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## STONE MOVED BY THE SUN

Immense Mass of Granite in Ohio Cemetery Undergoes Curious Revolutions.

An interesting object is to be seen in a cemetery of Ohio—a large granite stone weighing two tons, in the shape of a ball, which is gradually turning on its axis. During the last five years, so it is said, this ball has turned a fraction over 13 inches. When the ball was placed in position an unpolished spot six inches in diameter was purposely left in the socket of the pedestal whereon it rested. A little later it was noted with astonishment that this spot was turning upward on the south side of the monument. This curious revolution of the polished ball, to lift which would require a large derris, is supposed to be due to the sun's action, in the following manner: The solar rays heating one side cause the ball to expand to a certain degree whereas the north side, which rests mostly in the shade, does not expand to the same extent, thus causing the ball gradually to shift its position by turning.

## CHECK IT IN TIME.

Few people realize the grave danger of neglecting the kidneys. The slightest kidney trouble may be Nature's warning of dropsy, diabetes or dreaded Bright's disease. If you have any kidney symptom, begin using Doan's Kidney Pills at once. Mrs. Sarah A. Black, 304 S. Dooty St., Hartford, Conn., says: "Picture me lying crippled with inflammatory rheumatism and stricken with dropsy, not able to move even with crutches. Such was my condition when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. I began in Hartford and soon after in New York. I must give Doan's Kidney Pills full credit for my wonderful recovery." Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## FAMILY PRIDE.

Prof. Stork—And how are we getting on with our studies, Ernestine? Have you been promoted to the flying class yet? Little Miss Quacker—Oh, no, professor. Mother has decided that I shall not take that course. She says anybody can fly—but only the best families take to water naturally.

"Remove the cork!" whispered the poet, hoarsely. "Remove the cork!"—Saturday Evening Post.

EDITOR BROWNE  
Of The Rockford Morning Star.

"About seven years ago I ceased drinking coffee to give your Postum a trial.

"I had suffered acutely from various forms of indigestion and my stomach had become so disordered as to repel almost every sort of substantial food. My general health was bad. At close intervals I would suffer severe attacks which confined me in bed for a week or more. Soon after changing from coffee to Postum the indigestion abated, and in a short time ceased entirely. I have continued the daily use of your excellent Food Drink and assure you most cordially that I am indebted to you for the relief it has brought me.

"Wishing you a continued success, I am  
Yours very truly,  
J. Stanley Browne,  
Managing Editor."

Of course, when a man's health shows he can stand coffee without trouble, let him drink it, but most highly organized brain-workers must give up coffee.

The drugs natural to the coffee berry affect the stomach and other organs and thence to the complex nervous system, throwing it out of balance and producing disorders in various parts of the body. Keep up this daily poisoning and serious disease generally supervenes. So when man or woman finds that coffee is a smooth but deadly enemy and health is of any value at all, there is but one road—quit.

It is easy to find out if coffee be the cause of the trouble, for if left off 10 days and Postum be used in its place and the sick and diseased conditions begin to disappear, the proof is unanswerable.

Postum is not good if made by short boiling. It must be boiled full 15 minutes after boiling begins, when the crisp flavor and the food elements are brought out of the grains and the beverage is ready to fulfill its mission of palatable comfort and renewing the cells and nerve centers broken down by coffee.

"There's a Reason." "The Road to Wellville." In pkgs. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

## GOOD NEWS EPITOMIZED

HAPPENINGS OF UNUSUAL INTEREST TO OUR READERS, IN READABLE SHAPE.

## BOTH FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

If It Was of Sufficient Importance You Will Find It Recorded Here.

The additions of the general machine shops of the Cotton Belt at Tyler, which have been in course of construction for more than a year, are nearing completion. The improvements in the shops have been made at a cost of nearly \$300,000.

The establishment of a \$400,000 cotton mill in Wichita Falls was practically secured at a mass meeting of citizens one night last week when \$130,000 of the necessary \$200,000 in stock subscriptions was subscribed at the meeting.

A co-operative and copartnership plan whereby department heads will become joint owners of the business of Marshall Field & Co. and ultimately control the business has been announced.

Of the \$750,000 inheritance tax paid in Utah by the Harriman estate, \$750,000 will be appropriated by the Legislature for a State Capitol building.

H. D. Judson, aged 55 years, general superintendent of the Burlington system, while talking to a party of friends in his private car at Rockport, Texas, at 6:30 o'clock Saturday morning, died of heart failure.

Judge Charles A. Wilcox ordered the Bartlett-Florence Railroad to be sold May 29 for the payment of \$200,000 in debts, \$21,000 of this amount being for preferred creditors.

After building railroads in Texas since 1871, Hugh Burns, a retired capitalist, died Sunday at his home in Houston. He was born June 26, 1844.

His last big contract was the building of the International & Great Northern Railroad extension from Ft. Worth to Houston.

The 13-year-old son of Mrs. Snodgrass, living at Ambia, accidentally shot himself in the foot with a target rifle. The bullet took effect near the ankle and shattered the bone.

Paris has voted an issue of \$50,000 bonds, of which \$25,000 are for paving, including the public square, \$15,000 for improving ward school buildings and \$10,000 for a public comfort station and rest room in the center of the square.

Matrimony does not bar anyone from attending the public schools of Cincinnati, according to a decision rendered by Superintendent of Schools Dyer, when he reinstated Carmelia Stump, the 17-year-old bride of an Italian.

Lawton has raised \$50,000 bonus for the Ardmore-Sherman Railroad.

The expenses of erecting a new school building at Rice carried by a majority of 14 votes. This building, well equipped, when completed, will cost approximately \$25,000.

The commission form of city control was defeated in Peoria, Ill., by a majority of 735. Gross frauds are charged by the advocates of the commission form.

Announcement that it will be a violation of the Texas Pure Food law to use lead piping in any manner in connection with soda fountains was made in a bulletin issued by State Pure Food Commissioner Abbott.

A committee began work at San Antonio toward raising \$250,000 to complete the amount of \$500,000 required for building a railroad to Brownsville. The committee expects to raise the money by April 1.

A natatorium will be built below the great dam at Wichita Falls.

The Mexican embassy has issued a statement concerning the army mobilization in Texas, branding as preposterous reports current that the Mexican government was looking to the United States for aid in regulating the internal affairs.

The State of Texas has collected from four of five express companies doing business in Texas, the sum of \$51,679.82 in occupation taxes for 1910 on gross receipts on exclusively Texas business.

H. H. Bullard, a hotel man at Crowley, took strychnine tablets, mistaking them for colomel. He died despite all efforts of the doctor.

A jubilee over the emancipation of serfs was celebrated throughout Russia Friday. The decree for the total emancipation of 23,000,000 serfs throughout the Empire in two years was issued on March 3, 1861.

Last Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock, while Mrs. Allen Reeves of Cookville was out of the room, her little 18-month-old child's clothing caught fire and all of its clothes were burned off and the child died about 1:30 o'clock.

Over \$5,000 will be given in prizes at the Louisiana State Fair at Shreveport this year, according to the five day's program, arranged by the Fair Association's speed committee, Oct. 20-25.

An army officer stationed at Baltimore has discovered that the uprising in Mexico has been brought about through Japan, which is furnishing the funds to the rebels—so he says.

Theodore Roosevelt, the citizen, received a rousing welcome on his first visit to New Orleans since Oct. 25, 1905. The welcome was even more cordial than it was to Roosevelt the president.

A series of conferences Saturday morning between Gov. Crue, Mayor Lackey, officials of the street railway company and delegates and attorneys of the union culminated in the strike in Oklahoma City.

President Taft has received a letter from Cole Younger, now of St. Louis, in which he writes that he is ready to organize, and can organize, a troop of rough riders for service on the Mexican frontier in the event it should become necessary for Oklahoma troops.

Mrs. Gooch Eslick of Purcell, Okla., was instantly killed late Sunday afternoon while returning to town from the country when her team became frightened and ran away.

The upper house of the Missouri Legislature has killed the bill before it for allowing a general primary at which to nominate United States Senators.

Contracts just awarded for New York's new general postoffice assure the metropolis the largest and finest postoffice building in the United States, if not in the world. The total cost will exceed \$5,250,000 and the structure will be the biggest Government building in New York.

Texas Division Sons of the American Revolution, at its meeting in Houston elected W. G. Bell, Austin, president; F. F. Downs, Temple, secretary. The next meeting will be held in Austin.

Portland, Oregon, has offered \$125,000 for the meeting of the Elks in 1912.

Dallas county collected \$298,785.16 and thereby boosted its treasury balance to the healthy sum of \$10,48, 117.85, according to the February monthly report filed by the county treasurer.

The second strike of the United Express Company's drivers and helpers in New York within a year, called unexpectedly Friday morning, was settled in the afternoon in time for the 1,000 strikers in New York and in Jersey City to earn a portion of their day's pay.

Mrs. Erma Dean, a Salvation Army worker of Fort Worth, was knocked down and robbed by two negroes one night last week. Her pocket book containing \$7 was taken. Mrs. Dean was roughly handled by the negroes.

Henry L. Meyers, Democrat, of Ravalli County, Montana, was elected United States Senator to succeed Senator Carter on the seventy-ninth joint legislative ballot.

A Kentuckian, a Confederate soldier, Capt. R. H. Fitzgub, of Lexington, proposes largely to reduce drinking and homicide by absolutely abolishing hip pickets.

Aviator Garros Wednesday circled the historic castle of Chateaupeque, near Mexico City, and dropped a message to President Diaz.

The Lamar County Beekeepers' Association held a meeting at Roxton Saturday. Besides a good county at-tendance there were several present from adjoining counties.

The Estacado & Gulf railroad was placed in the hands of a receiver on application of citizens of Roby, Texas.

The thirteenth case in the outbreak of cholera in Honolulu was reported. Indications are that the disease is widely scattered, the last case appearing in different portions of the city.

In order to accommodate any pumping irrigation project that may be launched in the Roswell section of the Pecos Valley, the Roswell Gas and Electric Company is rebuilding its electric power plant and laying plans for what will eventually be a 5,000 horsepower institution.

A Denver artist painted a cow, and so realistic was his work that he was sent to the penitentiary for 12 months. The cow he painted was not his own and he painted her with a bucket of peroxide, changing her color from a standard brown to screaming red.

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Dr. Herman T. Wolff was arrested at San Antonio on a charge of murder of Mrs. Emily M. Gordon. She died at his residence following an operation.

The City Council of Belton awarded the contract for a new seventy-five-foot standpipe on Denison hill. The reservoir is to be of reinforced concrete.

Senator Bailey, in a letter to a Temple pastor, makes it clear that he is a believer in local option and favors the present laws regulating the sale of liquors.

Anton Novodky, a Bohemian farmer living three miles south of Taylor, was kicked in the side by a horse, from the effects of which he died. He is survived by a widow and one child.

## MEXICAN REVOLUTION NOW IN ACUTE STAGE

LATEST MOVE IS TO SUMMARILY EXECUTE

## SMART BORDER SKIRMISHES

Federalists Use Machine Guns With Deadly Effect. Entire Republic Stirred.

El Paso, Texas, March 13.—Conditions border on panic, reign almost throughout Northern Mexico.

Stirred by the belief that the revolutionary movement has reached a critical stage, the insurgents in the State of Chihuahua and Sonora are reported to have resumed activity in tearing up railroads and telegraph wires.

Numerous towns, according to reports, are under siege by the insurgents, and thousands of women and children, cut off from food supplies, are rendered helpless.

Following the receipt of corrected details concerning the battle of Casas Grandes, a town of perhaps 500 people, about 150 miles southwest of El Paso, where eighty men were killed last Monday, news reached here of a fight at Agua Prieta, on the border, across the line from Douglas, Ariz.

Five hundred insurgents attacked 300 Federal troops, but were repulsed with a total of thirty-five dead and wounded on both sides. The fighting was short and the insurgents, armed only with rifles, soon scattered under the fire of a machine gun.

What is believed to be a reliable report of the casualties at Casas Grandes says that fifteen Americans were killed and seventeen American were taken prisoners.

The news from the City Mexico is that President Diaz has decided to take advantage of provisions of the Constitution so that summary death sentences for any acts of violence and that the Mexican Government has decided to wage a sharp and decisive war of extermination to speedily end hostilities has spread throughout the insurgent ranks. The reply through insurgent sympathizers here is that in retaliation the revolutionary forces hereafter will expect and give "no quarter."

No word has come from the city of Chihuahua for seven days. It is reported the insurgents are encamped around the city twelve miles distant in each direction and are successful in maintaining a stoppage of trains and telegraphic communication both north and south.

When the last word was received seven days ago it was that the food question already had become critical and breadstuffs having been exhausted.

The continued isolation of the place has given rise to grave fears as to the fate of the 25,000 inhabitants. The presence in the city of 2,000 Federal troops under Gen. Juan Fernandez, while being looked upon as sufficient protection against any attack, is thought to have more than ordinary depleted rations.

Like condition prevail in many small towns.

## Randall for the Senate.

Austin: Representative Randall of Sherman, who has represented his district in Congress during the fifty-seventh, fifty-eighth, fifty-ninth, sixtieth and sixty-first sessions, and who will serve out his term in the Sixty-Second Congress, has announced himself as a candidate for the United States Senate at the coming primaries in Texas. Hon. Sam T. Rayburn, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, is the first to announce as a candidate for the seat in the lower house of the National Congress, now held by Mr. Randall.

## Oklahoma Town Practically Destroyed

Moskogue: Practically the entire business district of Webbers Falls, Okla., about fifteen miles south of this city, was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. Ten buildings burned, causing a loss estimated at \$200,000.

Two banks, three dry goods stores, two drug stores, a cotton gin and the telephone exchange were among the property destroyed.

## Chicken thieves are rampant in Dallas.

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## Officers Engage in Fatal Duel.

San Angelo: Resulting from a long standing personal feud, Deputy Sheriff John Respain and Deputy City Marshal Joe Lynn engaged in a shooting affray Saturday night in a store here. Respain was shot through the right arm and right lung and fatally injured. Lynn sustained wounds in the same region but will likely recover. Lee Woodward, bookkeeper at the drug store, was shot in the right forearm in trying to separate the men.

## DOINGS OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

Titles of the Laws Enacted During the Session of the Legislature which Adjourned last Saturday.

Austin: The Legislature wound up with a whoop Saturday at 2 o'clock. The Governor and some of the numbers are "sore" and as irritable as hornets, and the adjournment is to these a genuine pleasure. Among the last acts of the Governor was the veto of the "Lightfoot" bill, and the sending of his final message, an ironical document, not calculated to soothe the general membership. It cannot be said that the Thirty-Second Texas Legislature was characterized by any other features so strongly as those of practically political efforts along the lines of Bateism and anti-Bateism and prohibition and anti-prohibition, two matters really large without the purview of the Legislature.

The Governor has used the veto in the cases of the (1) Texarkana charter; (2) Daylight bill; (3) Bill to establish cotton bagging factory; (4) Bill to lengthen scholastic year; (5) Bill to establish State normal school at Waco; (6) Bosque County road law; (7) Tyler charter; (8) The "Lightfoot" bill.

Bills introduced in the House were 615; in the Senate 366. Bills passed, 105 general, of which five have already been vetoed; 177 local, of which three have been vetoed.

The following constitutional amendments were placed before the people to be voted on. For State-wide prohibition, to levy a tax for Confederate pensions, etc.; extending the tenure of office of penitentiary commissioners to six years; to permit cities to make their own charters; permitting the Legislature to provide that the terms of office of members of the boards of State educational and eleemosynary institutions, "shall all other boards created by law," shall be any number of years not more than six.

It is believed that under the clause here quoted the Legislature may provide that the members of the Boards of Municipal Commissions and of School Boards may hold for any number of years not over six.

Following is a list of the general laws passed, save those which have already been vetoed. Those which have been approved are so designated. The other are still in the hands of the Governor:

General Senate Bills Passed.  
S. B. 3, appropriating \$120,000 mileage and per diem. Approved.  
S. B. 4, appropriating \$20,000 contingent expenses. Approved.  
S. B. 5, providing for printing the revised statute. Approved.  
S. B. 12, suspended sentence bill. Approved.  
S. B. 15, child labor law. Approved.  
S. B. 26, providing for payment of expenses of District Judges and Attorneys. Approved.  
S. B. 31, granting railroads two years within which to construct their lines and save charters. Approved.  
S. B. 26, authorizing the incorporation of cotton picking companies. Approved.  
S. B. 40, authorizing Commissioners' Courts to issue bonds for poor houses. Approved.  
S. B. 45, extending to Sept. 1 time to pay franchise taxes. Approved.  
S. B. 61, providing for State depositories in each Congressional district. Approved.  
S. B. 71, regulating sale of commercial fertilizer. Approved.  
S. B. 74, for eradication of sheep scab. Approved.  
S. B. 89, providing general system for transferring lands in land Department. Approved.  
S. B. 81, the equal representation election bill. Approved.  
S. B. 82, McNeal's Democratic city primary bill. Approved.  
S. B. 94, providing for a monument to Mrs. Elizabeth Crockett, wife of David Crockett. Approved.  
S. B. 96, for repairs at North Texas Insane Asylum. Approved.  
S. B. 99, establishing office of Pure Food Commissioner at Austin. Approved.  
S. B. 114, providing that suits for rents may be joined in action for approval. Approved.  
S. B. 124, providing for an inspector of masonry. Approved.  
S. B. 132, providing salary of \$1,500 for one chief stenographer. Approved.  
S. B. 149, providing for the annual filling of the jury wheel. Approved.  
S. B. 159, survey, what and terminal companies under the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission. Approved.  
S. B. 177, exempting water users' associations from payment of the franchise tax. Approved.  
S. B. 178, validating county line school districts. Approved.  
S. B. 184, providing chaplain for juvenile training school. Approved.  
S. B. 191, consolidating the Denison and Sherman and the Texas Traction Company lines. Approved.  
S. B. 203, increasing Governor's staff from nine to twelve. Approved.  
S. B. 211, locating headquarters of Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner in Austin. Approved.  
S. B. 225, authorizing Commissioners' Courts to appropriate money for farm mortgages. Approved.  
S. B. 230, limiting holdings of property on Harbor Island water front. Approved.  
S. B. 237, providing that bonds deposited by State depositories shall be at market value. Approved.  
S. B. 247, validating title to school lands where errors have been made in the Land Office. Approved.  
S. B. 248, for incorporation of casualty companies. Approved.  
S. B. 249, the parole law. Approved.  
S. B. 263, authorizing cities to construct viaducts. Approved.  
S. B. 274, enacting the sanitary code. Approved.  
S. B. 275, providing for establishing of Confederate Woman's Home. Approved.  
S. B. 287, the revised penal code. Approved.  
S. B. 288, the revised civil code. Approved.  
S. B. 300, giving Justices of the Peace jurisdiction over violations of the game laws. Approved.

Courts Created.  
H. B. 9, Harris County Criminal District Court. Approved.  
H. B. 28, creating Court of Civil Appeals at Amarillo. Approved.  
H. B. 38, creating Seventy-First Judicial District in Lubbock County. Approved.  
H. B. 111, creating a Civil County Court for Tarrant County. Approved.  
H. B. 126, creating the Seventeenth Judicial District in Bexar County. Approved.

Courts Created.  
H. B. 94, creating Brooks County out of a part of the north ends of Hidalgo, Starr and Zapata counties. Approved.  
H. B. 119, creating Jim Wells County out of the western part of Nueces County. Approved.  
H. B. 182, creating Culberson County out of the eastern part of El Paso County. Approved.  
H. B. 221, creating Wilbrey County out of north end of Cameron County and part of north end of Hidalgo County. Approved.  
H. B. 244, prohibiting soliciting for doctors. Approved.

H. B. 274, providing for recording certified copies of written instruments. Approved.  
H. B. 288, validating certain titles in Mason County. Approved.  
H. B. 291, prohibiting dynamiting of fish. Approved.  
H. B. 292, amending gross receipts tax law so as not to tax insurance. Approved.  
H. B. 215, providing for drainage districts. Approved.  
H. B. 235, providing clerk for Pension Commissioner. Approved.  
H. B. 329, increasing Sheriff's fees for feeding prisoners. Approved.  
H. B. 343, providing that persons shall not be entitled to public aid as paupers without being in county six months and State one year. Approved.  
H. B. 407, appropriating \$15,000 to continue topographical survey. Approved.  
H. B. 427, making the circus tax \$222 per day, instead of \$250 per performance. Approved.  
H. B. 474, appropriating \$6,000 for Nacoches County tobacco experiment station. Approved.  
H. B. 485, permitting cities to mortgage water and light plants for improvements. Approved.

Too Quick With Scorn.  
That marvelous story of the British expedition to New Guinea, with its discovery of a new pigmy race, reminds a writer that in the past stay-at-home people have sometimes erred in treating travelers' tales with scorn. There was, for instance, the description by James Bruce in 1770 of the barbarous Abyssinian custom of eating raw meat out from the living animal which was ridiculed by everybody. Yet Bruce has even recently been proved right. When Paul Du Chaillu explored equatorial Africa in 1861 and described the wonderful gorillas and also the nation of dwarfs there he was discredited none too politely by the British Royal Geographical society. Yet subsequent explorers amply vindicated his veracity.

Making Amends.  
Housewife—Suppose, when you're blasting a big rock comes right in through our window?  
Contractor—That'll be all right, lady; I'll send one of my men to fetch it out again.—Judge.

A Bad Homo-Coming.  
Homeward the weary toiler wends his way.  
His thoughts on a good dinner bent; Sadly he hears his sobbing wife say: "Oh, I-John! The cook has went!"  
—Harvard Lampoon.

Had Some of His Own.  
"Terby brought back a bear's head and a lynx, both mounted, as souvenirs of his vacation in the mountains. Have you any such fearful reminders?"  
"Well, I have my weekly receipts for board and extras."

Cherchez La Femmes.  
When you see a beautiful lover Blushing crimson in the face Every time he takes his watch out, "There's a woman in the case."  
—Harvard Lampoon.



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Exhorting the Ducks.  
There are two tiny boys in this town whose mother sings often to them at their request, and as she is an ardent church woman, the children hear as many hymns as anything else. The other day they were playing with their wooden ducks in the bathtub, and strangely enough the ducks were more inclined to float sideways than in the approved manner. After several attempts to keep the misguided ducks straight, the older boy shouted:

"Stand up, duck, stand up!" Then two-year-old, noting the familiar phrase, leaned over the tub and exorted: "Tand up, duck! Tand up for Jesus!"

Domestic Amenities.  
Father—I think the baby looks like you.  
Mother—Yes, it shuts its eyes to an awful lot.

## RHEUMATISM

Dr. Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy relieves pain in the legs, arms, back, etc. as swollen joints. Contains no morphine, opium, cocaine or drugs to deaden the pain. It neutralizes the acid and drives out all rheumatic poisons from the system. Write Prof. Munyon, 634 9th St., Philadelphia, Pa., for medical advice, absolutely free.

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Subscribers failing to get their paper on time, will confer a favor by reporting same to us.

Austin Notes.

The Governor has so far vetoed bills.

The Governor vetoed the daylight bill, and the House sustained the veto.

The Governor vetoed the bill establishing a cotton factory at Rusk.

All the redistricting bills died on the calendar. They may be taken up at the extra session.

The bulk of the legislation was local, most of it relating to city charters.

The legislature adjourned without passing the appropriation bill, which makes it absolutely necessary for an extra session not later than August.

The legislature created four new counties, Brook, Jim Wells, Culbertson and Willacy. We now have 249 counties in Texas.

The submission of the constitutional amendment for statewide prohibition was perhaps the act of leading importance of the present session.

By concurrent resolution the Legislature indorsed the election of U. S. Senators by popular vote. Petitioners to Congress to legislate against polygamy and passed five other resolutions.

There were 971 bills introduced in the 32nd Legislature and 277 were enacted into law. Of the laws passed 105 were general, of which 5 have already been vetoed and 177 local of which 3 have already been vetoed.

There were five constitutional amendments submitted by the 32nd legislature as follows: Statewide prohibition; providing that members of State Boards serve six years; authorizing cities to make their own charters; providing six year term for penitentiary commissioners; providing a tax of 5 cents for confederate pensions.

The output of the factories in the South brings \$2,690,000,000 annually, but of this amount Texas factories yield only a small per cent. With every facility for manufacturing and cheap fuel in abundance and an administration that is favorable to the development of the state's resources, the building of factories in Texas is expected to be a prominent feature of the state's development during the next four years.

In the 13th annual report of the Texas Farmer's Congress the A. & M. College of Texas is shown as having 838 students on its 1910 enrollment. Throughout the entire country there is an unparalleled activity among all industrial classes which naturally creates a thirst for agricultural education and the training of young men in agricultural pursuits is now considered by the wisest statesmen to be the duty of every state.

Our A. & M. College is deserving of better support and it is to be hoped that the present legislature will make adequate appropriations for this institution during the next two years.

The legislative cyclone is over and the timid ones are coming out of their storm cellars. No railroad tracks were torn up; no smoke stacks blown down and no property damaged. What a marvelous session. We should all feel grateful that the destinies of the state have not been lacerated by legislation, and the people of Texas ought to set aside a day of thanksgiving for their remarkable deliverance from legislative cure-alls. Of course constructive legislation is always in order but the marvelous progress we are making in getting beyond the damage zone at one session is quite sufficient for solid substantial growth. It has been a "Fewer Law" session and the laws that were passed can do no more bite than a new born babe.

VISIT TO A. & M. COLLEGE

The following are the words of Representative Hamilton of Lampasas upon a recent visit to the A. & M. College, a state institution, which every citizen of Texas should take a pride:

"I went on a visit to College Station last Saturday. I wish every farmer could spend one day there and see what the flower of young manhood of Texas—1070 of them—are going to make Texas great in the coming years. These manly boys will lead in the industrial development of Texas. I saw young farmer boys studying the soil, 'judging' sheep, hogs, horses, cattle, poultry, preparing hog cholera serum, inoculating for Texas cattle fever, dissecting horses in the study of veterinary surgery, running turning lathes, planing mill, scroll saws, wood joining, carpentry, forging and making of all kinds of blacksmith work, taking cotton in the raw lint, spinning and weaving same into the finished product. I saw these boys weaving turkish towels, cotton sheeting and table cloths. The table cloths were in checks, stripes and flowers. Yes sir, they were weaving the flowers, raised flowers, right into that cloth before our very eyes. We old farmers could not understand it, but those farmer boys were doing it all the same. They were grafting, working in chemistry, experimenting with all sorts of chemicals—I was afraid of that chemical business. Two or more innocent substances may be so combined as to form an extremely dangerous compound that could blow up the whole outfit. But these boys are learning things down there.

I saw those husky strong limbed, thick chested, athletes, every one of them, form in companies, regiments, etc., with their commissioned officers, all in blue caps and blue jackets, snow white pants, with their Krag Jargensons, and go out on dress parade. One thousand kept step as the one man, every foot, went to the

Only for the birds, the worms, bugs and flies would soon fill the earth and destroy every vestige of vegetation and humanity would starve. Almost everything that wears feathers except women, eat insects—insects that destroy that which mankind must eat. The killing of one locust means swarms of gnats, flies and mosquitoes to pester man. The killing of a woodpecker may mean the destruction of an orchard, for with his sharp little eyes he can see where the "shotborer" entered the tree, with his keen ears he can hear him with his drill boring to its heart and with his barbed tongue he can fish him out and put Mr. Worm where he will do the most good. A covey of quails will do more to clear a field of weed seed, boll weevils and other pestiferous bugs than two men can with an arsenal of tools and a drugstore full of chemicals. A mocking bird or a scissor-tail will work all the year saving the garden and fields from being eaten up by insects and then get shot for tasting a few peaches. A blackbird will hunt cut-worms and millers all the year so that a farmer may have bread to eat, and get his hide shot full of holes because he mixed a few maize seeds with his dinner of bugs. It is all right to kill birds when they become an actual pest, but you ought to figure mighty close when you do it and be sure that he is not paying for his keeps. If you have to kill him, do it yourself and don't trust to the fool and his gun to do it, for he may kill you or your cow while he is at it. God Almighty put these birds here for our pleasure, and protection, and it is up to us to let them live. If we have not the wisdom to see the point, and like fools destroy His blessings, He may let us wipe ourselves off the face of the earth some day.

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Election Notice.

Whereas the County Commissioner of the County of Sterling, State of Texas, do make it of public interest to issue bonds for the purpose herein stated.

That it is hereby ordered by the County Commissioner of said county that an election be held on the 19th day of April, 1911, at which a following proposition shall be submitted:

That the County Commissioner of the County of Sterling be authorized to issue bonds of said County in the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars payable in 40 years, with the option of redeeming same at any time after ten years from date, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable annually, and legal gas tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity for the purpose of erecting a County Jail for Sterling County.

Said election shall be held at the various voting places in said County, to-wit: At the Court House in Sterling City, Precinct No. 1; Mulberry School House, Precinct No. 2; China Valley School House, Precinct No. 3; David School House, Precinct No. 4; Kellis School House, Precinct No. 5; Lacy School House, Precinct No. 6; Sterling Creek School House, Precinct No. 7; and the following named persons are hereby appointed judges of said election, to-wit:

W. L. Foster and E. Westbrook, W. F. Latham and L. Lowe, for Precinct No. 1; G. A. Hodges and G. G. Almsworth, for Precinct No. 2; D. D. Davis and W. T. Brown, for Precinct No. 3; J. L. Copeland and N. Munn, for Precinct No. 4; Brennan and J. S. August, for Precinct No. 5; R. L. Jackson and K. L. Boswell, for Precinct No. 6; J. L. Glass and W. T. Brown, for Precinct No. 7; and F. M. Ashley and J. R. Cope, for Precinct No. 8.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 149 of the 26th Legislature, Laws 1909, and only qualified voters who are property tax payers of said County, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have printed on their ballots the words "Against the issuance of bonds" the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections. A copy of this order signed by the County Commissioner of said County, shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the County Judge directed to cause said notice to be published in the News-Record, a newspaper published in said County for five successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least ten days prior to said election. A TRUE COPY.

ATTEST: Given under my hand and seal of office, this 17th day of March, 1911, A. D. (L.S.)

B. F. BROWN, County Judge. LEONCE B. COLE, Clerk County Court, Sterling County, Texas. BY IRVING COLE, Deputy.

Election Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS. COUNTY OF STERLING. On the 10th day of February, 1911, this Court being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of W. L. Foster and 84 other persons praying that bonds be issued by said Sterling County in the sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of Five per cent per annum maturing 40 years from date, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graded or paved roads and tumpikes, or to aid thereof.

And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax paying voters of said Sterling County, and that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one fourth of the assessed valuation of said real property of said County.

It is therefore considered an order by the Court that an election be held in said County on the 29th day of April, 1911, which is not less than 60 days from the date of this order to determine whether or not the bonds of said County shall be issued in the amount of Sixteen Thousand Dollars bearing interest at the rate of Five per cent per annum and maturing Forty years from the date thereof. And whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said County, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said County for four successive weeks before the date of said election. And in addition thereof shall be posted notice of such election at three public places in the County one of which shall be at the Court House door for three weeks prior to said election.

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W. L. Foster, Presiding Judge, and E. Westbrook, Assistant Judge, 1st set; W. F. Latham, Presiding Judge, 2d set; L. Lowe and J. D. Jones, 3d set; G. A. Hodges, Presiding Judge, and G. G. Almsworth, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 2; D. D. Davis, Presiding Judge, and J. W. Woods, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 3; J. L. Copeland, Presiding Judge, and N. Munn, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 4; T. G. Brennan, Presiding Judge, and J. S. August, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 5; R. L. Jackson, Presiding Judge, and K. L. Boswell, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 6; J. L. Glass, Presiding Judge, and W. T. Brown, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 7; F. M. Ashley, Presiding Judge, and J. R. Cope, Assistant Judge for Precinct No. 8.

Said election shall be held under the provisions of the Code District Act passed the First Called Session of the Thirty-First Legislature, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said County shall be allowed to vote.

And all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of bonds and levying of the tax in payment thereof" and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof." The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections. A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said County shall serve as a proper notice of said election and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Sterling County for four successive weeks next preceding said election and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in the County, one of which shall be at the Court House door for three weeks prior to said election. A TRUE COPY.

ATTEST: Given under my hand and seal of office, this 17th day of March, A. D. (L.S.)

B. F. BROWN, County Judge. LEONCE B. COLE, Clerk County Court, Sterling County, Texas. BY IRVING COLE, Deputy.

Notice to Hunters.—Posted.

My pasture is posted according to the law made and provided in such cases and all persons are hereby warned and forbidden to hunt, fish, or otherwise trespass upon any of the enclosed lands owned or controlled by me, under pain of prosecution to the full extent of the law. J. F. Davis. 5-6-02

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given, that any person or persons who shall hunt, fish, or haul wood, work or drive stock, or otherwise trespass upon any land owned or controlled by me, or either without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. J. F. Davis. 5-6-02

Our General STOCK

Is replete with the newest goods and the Very Highest Quality. When we buy and sell goods we consider the Quality of goods as our Standard.

EVERY DEPARTMENT

Full of everything that is needed for the home. We make a specialty in Ranch Supplies and we can fill your bill large or small.

Our Groceries

Always please for we keep our stock fresh and clean and handle nothing but high-grade goods.

FEED, FEED

We are selling lots of feed but always keep well stocked and can supply your wants at any time. Don't forget it.

H. Q. LYLES

THE TABERNACLE

How about that tabernacle that we are going to build this spring? You know we held our meetings under that old brush pile last summer and while our heads were bowed in supposed reverence, yet, while we were doing this, we had our weather eye peeped for fear those brush would catch a fire and burn us.

A prayer would have to be mighty strong to get through all that brush and we don't believe that they will be heard when it is seen that we can do better and won't do it. Now let us all chip in and build a good tabernacle—a good roomy one with no sectarian lines about it. One in which Christians of every denomination will be free to go there and tell their troubles to the good Lord. Here is \$3, and more if needed, who will cover our pile? Come, my brother, bow down and let the good work begin.

WHAT'S THE USE? "What did your mother whisper to you before she let you come out on the veranda with me?" "To scream if you tried to kiss me." "Why, I wouldn't dream of such a thing." "Let's go back in."

Special Train To San Antonio For Cattle Raisers

Via

March 19

Leaves San Angelo 8:00 p. m.

Note: Special Train will not stop at points east of Brownwood. Passengers at Zephyr and points east will be accommodated on regular train 78.

Meeting Cattle Raisers Ass'n

March 21-23

Tickets on sale March 19 and 20, and for trains arriving San Antonio morning 21. Tickets limited to March 26, 1911, for final return. Ask any Santa Agent for particulars or address W. S. KEENAN, C. P. A., GALVESTON.

Two good Jersey milk cows for sale. See Dr. C. R. Carver, Sterling City, Texas.

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W. L. FOSTER, PRES. I. S. JOHNSTON, VICE-PRES. J. T. DAVIS 2nd V. P. J. S. COLE, CASHIER. SAN MAHAFFEY, ASS'T. CASHIER. THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STERLING CITY, TEXAS. CAPITAL \$60,000.00. Accounts are solicited from individuals, who may rely upon courteous consideration and the very best terms that are consistent with good business methods.

O K WAGON YARD MILO MAIZ, KAFFIR CORN, CANE & MILLET SEED AT COTTEN & DAVIS

New Furniture NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE, VARIETY AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS, TRUNKS AND VALISES, ETC.

GLASS, TIN AND ENAMELED WARES S. R. WILLIAMS JOE CARNES, CARPENTER AND BULDER

ABOUT CELERY.

Celery is easily grown here. The greatest drawback is getting the plants once started. The writer has rarely ever failed to raise good celery after the following method: Put your celery seeds in a teacup at night and cover them with warm water. Next morning sow them in a bed of rich soil. Scratch them in with a rake and then tramp the soil down good and hard. Cover the bed with old sacks and weigh them down so the wind won't blow them off. If it is dry, sprinkle these sacks with water every day. In about six days little white sprouts will begin to show under the sacks. When this occurs remove the sacks and keep the surface of the bed wet until the plants are large enough to transplant. Transplant 15 inches apart and they will grow according to the water they get. You can grow stems 4 inches or 24 inches long—owing to how you take care of them. Sow from February to May and plant out from May to July.

Farm and Factory

Texas has 4,794,000 head of cattle valued at \$120,301,956. It is a remarkable fact that Texas has the largest grade of cattle of any state, but for economic reasons fails to realize the value. It is possible that the Texas farmer may not exceed the Illinois farmer in grade of cattle but our ranches show up exceedingly well in the matter of grade of stock.

In Illinois the cattle are worth \$2 per head and in Texas \$14.79 per head.

It cost approximately \$3 per head to ship cattle from Texas to the Chicago packing houses and the difference in the price is accounted for by the fact that the cattle are taken off the ranch, weighed and shipped to corn country where a few bushels of corn are fed them and \$10 added to their value. We had enough packing houses in Texas to utilize our supply of live stock and did our own feeding. We are adding \$15 per head to our cattle, says Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

Packing houses sufficient to meet the present needs of Texas would be worth \$43,970,000 to the value of our stock which is more than the packing houses would cost.

Added Value to Texas Cattle by the Packing Houses. By bringing the packing houses to the farm we adjust economic conditions and the increase in the live stock goes to the producer without increasing the price of meat to the consumer, without increasing the expense of the packer. The farm at the factory goes hand in hand and the prosperity of either is dependent upon the other, and no clearer example of this fact could be presented, than that of the packing house and the farmer. At once brings to the farmer the value of his cattle.

Wanted—An Idea. Wanted—An Idea. Wanted—An Idea. Wanted—An Idea.



# General Directory

**District Officers**  
 Judge—J. W. Timmins.  
 Attorney—Alec Collins.  
 Clerk—L. B. Cole.  
 Court meets 4th Monday after  
 Monday in February and September.

**County Officers**  
 Judge—G. F. Brown.  
 Attorney—Hugh Bardin.  
 Clerk—L. B. Cole.  
 Sheriff—Jas. B. Ayres.  
 Treasurer—E. L. Gilmore.  
 Assessor—D. C. Durham.  
 Surveyor—W. F. Kullin.  
 Court meets 4th Monday in Febru-  
 ry, May, August and November.

**County Commissioners.**  
 Com'r. Pro. No. 1—B. F. Roberts  
 " " " "—E. F. Atkinson  
 " " " "—S. L. Mull  
 " " " "—J. S. Johnston

**Justice Court.**  
 Court, Precinct No. 1, meets 3rd Sat-  
 urday in each month. Malcolm Black J. P.

**CHURCHES.**  
 M. E. Church—Preaching every second  
 and fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and  
 7:30 p. m., and fourth Sunday at 7:30 p. m.  
 Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. every  
 Sunday.  
 Rev. J. T. Redman Pastor.

R. W. Foster, S. S. Supt.  
 Baptist—Preaching every 1st and 3rd  
 Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.  
 and 7:30 p. m. Conference Saturday night  
 before the 4th Sunday. Sunday school  
 every Sunday at 9 o'clock p. m.  
 Rev. W. E. Dawn Pastor.  
 Prof. L. C. Durham, Supt.  
 Presbyterian—Preaching every 3rd  
 Sunday in each month at 11 o'clock a. m.  
 Rev. Black, Pastor.

**SOCIETIES.**  
 Masonic—Starling lodge No. 724, A. F. & M. E. meets Saturday night on or  
 before the full moon in each month.  
 N. L. Douglass Secretary  
 W. F. Latham W. M.

Eastern Star—Meets Saturday P. M.  
 8 o'clock on or before the full moon  
 in each month.  
 Mrs. Nannie B. Kellis W. M.  
 Mrs. N. L. Douglass Secretary.

## LOCAL NEWS

Jeweler at Butler's drugstore.  
 Nyall's kidney pills, every box  
 guaranteed at Butler Drug Co.

DIED:—Mrs. Hattie Gline, mother  
 of our popular barber, Joe Gline,  
 died last night at Carlsbad.

H. Q. Lyles returned this week  
 from St. Louis where he purchased  
 a large stock of goods for his store.

Lice exterminator destroys lice  
 mites, fleas. Everyone having cats,  
 dogs or poultry should not be with-  
 out it. Butler Drug Co.

The fishermen are taking advan-  
 tage of these warm days to gratify  
 their piscatorial proclivities.

Mrs. Harry Shipman and her sis-  
 ter, Miss Eleanor Dupree, who have  
 been visiting here for the last week,  
 left this morning for Colorado.

Materials for dipping stock can be  
 furnished in large quantities at But-  
 ler Drug Co.

A. H. Allard of Sterling Creek,  
 was here Wednesday. He reports  
 range conditions in good shape in  
 his part of the country.

I am prepared to do all kind-  
 of jewelry repair work. See  
 me at Butler drugstore.

Yesterday morning Sheriff Ayres  
 and Deputy Davis arrested an im-  
 sane Mexican who had been herd-  
 ing sheep for Phillips & Cummins.

For chapped face and hands  
 there is nothing better than Fish-  
 er's Benzoin Cream. Try it. But-  
 ler Drug Co.

work on the freight depot is pro-  
 gressing nicely. When completed,  
 this will be among the most hand-  
 some structures of its kind on the  
 road.

Sheepmen: You will soon want  
 to brand your sheep again. The  
 best material for making branding  
 dope can be had at Butler Drug Co.

From and after Jan. 1st, all  
 work done at either of our black-  
 smith shops will be spot cash.  
 K. L. Copeland,  
 E. M. Staggs.

The time of year has come when  
 stock needs a tonic. Nothing beats  
 Le Ger's Stock Food to start an  
 animal to thriving in the spring.  
 Sold by Butler Drug Co.

A. A. Gamble for field seeds.  
 The passenger depot is rapidly  
 nearing completion. Terra cotta til-  
 ing will be used for the roof which  
 will be laid in a few days.

A. A. Gamble has let the contract  
 for the erection of a large cold stor-  
 age building to be built at an early  
 date. Mr. Gamble says he intends  
 to supply ice to the people at a  
 price which everybody can afford  
 during the summer months.

**STALLION FOR SALE**  
 I have a fine, coal-black, half  
 blooded and half Percheron  
 stallion which I am offering for  
 sale at a bargain. He is in prime  
 condition, well broken, coming  
 six years old and a sure breeder.  
 Those wishing a good horse at  
 the right price will phone or write  
 A. F. JONES,  
 Sterling City, Texas

The building of the walks in the  
 court yard are nearly completed.  
 They consist of a water guard belt  
 all around the building, a circular  
 walk 100 feet in diameter around  
 this and a walk 100 feet long lead-  
 ing to the steps of the yard.

For city lots in the Phillips  
 Addition see R. B. Cummins.

I have sixty-four hundred dol-  
 lars in gilt edge vendors lien  
 note. I will trade or cattle at  
 the right prices, above or below  
 the line. Address C. A. Wason,  
 Latamoa, Texas

Bring us a load of wood and  
 move up your subscription a  
 notch or two.

A trip over the range yesterday  
 revealed the fact that the loss of  
 livestock during the winter was on-  
 ly nominal. Forage weeds and  
 grass are relieving many of our  
 stockmen of the task of feeding.

H. O. Pope, jeweler, at Butler  
 Drug store.

Two choice corner business  
 lots front 50x180 feet, on S. E.  
 corner public square at a bar-  
 gain. J. A. Cannon.

**SEEDS.**—A. A. Gamble is hand-  
 ling all kinds of field and forage  
 seeds. Those wishing to secure  
 seed for the coming crop will save  
 money by placing their orders with  
 him at an early date and avoid the  
 rush. Come early while there are  
 plenty of seeds in the market.

**Farmers' Institute**  
 (Program for March 25, 2 p. m.)  
 The Jail and Road Bond issues—  
 Hon. Jeff D. Ayres. General discus-  
 sion.

The present condition and out-  
 look of the Cattle Industry in West  
 Texas—W. L. Foster. General dis-  
 cussion.

You are cordially invited to at-  
 tend the Institute.  
 Malcolm Black, Sec.

The immense locomotive driving  
 wheel traveling a mile a minute  
 makes 403,361 revolutions in 24  
 hours. The delicate balance wheel  
 of a watch makes 432,000 in the  
 same time. The locomotive wheel  
 is oiled and cared for several times  
 during 24 hours. Should not you  
 watch receive attention at least  
 once a year? The wonderful pre-  
 cision is easily affected. Let H. O.  
 Pope, Jeweler at Butler Drug Store  
 do your jewelry work.

Ladies, don't throw your Barrette  
 away. Take it to the Jeweler for  
 repair.

**POSTED**  
 Our pasture is posted and all  
 persons are hereby put upon  
 legal notice that any one who  
 shall hunt, cut or haul wood on  
 otherwise trespass upon any of  
 the lands owned or controlled  
 by us will be prosecuted to the  
 full extent of the law,  
 10-96-'01 Fisher Bro.

**Notice**  
 Headquarters of both the auto  
 and the pros will please take no-  
 tice that hereafter we will charge  
 at the rate of 5 cents per line for  
 all advertising matter published  
 by us. As neither party has an  
 account with us, in order to get  
 matter run in this paper, the mon-  
 ey must be sent along with the  
 copy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Edwards of  
 upper Sterling Creek, visited in town  
 Wednesday.

## Let us Sell You Your

### Rakes, Hoes, Spades, Garden Plows, Trowels, Poultry Wire, Cotton and Rubber Hose, Lawn Sprinklers for the Spring Garden

Our prices are right and  
 your trade will be appre-  
 ciated.

## LOWE & DURHAM

### HARDWARE & FURNITURE

**Irrigation Possibilities  
 in Concholand.**

Aside from the natural flow and  
 the stormwater of the Conchos,  
 there lies underneath the soil at a  
 depth of from 10 to 50 feet an inex-  
 haustible supply of water.

Fill a wash basin with gravel and  
 then pour in water until it will hold  
 no more and you will have a mini-  
 ature illustration of the conditions  
 which exists under the soil. A vast  
 area of this western country rests  
 on a bowl shaped bed composed of  
 material that is impervious to water.  
 This big bowl is filled with sand and  
 gravel and the spaces between this  
 is filled with water whose sources  
 of supply may come from melting  
 snows on the Rocky mountains to  
 the west and north, supplemented  
 by the rainfall on the plains.

This great underground sea lies  
 but few visible outlets. The great  
 springs, such as the Renteria,  
 Hackberry, North Concho, Coman-  
 che, Grierson, Kiowa Spring, Dove  
 and Kickapoo creeks, the Llano, San  
 Sabá, San Marcos, San Antonio and  
 others are doubtless outlets of this  
 vast subterranean reservoir.

There are but few spots from the  
 brakes of Beel creek on the north to  
 Devil's river on the south, and the  
 Pecos on the west to the Colorado  
 on the east that the creek has failed  
 to bring an abundance of good wa-  
 ter, which to our mind proves the  
 theory.

In this region which represents an  
 area larger than the New England  
 states, there are but few men who  
 know the limits of their wells.

No one has ever doubted but that  
 the soil of this region is ideal for all  
 kinds of crops and the lack of suffi-  
 cient moisture is all that can be al-  
 leged against it. Now that cheap  
 power and efficient machinery has  
 been invented to bring the water  
 from the great store house below to  
 the soil above, there is no reason  
 why this should not be one of the  
 greatest agricultural regions of the  
 world.

The great swamps of east Texas,  
 Louisiana, and Florida are being  
 drained and converted into fertile  
 fields and it only requires a reverse  
 proceeding to do the same for west  
 Texas. One is a cut and the other a  
 fill.

Some day the "old timer" who  
 once thought that not less than ten  
 sections were sufficient to make a  
 living from will wake up and find  
 that his sons who are now in knee  
 pants will be making their fortunes  
 from forty acres of this same land.  
 Mark the prediction.



### Young Men

Before ordering your Spring  
 suit don't fail to look over our  
 new style ideas and exclusive  
 woolen specialties for good  
 Made-to-Order Clothes. We'll  
 dress you right up to the  
 minute at a considerable sav-  
 ing. Our tape line is ready  
 for you.

## GUY BUTLER

Local representative for  
**Strauss Brothers**  
**MASTERS TAILORS**

A Mr. Craig of the San Angelo Ice  
 Cream Co. was in our town las  
 Tuesday.

Engineer Frank W. O'Shea was  
 here this week.

G. N. Donaldson of Garden City  
 was in yesterday after a load of  
 feedstuff.

A new watering outfit was put in  
 at the Methodist parsonage this  
 week.

J. S. Cox is on the sick list this  
 week.

**AUTHOR LOVES FLOWERS.**  
 Mrs. Margaret Deland of Boston  
 is not only a writer, but she is a  
 lover and a grower of flowers as well.  
 Every year she grows jonquils and  
 sells them for charity early in the  
 spring. This year she had 300 pots  
 of jonquils, hyacinths, tulips and  
 other spring flowers. It was the  
 fifteenth annual sale.

**HOW IT WORKS.**  
 Smiley—The Wall street bear  
 have a great game, haven't they?  
 Dobson—How is that?  
 Smiley—Why, in making a raid  
 they first cover their tracks and then  
 they cover their contracts.

**IN CHICAGO.**  
 Ella—I hear that you are married  
 again.  
 Stella—That's my business.  
 Ella—Well, business seems to be  
 pretty good seeing that this is your  
 fifth.

No. 983  
 Report of the Comptroller of the  
**FIRST NATIONAL BANK**  
 at Sterling City, in the State of Texas  
 at the close of business March  
 7, 1911  
**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts	\$73,351.92
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2,894.44
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	136.90
Bank of other banks, Federal and State	14,309.78
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)	1,567.63
Due from approved reserve agents	19,734.84
Checks and other Cash Items	152.45
Notes of other National banks	1,890.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	6.76
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	5,339.05
Legal-tender Notes	1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S.	
Treasurer (5 per cent of cir- culation)	750.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	959.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$150,917.50</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock paid in	\$60,000.00
Unpaid Profits, less Ex- penses and Tax on Profits	9,941.10
National Bank Notes out- standing	14,000.00
Due to State and Private banks and bankers	770.27
Due to other banks subject to check	97,440.95
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**NOTICE—KEEP OUT.**  
 Notice is hereby given that any  
 person who shall hunt, fish, or  
 haul wood or otherwise tres-  
 pass on any of the lands owned  
 or controlled by me will be pro-  
 secuted to the full extent of the  
 law.  
 G. W. Allard

**TRESPASS NOTICE**  
 Any person hauling wood, fish-  
 ing, hunting, or in any way tres-  
 passing on any lands owned or  
 controlled by me, will be pro-  
 secuted.  
**W. R. McURTREY & SON**

**TRESPASS NOTICE**  
 Any person hauling wood, fish-  
 ing, hunting, or in any way tres-  
 passing on any lands owned or  
 controlled by me, will be pro-  
 secuted.  
 R. W. Foster

If you wish to buy or sell land  
 or livestock in Sterling City or  
 Sterling County, see or write R. B.  
 Cummins.

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**W. L. Foster**

**LET**  
**K. L. COPELAND**  
 Do your haircutting and  
 Hair Dressing

**MONEY MAY BE UNCLEAN.**  
 Girl cashiers should have an anti-  
 septic with which to wash the hands  
 after much handling of money and  
 always before eating. A soap may  
 be obtained, but it is well to have  
 some sort of wash, a few drops of  
 which may be frequently sprinkled  
 upon the hands during the day, if  
 one is to handle a handkerchief or  
 put the hands on the face or hair.

**NO FEAR OF PIRATES.**  
 Giggles—What do you think of  
 my new joke book, old man?  
 Criticus—Well, I can't under-  
 stand why you took the trouble to  
 compile it.

## A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The First State Bank of Sterling City,  
 organized under the Banking Laws of  
 Texas, is now operating as a

### "GUARANTY FUND BANK"

Depositors in a Texas State  
 Bank have never suffered loss

The Depositors of this bank have the following  
 security for their deposits, viz:

**Capital paid in \$ 25,000.00**  
**Liability of Shareholders 25,000.00**  
**Depositors Guaranty Fund**  
**Available of the State Texas 1,175,000.00**

## Making a total security of . . . \$1,225,000.00

**OFFICERS**  
 Emmet Westbrook, Pres. Manse Patton, Cashier  
 N. L. Douglas, Vice-Pres. W. H. Eddleman, Vice-Pres.

**LOWE & DURHAM**  
 Dealers in  
  
 Coffins and Caskets  
 Garry in stock fine, complete  
 line of Undertaker's Goods

### Doran Hotel

Comfortable Rooms and  
 Clean Beds. Table supplied  
 with the best on the market.  
**K. L. Copeland, Proprietor**

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 Dealers in  
 Furniture, Undertaker's  
 Goods, Farm Implements

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 MURRAY'S VEGETABLE BLOOD PURIFIER  
 Cures Rheumatism and Heart Weak-  
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THIRST.



Spring Medicine

There is no other season when medicine is so much needed as in the spring.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It purifies and enriches the blood, cures eruptions, builds up the system.

Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure



Carter's Little Liver Pills

Genuine Signature

HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL

THE LINIMENT FOR RHEUMATISM NEURALGIA

ALL ACES AND PAINS

To Cure Your Pimples.

Take a cup of GRAND M A'S TEA every night

before retiring. Pleasant to take and marvelous results

in two weeks.

Package 25 cents.

Ladies we positively guarantee that the proper use of

Mrs. McCormick's BEAUTY CREAM

will give you a beautiful clear complexion

so much admired by everybody.

Modern application is likely to extract the teeth of an old saw.

Garfield Tea is Nature's laxative

and blood purifier; it overcomes constipation

and its many attendant ailments.

Every penny saved means one less drag of foreboding.

Lewis' Single Binder straight is nice.

Her savings are the saving of many a business girl.

"NO ONE IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH."

WHEN YOU ARE SICKLY

and run down and subjected to spells of

Stomach trouble and Bloating you can-

not take a better medicine than Hos-

tetter's Stomach Bitters.

It removes the cause by toning the

entire digestive system. Try it and See.

BUT INSIST ON Hostetter's

Stomach Bitters

THE BEST STOCK SADDLES

is a wonderful new liquid

headache and neuralgia

remedy. It will make your head "light"

in a few minutes. It is absolutely safe

and harmless. 30c, 25c and 50c

bottles at all drug stores.

THE HED-LYTE CO. Mfg. Dallas, Texas

Cardui Worked Wonders

"I had sick headache," writes Mrs. Margaret L. Pheral, of Newburg, Ind., "continuous hurting in my side;

was always tired, and every month, had such pains I could hardly stand. I was treated by the best doctors in our town,

for more than a year, without any help. At last, I took Cardui, and it worked wonders. Before I had taken one bottle, I felt better. Now, I feel better than in two years, and owe it all to Cardui."

When a woman's nervous and physical systems are tired out—worn out—they need something more than food to refresh them.

TAKE CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

It acts as Nature planned that a tonic should act, in helping along the functions of life, when ordinary methods fail.

Cardui is a natural remedy, and one that you can feel confidence in. Its ingredients are mild, medicinal

TEXAS NEWS HAPPENINGS

An important measure before the last Legislature was a compulsory educational law.

Burglars lifted about \$750 worth of jewelry from W. W. Mitchell's store in Dallas Friday night.

Approximately \$3,000 was realized as the result of the Tag Day campaign conducted in Dallas.

Newt Heath has sold 300 acres of land four miles north of Cleburne on the Fort Worth road for \$27,000.

The Board of Trade of Texarkana has added a display or exhibition room to the offices of the Board of Trade.

Gov. Colquitt has appointed Claud V. Burkhead of San Antonio as Judge of the New Bexar County District Court.

Careful estimates are that 3,500 persons participated in the Sunday School parade in Ft. Worth Saturday afternoon.

The old frame Santa Fe station at Temple is torn down to make room for the new Harvey House, under contract, to cost \$175,000.

Formal invitations have been sent out for the thirtieth annual convention of the Texas Postmasters' Association, to be held in Dallas May 10, 11 and 12.

The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co. has awarded the contract for a seven-story steel and concrete office building to be erected in Houston on the site of the old Sewell home.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for the entertainment of the State convention of the Knights of the Maccabees, which will convene in Dallas Tuesday, March 21, report that practically all details of the entertainment of the delegates are complete.

The following commissions to officers of the Texas National Guard, Second Infantry, have issued by the Adjutant General's Department: Col. B. F. Delamater, Caldwell; Lieut. Col. H. P. Jordan, Waco; Major Will E. Jackson, Hillsboro.

The Dorsey Printing Company, Dallas, is to increase its capital stock to \$1,000,000, and take on many new lines of manufacture of office and bank equipment.

Col. Roosevelt started Wednesday on his six-week western trip. The tour includes Dallas and Fort Worth, whence he will proceed to the Pacific coast.

E. J. McLeary of Fort Worth reported to the police early Saturday morning that he was held up and robbed of \$725 in Dallas, at a place near the county jail, about three blocks south of the county court house.

James Watterson of Austin has been awarded the contract for the erection of a \$3,993 power house for the city of Georgetown. The building will go up at once.

The new Glazed Sash Door Manufacturing Company, which has just completed its plant at Texarkana, will be put in operation within the next few days.

The result of an election held Feb. 25 on the proposition for Crowell Independent School District to issue bonds for \$20,000 shows 126 votes for the bonds and 5 votes against.

W. L. Clifton, aged 74, died Saturday at St. Paul's Sanitarium. Mr. Clifton was born in Georgia and at the time of his death resided in Commerce. He was brought to Dallas three days previously. He was a superannuated preacher of the Methodist Church, South, and was a Mason.

Positive assurance is given by P. B. Hansen, manager of the Johns-Manville Company for Dallas and the Southwest, that the six-story building spoken of some months ago, will be erected. Mr. Hansen stated that definite plans would be prepared by the first of May.

The City Council of Snyder recently sold \$44,000 of city waterworks and sewerage bonds at par and accrued interest and a contract was closed with a Houston company to put in a complete system of waterworks and sewerage.

The new opera house and Woodmen of the World Hall at Cleburne is to have three stories and a basement and is to cost \$50,000. The architects are to have in their plans by March 20.

Rev. Joseph B. Sears, presiding elder of Texarkana district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, died Monday morning.

Some time between April 1 and April 15 the contractors will begin the construction of the new building at the Dallas Golf and Country Club grounds, which will cost, with equipment, some \$75,000.

Marion County has purchased mules and machinery to build public roads with. This county will not issue bonds for this purpose as it has the cash for making better roads all over the county.

Menard, the county seat of Menard County, had a celebration and was put on the railway map last Saturday. The Frisco extension from Brady has reached that town and the result was a big blow out Saturday consisting of an old-fashioned barbecue and dance at night. Several excursion trains brought in several thousand people.

Looking Ahead.

"So you want women to vote?" "I have declared myself to that effect," said the keen politician.

"And I suppose you want to see a woman elected to the office you now hold?"

"No. After they have held a few spirited conventions I don't think any of them will have enough personal popularity among the members to secure even an endorsement. But there's no reason why they shouldn't all vote for me as their champion."

PHYSICAL WRECK RESTORED TO HEALTH BY GREAT KIDNEY REMEDY

Some time ago I began the use of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root with the most remarkable results.

For years I was almost a wreck and was a great sufferer. The doctors who treated me made me believe that my great sufferings were due to female trouble.

I was so bad at times I would faint away and had sinking spells. Finally a new doctor was called in and he said that I had kidney trouble and gave me medicine, of which I took several bottles. It obtained some relief from this but I was getting weaker all the time; I could not sleep and suffered so much pain that my husband and children had to lift me in and out of bed. After this time two friends sent me word to try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which I did, and I am glad to state that the first dose gave me great relief. After taking the third dose I was helped into bed and slept half of the night.

I took several bottles of Swamp-Root and I feel that I owe my life to this wonderful remedy. The two family doctors said that I could not live three months; my urine was in a terrible condition—thick and slimy—and I would have to be helped in and out of bed ten to twenty times every night. After taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root for two days I was entirely free from getting up and could sleep soundly.

MRS. D. E. HILEMAN, Tundown, West.

Personally appeared before me this 11th of September, 1909, Mrs. D. E. Hileman, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

JOSEPH A. MILLER, Notary Public.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You. Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and how to keep them in good health. When writing be sure to mention this paper. For sale at all drug stores. Price fifty cents and one-dollar.

THE HAPPY MAN.

First Lady—How very happy the bridegroom looks! Really it is pleasant to see a young man looking so joyful.

Second Lady—Hush! That's not the bridegroom; that's a gentleman the bride flitted six months ago.

WOULD LIE AWAKE ALL NIGHT WITH ITCHING ECZEMA

"Ever since I can remember I was a terrible sufferer of eczema and other irritating skin diseases. I would lie awake all night, and my suffering was intolerable. A scaly humor settled on my back, and being but a child, I naturally scratched it. It was a burning, itching sensation, and utterly intolerable, in fact, it was so that I could not possibly forget about it. It did not take long before it spread to my shoulders and arms, and I was almost covered with a mass of raw flesh on account of my scratching it. I was in such a condition that my hands were tied.

"A number of physicians were called, but it seemed beyond their medical power and knowledge to cure me. Having tried numerous treatments without deriving any benefit from them, I had given myself up to the mercy of my dreadful malady, but I thought I would take the Cuticura treatment as a last resort. Words cannot express my gratitude to the one who created 'The Cuticura Miracles,' as I have named them, for now I feel as if I never suffered from even a pimple. My disease was routed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I shall never cease praising the wonderful merits they contain. I will never be without them, in fact, I can almost dare any skin diseases to attack me so long as I have Cuticura Remedies in the house. I hope that this letter will give other sufferers an idea of how I suffered, and also hope that they will not pass the 'Cuticura Life Saving Station.' (Signed) C. Louis Green, 928 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 29, 1910.

Her Wedding March.

A young girl who had never heard of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," but was familiar with the more popular parody on it, was a witness to a wedding ceremony in an uptown church recently. As the betrothed pair walked with dignified tread toward the altar to be wed, and the organ pealed forth Mendelssohn's inspiring march, the young girl was plainly shocked. When she arrived at her home she told her mother of the ceremony and innocently exclaimed: "What do you think, mother, they play 'Goe Whiz! I'm Glad I'm Free.'"

Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullen is Nature's great remedy—Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough and all throat and lung troubles. At drug stores, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

All Depends.

"Want a good anecdote about a statesman?" "Was he re-elected?"

FILES CURED IN 4 TO 14 DAYS. Your druggist will refund money if PAINZ OINTMENT does not cure your Rheumatism, Headache, Neuralgia or Protruding Nails in 4 to 14 days. 50c.

No doubt the mind cure is all right—if you have the mind to begin with.

All druggists sell the famous Herb Remedy, Garfield Tea. It corrects constipation.

Loud apparel naturally proclaims the man.

THE ONE DEFECT.



"An heirloom," explained the farmer's wife to her 13-year-old boy, "is something that has been handed down from father to son, and in some instances is greatly prized."

"I'd prize these heirlooms I'm wearing," remarked the youngster, "a good deal more if they wasn't so long in the legs."—Everybody's Magazine.

FROM ECZEMA AND RINGWORM. You can obtain instant relief by using Tetterine, also the best remedy known for Chafes, Bites of Insects, Tetter, Itching Piles, Burns, Chilblains, old Itching Sores, etc. Because you have spent hundreds of dollars and experienced no relief for your itching skin troubles, besides devoting a great deal of energy scratching and pawing at the plaques, you are probably ill that you don't despair. Nature wisely provides a remedy for every ill that is brought on by Tetterine will cure you permanently, positively and completely, nothing else will.

Sold by druggists or sent by mail for 50c. by J. T. Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga.

Dare to Be Happy.

Let us never be afraid of innocent joy; God is good and what he does is well done; resign yourself to everything, even to happiness; ask for the spirit of sacrifice, of detachment, of renunciation, and above all, for the spirit of joy and gratitude, that genuine and religious optimism which sees in God a Father, and asks no pardon for his benefits. We must dare to be happy and dare to confess it, regarding ourselves always as the depositaries, not as the authors of our own joy.—Amiel.

SPHON'S DISTEMPER CURE will cure any possible case of DISTEMPER, PINK EYE, and the like among horses of all ages, and prevents all others in the same stable from having the disease. Also cures chicken cholera, and dog distemper. Any good druggist can supply you, or send to Mrs. S. S. Spon, 1104 N. 10th St., Agents wanted. Free book, Sphon Medical Co., Spec. Contagious Diseases, Goshen, Ind.

A Way to Keep Love In.

Mrs. Honeybird—But, Dickey, dear, the flat is so tiny. Why, the windows are so small a mouse couldn't crawl through.

Mr. Honeybird—That is all the better, dear. When poverty comes in love can't fly through the window.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Little*.

In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

A Ruling Passion.

"Uncle Pinchpenny spent a great deal of time at the home of George Washington."

"Yes. He couldn't be persuaded to stop looking for that dollar George is said to have thrown across the Potomac."

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BUILD UP THE SYSTEM. Take the only *ANTI-MALARIAL* CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. It drives out the malarial and the iron builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 50c. Price 50c.

The Discoverer.

Of faults a seeker he would be. Of recompense he found a death. Save in the truthful claim that he Had picked the easiest job on earth.

You will sneeze; perhaps feel chilly. You think you are catching cold. Don't wait until you know it. Take a dose of Hamlin's Wizard Oil and you just can't catch cold.

A woman can straighten up a man's desk in five minutes so effectively that he won't be able to find anything he wants in five hours.

WHEN RUBBERS BECOME NECESSARY. And your shoes pinch. Allen's Foot-Powder. The Anti-itching powder to be shaken into the shoes. It is just the thing to use. Try it for breaking in new shoes. Sold every where. Sample FREE. Address: A. S. Oatman, Le Roy, N. Y. Don't accept any substitute.

It's an easy matter for a married man to keep posted on what's going on in his home neighborhood.

Constipation causes and aggravates many serious diseases. It is thoroughly cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. The favorite family laxative.

It's easy for a pretty young widow to make a man think he wants to marry her.

Garfield Tea corrects constipation, cleanses the system and purifies the blood. Good health is maintained by its use.

A woman's club sometimes reminds a man of a hammer.

MILD, GENTLE LAXATIVE FOR WOMEN GIVEN FREE

So many of the ills of women are due to habitual constipation, probably because of their false modesty on the subject, that their attention cannot be too strongly called to the importance of keeping the bowels open. It is always important to do that, regardless of the sex, but it is especially important in women.

From the time the girl begins to menstruate until menopause ceases she has always vastly better prospects of coming through healthy if she watches her bowel movements. If you find yourself constipated, with bad breath, pimply complexion, headaches, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

It is a woman's favorite laxative. You will find that you can do away with salts, strong cathartics, etc., which are entirely unsuited to woman's requirements.

Mrs. Katherine Haberstroh of McKees Rocks, Pa., and Mrs. A. E. Herrick of Wheeler, Mich., who was almost paralyzed in her stomach and bowels, are now cured by the use of this remedy. A free sample bottle can be obtained by addressing Dr. Caldwell, and after you are convinced of its merits buy it of your druggist, headchees, belching gas and other symptoms of indigestion and constipation, take a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. The dye is cold water better than any other dye. You can see the present without dipping apart. Write for free booklet—Name to Dr. Beach and His Colors. MONROE DRUG CO., Quincy, Illinois.

And the man who is driven to drink by adversity probably would have it brought to him by prosperity.

Smokers find Lewis' Single Binder 5c cigar better quality than most 10c cigars. Every man is a corner until he reaches a certain age—then he's a goer.

Severe Critics.

Allie—I like Tom immensely, and he's very much of a gentleman, but he does like to talk about himself!

Grace—Yes, dear, your night hath a thousand I's.—Puck.

Do You Use Eye Salve? Apply only from Aseptic Tubes to Prevent Infection. Murine Eye Salve in Tubes—New Size. Murine Eye Salve. 25c per Tube. Eye Books in each Pkg.

His Place.

"The trouble about my son is that he never knows where he is at."

"Then why not get him a job with the weather bureau?"

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

A woman who is sick and suffering, and won't at least try a medicine which has the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, is, it would almost seem, to blame for her own wretchedness.

Richmond, Mo.—"When my second daughter was eighteen months old I was pronounced a hopeless invalid by specialists. I had a consultation of doctors and they said I had a severe case of ulceration. I was in bed for ten weeks, had sinking spells, and was pronounced to be in a dangerous condition. My father insisted that we try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and brought me six bottles. I soon began to improve, and before it had all been taken I was as well and strong as ever—my friends hardly recognized me so great was the change."—Mrs. Woodson Branstetter, Richmond, Mo.

There are literally hundreds of thousands of women in the United States who have been benefited by this famous old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over thirty years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering.

Read what another woman says:—

Jonesboro, Texas.—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for myself and daughter, and consider it unequalled for all female diseases. I would not be without it for anything. I wish every mother in America could be persuaded to use it as there would be less suffering among our sex then. I am always glad to speak a word of praise for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and you are at liberty to use this testimonial."—Mrs. James T. Lawrence, Jonesboro, Texas.

Since we guarantee that all testimonials which we publish are genuine, it is not fair to suppose that if Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had the virtue to help these women it will help any other woman who is suffering from the same trouble?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No sick woman does justice to herself who will not try this famous medicine. Made exclusively from roots and herbs, and has thousands of cures to its credit.

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for her advice—it is free and always helpful.

Among Colleagues.

"I am afraid that man speaks before he thinks."

"Impossible!"

"Why?"

"He never thinks."

A man who thinks his work is worth dollars a minute will spend an hour looking for a dime he dropped in a room.

In the Spring cleanse the system and purify the blood by the use of Garfield Tea.

Imprudence in trifles never made a millionaire nor swelled a bank account.

Discouraged

The expression occurs so many times in letters from sick women, "I was completely discouraged." And there is always good reason for the discouragement. Years of pain and suffering. Doctor after doctor tried in vain. Medicines doing no lasting good. It is no wonder that the women feel discouraged.

Thousands of these weak and sick women have found health and courage regained as the result of the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

It establishes regularity, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures weakness.

IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL.

Refuse substitutes offered by unscrupulous druggists for this reliable remedy. All correspondents strictly private and sacredly confidential. Write without fear and without fee to World's Dispensary, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Pres't, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

30 ft. Bowels—

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