.

#### Rough for Retailers.

This change will fall hardest, perhaps, upon retail merchants. These persons are the only ones in the whole chain of business relations who transact business with acquaintances and

neighbors and friends, and who are teacher was talking through his hat. for 50c. J.T.Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga. Adv. approached in business from the personal side. Credits will have to be extended to consumers for longer or shorter periods of time, but a new element must be recognized as having come in and new relations between merchants and bankers and consumers will have to be worked out.

Viewed from the social side retail trade has a new and vital importance, a place in the scheme of community organization which cannot safely be sacrificed. Much blatant nonsense has been published about abstract middlemen. Concrete business men and business women in most communities pay more taxes in proportion to ability and wealth, pay more generously to promote all public improvements, and

give more time and energy to welfare community than do any other class of citizens.

#### Need Better Service.

Much better facilities have need to be provided at trade centers for the sale of farm and local products, and much better service to the whole trade territory must be worked out to supply to all consumers all their needs at prices as low as can be had elsewhere. This is all a matter of local correlation between producer-consumers and consumers and the distributors of goods and service. It will not tion with that of free labor. What is be worked out in a day nor a month more, the convict is not depriving the nor a single year, but pressure from free laborer of work, since much of the abroad will compel quite radical changes in domestic relations and hab-

Clearing up all outstanding and unsecured accounts is one of the very first indispensable steps to putting American business on a secure and

stable foundation. A pay-up week embodies a fine idea, putting a general sentiment behind a good work and popularizing a clearer notion of business of men is not a marble shaft over duties resting upon all citizens. of world competition for half a century or more after the most revolutionary war in history. From the humblest consumer to the chief capital-

habit of keeping all of other folk's money one can get hold of. If you don't pay too much for it. Lassie, money is a good thing to spend. The kind of stuff you're made of is going to come to the top plainest and surest by the way you use money, by what you have to show for it when

in the world said that the best way to use money is to buy friends with it, so that when the money fails you will have friends to take you into their homes. Lots of good people think the

He wasn't, no matter what they think. Some people have to spend money before they get it, but of course they have to borrow it from someone else who will let them take it and spend it. Sometimes they give a note which says a certain time and give it back to the know how it lives-or why. man who lets them take his money and spend it; and they pay him for the use of his money. That's business. Sometimes they borrow stuff that a man has paid money for and say, "Charge it." And he charges it. And then when he wants very much to use the money he paid for the goods and asks the folks who borrowed the goods to let him have his money,

some of the folks sometimes get very angry and smite him with hard words projects for the benefit of the whole and tell him to go to Helena, Arkansas. or some other seaport, and keep on using the other man's money when he ought to have it to use in his business. Nobody calls that business. You will learn when you are older what some folks do call it. It is not nice for little children to say such words. Very many people who like to do business have agreed to set a time when everyone who has borrowed books or umbrellas or groceries or cows or furniture or china eggs, and said, "Charge it," will come together and have a great picnic-everybody will pay all his bills so everybody else can pay all of his bills, and everybody will start in husiness all over again. It will be the jolliest picnic most of the folks have ever gone to. Do you like to go to picnics? Well, so does

everybody. You may now go and wash your neck and ears.

PROSPERITY The best monument to the memory their remains, but a thriving communi-

The Americans must bear the brunt ty which treasures memories of their active life. Cheerful citizens who are always finding good enterprises to be promoted and encouraging others to "come on" and get under the load of ists of the nation compact business or- actual work-these citizens prosper, ganization ought to be maintained with make prosperity, keep it moving and passing on to the last infant born as

#### The Proof. "Does love really blind a man?"

"It must, when you see the way girls put powder on their noses."

And all forms of skin diseases is **Tet-**terine. It is also a specific for Tetter. Ringworm, Eczema, Infant Sore Head, haps and Old Itching Sores.

"Enclosed find one dollar for which please send me two boxes **Tetterine**; this makes five boxes I have ordered you have spent it. The best teacher from you, the first one only being for in the world sold that the best way to me. I suffered with an eruption for years, and one box of **Tetterine** cured me and two of my friends. It is worth its weight in gold to any one suffering as I did. Everybody ought to know of its value." Jesse W. Scott, Milledgeits value.' ville Ga.

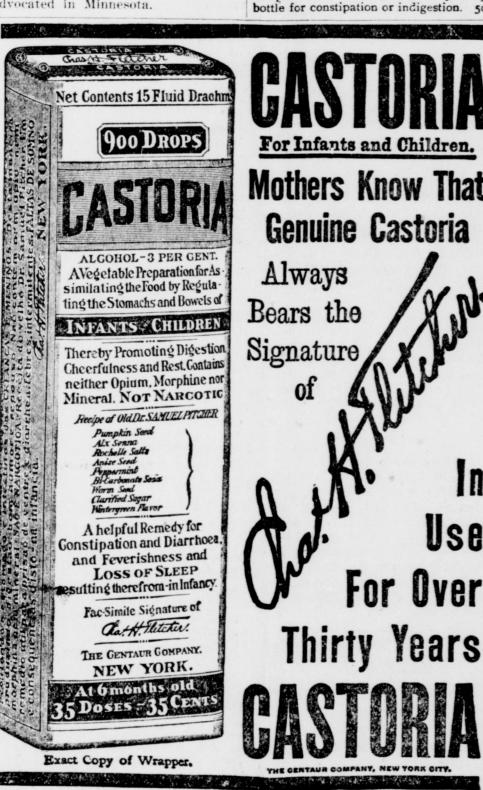
Tetterine at druggists or sent by mail

It's hard to get turned down, but it is still harder not to be able to turn anything up.

It's a fortunate thing for one-half they will get back some other money by the world that the other half doesn't

> Bacteria are killed by the pressure of 3,000 atmospheres.

A state-owned paper mill is being advocated in Minnesota.



Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is not a "lo-zenge" or "syrup," but a real old-fashioned dose of medicine which cleans out Worms or Tapeworm with a single dose. Adv.

Australia Destroying Her Trees.

In view of the present and prospective value of Australia's national tree, surprising to find that cuting and burning is proceeding with A SURE CURE FOR ITCHING PILES scant scientific supervision. California and South America are planting eucalyptus; Australia is cutting them down.

> Australia'n hardwoods rival mahogany in beauty and susceptibility of polish, and are unsurpassed among the world's timbers in strength, durability and resistance to fungus and insect attacks.

> > WHAT IS

LAX-FOS is an improved Cascara A DIGESTIVE LAXATIVE -- Pleasant to take In LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by addition of certain harmless chemicals which increase the efficiency of the Cascara, making it better than ordinary Cascara. LAX-FOS aids digestion; pleasant to take; does not gripe or disturb stomach. Adapted to children and adults. Just try a bottle for constipation or indigestion. 50c.



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nome-should always be kept handy in case of sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world .- Adv.

Akthough the average man may know when to stop, he seidom does it. | tardily conceded."

well as to the last grandparent living. Where Nuts Are Shelled. One of the types of places inspected Best Explanation. by the Illinois factory inspection de-After all, is there any better ex-

partment has been the homes in which planation of the cause of high prices nuts are shelled for the market. This than the unanimity of judgment was done in co-operation with the among certain thrifty gentlemen that state food commission. they need the money?

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#### Notice.

We have all our lands "Posted and any person trespassing thereon will be violating the law. Lee Hughs and W. H. (Jumbo) Hughs.

Church Notice. Services will be held every second Sunday in each month at 1 o'clock P. M., at the Macie School House, by Pastor Langner Lutheran Minister. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

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in person on this particular visit. plant and prepare them in much the According to their developed system no more operation for Appendicitis, Gall Stones, Bowel Ulcerations and Impactions doing away with the knife and much dangerous diseases. In diseases "Well, the next time a chap comes of the Kidneys, Bladder, Nervous along with a bogus check ask him to quote something from Dun and Brad-Diseases, Epilepsy, Paralysis, street." slow growth in children, Club Feet, Curvature of the Spine and diseases of women, they have had much experience, and many fact that the Northmen, under Lies thousands of satisfied patients. Startling disclousres relative to the year 1000-five centuries befor the treatment of Consumption, the voyages of Columbus and the Ca-Asthma, Bronchitis, Deafness, Catarrah, liver, stomach, bowel troubles. and deep seated chronic diseases. Their treatment for suspicious growths, tubercular glands, small tumors, piles, moles worth, and certain forms of Ec-

Las Moras Lodge zema, with the hypodermic No 444 A. F. & M. needle injection method is with- through the windows, so just go on meets first and out pain; is death dealing to these 3rd. Monday ever diseases. Heart disease, blood month in Masonic disease, old sores, varicose veins,

Hall in the Old Court House. A trachoma (eye disease), pellegra cordial invitation to all visiting and scrofula, a treatment in part "Isn't it sad about poor Jim Swain?

Mighty Near It. "Do you, Mr. Stacks, think that a rich man can go through the eye of a needle?" "I don't know. I will, however, admit that my lawyers have dragged me through some very small loopholes."-Puck.

#### Then She Wigged Him. Wife (with newspaper)-It says here that men grow bald because of Hub-Exactly! And women have no whiskers because of the Intense activity of their chins.

Hops as Vegetables. Hops, which are not recognizable in the form we prefer, were eaten for themselves as a vegetable by the Romans of old and still are by the Bavarians, who choose, rather than the

#### More to the Purpose.

form of an asparagus salad.

"Why in the world did you indorse a check for that fellow, when you didn't know who he was?" "He hypnotized

#### Discovery of America.

Yes, there is excellent proof of the Ericson, discovered and landed upor the North American continent about bots. You may be sure of this, "be yond a reasonable doubt."

#### Quick Benediction.

"It's too hot for preaching," said the Billville brother, "and I don't want to hard-shell sinners may think I'm a-goin' o knock the cussedness out o' you, an' uake a break for the door, or tumble home peaceable, whilst we are a-singing of the hymn: "There's a hotter time a-comin' by an' by !"

# Treasurer's Quarterly Report

Commissioners' Court Kinney County, Texas, in Regular Quarterly Session, in the matter of County finances in the hands of George Herzing, Treasurer and First State Bank, County Depository Kinney County, Texas, Feb. Term 1917.

We the undersigned, as County Commissioners within an for said Kinney County, and the Hon. Jos. Veltmann, County Judge of said Kinney County, constituting the entire Commiss Drs. Rea Bros., licensed by the the intense activity of their brains. joners' Court, of said County, and each one of us, do hereby certify that on this, the 13th day of Feb. A. D. 1917, at a regular quarterly term of our said Court, we have compared and examined the quarterly report of George Herzing Treasurer of Kinney County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 11th

day of Nov. A. D. 1916, and ending on the 10th day of Feb. A. D. 1917, and finding the same correct have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Kinney County, stating the approval of said Treasurblossoms, the tender top shoots of the er's Report by our said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said Coun-

> ty Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and for and during the time covered by his present report, and the balance of each fund remaining in said Treasurer's hand on the said 10th day of Feb. A. D. 1917, and have ordered the proper credits

to be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer, in accordance with said order as required by Article 867, Chapter expense in the treatment of these me with questions from Shakespeare." 1, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an Act of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of Texas, at its regular session, approved March 20, 1897.

And we, and each of us, further certify that we have not actually and fully inpected and not counted all the actual cash and assets in hands of the said Treasurer belonging to Kinney County at the close of the examination of said Treasurer's report, on this the 13th day of Feb. A. D. 1917, but have read and ordered recorded the certificate of Chas. E. Reamer Cashier of the First State Bank of Brackettville, Texas in which certificate is certified that the true and actual amount as reported by said County Treasurer is now on deposit in said bank (this done in conformity to a letter of instructions issuing from the Attorney General's office of the State of Texas dated May 29, 1907, which said letter is recorded in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court Vol. 4, page 254 and find the same to be as follows to wit:

#### JURY FUND thuck my coat for fear some o' you Balance on hand as shown Nov. 11 1916 757 15 To amount received since said date. 84 40 By amount disbursed since said date By amount transferred to other funds

By amount to balance..... 380 75 841 55

#### Consolation.

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

Balance on hand as shown Nov. 11 1916

667 43

460 80

