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Wholesale & Retail Dealers In

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Are Now Open, and Respectfully Mavite The PUBLIC to EXAMINE Their

MAMMOTH STOCK &

With San Angelo and Other Markets.

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Merchandise,

SOLORA, SUITOR CO. J. M. Danson a cattleman of Fort Clark, was in Sonora this week, and is so well satisfied with Sutton county, elected on the 4th

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DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS,

Advertising Medium of the Stockman's Paradise. CRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

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J, A. Ogden is in San Angelo.

Jeff Minnis, a prospector from San Angelo arrived last week R. Cavin, of Burnet, was in

Sonor Wednesday. J. E. Wood of San Angelo, arrived last week.

For anything in the rock line se George Traweek, 5 Alexander Rath, wants a j

Morris & Co., sold their saloon

this week to Ed. Hormsby. Miss Dee Drake, arrived Thurs-

Brownwood Monday.

Miss Ollie Mitchell, left Wednes- to three lambs last year. day for her home in San Angelo.

was in Sonora Wednesday. A J Swearingen was in town

R. W. Thomars, of San Angelo, arrived 'n Sonor a Monday, pros-

E J. Harrison, a large cattle owner of Edwards County, was in Sonora for supplies Friday.

Miss Ollie Mitchell, was in town

When in want of fine candies, fruits,

Fayette Meyer came down from San Angelo Monday to see the fatal disease among cattle and hogs

11 pounds, both doing well. H. C. Reynolds, a fine gentlem in veterinary surgeons.

and late druggist of Paint Rock is in Sonora and will probably locate. Corn, oats, hay and feed of all kinds sold in quantities to suit the purchaser Green's rustling young cattlemen, at Hurst, Adam's & Batte's.

E H Oliver, one of the well-todo sheepmen of South Concho,

county, was in Sonora this week reports sheep, c

Galvanized iron ventilation flues, stove pipes, rain proofs and res. at H. W. Feller's, Chad he street, San Angelo.

J. T. Laurence of Burne, county numerous to mention is prospecting for a location on Devil's River.

ur town and county that he will inst, and their majorities:

The BRADBURY PIANO, used at the White House. F. G. ALLEN, Agent, San Angelo.

Miss Dee Drake, of Gwynn, and Miss Amie Gurley, accompanied by Jno F. Steagail, made the only and original Devil's River News a pleasent visit Thursday.

W. A. Williamson, - District Judge.

a pleasant visit Thursday The following parties with their families arrived in Sonora this D. M. Slator, week, and bought residence property: J. T. Nicks, S. J. Nicks, J. L. Davis, S. L. Alexander, M. D. Alexander, T. N. Halbert, G. T. Love, R. B. Hampbill, D. M. Barfield, Thomas Snyder, W. J. She

Since 1834 The DUNHAM PIANC J. P. McConnell, has annually made thousands of hearths and firesides joyous. Cannot wither it nor custom state its infinite variety. F. G. ALLEN, Agent, San

Assessor

About 12 o'elock Wednesday W. R. Rudicil, - night as Cliff. R. Hamrick, was Surveyor. passing Kenny's restaurant, Rube John McNicol, Boyce fired off his pistol in the air. On hearing the report Hamrick Inspector. ran around the restaurant and discharged the contents of his revolver at Boyce one shot striking him in the small of the back and almost Sonora, coming out in front. Drs. Matthis and Sellars were summoned and the bullet extracted. Boyce was then taken to his home and at last Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; ship then taken to his home and at last report is not likely to recover. Hamrick left town immediately settled and week. Natives, \$3.25 after the shooting and has not been to \$3.80; Texans \$3.30; westerns, Safes Safes

Stock News.

Bird & Mirtz, of San Angelo, have 8,000 sheep on the road to H. C. Young's ranch.

At a recent sale of Merino sheep in Australia a single ram brought \$5,755 and another \$3,150.

with 1,000 sheep arrived Tuesday, and will locate permanently.

John Allison, sold to Hammond Oden, of Devils' River, 2,418 sheep, at about \$2,35 per head.

D. B. Cusenbary, traded 2001 breeding ewes to Fred Keoing, for Bob McMahon, bought from J

Q Adams & Sons., and other parties, 1,800 sheep, at \$1.75 per

Henry Stein, the postmaster at Juno, bought several thousand heep from J. A. Ronnet of Eagle

Go to J. J. Rackley, San Angelo, for land, recently gave birth to five lambs. The same ewe gave birth

An important meeting of the G. R. Sandherr, of Junction City Sutton County Wool Growers Association will be held on the first Saturday in December. All are requested to attend.

J C Johnson has no trouble selling his colts on the ranch at J B Mullins, from O T Word's \$50 to \$100. Blue Grass Kentucky ranch, was in for supplies Friday, and the Concho Country look out for Devil's River

R. W. Murchison and C. C. Doty pecting.

For everything and anything in the musical line write to F. G. ALLEN, head of cattle and anything in the musical line write to F. G. ALLEN, Stockman's 1 ... about 1,000 head in another nerd to follow after round-up.

> Dr. J. B. Taylor, an enterprisng stockman of Sutton county, has received a herd of 100 blooded polled Angus cattle for his ranch. have got to provide, if they want to supply the demand and make money. - Texas Live Stock Journal.

Kansas City, Mo., -Information has been received of a peculiar and in Oregon and adjoining counties Born on November the 24th, to in the state. Over a hundred Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wyatt, a boy, head are said to have already died. The disease baffles the skill of

> W A Littlepage, one of Tom arrived in the trading center of the Stockman's Paradise Thurs-

J. R. Preston a well known J C Johnson was in Sono attleman of Bracketsville, Kinney Friday, on the way to Angelo, a J C Johnson was in Sonors reports sheep, cattle and horses rolling in fat, and lambs doing better than he ever saw before. Last week he and Ed Jackson were out for a hunt on Johnson' Run and killed 30 deer, 20 fox and 4 wild cat, and other game too

The following is the official list

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District and County Clerk.

County Seat.

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D B Cusenbary brought in some samples of Devil's River vegeta- Office at Cusenbary's Drug Store. bles from his ranch farm, Thursday, which would be a credit to the P. C. C. Country. He gave the Devil's River News a turnip From Sonora early in the spring, one

103 weighing about 4 pounds. Reparing of all kinds of Watches,

the county, also. If everybody was left thigh. Above reward at careful in marking down their will be paid for their delivery at names and addresses in full, at least my ranch or at Sonora. three-fourths of the mail matter 48 that is now either miscarried or entirely lost, would go through all

STRAYED OR STOLEN. 1 bay horse, 6 years old, brand-

> MAX MAYER, Sonora, Texas.

will be paid on delivery to

Crews, McGregor & Co.,

Whenever you give your address to anybody, and it happens to be in a town of less than 5,000 inhabon a town itants, it will be a good rule to on left shoulder; one sorrell horse follow to always give the name of 16 hands high, branded or

ed 3 on left thigh, MD on neck, paces under saddle. \$500 reward Windmill Office SONORA, Texas

A. CARY, Contractor & Builder.

SONORA. TEX.

A FOREIGN paper says that smokeless powder has a most offensive ouor. 'Good-by' the wind is wailin'; "Good-by" less powder has a most offensive out.

If it smells as vile as a cigarette or the Chicago River it would immeasurably green leaves wet with rain; "Good-by" the roses marmur, and the bend-

ALL lovelorn men and maidens should reflect that it is better to love I reckon all bave said it, some time or other

public after the overthrow of Maximilian. With a business-like government, the leading purpose of which is and then, without a show of pride for a long time has been held wholly in the hand of that friend of progress, the great civil and military admistrat-

charitable purposes.

nations are tireless and ceaseless. wheat, or, in fact, any other grain. the fear that India, or, in fact, any other tropical country, will long continue as competitors with us in growing wheat and corn. The decreasing breath, said: "Lib is yourn." export of wheat from India to England, despite every effort to increase pro-duction, has been accounted for by bad was the man who had sworn he the fellers couldn't drink it up. Wall easons. The true explanation is the | would never cut his bair until Andy atter walkin' awhile we come increase in cotton growing, combined dacks on was elected again and there this place, an' I axed him whu

tradition that it is a collection of nests in their hair. Horses neighed; suthin drap. Lookin' roun' I seed books to be supervised by a book- dogs fought; mule colts kicked one that a door had fell behin' me, an' worm or a person of literary tastes another with a low, dull thump; cats had me, but you bet I'll git him." unable otherwise to earn his liveli- scampered up the trees, and a bull hole, who will see that the books are calf stood in the back yard serenely the love of heavens not till after the show. Moss; fur the love of heavens not till after the chewing the bride's handkerchief.

And who will see that the books are chewing the bride's handkerchief.

And who will see that the books are chewing the bride's handkerchief. be made available ex- baked shote, and sak cept by trained still and special gifts. The librarian, properly viewed, is a fine lady, Mr. Dalch. ar te cher. He must be able to ascertain what people wish to read, old man answered. that they desire. A library is an instrument capable like a great organ. of responding magnificently to the and of a master, but silent and use-

of the breeze, that kin skin a squirrel and a sense of sadness stealin' through the sock offen a clothes line.' SO ZORA, SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS An' it's not the sad September that's slowly drawin' night

in' lilies sigh
As if they all felt sorry, I have come to say
"Good-by!"

represent the intellectual part of one's patriotism; the heart of it is nourished from its romance, its natural features, its soil and its products, the animals, the atmosphere, the stries—all things which make the earliest and most last—which make the interest of the most intered Dalch last the most intere sentiment is dunder the sunbeams. What was it all about? Old Hig Dalch's daughter Lib was going to be married. Ah! were sagacious what a helle she was with her great tion and bod for a human habitation where a helle she was with her great tion and bod for a human habitation and every man in the command was his friend. In the morning, when iddress before the Diocesan black eyes and whirlwind of brown hen and laymen to be cautious degree in the handling of the corn crop, how charitable funds. Be the was with her great tion, and had no roof except a number of heavy logs on top. As he horses and back mules were sent to the death of the horses and back mu the exact and detailed accepts and expenditures, moment, was his wise admonition. Leave nothing to be taken for granted but be prepared to render for granted, but be prepared to render | suitor for a number of years, but on intelligible statement of the steward- account of the obscure position which yeth air you do n' in thar?" the old average horse, would reach the camp ship. That, substantially, was the he held in society had met with con-Bishop's warning, and it should be heeded by the managers and trustees stant repulses, but a sudden and "Oh, the of every fund for religious and fortunate turn of affairs lifted him mind, let me out.' into prominence and success.

He had been dejected and knew THE development of the military | not that the hour of his victory was strength of Mexico has been greatly at hand. It came about in this way:
helped by the soldierly character of Moss was sitting on a rail fence of shet up here like a dog."

is high time I war at the house, a bein' married like a white man 'stead hunting and anxious to bag a big animal at a good figure, he did so, bein' married like a dog."

To be sure, Jenny had been in his the presidents that have held office musing over the darkness of his fusince the re-establishment of the re- ture, when old Hamp Bly came along. the rapid development of the country, or, indeed, without taking any rethe power of the army must be relied freshments, had smashed a ballot on to insure its stability. This power | box with his fist. He was not only elected constable, but became the leader of society, superseding Al. Beers, whose recommendation was take me. But tell me how this hapthe fact that he had once started a belt ten in now this hap obliged to watch sharply for natural the fact that he had once started a balky horse. Well, while Moss was you out."

"In the exciting times which followed of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a bound of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a belt ten in now this hap obliged to watch sharply for natural lowed of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a belt ten in now this hap obliged to watch sharply for natural lowed of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a belt ten in the now this hap obliged to watch sharply for natural lowed of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a lowed of course old Jenny was enline in the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt the fact that he had once started a belt th or, General Diaz, whose capacity for balky horse. Well, while Moss was you out. work is enormous, and whose efforts sitting on the fence, Hamp came "Wall, I will. This mornin' I to elevate Mexico among the world's along and asked him if the sun dressed myse'f fur the weddin', an' along and asked him if the sun dressed myse'f fur the weddin', an hadn't warped his corn rows, they happy as a lark started on over to were so crooked. This is the great- vo' house. Out vander I met that Cotton growing is more profitable were so crooked. This is the great-yo' house. Out yander I met that can be offered in a scoundrel Andy. He commenced to wherever it is possible than growing backwoods community of the south, 'gratulate me on winnin' the gal; said wheat, or, in fact, any other grain, and Moss, without considering the that he uster love her, but didn't no wheat, or, in fact, any other grain.

This fact most effectually disposes of the fear that India, or, in fact, any other tropical country, will long con-Dalch heard of this he sent for Moss, oughter have a little to brace m and, in a tremulous voice, but strong agin the solemn ceremony, an'

It was a great day, and people to come off down here with with larger use of Indian-grown wheat at home. India cotton is not so good as the American staple, but there is less difference use alike than there is in the wheat from the two countries.

One of the most powerful social forces, but hitherto largely undeveloped in this country, is the library. The tradition that it is a collection of

ence of the conviction that a library is a force of the utmost importance, but

"Moss is goin' to git a powerful "He is, an' nothin' shorter," the

"I blieve I would make her a bet- back on. Now git me out,

eredentials? You ain't done nothin There's a kind of chilly feelin' in the blowin' to win the never-dyin' love of a gal that kin skin a squirrel like liftin' a

'It's becaze I never had a chance, "Oh, you have jest had as much

chance as anybody. Chance don't come to a man's house an' holler hallo at the sence; they lie hid, an' ef you want 'em you got to skeer 'em Wonder why Moss don't come

'Mebby he's in the other room with the gals. Just then Lib came out and asked:

The gal evening, while it that

fellow exclaimed, approaching the in time for its evening ration of milk.

"Oh, the scoundrel! But never deer, antelope and elk in the vicinity as a fish story.

how to get at the thing.'

in alarm, "don't git him till atter the circus, fur he has promised to I was riding had ages before been the

thought myse'f that I did, so I agree

is rapidly disappearing in the presence of the conviction that a library is

'You don't tell me " "Yas, suh, an' a beautiful gal rides

"Wall," said Moss, after a moment's reflection 'et that teller will "! wanted her myself might'ly, but take us all to the show we'll call it squar, but you bet it is a mighty good thing he's got suthin to fall



"That mout be, but whar is yo' THE PRIZE SNAKE STORY. than one, and the thoughts that redentials? You ain't done nothin' N 1880, while a Suddenly a cold, clammy body touch-

to be, by your love encircled fireside in this, pleased with the title of oaths.

The reform to which we have called gence.

The reform to which we have called and their lofty flights, even if matched attention of course enamates from the time asyet hess, "Now, look here, Lib, he do to the reptile. Strikt to be, By your love encircled fireside in this, pleased with the title of oaths.

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but evinced no inclination to leave.
We christened his snakeship Bobo, and it soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer that the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as tame as a partit powerer than the soon became as the soon became as

sun set it would scuttle away, and, mule," broke in the doctor, extract-

There was an abundance of game,

that I threw myself far back in the

plainsmen think quickly.

of our camp, and one day a big horn or Rocky Mountain sheep was started up in the Davis Mountain, but it is true. At the beginning of the war colonel Waterman had an old mule Wall, git me out somehow, fur it escaped before a shot could be had by the name of Jenny. As the col is high time I war at the house, a at it. I was particularly fond of onel had an opportunity to sell the

"Yes, inst before the war," con-

took me, and I had not seen the faint- after the war was all over the colonel nation. place, where there was grass and wa- experimenting he bought one that each brick, arranged to receive suit- to say you don't know what a hanthem ter, and, as twilight is very brief in just suited him. Among other good ably formed projections on the lower is?" that latitude, urged my horse into a qualities it looked just as Jenny did brisk canter. Darkness came on when she was young. The colouel's very quickly, and I was soon sur- son Frank happened to come home d by an inky gloom. Sulden on a visit a day or two after the ly my horse pulled up so sharply purchase. The morning after his in order that the joints be made and spike, that wouldn't be a hanthem; arrival he wandered out to the stable remain air and water tight, a fluid is but was I to say, Bill, Bill, giv, giv, saddle to keep from being pitched to see the new mule. In about 10 applied to the sur'ace of the bricks with giv me, giv me that, Bill, giv me, giv from my seat, and then I found my minutes he returned and asked: 1 brush. The non-conducting air me that 'and, 'andspike, 'and, 'andself falling, with the horse beneath 'Father, what did you pay for that spaces in the bricks, and the case with spike, sp

"Seventy-five dollars," replied the There was a shock and for a moment I was stunned. When I recov- colone ered consciousnes I found that my "Frank burst out laughing and ex-

claimed: That's just \$45 more than bricks and brick constru horse had tumbled down a natural well, thirty feet in depth, and had you sold her for!" "And sure enough the colonel's been instantly killed. I was considerably shocked, but fortunately no young mule was none other than old boner broken. It did not take me Jenny.

"I never thought to ask you," said long to realize the seriously uncomfortable ature of my position, for the doctor, re-lighting his pipe. whether Jenny is still alive or not. "She was a year ago," replied the The well into which I had fallen was perfectly round. Its sides were major promptly, "but was beginning apropos of Grant the President was know who de company is. Is there

realized this a grop of rain splashed An apiary on wheels is one of the in my face and I heard the distant latest innovations in California. Aftrumble of thunder. A storm was er the foot-hills have been pastured me with a plan of campaign, and about pious eats tremendous!"-Exchange. coming on, and in a minute's time, the bee-herder moves his bees to a as much as to say, 'Now, I don't beif there was a heavy fall of rain, my higher elevation where the industriction lieve I can do it, but if you say so, I'll trail would be obliterated. I tried ous insects gather the nectar stored to calculate how long I could hold in the blosoms of wild clover, chap-I was in a tight hole in more ways sweets to them.

HABITUAL SWEARING.

stitutes Bad Language?

Rangers, I was secret itself all this time I could not ure in his character which falls to ity would be, and I reckoned it would ordered up into at first imagine, until I remembered that on the morning previous I had Presidio county found his snakeship in one of my with a squad of saddle pockets, to which he had crept concocted to force the good little boy what men we had. There were 15,000, men to follow Victorio's murVictorio's mur
To shelter from the cold night air.

To swear. He is held head downwards or thereabouts, up near Harper's over a stream, from which painful Ferry, and no horses to put them on. Victorio's murderous band of am not mistaken our bones will eventually lie together here, mixed apaches. After the death of that should reflect that it is better to love and hop and live than to love despairs and die. There are always as good fish in the sea as were ever caught out of it.

The very carried specimens of written language we possess are some bacchanallan songs ongraved on prelicitoris digital and the same better of the same better of the same better of the same of

ANA CLARK is now constructing a telescope for a loss Agrees observation. A Alband Constitution of the supposed indicates of 100 winds and an operated allaces of 100 winds for an operated winds for an operated allaces of 100 winds for an operated winds for

Cast Iron Fricks. of shet up here like a dog."

"Moss, I'm powerful sorry to tell you, but you air too late. Lib is now the happy wife of Andy Moore."

Moss raved furiously. "Oh! I'll sheep, if I stayed away states, the family so many years that she bringing in the horns of the big git him," he howled. "I'll fill him can full of lead that he'll make a trak two inches deep on a flint rock."

"Oh, but Moss," cried the old man, in alarm, "don't git him, fill niter."

"Interval you air too late. Lib is family so many years that she seemed like a member of it, but \$30 the name indicates, they are made of shear, it is thrown out and falls. This would seemed like a member of it, but \$30 the name indicates, they are made of shear, it is thrown out and falls. This would seemed like a member of it, but \$30 the name indicates, they are made of shear brick form and size, the walls being 0.12 inches thick, but no mortar or other blading material is intended to enter into the year, and the color of the propose. I left camp early one family so many years that she wortion of an Erfurt mechanic. As the name indicates, they are made of will not account for the alternate layers, but will not account for the alternate layers, but will not account for the laternate layers being 0.12 inches thick, but no mortar or other blading material is intended to enter into the year.

"That was just before the war?" or other blading material is intended to enter into the year.

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"That was just before the war?" or other blad to enter into their use, the method of f stening adopted being as follows:
The upper and lower sides of the bricks are provided with grooves and protect
A Earthem.
Two old British sailors were talking over their shore experience. One had, been to a cathedral, and had hoard "In the exciting times which folling ribs, which fit into one another some very fine music, and was descantold bed of the stream. Night over- tirely forgotten. About ten years uniform and complete union or combi-

> side of the brick above, one of these "Not me." projections being also hooked shape, "Well, then, I'll tell yer, If I was to thus securing a more secure hold; and tell yer. 'Ere, Bill, give me that 'andwhich they may be put together and ahmen, Bill, giv me that andspike aken a part without injuring them, are spike, ahmen! why that would be a ited as special advantages in their hanthem." favor as a substitute for ordinary

Grant Euited Lincoln. generals, says the N. Y. Tribune, but | ble off her hands. ence in a while he did, and Colonel "Yes, ma'am," said old T., "I'll was perfectly round. Its sides were as smooth as glass, and it was too far from side is the form to climb as smooth as glass, and it was too far from side is the form to climb as mooth as glass, and it was too far from side is the form to climb as mooth as glass, and it was too far from side is the form to climb as mooth as glass, and it was too far from side is the form to climb and his remarks are thus recorded: "Grant is the first general I've had.

I was in a stone prison, a dungeon and the first general I've had. "Grant is the first general I've had. "G all the rest. As soon as I put a man men and that sort comin', you must in command of the army, he'd come to get more to eat and drink. Them

matters and pick out some one thing minutes were decidedly solemn ones. How to Effect a Cure of a Bad Habit-What Con- they were short of, and they knew I couldn't give 'em, and tell me they member of E Company of the Company o Texas State shoulder. Where it had managed to his life. Unfortunately, this is a feat- waiting to see what his pot impossibil-

egrees; but can it be said that calling waters like a swift, and for ability to pin a non-existant and entirely do this or something like it freely on chimerical divine of this sort of person | the impulse of the moment, not after "How long do mules live?" repeat- is really guilty of invoking outside consultation with the gas works and a

never saw a mule die, and I never therefore, can heartily commend the phere of hailstone, which frequently "Tell us about Colonel Waterman's ly for navel men. "Jiminy Cripps!" ability with it, supposes that in the and "By Hickory!" are also ejacula- heart of every hall cloud there is a "My! Moss, what on the top of the being able to travel as fast as the ing a beautiful meershaum from its tions for which a good deal may be whirlwind, or "tornado." It is well case. "I think none of the others s id. They do not err on the side of known that such disturbances exert a have ever heard that story, and I excessive intelligibility, but they perspredigious lifting power, raising heavy assure you, gentlemen, it is as good haps sound a little less trivial than the objects, such as carts, house roofs and "It's not much of a story and it's end reformer. —Buff do Commercial. even trees, and transporting them to considerable distances. The theory is that when a drop of water in such a cloud is congealed it is carried round What are termed hollow cast iron in the vortex and lifted up, more bricks form the subject of a recent moisture being condensed and frozen German patent described in the techni- upon it at each gyration, until at last

mate listened awhile, and then said:

"I say, Bill, what's a hanthem?" "What!" replied Bill, "do you mean

Ficus Eppotitos

A friend of mine (says W. W. Story), who was giving a large dinner once, Lincoln did not often speak plainly called on old T., the negro caterer, to about the hard time he had with his arrange the dinner and take the trou-

Van Buren gives the instance. It was look out for it all; but fust I want to

Rev. Plink Plunk Speaks Again.

but before a search party would come pal and other plants, and when these after me, and give it up when 1 conhave been relieved of thair saccharine so with Grant. He hasn't told me pointed. Et ya lose a two cent postage idsred how unlikely it was that any matter the bees again moved to a what his plans are. I don't know, and stamp in de street doan' look in de but the merest accident would bring higher elevation, where flowers pethe searchers to this particular place. cultar to their region yield up their find a man that can go shead without ter fine a fifty cont advertisement and You see, when any of the rest set 'nouncin' dat somebody has foun' it."—on a cumpulant they'd look over New York Herrid.

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We want a mail line to Juno. R. J. Bean and brother, were at

San Angelo last week.

town on Sunday.

A small fire broke out in J. Q. and caused considerable damage.

The singing at the school house on Sanday evening, was very good the bank which or ginated it: considering the little practice they

Mr. W. C. Jones and Miss Jones of Christoval, passed through the 336.72; Loans, \$202.062.90; town on a business trip to the plus and profits, \$10,542.01. lower end of the county.

We are sorry to learn that our well known citizen J. T. Gurley and family will leave soon for their is a bank thoroughly identified shipped by Wm. H. Godair ranch on Johnsons' Run.

W. T. Carraway, of the firm of

was down from Murchison's on quirements.

J. T. Haile, of San Antonio, agent for the New York Life Insurance Co., arrived in fown on Sunday, and reports business first

R. C. Anderson, Presbyterian Minister of San Angelu, will preach in the school house on Sunday morning at the usual hour, eleven tional.

the trading centre of the Stock- prosperity. man's Paradise Friday, for sup-

Fine fresh candies in fancy boxes, sold of our by Willie Windrow, San Angelo. 7. 1890.

Mr. P. McHugh, bought a colt the other day and sent it out to the ranch, but not being satisfied with the rider threw him off and came

Peter Robinson; the pioneer settler of Devil's River, and as true as he is brave, was in Sonora for the DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS a pleasant U

Mr. G. H. McDowell, of Juno, called into our office on Tuesday, to contradict the report about his sheep, and he says he has as good a flock as in the county, and that they are in fine condition.

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(From the San Angelo Standard.) statement of that solid and pros perous basking institution, "The onthe lumber for a \$2,000 r on his ranch near Sonora. Angelo, Texas." It commends uself, and a careful glance over the nstitution is on the market.

National Bank decided to increase in Tom Green. thousand dollars to \$100,000. The Hugh and Wil Drake, were in who stand high both at home and servants and 21 hunting dogs, tinued to pour in after the full

El. Hormsby left Thursday for foreseeing the advantages this west- Beaver Lake, and are prepared to the ranch, and will move his family ern country would derive from the encounter all classes of game from change, inaugurated the movement cheaper money for the West. G. B. Muse of Burnet county, They made 24 per cent. money arrived in the stockman's paradise thing of the past, establishing 12 per cent. as the rate of discounts.

From San Angelo Enterprise.

The following comparative statement of the business done by the Adams house on Sunday morning bank for the years 1888, 1889, 1890, Kavett on the 15th, another

> 41; Loans, \$56,709,75; Sur-June 30th, 1889.-Deposits, \$120,-

plus and profits, \$19,603 12

Carraway & Brooks, made the and the excellent credit enjoyed price paid this DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS a pleasant by the institution abroad, their were the Perry and John Hender W. B. Silleman, one of the clever always rely on an institution ever head. young surveyors of Devil's River, ready to meet their legitimate re- \$25. The cattle market ha

The directors and officers of the bank are men whose names alone are a guarantee of integrity and fairness. They consist of M. B. Pulliam, president; Albert Rus, Assier; Joseph Spence, Jr., L. Schwarz, F. B. Ewing, and Jos.

of business, Thursday, October 2d, 22 inches in these respective

LIABILITIES.

divided profits since July

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your name and address, and remember also, that this is done with the hope and experience. F. G. ALLEN, Agent. San Angelo.

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your name and address, and remember also, that this is done with the hope and expectation that will become a regular subscript after you have Galvanized iron ventilation flues, a regular subscript after you have examined the paper and passed stove pipes, rain proofs and caps, upon its merits. Don't put it off at H. W. Feller's, Chadbeurne until tomorrow, but attend to it -treet, San Angelo.

up at the Pioneer Drug

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Below we publish the latest Llano fine stock raiser, is figuring onthe lumber for a \$2,000 residence

Dr. J. B. Taylor says if he could assets and liabilities will clearly get labor he would put a large show why none of the stock of the body of his land in cotton. He has experimented and finds that it In August 1888 the San Angelo grows as well in Sutton as it does

John A. Loomis and Charles stock was readily taken by men Rueff start to-day with a retinue of abroad, and the subscriptions con-J. J. Rackley handles the best sewing amount of the capital stock had and Devil's rivers. They will already been paid in.

"The state of the capital stock had already been paid in." At the same time this institution at Pecan Springs, 8 miles below and antelope down to quail.

A Mexican was killed at Mcwill show that its policy has been Mexican cutting his throat. The Chadbourne St., San Angelo, Texas.

country at large, and naturally to Glasscock & Bradford have June 30th, 1888. - Deposits, \$53.- the Vermont pasture in Schleiche county, getting as near as possible to the new town

Mike Murphy, of DEVIL'S RIVE

as good prices as there is ou Several buyers from the St. Log and Chicago markets are in city picking up cattle where they

J. J. Rackley, he bed room suits from

S. G. Sands, a prominent sheepman of Edwards County, was in we heartily wish them continued ground, from dewlap to the ground-all these separate measurements should correspond, within an inch, to the length of the head Report of the condition of the Well-grown Shortnorn three-year- San Angelo National Bank at close old bullocks, are as a rule, about Scrolls, Banisters, Doors, Sash, Blinds.

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\$332,747.61 "Hens are funny critters," says my place that is about the funniest of the lot. of the lot. A few months ago she 9,229.29 took a most violent liking for an old brindled cow of mine. At first \$332,747.61 pasture with the cow, but after a while she began to jump on the cow's back. For a long time the Ida-Was he on his knees when cow resented this novel arrangehe proposed to you? Susie-No, ment and indignantly shook the hen off. But it did not do any The fear that a woman has at good, the hen hopped right on night of a burglar breaking in, a again, until at last, in sheer despair, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Word, gave man has of the baby breaking out. the cow philosophically accepted the situation. She was probably Dashaway-Suppose you should the more inclined to do so when which was largely attended and a grand success.

come around to my house some that Biddy, as much as possible, find my lifeless corpse in bed, In fact, she even went further than that; for when she discovered that a way to make the cow very happy. If you receive a copy of this As a result of this the cow soon paper and are led to wonder where began to enjoy the companionship

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The Father's Anxiety Was Divided Be-tween His Child and the Coin. "I have seen some stingy men while I've been in the medical profession, but

So spake one of our young doctors en gaged in a large dispensary connected with one of the medical schools in the city. The doctor continued: "Much of our work is thankless enough. We experience the greatest difficulty in getting patients to take medicine as they are di-

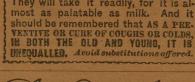
appreciation. The professor caught on and got the man to swap off the recovered quarter for another, while he exhibited it to the class."-New York Evening



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HIS HORRIBLE EXAMPLE.

"REFORMED INEBRIATE'S" TOUR WITH GOUGH.

Bottle of Whisky in His Hip Pocket -John B. Gough's Terrible Temptation.

"They seem almost to have an idea citizen of Cleveland, Ohio. "When I went to his teacher, and asked him sometimes that we ought to pay them for was a young fellow I drank pretty what was the meaning of the word taking what is going to cure them. Fre- hard, in fact I was drunk about all the 'can't,' telling him that he had searchuently, when an interesting case comes time, but when I got married I ed for it in vain in the dictionary. in while a clinic is going on in college, thought it was time to call a halt. I The teacher gave a proper explana-we take it before the class and show the went down to Chagrin Falls on a little tion, and added, 'Ulysses, if in the would be M. D.'s the procedure taken for its relief. The case in question was that of an Italian. He came rushing in with stopped at Board's grocery, as was my assert that you can't do a thing you a child about a year old in his arms. custom, and had my flask filled. I desire to accomplish, let your answer nodding white plumes graced he Anxiety was depicted on his countenance, 'The little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for dictionary.'"—Harper's Young Peohands and a large bouquet lay in her in breathing, but retained breath enough fifteen years; but when I got into my ple. make Rome howl. Calming the wagon I fell to thinking about the father somewhat, we managed to learn | matter and came to the conclusion that the child had swallowed a quarter that there was no time like the pres-Ge a dollar, which had stuck in its throat.

He caked if we could get it out. We hip pocket, and there I carried it for promised to do you hast and as a clinic.

"The professor began work at once for that, Gough, the great temperance was 33 when he died, after having te saw that the child was in a fair way orator, was advertised to speak in conquered all the known world. Hanconflocate. They use for these opera- Cleveland. The posters informed us nibal was 29 when he led his army with a becoming blush, would turn tions an istrument called a coin catcher, that the meeting would be held in the which is fade like a crochet needic. Presbyterian church. You young felonly the matrial is rubber, and the hook lows probably never heard of that ed his name as the greatest living on the end of he instrument is longer church. It was a large, wooden struct master of the science of war before he that the interest is tonger that the interest in the struct that the interest in the struct in the s and it is not without dain lights which age with us. He accepted, and after rounding parts.

Out. William Pitt was first minister of England at 24. Thomas Jefferson was

with his head between his hands. best, as well as worst in the literature fore the action was followed

losing his child to produce his anxiety; I should display my weakness in your old," which placed him at once among fellow! the writer felt sorry for him and that is why I say it was the meanest thing I ever saw. The boys had one on the professor, though, when he turned the most fanous poets of England, was written at 23. the professor, though, when he turned and looked for the quarter, and they made the old building shake with their their the continued, I made the old building shake with their thei

" 'That is true,' I said, and then I before he was 35 proceeded to tell him of the circumstances of my swearing off. When he heard me through he said: 'You are

speech, after which he would introduce of a diamond-like hardness. me as the reformed astinkard. I would step forward, and as a starter would lap down my whisky bottle on the who complied every night. In Eng- disturbance. He paused at the door a Milwaukee in peace.—Peck's Sun. land we were very successful and we moment to listen. Terrific thumping remained there three years. At the and hammering sounds reached his end of that time I was getting a little ears, mingled with confused cries and So I told Gough that I guessed I would | shouting above the din: quit and we looked over the books and settled up. I had eleven thousand meat! You low-lived son of a gun! dollars coming to me and I brought | Take that back or I'll blow the whole every cent of it back to Cleveland and | top of your head off! Stand out of the | deposited it in the old bank down on way there, you walking skeleton! I'm

flask and did not drink any of the con- hind you.' tents for a iew weeks." on a protracted spree. Very few peo- and yelling like Indians. ple ever knew of this, but it is true | The noise ceased nevertheless, and the fact is related 'You needn't be scared, papa," exin one of his biographies. When he plained Willie, "we're only playing came out of it I never saw a man feel | Congress." so in all my life. He cried like a baby, and vowed he would never speak before an audience again, and if I remember rightly he canceled his engagements for the rest of that year. He has told me many times when passing saloons mounted on a horse, he ad dug the spurs into the beast's eck speed to get out of reach of the

General Grant at School.

v playmentes said of him: I ever Egypt - Pail Mall Budget

lo not believe that he ever felt a tinge of it. He was never rude, oppressive or disagreeable to other children. Once, when he was a very young the littlest game I ever saw occurred the He Traveled in England for Three Years With a scholar, he was very much troubled by one of his lessons. A school-mate, noticing his perplexity, said, 'You "Yes, gentleman, I carried a pint replied the boy, "it means that—that front seat in the car, where each pasbottle of whisky in my pocket for fil- you can't. There!' Ulysses went to senger could watch their very action. teen years and never drank a drop of the dictionary, and tried unsuccess- The groom was a tall, bony individ less of this new trade. it," said Milo Bosworth, a well-known fully to find the word there. Then he

YOUNG MEN IN HISTORY.

Famous, While Young. the encouragement of young hip pocket, and there I carried it for fifteen long years, and during that time I never touched a drop of liquor to compile a few statistics which will so that the operation might pe performed before the students.

hip pocket, and there I carried it for fifteen long years, and during that time I never touched a drop of liquor of any kind.

"Well, about twelve years after be interesting to them. Alexander before the students."

"It became manifest that the loss of his coin had contended with the danger of "My friend, I am truly sorry that 25. By on's first canto of "Child Harles of the arm was removed. Poologing his child to produce his anxiety."

understood you to say that you had car- Edison is still a young man, and Stan- manly breast and he had just be ried that bottle and not drank anything ley had found Livingstone and made to smooth her tresses when the for twelve years?' this memorable journey across Africa crowd once more opened up an

New York's Rocking Stone.

Perhaps some of the most interest- handkerchief and wept. heard me through he said: You are just the man I am looking for, and I want you to go to England with me. Of course I was taken by suprise, and asked him to explain. He said that he had long wanted a reformed drunk and to travel with him and lecture, and to travel with him and lecture, and to travel with my will was just the stands a rock whose history. and that a man with my will was just it is a pist, stands a rock whose history started and at just the right mo the chap he desired. Well, I talked is as of unwritten, and lies buried ment to catch a man in the act o the matter over with my wife, and she with the dead of many generations. Whistling. Deliberately avising pare me for a year or so, and the up- which it rests, is in a valley at an ele- out a word slapped him across the mine whom of them he can trust, and hot of the thing was that Gough and vation of some 1,300 feet above the mouth with his half clenched hand. can get enough regular and reliable I formed a partnership whereby I was to receive a handsome percentage of a most appropriate pedestal on which lifter that sent him back into his or in any business establishment.

A pecunary suspicious individual injured groom gave him another named Mack was in charge of the City named Mack was in charge of the City named by Professor Rein, a scient lifter that sent him back into his or in any business establishment. stand. At first sight it probably scat again, where he was glad to re- where a great many persons are em- young men entered. One carried in his rial resources of Japan. They reve "Albany was the first place where would not attract more than a passing main. Then turning to the balance e were builed to lecture, and I telf notice, but it is when a second and of the passengers he addressed them ou there was a crowd there to near closer observation is made that the thus Gough had advertised the reform- wonderful and delicate hand of nature drunkard feature for all it was is seen both in its composition and bit green and I'll admit that I'm a th, and I was regarded with as smoothly chiseled sides. In size it is little bit new in this marrying bus ch curiosity as the dime museum nearly 500 cubic feet, shaped very ness, consequently have overlooked caks are to-day. From Albany we much like an orange, and weighing your insults, but it has gone far ent to Boston and finally to New 18,000 pounds, or forty tons, and so ork, where we bid good-bye to nicely balanced on a table of rock as merica and set sail for England. A to be easily set in motion from either I am going back to my seat now op was made in Ireland, and in the north or south side, yet the com- and my wife shall lay her head on m Dublin the largest hall in the city bined strength of a hundred men withwouldn't hold the people. I gave out artificial appliance, could not disthose who were on the outside tickets lodge it from its present position. Its body is composed of loose and soft by yours truly. If more than one by yours truly. If more than one One way of running the lecture was sandstone, in which are embedded makes a noise, so much the better. to have Gough make an opening numberless round and dainty pebbles

Youthful Imitators, A tremendous noise came from the able and tell the audience how long I room where the boys had been playing nad carried it. After that we would quietly for an hour or more. The all for people to come forward and father huriedly laid aside his newsign the pledge, and there were dozens paper and storted for the scene of the lafter that and the couple mesick and wanted to see my family. screams of rage, and he heard a voice

With his hair standing on end the washtub. Straighten up-forme Speaking of Gough, he said: 'He father rushed in. Willie was seated at was a great orator and grand, noble a desk made of a barrel turned upside man, but he was not master of him- down and was pounding it with a malself. I remember, one time, when a let taken from his tool-chest. Johnnie man put some whisky in a glass of and a lot of the neighbors' boys were soda water he was about to drink. Just standing on chairs and inverted buck- things. that taste was enough to set the appe- ets ranged in semicircles about the tite afire within him and he went off room, and all were shaking their fists afther lookin' all the toime?" asked

New Find in Pompeii. A house of five stories (leaning against a rising ground) has just been excavated in Pampell, in which important fresces are still in good state of preservation. In the principal room is a representation of Bellerophon-a lanks and ridden for miles at break- youth holding the wingel Pegasus with one hand, while with the other he receives the orders of Proteus, who is seated on a richly decorated throne The lower part of the house is divided into both rooms. The paintings in they recovered his pole and lit the frigidarium are specially well proere he was a fair pupil and noted the frigidarium are specially well prehis kindly disposition - a trait of | served - a nymph riding on a sea-horse, eter which he inherited from his and frieze with comic scenes of pigor In after years, one of his miestighting birds and erocodiles is Free Press,

saw him show any re ont, and 1 Fun with a Newly - Married Couple.

An incident occurred on a Western train as it bowled merrily over the orairie in the direction of Milwaukee that was cruel and yet laughable in the extreme. A newly married coupcan't master that.' Ulysses replied: |e, so very, very newly married, got

nal, one of the silk hat, Prince Atbert coat grooms, with a white dress tie at his throat and a white rose in his buttonhole. A regular web-footed country cross roads dude and the very atmosphere in his vicinity was permeated with the aroma of new The bride was dressed in white

ap. Her face was a dead ringer to mask and was homely enough to ache, but this did not seem to troub-Greatest Achievements of Some of the Most le the groom, who was snuggled up as close to her as he could get. leeply were they wrapped up in each other that they were entirely unconscious of the fact that they were th observed of all observers and especi ally of a party of traveling men who sat a little way back of them. The groom would whisper some sweet nothing in the bride's ear and she, tumor. Oh, she was homely!

Finally, as the night waxed on

apace, the two young things began to grow more coochy-coocl the train pulled out of Wadswort Reuben stretched forth his long arr and wound it tenderly about hi bride's neck. Upon seeing this ever rounding parts, officed on that planet, or I took out the bottle I had "The professor work his efforts for a time property out take a grank. I just said ful, the anxiety on the facas feared would became intense. He fidgetenounced by extothink that all was lost, Acallent state of coin was extricated and the boys state grant to think that all was lost, Acallent state of their applause. The professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed his hands. This was the Italian's chance, and while the professor's back was turned he quickly transferred the quarter to his pocket. The look of distress vanished from his countenance.

England at 24. Thomas Jefferson was 33 when he wrote the Declaration of Independence. James Madison was 36 whist part of the Constitution."

Alexander Hamilton was only 30 when he wrote the larger part of the "Federalist," which Mr. John Fiske and while the professor's back was turned he quickly transferred the quarter to his pocket. The look of distress vanished from his countenance. made night hideous with their noise This was too much for the bride and with a sob she buried her face in her The man started to jump up, but the customers to make him a good busi-

> ing and now I am mad clean through shoulder till we reach Milwaukee, an

the car. As he closed his little address, he walked back to his scat, said some thing to the sobbing woman and she, with a proud look in her eye laid her head on his shoulder. a man in the car dared open his her

Lost to Sight.

Gen. Sheridan was not a tall man though he had a commanding pres While he was an under officer e was one day drilling a company and was annoved by the unsoldier appearance of a tall, round shoulder-

"Don't stand in that way," Sher Canal street. After that I carried my going to paralize that scroundrel be- dan finally exclaimed. "You look like a Chinaman doubled over chest out and chin elevated. Lik

> Then the officer gave the man superb example of the perfect soldie in parade movement, his eyes fixe

table soldier, certainly. The Irishman puffed himself out The Prish and plant thinsel. On the Prish and the Prish and strain of the like a pigeon, and strain of the woman's not trying it. Posmeasured "Right!" "The Prish and strain of the woman's not trying it. Posmeasured "Right!" "The Prish and plant thinsel. We can hardly imagine a woman's not trying it. Posmeasured "Right!" "The Prish and plant thinsel. On the prish and the prish a tenant; I'll niver see ye agin." Youth's Companion.

He Fished and Slept. As he fished he slept, and as he slept he pitched forward into the strea and never rose to the surface. Who fish on the hook. Some men are

CREDIT BROKERS.

Merchants Through Whom a Man Can Get Anything on Trust. "A what?"

"A credit broker. Didn't you ever

hear of a credit broker? Well, it is a new business, to be sure, this credit brokerage, but it is an active one. An uptown business man adjusted "Can't!" What does it mean?" 'Why,' on the train at Chicago and took a his eyeglasses to read a little card he held in his hand and proceeded to disclose to a reporter some of the myster-

> "Lots of folks, you know," he continued, "haven't much money." reporter agreed that there might be some people in this condition.

"The absence of a large income does not relieve them from the desire to live comfortably and keep up a good appearance on a small salary. have to go in debt or buy things on the installment plan. Some people are not well enough known to get credit from the regular old established firms. It is to the relief of such people the credit broker comes. If you want a suit of clothes, made to order or 'hand me down,' he will send you to a first class place where you can present his card and get what you want without further question, though the merchant may never have seen you before. He will then give you an order to some furniture dealer, if you want, and you can have your house furnished and fitted out on the same terms. Or with his indorsement you can have your children fitted with new store clothes and you can get shoes for yourself, that protruded from her face like a your wife and all the little ones without any ready money. You can get a watch and seal ring for yourself and earrings for your wife. If you are a carpenter or workman of any sort you can get tools in the same simple way In short, you can get anything yo want. You can even get your teeth filled or an aching molar dislocated. You can be fitted out with a new suit of clothes, a beaver hat and cane shoes, studs, a watch and chain and all the other jewelry necessary to the complete outfit of a gentleman, besides fresh tie, clean collar and cuffs, stiff 'biled' shirt and enough at home for a change-you can get all these things on credit, though your face and name are not known to a merchant in town, if you have an order from the credit "The business is started in this way.

A man who has enough means to make his credit good with merchants has a large circle of friends whom he knows to be honest and reliable, but who being known. With this to start on he decides to become a credit broker. He gets up a list of reputable merchants in various lines and makes an arrangement with them under which they are to give credit to any one presenting an order from him and are to pay him a commission on the trade he being responsible for the debt. He then gives orders to his friends and cheen credit, but have no acquaintance with buy their goods and pay him in installments or spot down at a certain time. The man entering into this business must of course know the men he is trusting, but having a large circle as a credit broker. The man whose but not sealed. card I hold here has gone regularly dollar note for these ten bills?" he asked. into the business as a credit broker. "The old lady wants to send the money He has arrangements with some ten in this letter." or fifteen reliable business houses, to The ten dollar bill was immediately business and very seldom makes a bad said he.

debt."—Washington Star. the province of Gizeh, in Egypt. In five days the authorities killed six tons of them. In plowing enormous quantities for I am in prime condition and once of their eggs are turned up, and, fortu-I commence, I'll lick every man in nately, exposure to the sun destroys the believed he saw the young man put \$10.

> ference at a distance of six feet from the tained.—Brooklyn Eagle. ground. This would give a diameter of about 60 feet at that point.

a man who discovered the one inal. One of them consisted in compel remedy for their peculiar ailone well to another, 800 or 400 yards dis-

to delicate women.

foot in the grave," suffering in wiches to be handed round with his comsilence—misunderstood—when nified of the great ladies, who coughed unalterably away from earthly there's a remedy at hand that the story of the story is sold under the guarantee the recruit, glancing down at his su that if you are disappointed perior officer, with a twinkle in his in any way in it, you can get

> We can hardly imagine a or two-but we doubt it.

to its makers.

Women are ripe for it. Chicago Times. They must have it. Think At Hannibal, Mo., a colored mai of a prescription and nine out named Wilson fished from a bridge of ten waiting for it. Carry the news to them!

are the Little Regulators. laying nine double yoke eggs.

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he being responsible for the debt. He then gives orders to his friends and acquaintances who want to buy on the cheerfully furnish information as to rates, routes, etc. Order your freight marked and acquaintances who want to buy on the cheerfully furnish information as to rates, routes, etc. Order your freight marked and shipped via "SUNSET ROUTE" and insure satisfaction to yourself.

dealers in the things they want. They W. J. CRAIG, G. F. A., W. S. L. SKINS, G. F. A., E. G. BLEKER, G. F. A.

Houston orks and Victoria, Tex., Beaumont, Tex... J. G. SCHRIEVER, Traffic, Manager C. W. BEIN, G. F. A.,

A Neat Swindle.

"Can you give me a ten

which he sends his patrons and from given to the young man, who apparently

letter with the \$10 and I will take the \$9 more than any other place in the to the old lady.'

Mack thought that fair enough, as he The largest tree in the world is reported to have been recently found in the envelope. He still holds it. It is addressed to "H. Ed Idme, Binghamton, N. Y." It was not long before Mack California, measuring 176 feet in circum- opened it, but blank paper was all it con-

A Prince's Antics.

The prince of Parma maintained great Women are not slow to state in his small principality, and, by the aid of the Australians, very despotic comprehend. They're quick. authority. His little army was entirely under his own military code. His pun-They're alive, and yet it was ishment of the officers was at times origtant. He insisted that the entire absence The man was Dr. Pierce.

The discovery was his "Favorite Prescription"—the boon to delicate women.

The man was Dr. Pierce.

The insisted that the entire absence of any useful purpose in this disagreeable task added greatly to its unpleasantness, in which he was not far wrong. His practical jokes did not add to the dignity or comfort of his court. I was present at a grand ball when he ordered Why go round "with one a large plate of strong mustard sandpliments at supper time to the most dig-

> "We are overrun with rats, but pa won't let us have a cat or a dog." sel."-Chatter.

Plug Ugly-Where I live the wind World. always blows from that direction. -

He Had a Better Scheme.

Phil Osopher-Never borrow troulend me \$5?-Van Dorn's.

The seat of sick headache ley, of Leesburg, Ga., killed a white peated her description, following it

ployed may work up a good business hand an envelope, which was addressed, a national frugality and economy of marvelous type. The area of Japan is less than that of California. Its cultivated land is less than one-tenth of its total acreage, yet its products support about 88,000,000. In Japan 2,560 perwhich he gets a good commission on every sale upon his order. He makes bills given in exchange and found only tilled land. A people existing in such from \$150 to \$250 per month out of the nine there. "There is only \$9 in this," circumstances must, from necessity of preservation, be provident, painstak-"Oh, how can that be?" said the young ing, hard working, ingenious and fruman. "The old lady must have made a gal. The Japs appear to deserve all mistake. I put the \$10 in this letter and these adjectives. Agriculture with A plague of locusts lately appeared in have sealed it. I don't want to open the them is literally market gardening, envelope again. Will you just hold the because the soil is required to produce

world.-Once a Week. Postage Stamps Good Until Used. Persons having old postage stamps sometimes think they are rendered worthless by the issue of new ones. This is not so. The only obsolete stamps are those of the issues of 1847 and 1851, very few of which are now in existence in the north, and these are generally worth more than their face value for collectors. The issues of 1861, 1869 and 1870 are as good in the payment of postage as the new issues. The reason the issues of 1847 and 1851 are not accepted is because large amounts of these were outstanding in the south at the time of the rebellion, and the present holders of them probably secured them without rendering an equivalent to Uncle Sam. -Hartford Courant.

King Leopold and Queen Victoria. King Leopold of Belgium speaks and writes English with ease and accuracy. He never lets a Sunday pass without writing an autograph letter to his friend and ally, Queen Victoria. Whenever he travels he takes with him his confidential English attendant, Mr. Charles Murray, who has been in his service nearly a quarter of a century. Although the king of eye.
"Yes; if you mean to be a respect your money back by applying know the proverb, Pop goes the weather weather the Belgians has aged perceptibly during the past ten years, he has never lost the equanimity of temper which made him so popular in his youth The king is now 55 years of age, but his health is good and he expects to live many years more.—New York

In one of the city schools a teacher. with all the patience and powers of per-suasion she could command, was endeavoring to instruct a class about a right angle triangle. After several at-Hooker Crook-I don't. Can you tempts she called the scholars to account for inattention with the remark that what she was saying seemed to go in one While bird hunting W. R. Bunk ear and out the other. Again she reis not in the brain. Regu- lark, the first ever seen in that section. asking: "Who can tell what a right angle ways too late for good luck.—Detroit late the stomach and you Free Press.

A hen at Conestoga, in Lancaster bright boy to whom it belonged shouted: cure it. Dr. Pierce's Pellets county, has distinguished herself by "Something which goes in one ear and

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C.F. Adams.

John McNicol,

WEST TEXAS LAND & LIVE STOCK AGENCY, charged the contents of his revolver at Boyce one shot striking him in

Solicits Correspondence,

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DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS,

PUBLISHED VEEKLY,

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MIKE MURPHY, Proprietor.

SUNORA, TEXAS. - November 29, 1890

J, A. Ogden is in San Angelo. Jeff Minnis, a prospector from

San Angelo arrived last week. R. Cavin, of Pernet, we onora Wednesd J. E. Wood of San Algelo, ar-

ived last week. For anything in the rock line te deorge Traweek, 5

Alexander Rath, wants a jeb herding sheep.

Morris & Co., sold their saloon this week to Ed. Hormsby.

day on a short visit. William Guest, returned from A fine ewe, belonging to John Brownwood Monday.

Miss Ollie Mitchell, left Wednes- to three lambs last year.

day for her home in San Angelo. was in Sonora Wednesday.

A J Swearingen was in town this week

Buy your lumber from J. W. Webb &

R. W. Thomas, of San Angelo, for Devil's River arrived in Sonora Monday, pros-

owner of Edwards County, was in to follow after round-up. Sonora for supplies Friday.

Miss Ollie Mitchell, was in town

Devil's River.

Fayette Meyer came down from San Angelo Monday to see the

11 pounds, both doing well.

H. C. Reynolds, a fine gentlem in veterinary surgeons. and late druggist of Paint Rock is in Sonora and will probably locate.

E H Oliver, one of the well-todo sheepmen of South Concho, was in Sonora Friday.

Galvanized iron ventilation flues, stove pipes, rain proofs and caps, at H. W. Feller's, Chadbourne Bun and hilled 20 to Jackson were out for a hunt on Johnson's street San Appeals street, San Angelo.

J. T. Laurence of Burnet county numerous to mention is prospecting for a location on

our town and county that he will inst, and their majorities:

The BRADBURY PIANO, used at the White House. F. G. ALLEN, Agent, San Angelo.

Miss Dee Drake, of Gwynn, and

Miss Annie Gurley, accompanied W. A. Williamson, - by Jno F. Steagall, made the only and original Devil's RIVER NEWS W. M. Allison, a pleasant visit Thursday The following parties with their

families arrived in Sonora this D. M. Slator, - - tamilies arrived in Sonora this week, and bought residence property: J. T. Nicks, S. J. Nicks, J. L. Davis, S. L. Alexander, M. D. Alexander, L. N. Halbert, G. T. Love, R. B. Hamphill, D. M. Barfield, Thomas Snyder, W. J.

Since 1834 The DUNHAM PIANO J. P. McConnell, has annually made thousands of hearths and firesides joyous. "Age cannot wither it nor custom stale its infinite variety. F. G. ALLEN, Agent, San

Assessor

About 12 o'elock Wednesday W. R. Rudicil, night as Cliff. R. Hamrick, was Surveyor. P. Hurst. passing Kenny's restaurant, Rube Boyce fired off his pistol in the air. John McNicol, On hearing the report Hamrick ran around the restaurant and dis- T. B. Adams, - charged the contents of his revolver the small of the back and almost Sonora, coming out in front. Drs. Matthis and Sellars were summoned and the bullet extracted. Boyce was the bullet extracted. Boyce was then taken to his home and at last report is not likely to recover. Hamrick left town immediately settled and week. Natives, \$3.25 Beadsteads at J. J. Rackley for \$2.50 Contractor & Builder. Estimates furnished on application. after the shooting and has not been since. \$3.80; Texans \$3.30; westerns, Muttrasses Safes

Stock News.

Bird & Mirtz, of San Angelo. have 8,000 sheep on the road to H. C. Young's ranch.

At a recent sale of Mcrino sheep in Australia a single ram brought \$5,755 and another \$3,150.

Y. J. Foulds, of Burnet county, with 1,000 sheep arrived Tuesday and will locate permanently.

John Allison, sold to Hammond & Odom, of Devils' River, 2,418 sheep, dealer, it \$2,35 per head.

breeding ewes to Fred Keeing, 200 fine mutton.

Bob McMahon, bought from J Q. Adams & Sons., and other parties, 1,800 sheep, at \$1.75 per

Henry Stein, the postmaster at Juno, bought several thousand Miss Dee Drake, arrived Thurs- heep from J. A. Bonnet of Eagle

Boyd, farmer, Brougshane, Ire-Go to J. J. Rackley, San Angels, for land, recently gave birth to five our Furniture.

1-tf lambs. The same ewe gave high lambs. The same ewe gave birth

An important meeting of the G. R. Sandherr, of Junction City Sutton County Wool Growers Association will be held on the first Saturday in December. All are requested to attend.

J C Johnson has no trouble selling his colts on the ranch at J.B. Mullins, from O. T. Word's \$50 to \$100. Blue Grass Kentucky ranch, was in for supplies Friday. and the Concho Country look out

R. W. Murchison and C. C. Doty r turned fr m New Mexico Wednes-For everything and anything in the musical line write to F. G. ALLEN, head of cattle on the road for the Stockman's Paradise and have E J. Harrison, a large cattle about 1,000 head in another head

Dr. J. B. Taylor, an enterpris-Clarance Mitchell, brother of ing stockman of Sutton county, has

neat residence for Cooper of Dry and that is what Texas stockman have got to provide, if they want When in want of fine candies, fruits, to supply the demand and make oysters or table del cacies, send to Win. money. -Texas Live Stock Journal. Windrow, San Ange o. 7,

Kansas City, Mo.,-Information has been received of a peculiar and fatal disease among cattle and hogs in Oregon and adjoining counties Born on November the 24th, to in this state. Over a hundred Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wyatt, a boy, head are said to have already died. The disease buffles the skill of

Corn, oats, hay and feed of all kinds sold in quantities to suit the purchaser at Hurst, Adams & Batte's.

W A Littlepage, one of Tom Green's rustling young cattlemen, W A Littlepage, one of Tom arrived in the trading center of the Stockman's Paradise Thurs-

J. R. Preston, a well known J C Johnson was in Sonora, cattleman of Bracketsville, Kinney Friday, on the way to Angelo, and county, was in Sonora this week reports sheep, cattle and horses prospecting. better than he ever saw before. Run and killed 30 deer, 20 fox and 4 wild cat, and other game too

The following is the efficial list J. M. Danson a cattleman of Fort Clark, was in Sonora this of officers and the county seat of week, and is so well satisfied with Sutton county, elected on the 4th

Representative. District Judge.

District Attorney. County Judge. Treasurer.

Sheriff. District and County Clerk.

Assessor. Surveyor. Inspector.

County Seat.

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"captivates the world." Used and endorsed by the N. E. Conservatory, Boston. F. G. ALLEN, Agent, San Angelo. D B Cusenbary brought in some Sonora,

samples of Devil's River vegeta-bles from his ranch farm, Thurs-69 day, which would be a credit to the P. C. C. Country. He gave the DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS a turnip 103 weighing about 4 pounds.

Reparing of all kinds of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry by an experienced workman. Also eyes tested and fitted with spectacles by an experienced optic an. All work guaranteed by M. Eastland & Son, the Jewelers, San Angelo.

branded C C on left hip. Richard Gragg, Sonora, will pay \$10 reward for their return or \$5 for information as to their where about.

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\$10 Reward.

Whenever you give your address to anybody, and it happens to be in a town of less than 5,000 inhab- about 15 hands high, branded L itants, it will be a good rule to on left shoulder; one sorrell horse follow to always give the name of 16 hands high, branded the county, also. If everybody was left thigh. Above reward 36 careful in marking down their will be paid for their delivery at names and addresses in full, at least three-fourths of the mail matter G. H 48 that is now either miscarried or entirely lost, would go through all 20 right.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.

1 bay horse, 6 years old, brand-88 ed 33 on left thigh, MD on neck, paces under saddle. \$500 reward will be paid on delivery to MAX MAYER,

Physician and Surgeon,

Strayed or Stolen

From Sonora early in the spring, one dark bay mare and horse colt; mare branded R on left hip. Richard

\$10 Reward. Lost one dark iron-gray horse,

G. HUBER. F. M. WYATT,

The Blacksmith, is the Sutton Co. agent for the

Windmill. Office SONORA, Texas.

SONORA, TEX.

A FOREIGN paper says that smokeless powder has a most offensive odor. 'Good-by' the wind is wailin'; "Good-by"

ALL lovelorn men and maidens and hope and live than to love, despair

horns of whisky and he wants to sing

Note the state of the dark, I take the said the old man. "He never failed to be on time befo'."

Said the old man. "He never failed to be on time befo'."

"Good-by!"

telescope for a Los Angeles observa- -F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution. tory that will bring the moon within an apparent distance of 100 miles from the observer. It is expected that when this telescope is finished the question whether there are any inhabitants on the moon will be definitely settled, and also whether the supposed inhabitants of the planet Mars are signaling to us by means of certain lights which astronomers have noticed on that planet.

THE obelisk in Central Park, New York, which it was feared would crumble away, is pronounced by experts to be in an excellent state of preservation. Besides becoming more and more acclimated by time to the gaze of a rank ironweed, pressed its severe and destructive climate of New Severe and destructive climate of York, it has been preserved by modern a damp rock. A critical cathird with horses in it?"

The girl's eyes sparked. When I awoke the sun was shining and if the tendency to swear has not she exclaimed, "a sho' 'muff circus, The boys were gone two days, and with horses in it?"

The girl's eyes sparked. When I awoke the sun was shining by that time passed off, he adds, returned with horses in it?" expedients. The principal one of made fun of a blue jay concert, these is paraffine, which is liberally held in a tree that leaned low over monkeys smeared over its sides, and on whose smooth and impervious surface the rains beat and the winds blow without thespring branch, and a frog, puffing out his throat into a double chin, or the article of the surface of t doing the least harm to the obelisk bent a severe gaze on the antics of

our history and a knowledge of our constitution and laws are a highly important part of the education of an road, and the velvety leaves on the American citizen. But his equipment hazel underbrush whispered silken

in his address before the Diocesan black eyes and whirlwind of brown ber of heavy logs on top. As he the horses and back mules were sent convention, when he advised both to the last degree in the handling or son when every nerve was strained religious and charitable funds. Be in the pitching of the corn crop, how close against a small opening. The able to give an exact and detailed ac- she could, with graceful sweep, follow old man took fright and was about count of all receipts and expenditures, a bull-tongue plow up the loamy and at any moment, was his wise ad- slope of the hill side! Moss Settle monition. Leave nothing to be taken the bridegroom-elect, had been a me? I'm Moss Settle.' for granted, but be prepared to render | suitor for a number of years, but on intelligible statement of the steward- account of the obscure position which yeth air you do n' in thar?" Bishop's warning, and it should be of every fund for religious and fortunate turn of affairs lifted him mind, let me out." heeded by the managers and trustees charitable purposes.

THE development of the military not that the hour of his victory was is high time I war at the house, a at it. I was particularly fond of strength of Mexico has been greatly at hand. It came about in this way: bein' married like a white man 'stead hunting and anxious to bag a big helped by the soldierly character of Moss was sitting on a rail fence, the presidents that have held office musing over the darkness of his fusince the re-establishment of the republic after the overthrow of Maxi- Hamp had been known to grab a milian. With a business-like govern- steer and make him bawl for mercy, ment, the leading purpose of which is | and then, without a show of pride, the rapid development of the country, or, indeed, without taking any rethe power of the army must be relied on to insure its stability. This power for a long time has been held wholly in the hand of that friend of progress, the great civil and military admistrator, General Diaz, whose espacity for balky horse. Well, while Moss was you out.' work is enormous, and whose efforts sitting on the fence, Hamp came to elevate Mexico among the world's along and asked him if the sun dressed myse'f fur the weddin', an' nations are tireless and ceaseless. Corron growing is more profitable est insult that can be offered in a scoundrel Andy. He commenced to

This fact most effectually disposes of social standing of old Hamp, sprang mo', an' wound up by sayin' that he the fear that India, or, in fact, any tinue as competitors with us in growing wheat and corn. The decreasing | breath, said: "Lib is yourn." export of wheat from India to England. despite every effort to increase pro- same from every direction. There Said, he did, that he kep' it hid so as the American staple, but there is less difference in quality than there is in the wheat from the two countries.

forces, but hitherto largely undeveloped in this country, is the library. The as though "dirt-dobbers" had built something, I pulled it an' then he arn tradition that it is a collection of nests in their hair. Horses neighed; suthin drap. Lookin' roun' I seed books to be supervised by a book- dogs fought; mule colts kicked one that a door had fell behin' me, an' worm or a person of literary tastes another with a low, dull thump; cats had me, but you bet I'll git him. unable otherwise to earn his liveli- scampered up the trees, and a bull hood, who will see that the books are calf stood in the back and serenely kept in good condition and not stolen, chewing the bride's handkerchief is rapidly disappearing in the pres-ence of the conviction that a library is proached o'd Hig, who sat in the Shady grove—rale show with hosses a force of the utmost importance, but doorway, crunching the rind of a an' sich. which cannot be made available ex- baked shote, and said: cept by trained skill and special gifts. The librarian, properly viewed, is a fine lady, Mr. Dalch. popular teacher. He must be able to ascertain what people wish to read, and to furnish them with the books that they desire. A library is an instrument capable. like a great organ, of responding magnificently to the hand of a master, but silent and useend to man allien

of the breeze,
An a sense of sadness stealin' through the tresses of the trees;
An' it's not the sad September that's slowly drawin' nigh,
But jes' that I remember 'em I have come to say "Good-by!"

A FOURIGN paper says that smoke-

less powder has a most offensive odor.

If it smells as vile as a cigarette or the Chicago River it would immeasurably increase the horrors of war.

Stew months are the with their green leaves wet with rain; "Good-by" the roses murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with their green leaves murmur, and the bending liles sigh with the liles with the As if they all felt sorry, I have come to say "Good-by!"

should reflect that it is better to love I reckon all have said it, some time or other

bacchanalian songs engraved on prehistoric drinking horns. It's the same
way now. Give a man a couple of
horns of whisky and he wants to sing

The dog was once a wolf, or the work I've done is with you; maybe some things went wrong, wolf a dog; in either case, the sig-like a note that mane!

The work I've done is with you; maybe some things went wrong, like a note that mane!

Andy Moore rejoined!

"Wall, I must say that a weddin is a putty thing to furgit," the girl

CAUGHT IN A MAN TRAP.

HE red blosding in a breeze of sweet laziness, and the it wild moss rose, startled into a burning blush

a presuming young tadpole.

It was a Sunday morning in a wild-ACQUAINTANCE with the episodes of ly beautiful neighborhood. Great represent the intellectual part of one's patriotism; the heart of it is nourished from its romance, its natural features, its soil and its products, the atmosphere, the skies—all things the atmosphere the dying saw-grass to day in the cymred no inclination to leave.

The gat s yourn, Andy. Git that the ranch some growth discovery discovery discovery discovery that the packet bound to his tail was not in the creek was wandering about in the creek thought to reached the ranch some growth discovery discovery discovery that the packet bound to his tail was not in the creek was wandering about in the creek thought to reached the ranch some growth discovery BISHOP POTTER was very sagacious his address before the Diocesan black eves and whirlwind of brown ber of bears loss. hair; and ah! during the busy sea- neared the hut he saw that it was as out under guard to graze, Babo

That, substantially, was the he held in society had met with constant repulses, but a sudden and pile of logs. into prominence and success.

He had been dejected and knew ture, when old Hamp Bly came along. freshments, had smashed a ballot two inches deep on a flint rock." box with his fist. He was not only elected constable, but became the the fact that he had once started a pened an' I'll git an axe an' chop obliged to watch sharply for natural wherever it is possible than growing | backwoods community of the south, wheat, or, in fact, any other grain. and Moss, without considering the that he uster love her, but didn't no

and, in a tremulous voice, but strong duction, has been accounted for by bad was the man who had sworn he the fellers couldn't drink itup. Wall. easons. The true explanation is the would never cut his bair until Andy atter walkin' awhile we come to increase in cotton growing, combined | Jackson was elected again and there this place, an' I axed him what with larger use of Indian-grown wheat was the young fellow with tin stars it war an' he 'lowed, he did, at home. India cotton is not so good on the red tops of his boots. Wom- that he had made it to cure some fine en that had become hump-backed by tobacco in-'lowed he could cure it girls that thought themselves beauti-iul in red calico dresses; old men with bottle in thar,' says he. 'Go in an' ONE of the most powerful social seams at the corners of their mouths; bottle that I seed layin' down, but

Andy Moore, who for a long time

'Moss is goin' to git a powerful "He is, an' nothin' shorter," the old man answered.

"Yas, 'est about sich."

ut whar is yo credentials? You in't done nothin There's a kind of chilly palin' in the blowin' to win the never-dyin' love of a gal that kin skin a squirrel like liftin' a

"It's becaze I never had a chance,

"Oh, you have jest had as much chance as anybody. Chance don't come to a man's house an' holler hallo at the fence; they lie hid, an' ef

"Mebby he's in the other room with the gals." Just then Lib came out and asked: Dad, have you seed Moss?"

and hope and live than to love, despair and die. There are always as good fish in the sea as were ever caught out of it.

The very earliest specimens of Th

"Wall, but I've got a shuch mattress that ain't to be sneezed at unsoms were nod- less you've got a powerful had cold.' "Whut's the use of talkin' non-sense," said old Dalch. "You ain't good enough fur her an' that settles

goin' thar, but he Towed that he wouldn't be kotch in sich a place."

The girl's eyes sparkled. "What!" she exclaimed, "a sho' 'muff circus, she exclaimed, "a sho' 'muff circus, "The boys were cope two days and the state of an anxious suspense, but toward to doubled up over the dead body of my horse. When I awoke the sun was shining and if the tendency to swear has not cludes that it is scarcely to be considered out to capture a few. The boys were cope two days and the state of an anxious suspense, but toward the toward doubled up over the dead body of my horse. When I awoke the sun was shining and if the tendency to swear has not cludes that it is scarcely to be considered to the sun was shining and only of the sun was shining to the sun was shini by the impudent goin' thar, but he 'lowed that he

"Yas, an' with a carryall load of "An' have they got a wolf an' a

'Yas, an' a clephant." "But have they got a tiger an' a beautiful lady that rides a hoss?"

'Yas, got all that an' mo,' too.' 'Oh. I wish I could go! "Efyou'll marry me to-day I'll take Will you take me, too?" exclaimed

old Dalch, springing to his feet.

house on the hill, gaudy wons blaz- low hut built of enormous logs. The never seen the hut before, nor could night. he tell why it should be built, as it strong as a fortress, and, looking would accompany the herders, coil-

bade him stav.

how to get at the thing.'

of shet up here like a dog." you, but you air too late. Lib is morning with the determination of now the happy wife of Andy Mcore." bringing in the horns of the big Moss raved furiously. "Oh! I'll sheep, it I stayed away a week.

git him," he howled. "I'll fill him so full of lead that he'll make a track tracking the footbills of the Davis range, I entered one of the numerous

in alarm, "don't git him till atter big horn sign. The canon in which the circus, fur he has promised to I was riding had ages be ore been the Beers, whose recommendation was take me. But tell me how this hap bed of a mighty river, and I was

"Wall, I will. This mornin' I hadn't warped his corn rows, they happy as a lark started on over to lest sign of the quarry. I began to were so crooked. This is the great- yo' house. Out yander I met that 'gratulate me on winnin' the gal; said upon him and choked him until his had a bottle of mighty fine licker tongue lolled cut. When old Hig down in here. He lloved that I Dalch heard of this he sent for Moss, oughter have a little to brace me agin the solemn ceremony, an' I thought myse'f that I did, so I agreed It was a great day, and people to come off down here with him. bending over the hand looms; shy in thar an' not feel that some feller tobacco juice trickling down the time he'p yo'se'f,' I come in an' took up a

"Whut show?"

'You don't tell me." "Yas, suh, an' a beautiful gal rides

one of the hosses. "I wanted her myself might'ly, but take us all to the show we'll call it "I b'leve I would make her a bet- back on. Now git me out." OPIE P. READ.



another raid into Texas, and to be pre-

peace an' he can make out the papers."

"Oh, no, I kain't do that. He's well fixed an' you ain't got nuthin' much,"

"I've got a cow that he kain't tech."

"Yes, but he's got six feather beds that his mother gave him."

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"Yes, but he's got six feather beds the wind many small locating at the count of the accident which had befallen me, and locating habitual swearers is the copyright of a Baptist minister who has a chapel in which it had happened. I enclosed this note in a piece of buckskin cut from my tobacco pouch and then with a bit of wire twisted from the vity mights, even if matched which had befallen me, and locating habitual swearers is the copyright of a Baptist minister who has a chapel in West Twenty-fifth street in New York.

Unlike the owners of copyright, however, this gentleman invites the whole with a bit of wire twisted from the rise of buckskin cut from my tobacco pouch and then which it had happened. I enclosed this note of cou Mexican herders suggested a way out of the difficulty. He assured us that the king snake or prairie runner was death to salamanders, and a few of

still closer, he saw a face pressed ing up like a lariat about the horn

Sometimes the snake would make old man took fright and was about to run away when a pleading voice but lit never would stay away from but lit never would stay away from "It's me, Dalch. Don't you know the camp over night. As soon as the sun set it would scuttle away, and, "My! Moss, what on the top of the being able to travel as fast as the the old average horse, would reach the camp fellow exclaimed, approaching the in time for its evening ration of milk. There was an abundance of game, "Oh, the scoundrel! But never deer, antelope and elk in the vicinity of our camp, and one day a big horn "I don't know how; I don't know or Rocky Mountain sheep was started up in the Davis Monutain, but it "Wall, git me out somehow, fur it escaped before a shot could be had horn. Without saying anything of "Moss, I'm powerful sorry to tell my purpose, I left camp early one

canons which traverse it, and, trot-"Oh, but Moss," cried the old man. ting along, kept a sharp lookout for old bed of the stream. Night overtook me, and I had not seen the faintplace, where there was grass and water, and, as twilight is very brief in that latitude, urged my horse into a brisk canter. Darkness came on very quickly, and I was soon sur-rounded by an inky gloom. Suddenly my horse pulled up so sharply that I threw myself far back in the saddle to keep from being pitched from my seat, and then I found my-

There was a shock and for a moment I was stunned. When I recovered consciousnes I found that my horse had tumbled down a natural well, thirty feet in depth, and had been instantly killed. I was considerably shocked, but fortunately no bones broken. It did not take me long to realize the seriously uncomfortable nature of my position, for plainsmen think quickly The well into which I had fallen

was perfectly round. Its sides were as smooth as glass, and it was too far from side to side for me to climb "Not till after the show, Moss; fur out by the use of elbows and knees." I was in a stone prison, a dungeon the love of heavens not till after the from which there was no escape without help from the outside, and as I realized this a grop of roin splashed It was in a tight hole in more ways sweets to them.

THE PRIESNAKE STORY. | than one, and the thoughts that

came to me in the next two or three N 1880, while a Suddenly a cold, clammy body touch-Rangers, I was secret itself all this time I could not at first imagine, until I remembered ordered up into that on the morning previous I had men to follow for shelter from the cold night air.

ordered to go into permanent camp make it the means of getting out of tention to the requisite details, while every mean one is such from negligence.

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The reform to which we have called a small not common field mole, but a trifling the cold ranch are constituted.

The cold ranch

Bobo tried to strike my hand, and plicity, and nothing can be more de- food. He thinks it therefore probable hissed angrily. Satisfied that the packet would not come off. I held method of banishing bad language eagle nature has attained the utmost the reptile against the wall and re- from society. When he is unexpect- limit that can be attained, with musthese reptiles turned loose in camp leased it. Quickly Bobo crawled to edly stung by a wasp, or encounters a cles for the working organs and conwould soon rid us of the corn-eating that the top, although somewhat hamrats.

On the hig Prison Plain beyond

The set it. Quickly Bobo chart to the top, although somewhat hampered by the wired on pocket and stockings, or barks his shins badly possible for the size of a creature.

The Age of Mules.

ed the major, as he placed his feet on powers? The same thing may be said | fee to the electrical the railing of the hotel veranda and with equal truth of "By Gosh!" Still, blew into the air, slowly and reflect it will be allowed that these exclamatively, a vast cloud of fragrant to- tions have a somewhat unpleasingly

as a fish story.' true. At the beginning of the war Colonel Waterman had an old mule by the name of Jenny. As the colonel had an opportunity to sell the bricks form the subject of a recent moisture being condensed and frozen is not to be sneezed at for an old the name indicates, they are made of will not account for the formation of mule, so the colonel put all senti- regular brick form and size, the walls crystals, a growth which usually re-

'Yes, just before the war," con-

tinued the major. after the war was all over the colonel | nation.

you sold her for!' "And sure enough the colonel's young mule was none other than old

negro."-Chicago Herald.

Migratory Bee-Keeping. in my face and I heard the distant latest innovations in California. AftHABITUAL SWEARING.

minutes were decidedly solemn ones. How to Effect a Cure of a Bad Habit-What Constitutes Bad Language? member of E miliar hiss. I spoke to the reptile, donald's novels a very good little boy it; and it was most generally cavalry. There is in one of Dr. George Mac-Company of the and it climbed up my body to my who has never said a naughty word in Now, When Grant took hold, I was Texas State shoulder. Where it had managed to his life. Unfortunately, this is a feat- waiting to see what his pet impossibilure in his character which fails to ity would be, and I reckoned it would Presidio county with a squad of with a squad of men to follow to shelter from the cold night air.

that on the morning previous I had school-fellows, and a wicked plot is school-fellows. "Poor Bobo," I said aloud. "We over a stream, from which painful Ferry, and no horses to put them on. Victorio's murare companions in misery, and if I position he is not suffered to escape Well, the other day Grant sends to derous band of am not mistaken our bones will until he has more than satisfied his me about those very men. just as I exiamous chieftian in the Candelera Up with those of my horse. Any way, Mountains, Chihuahua, Mex., the I'll take a smoke."

I filled my pine and struck a motel. dare not look aloft.

fish in the sea as were ever caught out of it.

The very earliest specimens of written language we possess are some bacchanalian songs engraved on prehistoric drinking horns. It's the same

dare not look aloft.

For the tears that trembled in them, for the lips that choked the keight of the heart, and lips that choked the keight of the heart, and should be afraid to guess. He body go out that an' blow the ho'n an' ef he hears it he will think its dinner time an' come up, sho."

I'll take a smoke."

I filled my pipe and struck a match. The bright lips that choked the kind o' took holt o' the heart, an' should be afraid to guess. He body go out that an' blow the ho'n an' ef he hears it he will think its dinner time an' come up, sho."

WILL MAN EVER FLY.

A Glance at Natural History Indicates that He will the too. I their fellows: and as for as moral way toward the too. I their fellows: and as for as moral way toward the too. I their fellows: and as for as moral way toward the too. I their fellows: and as for as moral way toward the too. I their fellows: and as for as moral way toward the too. I their fellows: and should be afraid to guess. He leach by this story we do not know, and should be afraid to guess. He look of the heart, an' should be afraid to guess. He look the the heart, an' should be afraid to guess. He look the the heart, an' should be afraid to guess. He look of the heart in the didn't."

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WILL MAN EVER FLY.

A Glance at Natural History Indicates that He in the cach by the and not to the any blow the ho'n and the any blow and brought three prisoners back to wriggling its way toward the top. I their fellows; and, as far as moral fort Davis, the seat of Presidio coundon't know what made me think of guilt goes, it is obvious that the youngty. It was feared that the scattering it, but I suddenly remembered Bobo's ster, who, when upside down, came the dinornis, the extinct mon of New hostiles would unite again and make fondness for milk and dislike of stay- out with a solemn "Domn" in broad Zealand, some of which stood more Scotch, was not responsible for re- than ten feet high, were most of them Before the reptile was beyond my marks uttered under such circum- wingless, just as still the great ostrich pare for an invasion of that sort I was reach I pulled it back, determined to stances of coercion. The question of is a running, not a flying bird. The what constitutes "bad language" is albatrosses and the condors, giants

> I drew the wire so tightly that it bis invention. The beauty of the most enters, not needing extensive organs it is almost impossible to get rid of salamanders once they establish themselves in a place. One of our must have cut into the flesh, for 'Say," Andy remarked, after a short silence, "than is goin' to be a circus over at Shady Grove tomorrow. War a talkin' to Moss about row. War a talkin' to Moss about returned with a score or more of a drink from my canteen when I "Bread and butter and a plate of ice most skillfully contrived mechanism, reptiles. The squirming lot were re- heard the clatter of hoofs and knew cream!" The reverend gentleman as- to be moved by his own muscular reptiles. The squirming lot were released in the old ranche, and in two days' time they had dispatched the last salamander. After their food had become exhausted the snakes disappeared, and, as they can travel like a race horse, probably made their old haunts. There was a volley of an of the well chaffing me in a good-than way back to their old haunts. The reverend gentleman assures the world that, armed with this simple weapon, nobody need in future ever swear at all. "Just as much satisfaction," he quaintly observes, "is derived from saying "Pork and beans," the well chaffing me in a good-than a g their way back to their old haunts natured way. A rope was lowered, as from emitting a sting of swear lifting power, and yet other vessels as the Prison Plain. One high college with some stoned force.

lows migrated, and speedily became as thankful a man as could be found. mark, or to assist the speaker, then it of bulk and weight in the complex a great pet. It ultimately recovered, Bobo had made straight for camp, cannot be contended for a moment that but evinced no inclination to leave. and had reached the ranch some "Great Cæser!" or "Great Hail
We desire the speaker, the spe

nerical divine of this sort of person | the impuise of the

Cast Iron Bricks.

mental feelings aside and let her go | being 0.12 inches thick, but no mortar | quires a considerable time. - Exchange. r \$30.
"That was just before the war?" or other binding material is intended to enter into their use, the method of queried the landlord, standing in the f stening adopted being as follows: Two old British sailors were talking The upper and lower sides of the bricks over their shore experience. One had are provided with grooves and protect been to a cathedral, and had heard "In the exciting times which fol- ing ribs, which fit into one another some very fine music, and was descantlowed of course old Jenny was en- easily and perfectly, so as to make a ing particularly upon an anthem which tirely forgotten. About ten years uniform and complete union or combi- gave him much pleasure. His ship-

concluded he would like a young, lively mule. After a great deal of cul r openings in the upper side of "I say, Bill, what's a hanthem?"

"I say, Bill, what's a hanthem?"

"What!" replied Bill, "do you mean experimenting he bought one that each brick, arranged to receive suit- to say you don't know what a hanthem just suited him. Among other good ably formed projections on the lower is?" qualities it looked just as Jenny did when she was young. The colouel's projections being also hooked shape, "Not me."
"Well, then, I'll tell yer. If I was to son Frank happened to come home thus securing a more secure hold; and tell yer. 'Ere, Bill, give me that 'and on a visit a day or two after the purchase. The morning after his in order that the joints be made and spike,' that wouldn't be a hanthem; errival he wandered out to the stable remain air and water tight, a fluid is but was I to say, Bill, Bill, giv, giv, to see the new mule. In about 10 applied to the surface of the bricks with giv me, giv me that, Bill, giv me, giv me that, and, 'and spike, 'and, 'and-Father, what did you pay for that spaces in the bricks, and the ease with spike, spike, spike, spike, ahmen. which they may be put together and ahmen, Bill, giv me that 'andspike, Seventy-five dollars," replied the taken apart without injuring them, are spike, ahmen? why that would be a cited as special advantages in their hanthem." "Frank burst out laughing and ex- favor as a substitute for ordinary claimed: 'That's just \$45 more than bricks and brick construction.

Grant Suited Lincoln.

"I never thought to ask you," said about the hard time he had with his arrange the dinner and take the trouthe doctor, re-lighting his pipe, whether Jenny is still alive or not." generals, says the N. Y. Tribune, but once in a while he did, and Colonel "Yes, ma'am," said old T., "Pil "She was a year ago," replied the Van Buren gives the instance. It was look out for it all; but fust I want to major promptly, "but was beginning apropos of Grant the President was know who de company is. Is there to look a little weary. There's no speaking, in the early part of 1864, any clergymen and them kind a-comway," he added, moralizingly, "of and his remarks are thus recorded: in?" telling the age either of a mule or a Grant is the first general I've had. "Certainly," said my friend; "but He's a general; I'll tell you what I why do you ask such a question?" mean. You know how it's been with 'Oh," says old T., "if they's clergyall the rest. As soon as I put a man men and that sort comin', you must An apiary on wheels is one of the in command of the army, he'd come to get more to eat and drink. Them rumble of thunder. A storm was er the foot-hills have been pastured me with a plan of campaign, and about pious eats tremendous!"—Exchange. coming on, and in a minute's time, the bee-herder moves his bees to a lieve I can do it, but if you say so, I'll trail would be obliterated. I tried our insects gather the nectar stored try it on,' and so put the responsibility 'Doan' expeck ter fine too much to calculate how long I could hold in the blosoms of wild clover, chap- of success or failure on me. They all honesty in dis yar world, dear bredwan, said moss, after a moment's reflection, 'et that feller will alter me and cive it un when Lean have been religious dethripment's reflection. after me, and give it up when I con- have been relieved of thnir saccharine so with Grant. He hasn't told me pointed. Ef ya lose a two cent postage take us all to the show we'll call it sidered low unlikely it was that any squar, but you bet it is a mighty good thing he's got suthin to fall back on Now git me out."

I don't know, and stamp in de street doan' look in de higher elevation, where flowers per look on Now git me out."

I don't want to know. I'm glad to how unlikely it was that any higher elevation, where flowers per look on Now git me out." I don't want to know. I'm glad to newspaper de nex' mawnin' expectin' and a man that can go ahead without ter fine a fifty cent advertisement an-

at on a campaign, they'd look over New York Hera'd.

matters and pick out some one thing they were short of, and they knew I couldn't give 'em, and tell me they could'nt hope to win unless they had elicit the profound admiration of his be cavalry, as a matter of course, for

The giant birds of geology, such as

are employed with some stored force on the Prison Plain. One big fellow had been trampled upon by a Ranger and so ba by wounded that its felsomewhat stiff and sore, but about ing on cutside powers to witness a resources, the consequential increase.

but can it be said that calling waters live a swift, and for ab

New Theory of Hailst ne.

It is a problem yet unsolved to acbacco smoke; "well, I don't know. I suggestive sound about them, and we, count for this suspension in the atmosnever saw a mule die, and I never saw a dead mule. But for all that I'm hardly prepared to say that they lights!' as a good substitute, especialized for ever." "Tell us about Colonel Waterman's mule," broke in the doctor, extract- and "By Hickory!" are also ejacula- heart of every hail cloud there is a ing a beautiful meershaum from its tions for which a good deal may be whirlwind, or "tornado." It is well "I think none of the others | s id. They do not err on the side of | known that such disturbances exert a have ever heard that story, and I excessive intelligibility, but they per-assure you, gentlemen, it is as good haps sound a little less trivial than the objects, such as carts, house roofs and "Beefsteak and enions!" of the rever- even trees, and transporting them to "It's not much of a story and it's end reformer. - Buff lo Commercial. | considerable distances. The theory is that when a drop of water in such a cloud is congealed it is carried round What are termed hollow cast iron in the vortex and lifted up, more To be sure, Jenny had been in his German patent described in the technifamily so many years that she cal journals, the article being the in- it is thrown out and falls. This would seemed like a member of it, but \$30 vention of an Erfurt mechanic. As account for the alternate layers, but

A Hanthem.

mate listened awhile, and then said: "I say, Bill, what's a hanthem?"

Fi.us Eppetites.

A friend of mine (says W. W. Story). who was giving a large dinner once, Lincoln did not often speak plainly called on old T., the negro caterer, to

e. You see, when any of the rest set nouncin' dat somebody has foun' it "-

HE WANTED THE QUARTER.

The Father's Anxiety Was Divided Between His Child and the Coin. "I have seen some stingy men while I've been in the medical profession, but

So spake one of our young doctors engaged in a large dispensary connected with one of the medical schools in the city. The doctor continued: "Much of our work is thankless enough. We ex-

of a dollar, which had stuck in its throat.

He asked if we could get it out. We hip pocket, and there I carried it for hip pocket, and there I carried it for promised to do our best, and, as a clinic was in session, took the child and the father into the pit of the amphitheatre, so that the operation might pe performed before the students.

hip pocket, and there I carried it for fifteen long years, and during that time I never touched a drop of liquor of any kind.

"Well, about twelve years after before the students.

than that of a crochet needle. The in- ure, and stood on the site of the Old was 29. strument is to be passed down the throat, Stone church. Of course we attended

rounding parts. to think that all was lost, At length the coin was extricated and the boys stamped their applause. The professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed to make their applause. The professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed their applause. The professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the larger part of the when he wrote the larger part of the when he wrote the larger part of the when he wrote the larger part of the while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed the professo became intense. He fidgeted and seemed have seen that man. He turned first Constitution."

from his countenance. "It became manifest that the loss of his | Finally he looked up and said: and that is why I say it was the meanest thing I ever saw. The boys had one on the professor, though, when he turned the professor, though, when he turned the professor, though, when he turned the professor that at the most famous poets of England, was written at 23. the professor, though, when he turned and looked for the quarter, and they made the old building shake with their made the old building shake with their appreciation. The professor caught on and got the man to swap off the recovered quarter for another, while he exhibited it to the class."-New York Evening



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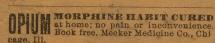
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HIS HORRIBLE EXAMPLE.

TOUR WITH GOUGH.

Bottle of Whisky in His Hip Pocket -John B. Gough's Terrible Temptation.

in breathing, but retained breath enough | fifteen years; but when I got into my | ple. to make Rome howl. Calming the wagon I fell to thinking about the father somewhat, we managed to learn matter and came to the conclusion that the child had swallowed a quarter that there was no time like the pres-

he quickly transferred the quarter to his my pocket in a hurry. He didn't say be found." Gethe's "Sorrows of once more placed his arm loving! pocket. The look of distress vanished anything for several minutes, but sat Werther," the parent of much that is about the woman's neck. As be with his head between his hands.

losing his child to produce his anxiety; I should display my weakness in your old," which placed him at once among fellow! the writer felt sorry for him

"That is true,' I said, and then I before he was 35. proceeded to tell him of the circumstances of my swearing off. When he heard me through he said: 'You are the receipts, and we started out.

speech, after which he would introduce of a diamond-like hardness. me as the reformed drunkard. I would step forward, and as a starter would slap down my whisky bottle on the table and tell the audience how long I room where the boys had been playing she, with a proud look in her eyes had carried it. After that we would quietly for an hour or more. The laid her head on his shoulder. call for people to come forward and father huriedly laid aside his news- a man in the cardared open his head sign the pledge, and there were dozens paper and stirted for the scene of the after that and the couple came to who complied every night. In Eng- disturbance. He paused at the door a Milwaukee in peace.—Peck's Sun. land we were very successful and we moment to listen. Terrific thumping remained there three years. At the and hammering sounds reached his end of that time I was getting a little ears, mingled with confused cries and homesick and wanted to see my family. screams of rage, and he heard a voice So I told Gough that I guessed I would | shouting above the din: quit and we looked over the books and dollars coming to me and I brought | Take that back or I'll blow the whole deposited it in the old bank down on way there, you walking skeleton! I'm

tents for a few weeks." on a protracted spree. Very few reo- and yelling like Indians. ple ever knew of this, but it is true nevertheless, and the fact is related in one of his biographies. When he plained Willie, "we're only playing came out of it I never saw a man feel | Congress.' so in all my life. He cried like a baby, and vowed he would never speak before an audience again, and if I remember rightly he canceled his engagements for the rest of that year. He has told me many times when passing saloons mounted on a horse, he

General Grant at School. y playmates said of him: I ever Egypt. -Pall Mall Budget.

saw him show any re do not believe that he ever felt a tinge "REFORMED INEBRIATE'S" of it. He was never rude, oppressive or disagreeable to other children. Once, when he was a very young the littlest game I ever saw occurred the He Traveled in England for Three Years With a scholar, he was very much troubled by one of his lessons. A school-mate, noticing his perplexity, said, 'You can't master that.' Ulysses replied: it," said Mile Bosworth, a well-known fully to find the word there. Then he "They seem almost to have an idea citizen of Cleveland, Ohio. "When I went to his teacher, and asked him sometimes that we ought topay them for was a young fellow I drank pretty what was the meaning of the word taking what is going to cure them. Fre- hard, in fact I was drunk about all the 'can't,' telling him that he had searchquently, when an interesting case comes time, but when I got married I ed for it in vain in the dictionary. in while a clinic is going on in college, thought it was time to call a halt. I The teacher gave a proper explanawe take it before the class and show the went down to Chagrin Falls on a little tion, and added, 'Ulysses, if in the would be M. D.'s the procedure taken for its relief. The case in question was that of an Italian. He came rushing in with stopped at Beard's grocery, as was my assert that you can't do a thing you of an Italian. He came rushing in with a child about a year old in his arms.

Anxiety was depicted on his countenance. "The little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the little thing had great difficulty be the last liquor I would drink for distinct the liquor I would drink for disti

YOUNG MEN IN HISTORY.

Greatest Achievements of Some of the Most Famous, While Young.

for the encouragement of young men who think that they can do nothing an exchange has taken the trouble to compile a few statistics which will "Well, about twelve years after be interesting to them. Alexander was 33 when he died, after having The professor began work at once for he saw that the child was in a fair way orator, was advertised to speak in conquered all the known world. Handle saw that the child was in a fair way to suffocate. They use for these opera- Cleveland. The posters informed us nibal was 29 when he led his army with a becoming blush, would turn which is made like a crochet needle, Presbyterian church. You young fel- had won the victories which establishonly the material is rubber, and the hook lows probably never heard of that ed his name as the greatest living on the end of the instrument is longer church. It was a large, wooden struct- master of the science of war before he

Washington was 23 when he was past the coin, and when withdrawn the past the coin and it is the meeting which occurred on the Winstein and the results are still a way of the meeting which occurred on the Winstein and the results are still a way of the meeting which occurred on the Winstein and the results are still a way of the results ar hook catches under the coin and it is pulled up. At best, it is a difficult operation, for the child will kick and squirm,

Gough, and asked him to go home and when the American revolution broke out. William Pitt was first minister of the child will kick and squirm, and it is not without danger to the surdinner I took out the bottle I had England at 24. Thomas Jefferson was "The professor worked away, and as carried for twelve years and asked him 33 when he wrote the Declaration of his efforts for a time proved unsuccess- if he would take a drink. I just said Independence. James Madison was 36 vidual with a State street jag yelled ful, the anxiety on the face of the father it in fun, but great guns, you ought to when he become the 'Break away!' With a painful significance of the 'Break away!'

best, as well as worst in the literature fore the action was followed be of our day, was written when he was whistling and shouts, and again wit coin had contended with the danger of "My friend, I am truly sorry that 25. Byron's first canto of "Child Har- It sigh the arm was removed. Poor

> understood you to say that you had car- Edison is still a young man, and Stan- manly breast and he had just be d ried that bottle and not drank anything ley had found Livingstone and made to smooth her tresses when the his memorable journey across Africa crowd once more opened up and

> > New York's Rocking Stone.

just the man I am looking for, and I ing objects in picturesque Sullivan coun- was visibly startled at this and in want you to go to England with me.' ty, New York state, is the "Rocking Of course I was taken by suprise, and asked him to explain. He said that he had long wanted a reformed drunk. Monticello. In the center of a rather he had long wanted a reformed drunkard to travel with him and lecture,
and that a man with my will was just it is a part, stands a rock whose history the chap he desired. Well, I talked is as yet unwritten, and lies buried ment to catch a man in the act of shot of the thing was that Gough and vation of some 1,300 feet above the mouth with his half elenched hand. can get enough regular and reliable I formed a partnership whereby I was level of the sea, forming, consequently, to receive a handsome percentage of a most appropriate pedestal on which to stand. At first sight it probably was the first place where would not attract more than a passing main. Then turning to the balance ployed may work up a good business hand an envelope, which was addressed, them we were billed to lecture, and I tell notice, but it is when a second and of the passengers he addressed them as a credit broker. The man whose but not sealed. "Can you give me a ten you there was a crowd there to hear closer observation is made that the thus: us. Gough had advertised the reform- wonderful and delicate hand of nature Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant ed drunkard feature for all it was is seen both in its composition and bit green and I'll admit that I'm a worth, and I was regarded with as smoothly chiseled sides. In size it is little bit new in this marry ng busi much curiosity as the dime museum nearly 500 cubic feet, shaped very ness, consequently have overlooked freaks are to-day. From Albany we much like an orange, and weighing your insults, but it has gone went to Boston and finally to New 18,000 pounds, or forty tons, and so York, where we bid good-bye to nicely balanced on a table of rock as America and set sail for England. A to be easily set in motion from either stop was made in Ireland, and in the north or south side, yet the com-Dublin the largest hall in the city bined strength of a hundred men withwouldn't hold the records wouldn't hold the people. I gave out artificial appliance, could not dis- the first son-of-a-gun that dares to those who were on the outside tickets lodge it from its present position. Its unfold his yawp will get jumped on and had them come the next night. body is composed of loose and soft by yours truly. If more than one days the authorities killed six tons of One way of running the lecture was sandstone, in which are embedded makes a noise, so much the better, them. In plowing enormous quantities to have Gough make an opening numberless round and dainty pebbles for I am in prime condition and once of their eggs are turned up, and, fortu-

Youthful Imitators. A tremendous noise came from the

"You half-baked chunk of cheap hog settled up. I had eleven thousand meat! You low-lived son of a gun! and top of your head off! Stand out of the

flask and did not drink any of the con- | hind you.' With his hair standing on end the Speaking of Gough, he said: "He father rushed in. Willie was seated at was a great orator and grand, noble a desk made of a barrel turned upside man, but he was not master of him- down and was pounding it with a malself. I remember, one time, when a let taken from his tool-chest. Johnnie man put some whisky in a glass of and a lot of the neighbors' boys were soda water he was about to drink. Just standing on chairs and inverted buckthat taste was enough to set the appe- ets ranged in semicircles about the

> The noise ceased. "You needn't be scared, papa," ex-

New Find in Pompeii. A house of five stories (leaning against a rising ground) has just been excavated in Frapeii, in which important frescoes are still in good state of preservation. In the principal room had dug the spurs into the beast's is a representation of Bellerophon—a lanks and ridden for miles at break- youth holding the winged Pegasus eck speed to get out of reach of the with one hand, while with the other he receives the orders of Proteus, who is seated on a richly decorated throne. The lower part of the house is divided He attended the district school, into both rooms. The paintings in here he was a fair pupil and noted the frigidarium are specially well prehis kindly disposition - a trait of served - a nymph riding on a sea-horse, meter which he inherited from his and frieze with comic scenes of piger In after years, one of his mies fighting birds and erocodiles in Free Press.

ont, and I Fun with a Newly - Married Couple

An incident occurred on a Western train as it bowled merrily over the prairie in the direction of Milwaukee that was cruel and yet laughable in the extreme. A newly married coupe, so very, very newly married, got "Can't!" What does it mean?" 'Why,' on the train at Chicago and took a his eyeglasses to read a little card he "Yes, gentleman, I carried a pint replied the boy, it means that—that front seat in the car, where each pasperience the greatest difficulty in getting patients to take medicine as they are diual, one of the silk hat, Prince Albert coat grooms, with a white dress tie at his throat and a white rose in his buttonhole. A regular web-foot ed country cross roads dude and the very atmosphere in his vicinity was permeated with the aroma of new mown hay.

The bride was dressed in white lap. Her face was a dead ringer for a mask and was homely enough to ache, but this did not seem to troub le the groom, who was snuggled up as close to her as he could get. S deeply were they wrapped up in eac other that they were entirely uncor scious of the fact that they were th observed of all observers and espec ally of a party of traveling men wl sat a little way have hem? The groom would wh nothing in the bride's ear and she tions an instrument called a coin catcher, that the meeting would be held in the across the Alps into Italy. Napoleon and beam upon him, showing to the passengers while doing so a nose that protruded from her face like a tumor. Oh, she was homely

Finally, as the night waxed on

apace, the two young things began to grow more coochy-coochy, and a the train pulled out of Wadswort Reuben stretched forth his long arm and wound it tenderly about hi bride's neck. Upon seeing this ever drummer in the party began to whistle, while one evil-minded ind that could be heard all over the car was repeated time after time. Fi nally the bride, although tired out rested her head on her husband made night hideous with their noise. This was too much for the bride and with a sob she buried her face in her Perhaps some of the most interest- handkerchief and wept. The groom

> "Fellers, maybe I do look a little enough now. You wasn't satisfied till you got the little woman to cry ing and now I am mad clean through I am going back to my seat now

walked back to his seat, said something to the sobbing woman and

Lost to Sight.

Gen. Sheridan was not a tall man though he had a commanding pres he was one day drilling a company and was annoyed by the unsoldierly appearance of a tall, round shoulder | ments. Trish recruit.

"Don't stand in that way," Sheri-Canal street. After that I carried my going to paralize that scroundrel belike a Chinaman doubled over a vorite Prescription"—the boon dignity or comfort of his court. I was washtub. Straighten up-formerec chest out and chin elevated. Like

Then the officer gave the man a superb exan ple of the perfect soldier in parade movement, his eyes fixed

'An' its sthraight ahid I'll be tite afire within him and he went off on a protracted spree. Very few reo- and yelling like Indians.

An its stirring it and I it is sold under the guarantee at the recruit, glancing down at his su that if you are disappointed

> table soldier, certainly. The Irishman puffed himself out like a pigeon, and stepping off the measured "Right!" "Left!" he ex woman's not trying it. Postenant; I'll niver see ye agin."-Youth's Companion.

He Fished and Slept.

As he fished he slept, and as he slept he pitched forward into the stream and never rose to the surface. When they recovered his pole and line there was a twenty-five pound cat fish on the hook. Some men are al ways too late for good luck.—Detroy late the stomach and you

CREDIT BROKERS.

Merchants Through Whom a Man Can Get Anything on Trust. 'A what?"

"A credit broker. Didn't you ever hear of a credit broker? Well, it is a new business, to be sure, this credit brokerage, but it is an active one An uptown business man adjusted held in his hand and proceeded to disclose to a reporter some of the mysteries of this new trade.

"Lots of folks, you know," he continued, "haven't much money." The reporter agreed that there might be some people in this condition.

"The absence of a large income does not relieve them from the desire to live comfortably and keep up a good appearance on a small salary. They have to go in debt or buy things on the installment plan. Some people are not well enough known to get credit from the regular old established firms. It is to the relief of such people the credit broker comes. If you want a suit of clothes, made to order or 'hand me down,' he will send you to a first class place where you can present his card and get what you want without further question, though the merchant may never have seen you before. He will then give you an order to some furniture dealer, if you want, and you can have your house furnished and fitted out on the same terms. Or with his indorsement you can have your children fitted with new store clothes and you can get shoes for yourself, your wife and all the little ones without any ready money. You can get a watch and seal ring for yourself and earrings for your wife. If you are a carpenter or workman of any sort you can get tools in the same simple way. In short, you can get anything you want. You can even get your teeth filled or an aching molar dislocated. You can be fitted out with a new suit of clothes, a beaver hat and cane, shoes, studs, a watch and chain and all the other jewelry necessary to the complete outfit of a gentleman, besides fresh tie, clean collar and cuffs, stiff 'biled' shirt and enough at home for a change—you can get all these things on credit, though your face and name are not known to a merchant in town, if you have an order from the credit "The business is started in this way.

A man who has enough means to make his credit good with merchants has a large circle of friends whom he knows to be honest and reliable, but who being known. With this to start on he decides to become a credit broker. He gets up a list of reputable merchants in various lines and makes an arrangement with them under which they are to give credit to any one presenting an order from him and are to pay him a commission on the trade, credit, but have no acquaintance with buy their goods and pay him in installments or spot down at a certain ness must of course know the men he the matter over with my wife, and she with the dead of many generations. Whistling. Deliberately arising from is trusting, but having a large circle aid that she guessed that she could The farm, within the boundaries of his seathe approached the man with- of acquaintances he can easily deterspare me for a year or so, and the up- which it rests, is in a valley at an ele- out a word slapped him across the mine whom of them he can trust, and

The man started to jump up, but the customers to make him a good busiinjured groom gave him another ness. A man in one of the departments He has arrangements with some ten in this letter." or fifteen reliable business houses, to The ten dollar bill was immediately business and very seldom makes a bad said he. debt."-Washington Star.

> A plague of locusts lately appeared in the province of Gizeli, in Egypt. In five

ported to have been recently found in ton, N. Y." It was not long before Mack California, measuring 176 feet in circumference at a distance of six feet from the tained.—Brooklyn Eagle. ground. This would give a diameter of about 60 feet at that point.

comprehend. They're quick. authority. His little army was entirely under his own military code. His pun-They're alive, and yet it was ishment of the officers was at times orig-While he was an under officer a man who discovered the one inal. One of them consisted in compelremedy for their peculiar ailone well to another, 800 or 400 yards dis-

> The man was Dr. Pierce. to delicate women.

foot in the grave," suffering in silence—misunderstood—when nified of the great ladles, who coughed unalterably away from earthly there's a remedy at hand that and gesticulated painfully when they isn't an experiment, but which tasted the pungent mixture.—Black-wood's. perior officer, with a twinkle in his in any way in it, you can get Yes; if you mean to be a respec your money back by applying know the proverb, Pop goes the weating the past ten years, he has never to its makers.

We can hardly imagine a claimed, "Well, good-boi to ye, let sibly it may be true of one you always wear your hat to one side? or two-but we doubt it.

Women are ripe for it. Chicago Times. They must have it. Think At Hannibal, Mo., a colored mar of a prescription and nine out named Wilson fished from a bridge of ten waiting for it. Carry

> The seat of sick headache ley, of Leesburg, Ga., killed a white cure it. Dr. Pierce's Pellets county, has distinguished herself by "Something which goes in one ear and are the Little Regulators,

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Houston Tex., C. W. BEIN, G. F. A., J. G. SCHRIEVER, Traffic, Manager,

peculiarly suspicious individual named Mack was in charge of the City made by Professor Rein, a scientist lifter that sent him back into his or in any business establishment hall cigar store, when two dapper looking young men entered. One carried in his card I hold here has gone regularly dollar note for these ten bills?" he asked. into the business as a credit broker. "The old lady wants to send the money

> which he sends his patrons and from given to the young man, who apparently which he gets a good commission on put it in the letter. Mack counted the every sale upon his order. He makes bills given in exchange and found only from \$150 to \$250 per month out of the nine there. "There is only \$9 in this,"

"Oh, how can that be?" said the young man. "The old lady must have made a gal. The Japs appear to deserve all mistake. I put the \$10 in this letter and have sealed it. I don't want to open the them is literally market gardening, envelope again. Will you just hold the because the soil is required to produce letter with the \$10 and I will take the \$9 to the old lady.'

or Thin in prime condition and one of their eggs are turned up, and, total nately, exposure to the sun destroys the believed he saw the young man put \$10 in the envelope. He still holds it. It is walked back to his seat, said somewalked back to his seat and somewalk Mack thought that fair enough, as he

A Prince's Antics.

The prince of Parma maintained great state in his small principality, and, by Women are not slow to the aid of the Australians, very despotic tant. He insisted that the entire absence of any useful purpose in this disagreeable task added greatly to its unpleasantdignity or comfort of his court. I was present at a grand ball when he ordered Why go round "with one a large plate of strong mustard sandwiches to be handed round with his compliments at supper time to the most dig-

> won't let us have a cat or a dog." sel."-Chatter.

Student of Human Nature-Why do Plug Ugly-Where I live the wind World. always blows from that direction. -

He Had a Better Scheme. Phil Osopher-Never borrow trou-

lend me \$5?—Van Dorn's. While bird hunting W. R. Bunk-

is not in the brain. Regu- lark, the first ever seen in that section. I laying nine double yoke eggs.

Some remarkable statements are who has been investigating the mate rial resources of Japan. They reveal a national frugality and economy of a marvelous type. The area of Japan is less than that of California. Its cultivated land is less than one-tenth of its total acreage, yet its products support about 38,000,000. In Japan 2,560 persons subsist from each square mile of tilled land. A people existing in such circumstances must, from necessity of preservation, be provident, painstaking, hard working, ingenious and fruthese adjectives. Agriculture with more than any other place in the world.-Once a Week.

Postage Stamps Good Until Used. Persons having old postage stamps sometimes think they are rendered worthless by the issue of new ones. This is not so. The only obsolete stamps are those of the issues of 1847 and 1851, very few of which are now in existence in the north, and these are generally worth more than their face value for collectors. The issues of 1861, 1869 and 1870 are as good in the payment of postage as the new issues. The reason the issues of 1847 and 1851 are not accepted is because large amounts of these were outstanding in the south at the time of the rebellion, and the present holders of them probably secured them without rendering an equivalent to Uncle Sam. -Hartford Courant.

King Leopold and Queen Victoria. King Leopold of Belgium speaks and writes English with ease and accuracy. He never lets a Sunday pass without writing an autograph letter to his friend and ally, Queen Victoria. Whenever he travels he takes with him his confidential English attendant, Mr. Charles Murray, who has "We are overrun with rats, but pa been in his service nearly a quarter of a century. Although the king of "Why don't you get a weasel? You the Belgians has aged perceptibly durlost the equanimity of temper which made him so popular in his youth. The king is now 55 years of age, but his health is good and he expects to live many years more.-New York

In one of the city schools a teacher, with all the patience and powers of persuasion she could command, was endeavoring to instruct a class about a Hooker Crook—I don't. Can you right angle triangle. After several attempts she called the scholars to account for inattention with the remark that what she was saying seemed to go in one ear and out the other. Again she repeated her description, following it by asking: "Who can tell what a right angle triangle is?" Up went a hand, and the A hen at Conestoga, in Lancaster bright boy to whom it belonged shouted out the other."-Worcester Spy.

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We want a mail line to Juno.

R. J. Bean and brother, were at San Angelo last week.

town on Sunday.

in at once.

A small fire broke out in J. Q. and caused considerable damage.

The singing at the school house on Sunday evening, was very good the bank which or ginated it; considering the little practice they

Mr. W. C. Jones and Miss Jones town on a business trip to the plus and profits, \$10,542.01. lower end of the county.

We are sorry to learn that our plus and profits, \$19,603 12. well known citizen J. T. Gurley ranch on Johnsons' Run.

was down from Murchison's on quirements. Saturday, prospecting.

grave at the lowest prices.

J. T. Haile, of San Antonio, egent for the New York Life Insurance Co., arrived in town on Sunday, and reports business first

in the school house on Sunday

the trading centre of the Stock- prosperity. man's Paradise Friday, for sup-

by Willie Windrow, San Angelo. 7. 1890. Mr. P. McHugh, bought a colt the other day and sent it out to the ranch, but not being satisfied with U. ip et bond & premiums 21,437. ranch, but not being satisfied with |

Peter Robinson; the pioneer settler of Devil's River, and as true as he is brave, was in Sonora for supplies on Wednesday, and made Capital stock the DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS a pleasant Undivided profits since July

Mr. G. H. McDowell, of Juno, called into our office on Tuesday, to contradict the report about his sheep, and he says he has as good a flock as in the county, and that

they are in fine condition. Go to M. Eastland & Son, the Jewelers, San Angelo, for Diamonds, Jewelry. Watches, Clocks, Silverware, and Optical Goods. 7-5.

a very enjoyable entertainment, Atchison Globe. Monday in honor of their guests the Misses Kilgore of Greenville, which was largely attended and a grand success.

W. J. Fields one of our largest what were you do! cattle owners was in Sonora Thursday. Mr. Fields has just immediate search for that \$5 you back scratched she scratched it in purchased a stationary steam owe me.—Life. engine, 8 horse power, from J. II. Morrison for \$700.

Do not keep your building back by waiting for a lumber yard in Sonora, but order the lumber from J. W. Webb & Co., San Angelo.

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A PROSPEROUS BANK.

(From the San Angelo Stane ard.) statement of that solid and pros-San Angelo National Bank, of San on his ranch near Sonore. Angelo, Texas." It commends 11-

self, and a careful glance over the nstitution is on the market. Na ional Bank decided to increase in Tom Green.

its capital suck fr m forty-five tinued to pour in after the full already been paid in.

the ranch, and will move his family ern country would derive from the encounter all classes of game from of cheaper money for the West. G. B. Muse of Burnet county, They made 24 per cent. money arrived in the stockman's paradise thing of the past, establishing 12

per cent. as the rate of discounts. From San Angelo Enterprise. ment of the business done by the A Mexican was killed at Mc-Adams house on Sunday morning bank for the years 1888, 1889, 1890, Kavett on the 15th, another will show that its policy has been Mexican cutting his throat. The Chadbourne St., one of immense benefit to the murderer is at large. country at large, and naturally to Glasscock & Bradford have

> plus and profits, \$8 911 93. June 30th, 1889.-Deposits, \$120,-

June 30th, 1890 -Deposits, \$182. 749.35; Loans \$214 927.95; Sur-

That the San Angelo National and family will leave soon for their is a bank thoroughly identified shipped by Wm. H. Godair to W. T. Carraway, of the firm of their ample capital and reserve, \$2.80 to \$3.10 being the highest Carraway & Brooks, made the and the excellent credit enjoyed price paid this season. DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS a pleasant by the institution abroad, their were the Perry and John Hendergood and hard times, they could here before shipping at \$20 per W. B. Silleman, one of the clever always rely on an institution ever head. As it is they will net over young surveyors of Devil's River, ready to meet their legitimate re- \$25. The cattle market has an

J. J. Rackley, San Angelo, has his three-story building packed full of goods and can supply you with any piece of furniture from the cradle to the piece of furniture from the cradle to the cashier. Legal, Suggest Ir. L. Several buyers from the St. Louis and Chicago markets are in the city picking up cattle where they can find any. cashier; Joseph Spence, Jr., L. Schwartz, F. B. Ewing, and Jos.

When it is remembered that very stockholder is liable for an mount equal to the stock held by him; and every director individually liable to the full extent of his R. C. Anderson, Presbyterian wealth, it will be seen that nowhere inancial and moral strength that

S. G. Sands, a prominent sheep- country may justly feel proud and man of Edwards County, was in we heartily wish th m continued ground-all these seperate measure-

the rider threw him off and came O a r bonds, par.

LIABILITIES.

he proposed to you? Susie-No, ment and indignantly shook the I was -Y kers Statesman.

night of a burglar breaking in, a again, until at last, in sheer despair, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Word, gave man has of the baby breaking out. the cow philosophically accepted

> day, walk up to my room, and that Biddy, as much as possible, find my lifeless corpse in bed,

it came from, remember that some of the hen; and now, when the friend of yours has been thoughtful hen gets off for a while to eat, old enough of your welfare to send us Brindle is evidently uneasy until your name and address, and re- she comes back again." quest us to send you a sample copy, The only first-class Sewing free. And remember, also, that Machine on Earth is The LOVE. expectation that you will become Co., Ballinger, Tex. a regular subscriber after you have Galvanized iron ventilation flues, examined the paper and passed stove pipes, rain proofs and caps, upon its merits. Don't put it off at H. W. Feller's, Chadbourne until tomorrow, but attend to it treet, San Angelo.

at 7 a. m. The trip being made store, at the Postoffice. lif

From the San Angelo Standard.

M. R. Braggins, the popular Below we publish the latest Llano fine stock raiser, is figuring perous backing institution, The onthe lumber for a \$2,000 residence

Dr. J. B. Taylor says if he could assets and liabilities will clearly show why none of the stock of the body of his land in cotton. He has experimented and finds that it In August 1888 the San Angelo grows as well in Sutton as it does

thousand dollars to \$100,000. The John A. Loomis and Charles stock was readily taken by men Rueff start to-day with a retinue of Hugh and Wil Drake, were in who stand high both at home and servants and 21 hunting dogs, abroad, and the subscriptions con-J.J. Rackley handles the best sewing amount of the capital stock had and Devil's rivers. They will make their first stop for "business" At the same time this institution at Pecan Springs, 8 miles below El. Hormsby left Thursday for foreseeing the advantages this west- Beaver Lake, and are prepared to change, inaugurated the movement bear, panther, Mexican lion, deer and antelope down to quail.

located a ranch directly west of June 30th, 1888 — Deposits, \$53,- the Vermont pasture in Schleicher 386 41; Leans, \$56,709.75; Sur-county, getting as near as possible to the new town.

Mike Murphy, of Devil's River, of Christoval, passed through the 336.72; Loans, \$202.062.90; Sur- News, was in the city Monday doing a little rustling on his own Murphy, late of Toronto looking

out for the plant in the meantime. The two train loads of cattle with the interests of the Conche Godsir, Harding & Company Country is an established fact. With Chicago, last week were sold it customers have found that through sen cattle all grass fed and offered upward tendency and Godair. The directors and officers of the bank are men whose names alone are a guarantee of integrity and

J. J. Rackley, has bed room suits from \$16 to \$200.

According to an English authority there is one measurement in cattle which is the key to all other measurements of the animal. This is the length of the head. In a well Minister of San Angelo, will preach can a bank be found of greater proportioned beast, he says the distance between the hips from centre to centre, from centre of centre of hip-bone to centre of rump-bone, from point of hock to ments should correspond, within an inch, to the length of the head; Report of the condition of the Well-grown Shortuorn three-year-Fine fresh candies in fancy boxes, sold of business, Thursday, October 2d. 22 inches in these respective

Buy your lumber from J. W. Webb & Co., San Angelo, and have your house built at once.

Dr. J. F. Riggs, over the postoffice, 1,000 to 1,403 d 1,125.00 work to be first-class. When in need of a dentist call and see him.

\$332,747.61 "Hens are funny critters," says an old farmer, "and I have one on .\$100,000.00 my place that is about the funniest 10,000.00 of the lot. A few months ago she 9,229.29 took a most violent liking for an 0.000,00 old brindled cow of mine. At first 161,018.32 all she did was to go out to the Call around and see the Menagerie. \$332,747.61 pasture with the cow, but after a while she began to jump on the cow's back. For a long time the Ida-Was he on his knees when cow resented this novel arrangehen off. But it did not do any The fear that a woman has at good, the hen hopped right on the situation. She was probably Dashaway-Suppose you should the more inclined to do so when come around to my house some she discovered, as she soon did, kept all insects from annoying her. In fact, she even went further than that; for when she discovered that Cleverton—I would institute in the cow would like to have ber All Orders Left at his office Will Receive prompt attention. a way to make the cow very happy. If you receive a copy of this As a result of this the cow soon paper and are led to wonder where began to enjoy the companionship

this is done with the hope and For sale by Crews, McGregor &

The highest cash price paid for furs, ides and skins of all kinds at the grain of the concern always has the concern always has a conce immense concern always has on hand a large stock of the best quality of corn, oats and grain of all kinds which they when in San Angelo, puil up at the Pioneer Drug store, at the Postoffice. 111 guantities to suit the purchaser, and at the lowest prices. They are also the largest dealers in, San Angelo, in furs. skins and bidees, and you may de-Dr. Talmage says of his BRADBURY PIANO: "It is endowed with a sweetness and power that suggests a living soul, rather than an unthinking instrument." F. G. Allen, Agent, San Angelo.

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