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HOW MAD PEOPLE REASON.

They Are All Right Except When Talked Curious and Ancient Custom Observed In It is impossible to fix a hard and medical practitioner, was for some to find in any country.

who had a dogged idea that he was over. talk with him for hours and find him so reasonable and intelligent that called the "spokesman." newspapers as he could get held of, was deeply interested in current more lacidly and tolerantly than many a man who passes for sane and is allowed to remain at large. But, sooner or later, the fatal topic would be touched upon You could not say he, probably, would refer to someinstantly he became more thoughtful, more carnest. That was the only change noticeable in his demeanor. Then be would take you aside and tell you confidentially, with a quiet, was the emperor of China, he had one to be invited to the wedding been captured in the last war and brought over here a prisoner, and

he was mistaken. He listened to me he sighed and said he could quite pear ineredible to a stranger, but he as sorry I should doubt his word.

ate a kind of dazel belief in him.

And I found the same characterstic in others Among the utterly imbecile there were kings, poets, prophets, politicians, through whose delusions ran a tantalizing vein of sense. I have met various Miltons, Tennysons, Washingtons, Shakespeares and monarchs of all nation-SAN. ANGELO, - TEXAS, built up with such strange sanity of detail that one hardly knew what to make of them. If Milton spoke to you of his "Charge of the Light Brigade" or his "Martin Chuzzlewit," you would have no doubt about him, but when he calmly discourses upon his "Paradise Lost," even sometimes quoting passages from it, and casual-AND NOTARY PUBLO by refers to the time when he was Cromwell's secretary it chills you with an uncanny and bewildering sensation that it is he who is sane

> It may surprise you to know that almost the commonest delusion among insane patients is that they are Christ. I recollect one such, named "Bump." I should think of who, strangely enough, was a wom- all things that poor merchant would an, and in her, too, that sanity of do be afraid of coming down-hard! By tail I have spoken of was a remark. the way, list week I met a poor unable feature. She had her fits of vio- fortunate called "Chump"-no, come lence, but they were exceedingly to think, it was "Gump." Well, it Texus. rare. As a rule she was as gentlo means the same thing. Fancy going and as harmless as possible. When through life as a "gump. the visiting doctor saw her, she almake to him. She was Christ, she worse than being called Tooth.

ed; why would they not let her go corner nd preach the truit to mankind? | "No," much struck with her puzzling same ble was when we wanted to speak of y in matters of details as I had been, the family collectively. It seemed ALL WORK GUAR INTEED TO put her to a test that brought out perfectly natural to speak of the this pitiful peculiarity with a dis- Smiths and the Browns, but when it tinetness that fairly took his breath came to the Tooths, why, we always away. Appearing to yield to her en- wanted to say the Teeth!"-Chicago treaties and flinging the door open, Post.

"Come, they shan't keep you here my longer. You shall go and preach the truth as you wish.

She hesitated, looked at him irreslutely and then, shaking her head, "No, no. What would be the use

of it? They would not believe me 1 York Dispatch.

A Rare Coin.

is reckoned one of the rarest of down. This court doesn't guess on were struck. The Confederate silver pardon, your bonor. I desire the The Dallas or Galveston Weekly half dollar bears the date of 1861 judgment of this court on the case. News and The Devil's River News and was struck at the mint at New will be sent to your address one year Orleans just before that institution was closed by the Federal troops It has the Goddess of Liberty on one your doll to pieces for? side and a stalk of cane, one of cut-The DEVIL's RIVER NEWS is the ton and the stars and bars of the of comfort papa said was to be found Confederacy in a coat of arms on the in everything. Rogersville (Tenn.) other side -- New York Ledger.

A singular and ancient custom

fast boundary line between samty takes place the first Thursday in Deand insanity, to say exactly where cember every year in the little Beleccentricity leaves of and madness begins. In my early days, said a counterpart is probably impossible

time with one of the sisting doctors | Peasants, male and female, enter of a county lunatic a flum and fre- the city in the early morning, all quently accompanied him on his vis- dressed in their holiday dress and all bent on being married. The I have played at ball at chess and young men and women march up other games with the male inmates and down on the market place, and and found some explient players as soon as a young peasant sees the among them. Noth, mideed, sur. girl for whom he has a liking he inket, and here the agreement and oon For instance, I remember one man ditions for the marriage are talked

the emperor of China. You might telk with him for hours and find him tended by an important personage you would begin to doubt whether son plays a most important part, and he was mad at all He read such without him no marriage could be arranged. This man enjoys the confidence of both parties; he knows the events and discussed them with you qualification of every young peasant and how much of a marriage portion each girl is provided with. It is he who does the talking for both parties, and if an agreement is entered into and a wedding is the reprecisely how it happened. You or sult he receives a certain part of the wedding portion, a new high hat and thing relating to the Chinese, and a pair of boots. As long as the consultation between the two families commenced at the festival continues the spokesman has a good time. He is entitled to the best of food and drink, and if he successfully carries deliberate air of conviction, that he out the negotiations he is the first

As soon as the couple are engaged, which must be done before the festival is over, the custom is for the beau to purchase some oranges and andy for his girl, and she presents age of tobacco. - Philadelphia Press.

Women cannot leave the men alone. That warery of theirs, "Whatever a man can do, a woman can. is pregnant with meaning of which it. If a man did not do it, they would the suggestive books because their play masculine games merely be cause they are masculine. I would venture on something of the nature of a prophetic utterance. It is this: If every man were to leave off playing golf tomorrow, there would not be a female golf player left in England in a month. Heaven knows that there are a good many of them just now! Where the men lead, the women follow. The "dear creatures." as the old time "bucks" used to have it, always did run after the men. It seems that just now they are running after them a little harder than ever they did. That, from the social point of view, is the alpha and omega of the cry of the "independent" women; that is not seldom the meaning of "women's rights." It

Here is the advertisement of a man

"Well," says the girl at the next ways had the same complaint to desk, "I don't think that is any nad been disbelieved and imprison- "I do," remarked the man in the

One day the doctor, who was as not think so. You see, the great trou-

Unconventional.

The following story is told of the unconventional court methods of the late George M. Stearns of Massachusetts: "May it please your honone day before the supreme court, "I have a little case here that was am happier here. If I went out, they started in the police court, and that would only persecute me."-New court guessed on it. Then we went to the superior court with it, and that court guessed on it, and now we The Confederate silver half dollar The court said: "Mr. Stearns, sit

American coins. Only four such coins cases." Mr. Stearns replied: "I beg

Wanted to Find the Crumb. Mamma-What are you tearing Hattie-I'm lookin for the crumb

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This spring wool clip will be a at \$2 20 a nead. beauty. It wool would only pay Franks & Taylor of Val Verde expenses the sheepman would be county sold to D. B. Cusenbary of

handle all the trade of the Davil's D.B. Cusenbary of Sonora bought would help mightily.

Sonora does too much business with wool on at \$2 20 a head.

The DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS knows one cattleman who lost \$1500 on one trade this year because Sonora 300 dry ewer at \$1 65 a head. Mr did not have a telegraph office.

San Angelo to the Galveston seahoard have, been reduced by the to 83 cents.

As the shortage in cattle causes dred pounds. the price of beef to go up. The W.H. Myers the sheep salesman high price of beef will cause mut. for Keenan & Sons of Chicago, is

live stock trader in the Sonors shipping your muttons.

Chicago Union Stock Yards share- tons west of the Pecos which he holders bought a load of cattle at is driving to Kerrville for shipfancy prices for advorticing par ment. II corpo the manous P. poses. St. Louis was knocking gives better service than the Santa

If you raise wool, mutton, cattle, or anything else for other than an average of 3,000 cattle a month home consumption you are inter- for eight months to France last ested financially in a telegraph year, and that he is exceedingly line. If the prodect you raise is sorry to see the outlet cut off, for the local market you are interested in a telegraph line because sheep the first two months of the it will build up your market.

With the advent of the year February, 1893. 1895 we started out to see the Sonora country accomplish four tection. 2ad. Mail routes south to Ed. Jackson at 9 and \$12 50 .-3.d. Atelegraph line to San An. San Angelo Enterprise.

next five years will be more proft of Smora. He will be here next able than it has been at any time month and my to buy the yearlings in the past ten." A well known in this country - brackett News. republican made this remark to us From the Del Rio Record. the other day. He based his calculation on the resumption of power by the protectionists. The Turney for 10, 13 and \$16. shortage of muttons and a greater consumption of domestic wool lie to Ab Rose at \$10 round, caused by the new scouring pro- The Greenwoods sold 500 cattle The sum of \$2 25 was refused b

tomers and stock holders of the fatten on his prosperity .- Del Rio stipped a car of choice bulls to that the Indians had more right bank in the Sonora country might Record. know how things were going as From the San Antonio Stockman: the statement we find that there is cows sold last week at \$9.50 per that Weddell's nen profit on fat- Sadie Donglass. more money on deposit than ever head. reported by a San Angelo bank, vi : \$123,568 05. Cash on hand Blanco county is overrun with Bird & Mer'z sold 1600 steers, Wyatt, \$252,065 84. If these figures do \$6.50 for yearling steers, and the Scott, for \$36,000 or \$22 50 per favor of the affirmative.) ot show a return of prosperity to same price for stock cattle. West Texas what do they show?

NOTICE TO CATTEMEN.

A meeting is called at Sonora, Texas, on March 20th, 1895, for J.E Slocum bought in San Saba, the purpose of organizing, and Mason and Burnet counties last having a free wagon on the range week 800 three and four year old mea that Winfield Scott, if he sells Hurst, Mrs. Thomason, Mrs. Huffto be run the entire year. It is steers at 16 and \$20 per head. necessary for all stockmen to come Mont Woodward of Zavalla this year, as well as he has the Lillie Davis, Susie Martin, Rosie in and take part in these works county sold last week his entire first half, will clear at least \$100,- Cocke, Annie Balch, R-v. Cocke,

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Stock News.

- E W. Wall refused \$2.25 for his muttons this week.
- T. B. Birtrong refused \$2 25 a head for 4,000 muttons in San
- J. L. Davis bought from Henry Barksdale 31 head of stock cattle at \$8 a head.

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R. F. Halbert sold to O. T. in Sonora. Can you furnish them? Word of Sonora, 1200 head of muttons at \$1 90 for wethers and

> D B Cusenbary of Sonora bought country 600 wethers with wool on

Sonora, 250 head of wethers at Sonora should be in position to \$2.10 a head with wool on.

River country. A national bank from Harcourt & Gresham of Schleicher county, 450 wethers

and is too important a comercial James Welsh of Crockett county center not to be connected with sold 500 wethers with wool on to the markets of the world by wire. D. B. Cusenbary of Sonora at \$2 a

J E. Mills sold to O T. Word, Mills bought these sheep last year at 65 cents a head. No remarks The rate of freight on wool from necessary. Stay with your sheep

Oa Wednesday March 13th, railroad commission from 95 cents sheep were worth in Chicago poor to choice grades 2.75 to \$4 60; with fancy at 4.65 to \$4 75 a hun-

tons to rise. Stay with the golden said by mutton shippers to be the best sheep salesman in Chicago There is not a business man or Make a note of this if you intend

country but could afford to give J. R. Hamilton the well-known from \$25 to \$500 for a telegraph mutton buyer of Mexico, Mo., was line from San Angelo to Sonora. In Sonora Sunday. Mr. Hamilton It is reported that last week the has purchased 4000 head of mut-

Nelson Morris says he shipped

Chicago received 17,528 lewer year than last year, but 106 897 more than during January and

Claude Broome sold for Short things: 1st. Water for fire pro- & Hewitt 500 steers, 1's and 2's,

gelo. 4th. A National bank in Our old friend C. T. (Short) S mora. The DEVIL'S REVER NEW | Furney bought about 600 head of will keep hammering at these im- steers in Dot Ro, of d ff rent parportant issues until accomplished. ties, paying 7, 10, 13 and \$16 for Sheep raising in Texas for the them, they are for Mayer & Sons

Ab Rose sold 200 cattle to C. T

W. H. Ragin sold about 300 cat- and three year old steers, at \$12

to C.T. Turney of Sonora, delivery a San Angelo sheepman this week We did not have time to make April 10, at \$7 for 1's, \$10 for 2's, for 7000 head of muttons delivered any remarks about the statement \$13 for 3's and \$16 for 4's and up. in San Angelo. of the San Augelo National bank James McLymont is very hope- John Krkpatrick, of Crockett in our last issue. Mr. Carragher, ful of good times to sheep and cat-county, sold to S. E. Couch, of the cashier, having sent it down the men from now on. His ranch Ozona, 3300 sheep at \$1.45 per on Friday's stage with the request and all the surrounding country is head and his ranch to John Hen-room this evening consisted of rethat it be handed into our office a most "in clover." What burts derson of Ozona for \$1,500. that night in order that the cus- Mr. Me. is that the wild animals Waddell, a feeder of Dublin, cion debated upon was: "Resolve

week 300 aged steers to J M. Chit- We understand that Bird & Mer z in Miss Thornton's room of recium at \$19 per head. These cattle have 1,100 head of the same class tations and a song. were located in Wilson county.

county pastures to Andrew Arm. \$60,000 in the feeding business last Mr. Hemphill. strong and John Wolf at \$10 per head. This deal included from 2500 to 3000 head—San Antonio San Angelo Standard.

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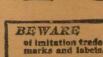
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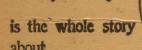
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Public School Notes. [BY MISS SADIE DOUGLASS.] The exercises in the professor's citations and a debate. The ques-Chicago Monday, which averaged to this country than the Whites."

John Camp of this city sold last Brownwood and other stations, ercises consisted of recitations, and

of cattle, in another pasture, which The following visitors were present: Mrs. J. M. Bell, Mrs. H G. It is current talk among cattle- Jones, Mrs. Hemphill, Mrs. P the remainder of his 10,000 steers, man, Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Cooper,

The affirmative speakers were trade will require 25,000 fat sheep are reduced to 3 cents per acre for This would relieve the congestion arly as possible. By referring to

A bunch of 500 Llano county or \$63 per head. It is conceded Anna Adams, Belle Birtrong and tening these bulls was \$25 a head. The negative speakers were steadily increasing, the next prob Mark Baugh, Earl Duke and Emma ters of the country will be an ade. cultural lands to \$2 per acre. \$76 132 40. Loans and discounts cattle buyers. They are paying 4 year olds and up, to Winfield The question was decided in quate mutton supply for domestic consumption at old-time prices, or head. These cattle will be fed at In Miss Reagan's room the exency as a short supply for the hoand fast recurring events, withou precedent in the history of the that he is feeding at Brownwood Misses Janie Wyatt, Ullie Gurley, to one only result, viz, a short mutton supply, high prices and a and see where and when the work brand of cattle in his Z valla 000 profit. As Mr. Scott dropped Bill Holman, S.las Keeton and sands of timid penisher and followed by the state of the state their flocks "for a song" to get terms, or will RENT CHEAP. back into the business again at

the Maud S. returned from a bus-

and Water avenue for \$500.

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house and lot at the foot of Main side to the picture. Many a mother street to P. Hurst for \$250.

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the foot of Main street valued at used it is always in favor. J. H. Hiner, the agreeable re-

The prospects are so bright for held down. the people of the Sonora country. Sheep-feeders who took hold 60 that W. C. Nolte, the leading mer- days ago are "in it" to the ture chant tailor of San Angelo, places of a dollar a head better. About his card in this is ue of the News as a reminder. Wedding, dress, and business suits made to order

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Is is mutually beneficial to the lid before. children, to the town and to the

months session.

now.

are sometimes referred to as the liciency. bill has passed to engrossment with but few scars after weeks of of them could be shipped to mardoubt and tribulation and the op- k-t now and s-li for a good price The reduction in the number of position to giving the west a fat: at fat muttons. The travels 12 sheep still going on in this coun- deal has apparently melted away too much danger in shipping so try is very large. Noting this The fight was for the relief of the far in cold weather. A Montana fact, a writer says that with the actual settler and recognition was journal thicks that if the care s'aughter of American flocks going given him in the shape of a reduc | cou d in some way be moderately forward to the tune of 5,000,000 to tion of interest to 3 per cent. The heated a good many fat cattle and 6,000,000 sheep a year, there is a reclassification feature of the origi- sheep could be disposed of in the strong probability that the export nal bill was eliminated, but leases winter mentles at a good profit. home consumption of mutton acre for grazing lands. The mini- extent, and would equalize the lem to be solved by the flockmas. reduced to \$1 per acre and of agri- throughout the year would be bet-

LAND FOR SALE. 6,025 acres of land, almost in a solid body lying about eight miles mand for good mutton must arise in the near future, requires no remarkable forecast to determine. past by R. T. Boker. Has excel- McConnell, S. W. W. M. Cusenbary J. W.; G. S. Allison, Trea; R. J. Bean; It is simply the logic of conditions lent well, fitted up with good wind Sec; O. Clark, S. D; Wm. Guest, J. D. R. F. Habeet, F.S; O. H. Wood, J.S; mill, troughs, tank, corrals etc. In ordinary seasons has abundant country, and all rapidly tending surface water. Could be fenced chesply, as cedar is convenient, and could be enlarged by renting adjoining school land. Excellent issue of April 9th 1892. sands of timid, panicky and fool- ranch for sheep or cattle. Will ish shepheards who have sold sell low, on long time, and easy Read the ads in the DEVIL's

Address, D. C. OGDEN, 28 4 Fort McKayett, Texas. "Rock Me to Sleep Mother."

The poem, "Rock Me to Sleep iness trip to Fort Worth Friday. Mother" was written by E izabeth. P. Hurst sold to W, F. Decker Akers Allen, known otherwise as his lot on the corner of Main street | "Florence Percy." It is a general favorite for it is a sweet little touch W. F. Decker sold the Whitfield of home life. But there is snother rocks her child to sleep who can neither rest nor sleep herself. She Prof. J. M. Cusenbary arrived is always tired, has an everlasting from Coleman County Friday, back sche, is low spirited, weary, where he has been teaching nervous and all that. Thanks be, she can be cured. Dr. Pierce's W.F. Decker traded to Coleman Favorite Prescription wil do the Whitfield his barber and shoe shop work. There is nothing on earth property next to the bank building like it, for the "complaints" to for Whitfield's house and lot at which the sex are liable. Once

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are specific presentative of the well-known for biliousness, headaches, constiblank book house of G. D. Barnard pation, piles and kindred ailments.

this week in the interest of his From the Chicago Drovers Journal: The cattle market refuses to be

This is the summer season in South America and shipments of live stock are the most extensive of the year. Argentine does the largest business in this line and is now actively engaged in sending a Judge K-yes Fawcett visited good many sheep to England The The sheep are said to be first-c a-s ness connected with his approach. in quality and dress about 75 lbs in Eigland. They are open wooled and though strictly grassfed are fat and in good marketable condition. Vary few cattle are ex-The subscription term of two ported from the River Plate district because the animals are so Tuition at the following rates wild that they are hard to handle and by reason of their retusing to First grade - - \$1.50 eat in transit are in very poor - - 1.50 condition when they reach their 1 75 destination. It is considered more - - 1.75 profitable to exporte their hides.

2.10 A good share of fed Texas cattle 2.25 has been mark-ted already this 250 season, and taking the number as Thanking the public for their thasis of comparison it is probthat was made early in the season by some one who had made a care. Claude Stevenson, Prin. fur canvass of the situation. 1. is

Are you interested in school? or par on late feed this year, which Do you want a good school in So- may make the total larger than Waile the schools of various I'ne only difficulty is that the catcounties in the state, with the teare not obtainable. The god same funds as ours, have been profits obtained this year have enclosed with a five or six months couraged stockmen to scour the term, by economical management country for good feeding steers of our teachers and trustees, we and the competition has mide will have a seven months term them sell higher than they ever

In a general way it is estimated teachers to have a nine or ten that the number of sheep on find at the present time is about 50 per In their effort to prolong the cent of what it was a year ago. school two months the teachers During the past 30 days a larger deserve the substantial support of number has been marketed and the people of Sonors, for they many of the feeding points almost have certainly labored earnestly entirely depleted. Supplies have and successfully during the past not been heavy, but a great many fed sheep have been exported Show your desire to build up a direct from the feed lots, so that home school by liberally patroniz- the total is considerable. Fraders ing them and show your good are now looking around for more judgment by comming to the front sheep to fill up with, which would indicate their confidence in the fu ure. For many reasons it is seerted that the supply of native Austin, Texas, March 13 -This sheep will be small during the has been a field day for the West ummer months, but it is thought Texas members in the house, who that Texas will make up the de-

'bullionaires' The general land Sheep in Montana have winter ed so well that it is claimed ha f ter .- Drovers Journa!.

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Kayes Fawcett, the handsome credit. In reply to this, we beg to buying supplies. young Val Verde county cattle. say that every man's credit ought nan was in Sonora Friday trading to be better at home with his

Fresh fruits, vegetables, butter, ggs and confectionery and any strangers. If the Sonora merchant hing in this line to be had on the is not shle to accomodate you with t W.R. Holman's next to the post his, for had you given him your March this year.

ed from a trip through Colorado, Angelo and Kerrville merchants, Arizona and New Mexico Tuesday he would soon be amply able and and are staying with Mrs. Collins willing to assist you in an emerparents Mr. and Mrs E. W. Wall | gency

Smoke "Our Favorite" for 5c. Cusenbary & Briant.

Don La Prelle of Austin, repre senting the Hamilton & Brown Shoe Co, of St. Louis, was in So- and Live Stock. Sonora, Texas. ora this week with his samples

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S. II. Huling from the Sellers All work Guaranteed. ranch was in Sonora Monday buy-

ing supplies.

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Dave Ailen a eattleman of Elwards county was in Sonora Monday trading.

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Lir v Bintley a particular friend of C. F. Adriance the accommodating salesman for A A. D Berry, was in Sonora Friday.

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A R. Cauthorn the sheepman was in Sonora for supplies Wednesday

Chile Con Carne and Oysters at Philips in San Angelo. 20.4

COUNT THE COST.

FOR HALUSTRATION.

bacon and beans are 40 cents per

hundred pounds chesper in San

at San Angelo to his store in So-

plies as cheap as a freighter? Ba-

cause the freighter bauls from 10

is doubtless true, but if the people

patronage and let nim make the

Yours respectfully,

A. A. DEBERRY,

as merchania elsewhere.

pound foolish.

Saturday, March 16th, Every business man, before be- closes our sales in the old ginning any enterprise, counts the stand, and on Monday, cost. Any one embarking in any March 18th, we begin movkind of business venture, large or ing to our new building small, without first calculating the on the corner where we will secessary and probable expense of bringing the enterprise to a suc. be pleased to see you.

cessful termination is liable to Bad weather retarding prove himself penny wise and the work on building has There are ranchmen who live goods which will now come

go all the way to San Angelo to Our Landreths garden of groceries. Why?-because flour, 18th.

Full weight 3lb, 6 foot N.W. Cor. Public Square. Angelo than in Sonora. Why? - wool sacks to arrive by own merit. because it costs the Sonora mer. March 23rd. Sacks 25c.,

to get goods hauled from the depot

HAGERLUND BROS.

A Correction.

to 12000 pounds at a load and Teaves no floors on will at home the people of the Devil's Rive We authorize our advertised drug-zists to sell Dr. King's New Discovery absence, and then if he clears \$10 the leading grocers of San Angelo for Consumption. Coughs and Colds.

ipon this condition. Type are ufflicted with a Cough. Cold or any Lung.

If the leading grocers, of San Angelo, the leading grocers, of San Angelo, a trip he thinks he is doing well.

Whereas the ranchman in make the ranch trade. This is a mis the leading grocers, of San Angelo, Whereas the ranchman in mak- the ranch trade. This is a mis Throat of Chest fromble, and will use his remedy as directed, giving it a fair rial, and experience to benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make spends 50c per day, for horse feed, supplies, staple groceries, grain, spends 50c per day for horse feed, have seed have steed in car lots. \$3.50; squanders in town say \$5; bran, seed, hay, etc., in car lots Trial making a total of \$22.50 and saves ways right. It is a fact beyond Drug store. Large bottle 50c. and \$8 in freight and then braggs to dispute that J. B. Taylor & Co., \$1.00. ous neighbors about what he caves carry the finest line of staple and J A Caldwell of San Angelo and by going to San Angelo after his fancy groceries in West Texas. J, B. Taylor & Co., have for years Well, you may say the San Tom Green and adjoining counties Buy and Sell Exchange. Issue interest bearing Time Certificates of Deposit, nission of Austin last week figur- Angelo merchants buy their goods and would like the people of the ng on and asking for a better rate im larger quantities than we do, Devil's River country to get their nence, buy them cheaper. This where. purchasing else-

cause they string all over you. "Our Favorite" is the best cigar.

Cusenbary & Briant.

For short orders go the Exchange restaurant.

neighbors than abroad among mark this week that the 17th of an Angelo market always on hand credit it is more your fault than Ireland comes on the 18th of

Get your meals at Philips' short Mr. and Mrs. Al Collins return- same profit you have the San order house, when in San Angelo. Ben Cusenbary the mutton buyer

> Philip of San Angelo puts up the best chile and makes a speci-We are prepared to make reason alty of Mexican dishes. 304

> in Sonora this week. Bub is still with Mose Taylor the San Angelo Dealer in General Merchandise saddler but did not have his samples with him.

within easy reach of Sonors, who in as fast as possible.

chant just 40 cents per 100 pounds twine 7 cents.

Would be glad to receive

The idea has prevailed among supplied the best ranch trade of

The cheapest place.-The Pioneer Fleas are sure sign of spring be-

Chas. Carr, the Val Verde coun-W. H. Cusenbary & Co's. Drug Store. to San Angelo in order to obtain ty sheepman was in town Tuesday

An Irish boy was heard to re-

was in Sonora Thursday.

able advances on as liberal term-Bob Hubble of San Angelo, was

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ERY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, ETC.

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Your cigar dealer will give you We have given Morris & Allison WM. Knaba & Co.

R. W. Barton the stockman was in Sonora Friday trading.

Osster loaves at the Exchange

Meals to order at all hours at the Exchange restaurant. 29

A V. Lamar the sheepman was at 12 o'clock in town Wednesday for ranch sup-

Mrs. B. M. Halbert is visiting her relatives at the Barksdale ranch this week.

a brise pipe free. See adv't of the agency for Quaker City Monogram Whiskey, the best on earth. JAKE DAVIS & Co, Galvesion, Texas.

day of those interested in the get- Read about them. Think about them. ting up of an entertainment to James Brown one of the most take place Thursday May 23rd. successful stock shippers was in Those willing to assist are requested to attend.

> There will be a dance in Hagerlund Bros. new building to-night. Come early. The dance will break |=

shortly occupy the Morris cottage antee ticket in the pocket. on Poplar street.

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- March 16, 1-95.

AT A NEWSBOY'S FUNERAL

It was one of the solemn days

had died.

tall enough to talk loudle and structed in the notes of anot

colony, and "Bootsy" Thompson ster who seemed to be cheerful.

ble car

They had seen him around only a stiff paste. week before, and it was within the If he is to sing "Annie Laurie" or Another book had a bottle of

make up a fund.

sorrow. "Overcoat," "Hawkey" and food, for another a little praise.

show it to him lid. Within the box was a huge clusstiff hand painted leaves.

ers," said he, and he began to laugh The committee was silent and apparently offended 'Then "Hawkey' spoke up: "We got fake flowers beeause dey was cheaper, but de're all right, and de kid wouldn' know de difference We t'ought dey was purty enough.'

What makes this peculiar smell? The flowers gave out a peculiar alco-

little perfumery on.

If the man at the desk had followed his inclinations, he would have body of the dead emperor was treat- gitimacy of the duke's rights to de now before the country. roared with laughter But he had ed with no more delicacy than when fend his opinion in a duel to the Tariff reform that will give the too much feeling.

money that's left Don't sprinkle

They have enough now." Then he followed them to the window and smiled to see them trot made a diplomatic engine of much other and sleep every night in his An effective railroad commission

make any difference.

delegation saw the hearse drive away from the little house, the waxen flowers with the wire stems lay on the top of the coffin. - Chicago Record.

Robert Louis and His Dog.

When the Stevensons lived at Cannes, an American family made their the ex-emperor of Rome, where they acquaintance there. One day they went to call They were met outside come them at sight of such a specthe door by a very small dog with a tacle.—Hartford Courant. very large bark. The dog planted lumself before the door and refused to allow them to enter. At length came to the rescue. When the visitors were seated, the dog placed himloud that conversation became impossible. The husband and wife looked at one another anxiously, and inally Mr. Stevenson carried the dog ity) tightly down into the neeks of from the room. It was only to the the bottles until level with the glass. next room, however The dog put his nose to the crack of the door and barked as loud as before Conversation again came to a halt. "He loves us so much," the husband and wife murmured to each other; with apolegetic glances at their visitors, and their callers considerately took leave ton minutes, remove from the fire New York Commercial Advertison and allow all to cool.



TEACHING CANARIES TO SING. How Bis Companions Remembered Him Artificial Notes Will Be Forgotten by the

The piping bullfluch is much valalong the allay, for another newsboy ued and frequently sells for a high figure, from \$25 to \$50 being no un-He had not been a prominent mem- usual price to pay for one of these if the truth must be spoken, it was ber of the "push" and had carued pretty songsters, but it is not gener- to all appearance an ordinary Bible. no title. If he had achieved distinct ally known that the canary may be tion in any way, he might have been taught a variety of notes very quick-gent got up as a Methody preacher. called "Rubber Neck," "Hot Foot" ly, and that its vocal powers are by One day he was caught with this unno means confined to its own natural der his arm, and now look, sir. They had known him as Freddig song. There are three distinct ways did, and, lo! it was quite hollow and He had been accustomed to stand in in which this bird may receive a filled, crammed with tobacco. line rather meetly and endure more musical education. He may be A loaf of bread was then placed in than his share of the pushing and taught tolsing tunes and opera airs, my hands. "'Ave a slice, sir' souffling His bundle of papers was as is generally done with the bull- asked the small man. Carefully renever very large, and as he wasn't finch, or, secondly, he may be in- moving the top of it, my electrone

boss' around he was never prop as a lark or robin, or, thirdly, his most carefully out, and that it was regular appointments: erly respected in the alley until he capacity may be developed, his pow-full of the best cigars.

went about with a wrinkled brow life is from 5 to 6 months old to 1 article should be lying about in a First and fourth Sundays a and was ready to chastise any young. year, and the owner of one of these government office. It was suddenly remembered that methods and begin in time. In the them revenue officers kept a doin of . Freddie had always been "on the first place, he must see that his pupil aboard o' some o' the ships they was day evening at 7:30. square," that he had never gono is in robust health and good spirits. on. One day they diskiver the ordicamping on another "kid's" corner. A seed diet gives the muscles com- nary lookin bit o' wood lyin care and some recalled the affecting cir. pactness; therefore seeds should not lesslike about the deck was holler, cumstance that he dropped in his be the principal diet until he "gradu- and they looks inside and finds it last "nick" to help buy flowers ates," but a soft food of hard boiled full o' cut Cavendish. But it was a when "Tanny" was killed by the calegg grated with cracker or bread and clever dodge, and no one would think

last two days they had heard that "The Last Rose of Summer," he brandy carefully and skillfully fixed must be placed in a quiet room with inside of it. A hollow concerting was | Remember revival services will When a newsboy dies, his com- the cage covered. Then a few notes probably a source of discord between be held on each 2nd and 41/1 Sun. rades hold a meeting Instead of im. of the chosen air should be whistled its owner and the discoverers of the day evening in each month during itating the conspicuous example of or played on some instrument-flute, improper use to which it had been their elders and passing resolutions, bird organ or piano. They must be put, for, instead of being full of the they go down into their pockets and played slowly and distinctly, in corvery spirits of harmony, it was found rect time and over and over till the to have been a receptuele for very They held a meeting at 3:30 in the bird begins to try it himself. He different kinds of spirits indeed. afternoon After the spokesman had must not see the teacher nor hear. Then there was a shirt, crammed announced the news of Freddie's the least tones to distract his atten- with pockers, and in which had been on the third Monday in Fabruary death he said that every "kid" tion from the notes so constantly re- stoped away not less than 150 and September in each year. would be expected to "come down ' peated. The instructor may have to watches. The man who were this Then the hats were passed, and there spend hours, it may be days, before was unable to sit or lie in it, and was a steady jingle of red and white the bird learns his lesson, but be throughout the whole voyage, pre Monday in Journy, April, July coin A committee to count up ro. must persist in reiterating those few sumably a short one, he had to stand and Oct. of each year. ported that \$7.13 had been contribe notes, and no others partil the pupil the whole time. But on one occauted, at which some of the thought- repeats them. When he sings his sion, having been delayed in a for less ones were inclined to yell, for. notes, he should be rewarded with and being thus compelled to remain the 2nd Monday in February, May. getting that the occasion was one of something he likes, for one a bit of upon his feet for 70 long, weary August and November in each

to Freddie's home on the West Side | forget it the first time he melts un- the revenue. they brought the tribute around to sunny window. The lark or other Budget. bird sings for his own pleasure, and He untied the string and lifted the the canary in his darkened cago learns to imitate it. The third methter of pink roses with waxen leaves od and the most natural is to have and wire stems, wreathed about by the young bird trained by a fine singer of his own family-a canary-"Why, these are artificial flow. and all that is needful to do is to keep the young one during the learning period in the room with the fine singer alone, when he will imitate the songster so far as his powers al-

low.—Pearson's Weekly.

A Staffed Emperor. ad efficiency. In after own house.—Philadelphia Ledger. "After all," he said, "it doesn't times it often happened that the Roman envoys at the Persian court had misunderstandings more or less serions with the government to which they were temporarily accredited. When those embassadors from Rome said, "Reginald, do you think that grew arrogant in their demands, it mortals are ever permitted to enjoy

was the custom to conduct them into the presence of the stuffed skin of were asked if humility did not be-

Preserving Fruit Without Sugar.

Californians have a method of preserving fruit without sugar so that Mr Stevenson heard the noise and it will keep sound and fresh for years. The recipe is as follows: Fill clean, dry, wide mouthed bottles self in front of them and barked so, with fresh, sound fruit. Add nothing, not even water. Be sure that the fruit is well and closely packed in and ram the corks (of best qual-Now tie the corks down tightly with fine twine and put the bottles into a pan or beiler of cold water. Pack them round with hay to prevent breaking. Let the water not reach quite to the shoulders of the bottles. Have the fire moderate and bring looked so genuinely unhappy that the water to boiling. Boil gently for

DEVICES OF SMUGGLERS. A Supply of Tobacco Concealed in a Hol-

lowed Out Bible. Few people, we fancy, have ever seen the smugglers' museum down the river at her majesty's customs. Here is a short description of a few of the curiosities which it contains and a few sketches of the artful dodges of smugglers.

Going up stairs we came to perhaps the most interesting part of the whole tour, the smuggling museum. "There, sir," said the little showman, a dry, witty person, who would make his fortune upon the stage, as he took down a harmless looking book and put it under his arm, 'there ain't much the matter with that, is there?"

I replied that it looked innocent

"Well, sir, that was carried by a

ers of voice cultivated and his song I kicked my foot against a log of Then a heavy grief settled on the remain the canary song through all. wood that was lying at my feet, and The learning time in a canary's I rather wondered that so shabby an

> little birds must make choice of "There you are, sir, exactly what boiled in milk to the consistency of it was anything else but a mere innocent bit o' timber."

hours, he fainted dead away when year, "Cocoanut Charley" were appointed to buy the floral tribute and take it learned his artificial song, he will clutches of the lynx cycl officers of Justice court in Precinct No 1 is

less it is carefully repeated to him A bit of coal seemed to be like month. of the committee and a large box every day while molting. If the Conar's wife, absolutely above suswrapped in white paper came into bird's owner wishes the canary to picion; but, tossed carelessly as it the office of the man who was re- sing like a lark or robin, he must be was upon the top of a whole ton of put under native instruction. Place Welsh steam coal, it was yet discovthe newsboy army. He was the the cage, covered closely, in a room ered to have been but an ignomini-

A Spanish Pretender. fourteenfold grandee of Spain, first scibers to the G. zeite. of all Castilian knights and direct The Fort Worth Weekly G zotte descendant of Ferdinand and Ist- is a large eight page paper, sever bella. For him and his family the olumns to the page, issued on race of Bourbon-Anjou, who now Friday is 60 cents a year, and it One of the most remarkable stuff. usurpors. As often as a new king lives its readers more for their ed skins on record was that of Vale- of Spain is crowned the duke's her. In oney than the New York, Chi rian, emperor of Rome, who was tak- ald appears in the palace, and in the cago, Atlanta or Louisville papers en prisoner and afterward kept in presence of all the grandees of Spein | The G zette is a plain Democrat ain't got no smell, so we sprinkled a order of his conqueror, who was per- the claims of the Medina-Colls to the in its polities. It advocates: haps fearful of losing his valuable throne and challenges every knight. The free coinage of silver at living trophy, in the year 269. The who may venture to dispute the let 16 to 1-the most important issue o much feeling.

'That's very nice, boys, "saidhe, was skinned. The hide after being ever seen fit to take the duke and producers an equal chance with replacing the lid "Freddie's mother tanned was stuffed, painted red and his horald seriously, the head of the the manufacturers. will be glad that you remembered suspended in the chief temple of the house of Medina Cell has been left. An income tax. him That's right You give her the capital. It remained there for many free to spend the income from his years and was the popular spectacle enormous fortune on beautiful Spanany more cologne on the flowers | for holiday makers and visitors from ish girls and to make perennial tours the country. Dut it was put to more of his estates. It is said that he can important ends than this. It was travel from one end of Spain to the

Sometimes. Her head nestled trustingly on his shoulder, yet there was a tremor of ditures. apprehension in her voice when she

unalloyed happiness?" 'My poor little one," he answernever had a chance to open a jack at once. pot with three aces."-Washington

A Danger of Plano Practice. Doctors affirm that a great many young girls are afflicted with curvature of the spine from practicing

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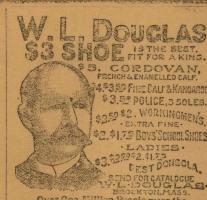
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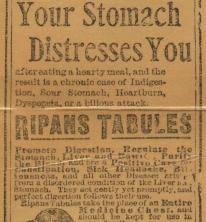
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