SONORA, SUTTON CO., TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1896.

NO. 320.

Jno. W. Hagerlund,

James A. Hagerlund,

S. J. Palmer.

HACERUMO BROS. & CO.

In studying our own interests we consider the interests of our customers --- the two are inseparable.

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In West Texas at Reasonable Rates.

Commercial Men put up at the DECKER

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We shall soon receive a carload of the world famous COOPER SHEEP DIP and will sell same at slight margin above cost. The best is the cheapest in these times. You cannot afford to experiment with new dips. COOPER DIP is the boss the world over and is still unequalled as a Scab Cure and Wool Improver. It increases the weight and improves the condition and commercial value of the clip.

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ON THE DOME OF ST PETER'S. Almost a Panorama of the World Stretch- Lodging and Food For Those Whose ed Before the Beholder.

The strangest, mest extravagant, fall, and the inevitable slight dizzi- qui vive regarding gossip and scanness which the stragest head feels dal. There are all sorts and condimay make one doubt for a moment tions of lodgings to be had in Paris. whether what is rally the floor be- The cheapest is called "la cabinet, low may not in reality a ceiling literally a mere cupboard, with space above, and whether one's sense of only for a cot. The price of this gravitation be not inverted in an high altar might be an ordinary ta-

And thence climbing up between the double dones, one may emerge from the almost terrible perspective to the open ar and suddenly see all Rome at ones feet, and all the Roman mountains stretched out to south and eas, in perfect grace of restful outline shoulder to shoulby side and holling hands.

And the bloken symmetry of streets and sources ranges below, cut by the winding ribbon of the Aventine, with the dark cypresses of the Protestant cemetery beyond, and the Palatine, crested with trees and ruins; the Pincian on the left, with its high gardens, and the mass of foliage of the Villa Medici behind it; the lofty tower of the capitol in the midst of the city, and the sun clasping all to its heart of gold, the old alike, past and present, youth, age and decay-generous as only the sun can be in this sordid and miserly world, where bread is but another name for blood and a rood of and are satisfied. growing corn means a pound of human flesh. The sun is the only good thing in nature that always gives itself to man for nothing but the mere trouble of sitting in the sun-

It is worth the effort of climbing so high. Four houred feet in the by faith—the greaest center of conquest and of discod and of religion which the world has ever seen. A about it by a thousand wise men. A word tells what it has been—heart of the world. Hithr was drawn the world's blood by all the roads that forced out again long the mighty arteries of the Cæars' roads to be Single trip, \$4.50 round trip, \$8.00 spilled in the Casars' battles—to redden the world with the Roman name. Blood, blood, and more blood -that was the hisory of old Rome -the blood of brothers, the blood of foes, the blood of martyrs without end. It flowed andebbed in varying tide at the will o the just and the unjust, but there vas always more to shed, and there were always more hands to shed it. And so it may be again hereafter, for the name of Rome has a heart stirring ring, and there has always been as much blood spilled for the names of things as

A Blue Jay That Lighted Matches.

Crawford in Century.

for the things themselves.—Marion

A dangerous acquirement of a pet blue jay is told about in The American Naturalist by James Newton and dull round of life are decidedly a Basket of Mexico, Mo. The blue jay referred to somehow learned that parlor or popping matches would make a delightful sputter and flame if properly manipulated.

ing much of its food against some hard substance, perhaps for the pur- taken root and bids fair to outhobe pose of breaking or softening it. It mianize Bohemia.—Paris Letter in SANTA FF Railway is the best matches in this way one day and probably treated one of the parlor and quickest route to all points so learned that they made a noise. When a match was given to it, it would hop on a chair round and strike the fulminate against the wood, end on, repeating it rapidly till the head was ignited; then it would throw it away and watch the

In Some Instances.

fining?" asked the visitor who had shall be on the outside of the pot; For rates, maps, folders, or any where the bank note engravers were other plants through the next row

swered the pale faced artist whom reached, when the large plants she had addressed. "I am person- should be put in as ordinarily. Those ally acquainted with a man who did on the sides will spread till the a job of this kind once without or. whole pot is a mass of green. It ders, and he was confined seven makes a pretty ornament for garden years for it, ma'am. "-Chicago Trib. posts or a rockery.-Brooklyn Eagle.

The Probable Reason.

ing her where to find her pocket,"

-Chicago Record.

"Why does a woman always call chief agricultural resources of Tus-"I don't know, unless it is because | 270,000 acres are devoted to its cultishe carries in it a memorandum tell- vation and that an average crop of

There are over 80,000 houses in most incomprehensible, most dis- Paris, and each one has its major turbing sight of all is to be seen domo in the shape of a concierge, from the upper galbry in the cupo- who is as vigilant as Cerberus in his low. Hanging in midair, with nothing under one's flet, one sees the church projected in perspective about your business than you do within a huge circle. It is as though one saw it upside down and inside in y autocrat to the student wherever out. Few men could bear to stand the may find his abiding perch. The concierge knows the financial coning between them and the hideons dition of each lodger and is on the bandbox is \$24 per year. The best extraordinary dream. At that dis- that can be said of it is that it is a tance human beings look no bigger shelter from wind and weather. The than flies, and the canopy of the occupant is expected to live in the streets. Many a country lad has come to the metropolis and begun the battle of life in such a box. The next higher step toward comfort is the "chambre," which boasts a fireplace and a window. For these luxuries one pays anywhere from \$30 to \$50 a year. Next come the "chambre et cabinet" and the "lodgment, two rooms and kitchen with a fireder, like shadowy women lying side place and windows. The "petit apartment" begins the claims of gentility. An "apartment" embraces a whole suit and ranges in price from \$100 upward. The high water yellow Tiber; to the right the low mark of luxury is the private hotel, which answers to our handsome and luxurious private dwellings and

ways means a public house. So after a man has found a shelter to suit his purse there are all sorts of ways to live. Food is sold cooked and uncooked at the street corners. and itinerant soup and coffee vendjust and the unjust, he new and the ers promenade the streets. At creameries 5 cents will get coffee or chocolate, omelet or salad, and 2 cents extra provides delicious bread. Artists and students patronize these places

mansions. In Paris a grand hotel al-

The business men satisfy their hunger at the "bouillons" with boiled beef, soup, cheese and wine, all for 15 cents. The Duval bouillons have become world famous and are found shine, and Rome without sunlight is in every quarter of Paris. This cleva very grim and gloomy town today. er Duval was originally a butcher odds and ends of meat left in his air you look down on what ruled shop cheaply to the second hand reshalf the world by bree for ages and taurants about Paris. Seeing how on what rules theother half today by faith—the greatest center of conhis own "bouillons. Today his wealth mounts up into high numerthousand volumes lave been written als with many noughts following. At the Duvals one can get a good, clean meal for a franc and a half, or order a la carte anything fancy dictates.

In the old Latin quarter 16 sous will get a sumptuous dinner for the half famished student who cannot afford to indulge in the luxury of choice or the whims of his palate In the cafe democracy rules, and ev ery man is as good as his neighbor. In these restaurants the talk runs fast and furious. The fixed price restaurant offers a most varied and fanciful bill of fare. The charm of cafe life to the students is the Bohemianism and good fellowship that reigns. These are clubs of the world, where everybody is at ease, where artists, literary men, business men and scientists meet on a common ground. There is no coign of vantage better from which to analyze the passing show. The student who craves the unexpected here throws aside all convention and enters into this happy go lucky existence which demoralizes one, for the monotony phase of student existence. The old Latin quarter today has a rival in the new Bohemia in the Montmartre district. Here are gathered many of the artists, students and decadent The bird was in the habit of beat- poets, and the old freedom and sans souci of Latin quarter existence has Boston Advertiser.

Houseleek.

This hardy plaut, known to many as hen and chickens, may be made to grow in an odd and pretty fashion in the following manner: Take a large flower pot and bore holes around the sides about an inch apart and in three or four rows. Put a layer of earth between the first row and the bottom; thrust liny leeks through "Isn't that sort of work very con- each of the holes so that the plant been permitted to go into the room | cover the roots with earth; place of holes, and so continue with lay-"Sometimes it is, ma'am," an- ers of earth and plants till the top is

Olive Trees In Tuscany.

The olive tree forms one of the FOR DRINK OF COLD BEER IN A COOL PLACE, WHERE cany. It is estimated that about



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DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS.

PUBLISHED WEEKLY, Advertising Mediumof the Stockman's Paradise.

AUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE & Richardson 16 steers 3's and up Entered at the Postoflice at Sonora, at \$19 and 11 cows at \$12. assecond-classmatter.

MIKE MURPHY, Proprietor. SONORA, TEXAS, - November, 7 1896.

Before the Batile.

The following final forecasts were made by Chairman Hanna and Jones:

"Republican National Head. at \$11.50. quirters, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 2.-I electoral college as a result of to- Little Rock, Ark. will carry not only California and Oregon, but every one of the central Western States including Missouri and Kansas. There is Texas will cast her electoral vote the extended drouth. for the Republican candidate, and that Virginia, Kentucky, Maryland, Tennessee and West Vir- \$100. one of the greatest that has ever at \$1 30. been won by a candidate for President.

quarters Chicago, Ill., Noy. 2 —In San Angelo Enterprise. and some of the middle Western Record. States. This is by no means sectional and their interests are the Speaking of the uselessness of "JAMES K. JONES."

Champion Wool Maker.

was recently bought in Sydney, little lame. In dull times is the psalm.' The tears were followed by New South Wales, for the enormost effective, as more notice is laughter, and the judge won the control of October. A.D. 1896, in a certain laughter, and the judge won the laughter with the laughte mous price of \$8400. This is be- taken of printers' ink then than case."—Washington Star. lieved to be the largest price ever any other time. paid for a ram. His championship therefore is an honor, which he claims from the whole world If any American ram has any claims to make let him step forward and

In size and in quantity and quality of wool he surpasses any ram now before the public. His horns are also remarable for size year of activity before him. It is not easy to decide which of the many species of the domestic ani mals is the most valuable to man, but it is not difficult to make out a sile. good cas for the sheep. We have many substitutes for the flesh of the ox, but the wool of the The worl would be very uncomfortable iit had to go in cotton, men can fford.

of stalesmen, of dandies and the and Farmer. horny handed sons of til, and also he more intimate gaments New York Journal.

Ben McDonnld and Will Whitehead of Val Verde county were in Sonorae Thursday for returns.

J. S. Miles sold to K. Mays for J. D. O'Daniels 100 head of Galloway and Durham calves at You told me you loved me. Twas long ago That we strolled where the mystical moon-\$10.

Willis Lawhon sold to Campbell

J. S. Miles sold for T. M. Rai-ev to John Pool 2 nonies for \$30 Set you failed me because I was only a man. ley to John Pool 2 ponies for \$30, and one cow and calf for \$15.

Ralph Harris bought from J. M. McKenzie 44 steers, 3s and up, at

J. M. McKenzie sold to John Loyelady 41 cows at \$12,50. C. G. Burbank sold to Coleman National bank 400 steer yearlings

am confident that the strength of Ed Jackson will ship 800 steers to mals—animals which differ widely certain suit, No. 12. in which said 51st Judicial district, at the next McKinley and Hobart in the Lee Aldwell to be put on feed at in family, genus and species. In-suit the State of Texas is plaintiff, regular term thereof, to be held

morrow's election, will not be less the Panhandle. While absent he than 311 votes. Our polls taken bushased 6000 wethers at prices by trained men indicate that we purchased 6000 wethers at prices of animal life as man himself, for fendants the sun of nine dollars tion filed in said court, on the will winter them 80 miles north of sions to avail himself of this natu-plaintiff for taxes for the year 1895 in a certain suit, No. 48, in which Bartlett's ranch. Mr. Large says the range will be short in the Pan
With the sid of the migroscopy.

Bartlett's ranch. Mr. Large says aid in the preservation of his life.

With the sid of the migroscopy. reason for us to believe too that handle this winter on account of

> Campbell & Richardson bough from Mart Key two fat steers for

is practically conceded, and altogether the victory promises to be From G. W. Rae 2000 stock sheep

Nolan Bros. sold to Robertson & Cromer 30 head of steers, 2's, or cilia and sink to the bottom of and the seal of said Court attached plaintiff's lien on said property be Democratic National Head- 3's, 4's and up, mixed at \$17 50.— their miniature lake (a drop of was this 6 h day of October A. D. 1896. foreclosed. And plaint ff further

to-morrow's Presidential election During the last twenty days remain to all appearances absolutely the West and South will present James McLymont has purchased without life until the water louse a solid front against those classes 9.000 head of sheep in Presidio, swims away, when they unfold their of the East yet dominated by the Pecos and Brewster counties at cilia and go back to their feeding money influences of New York \$1.40 to \$2.00 per head and 2,000 grounds—a bit of waterweed or moss city and London. The forces head in Val Verde county at \$1 00 Lippincott's. back of this movement are not to \$1 50 per head. W. H. D. dd yet fully understood by the con- will run them for him on the servative people of New England Pecos this winter.—Del Rio John C. Black, formerly commis-

ing States in the West and South. ing, the Clothes and Furnisher, Judge Emerson of Decatur, while county, for the 5 st Judicial Dis-This is a campaign in which poli- New York, says: "If you want not possessed of a national reputa- triet, at the next regular term of Sutton county, greeting: ticians of both parties have been to be healthy you must eat regu. tion, as is General Black, is famous thereof, to be held at the Court You are hereby commanded, to practically powerless, either to larly, as meat to-day will not as an orator in Illinois. They were House of said County, in the town summom the Texas Western Narpractically powerless, either to larly, as meat to-day will not on opposite sides of a lawsuit re- of Sonora, on the third Monday in cently. There were many pathetic February A. P. 1897, then and their assigns by making publimarch of the poople in their de- well and hearty eat at every meal circumstances connected with the there to answer a Petition filed in cation of this citation in some mand for new national independ- time. To be prosperous in busi- case, and, in his opening speech to said Court on the 6th day of newspaper published in the counence. It has been the people's ness advertise regularly. Stop the jury, General Black made the October A. D. 1896, in a certain ty of Sutton, for four weeks fight and it will be their victory. one and you starve and die. Stop most of these. A solemn hush fell suit No. 44, in which said suit The previous to the return day hereof, the other and your business takes takes takes takes the over the courtroom, and tears were seen to stand in the eyes of the more Harris and assigns are defendants. Honorable District Court of consumption and dies also, Spas. impressive jurymen. It looked as the nature of the demand set out Sutton county, for the 51st modic advertising is like having if a verdict would be rendered for in said Petition being an action to Judicial District, at the next rea feast and famine-more famine General Black's client without much recover of the deew ants the sum gular term thereof, to be held at the The most distinguished mem- than feast as a general rule-and delay, when Judge Emerson arose of three dollars and fifty cents, court house of said county, in the ber of one of the most useful is never satisfactory. To take out families in the world is the chamyour card in dull times is like times pion Merino ram President, which killing your horse because he is a ing the one hundred and fifteenth located in Sutton (cunty, Texas, filed in said court, on the 6th day

destructive power is claimed, has would jump from London bridge then and there befre said Court dants the sum of twelve dollars been finished by an inventor at tied up in a sack, his only stipulation with your return there and thirty-two cents, being the an inch in diameter extending not to open till he touched the wanearly through its whole length. He succeeded in accomplishing the ty, and the seal of said Court abstract No. 628, certificate No. This chamber, the inventor says, feat, and when picked up by some attached, this 6th day of October 0 257, survey No. 11, granted to You are hereby common and symmetry, and would make a gathers air under strong pressure, friends in a boat was none the worse A. D. 1896. fine busehold ornament, but his bullet, and the air expanding when caused by the rapid flight of the for his dive. owner hopes that it will be a long the ball comes in contact with any time before they suffer that fate, thing, causes an explosion of great tinguishes civilization from barbarfor he ram should have many destructive results. Inch boards, ity? which would be simply pierced by an ordinary solid bullet of same caliber, are splintered and torn tance of 6,000 yards and barbarity Sutton county, greeting: with great violenc by this mis- in slashing his head off with a sa- You are hereby commanded to sum-

sheep see s almost indispensable Sidney Bremner, an old time Tom New York said that women never weeks previous to the return day hereand that the only other clothing there was very little trading husbands. material which the majority of among sheepmen in his section as everybody is waiting to know We should theore gaze with the result of the election. He is deep respect up this magnifi- confident that sheep and wool will ination hath wings as an eagle. cent ram and the abundant coat be worth good money in the not Tupper. which envelops in. Shorn of this once a year h will supply this once a year h will supply supply about 7000 sheep. With a research with a rese hundreds of human beings with about 7000 sheep. With a reason- ture or sell his device within the heirs and assigns are Defendants the in some newspaper published in Sutton showing how you have executed the warm and comfortale clothing. able duty on wool the sheep in- whole or any part of the United nature of the demand set out in said county for four weeks previous to the Wit From his wool will be woven the dustry in west Texas will be put States. coats which will cover he backs upon its feet again. - Stock man The children of emperors take the amount due Plaintiff for taxes, for County, for the 51st Judicial Distric, day of October A. D. 1896.

Leadville, Col., Nov. 2.—Henry cold He will also have a part in tion in the diplomatic service of place on the roof of each house for furnishing bloomers for the new the Confederate States, and who weman. Not only will he person- hade several trips to England in ally yield all this wool but he has an endeaver to induce that governsheep who will compete with him the Confederacy, died in this city Sonora. Good 3 roomed house, same. in wefulness. Rams never fail to do their duty in this respect.—

I last night. He came here in 1879 stable, etc. Fine well of water, fitted up with a 12 foot Aermoter windmill, 8000 galvanized windmill, 8000 galvanized late James G. Blaine was a part fenced and one acre of it in culti- A. D. 1896.

> Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bond were in Sonora Wednesday and 91 Thursday waiting for the returns.

A SUFFRAGE SWEETHEART.

beams were shed.

No doubt you'd repeat what delighted me so
If again like the moth to the candle I sped.

Your affection went lame
When election day come

And Mehitable Jones got your vote-oh, for

How craven you flinched in a crisis supreme?

Was this the devotion which taught me to woo And made all my life an idolatrous dream?

The vote was a tie
Till your ballot came by,
And Mehitable Jones was the chosen, not I.
Through you twice a victim my record I scan;
Disdained and because I am only a man.

—Washington Star.

The Feigning of Death by Animals.

ginia will be found in the sound money column. North Carolina lambs and \$1 40 for money column. North Carolina lambs and \$1 40 for money column. they cannot otherwise escape. Thus have executed the same I have repeatedly seen actinophryans fold their delicate, hairlike legs the District Court of Suton county, by the State of Texas, and that ter) when approached by a water Clerk District Court, Suton county louse, which preys upon them. They or decayed wood.—James Weir in

Solemn Exercises Interrupted.

A new bullet, for which great Fuller employed at Billingsgate prays for cost and general relief. mand set out in said petition being market, London, made a bet that he Herein fail not, but have you an action to recover of the defen-Anderson, Ind., says an exchange. tion being that he should be pro- on endorsed, shoring how you amount due plaintiff for taxes, for The bullet has a hole one eight of vided with a knife-which he was have executed the sme. ter-with which to rip open the sack. the District Court of Sutton Coun- county, Texas, to wit: 640 acres,

The Same With a Difference.

"It is very simple. Civilization THE STATE OF TEXAS: consists in the art of killing your enemy with a cannon ball at a dis. ber."-Gaulois.

Imagination is not thought, nei-

the storks to rest and build on.

\$1,000 Will Buy

vation, Peach trees, etc.

C. C. LEMEN. Sonora. Texas. CITATION.

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF SUTTON. To the Sheriff or any constable of Sutton county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W, H. Mauldin his heirs

and assigns by making publication THE STATE OF TEXAS: of this citation in some newspaper County of Sutton. You told me you loved me. Fair false one, published in Satton county for four weeks previous to the return day thereof, to be and appear be. fore the Honorable District court of Sutton county, for the 51st to summon the Gulf, Colorado and Give us a Trial. Judicial District, at the next regu- Santa Fe Railroad company and lar term thereof to be held at the assigns by making publication of Court House of said County, in this citation in some newspaper the town of Sorora, on the 3rd Monday in February. A.D 1897 The habit of feigning death for then and there to answer a petithe sake of protection can be observed tion filed in said yourt on the sixth pear before the Honorable District As soon as he can get the cars ed among many of the lower ani- day of October A.D. 1896, in a deed, this habit is to be observed in and W. II Mauldh and his assigns Frank Large has returned from creatures microscopic in size and of are defendants, the nature of the in the town of Sonora, on the third ranging from \$1 25 to \$1 50 He even man does not hesitate on occa- and 24 cents, being the amount due sixth day of October, A D. 1896. With the aid of the microscope Texas, to wit: 48 acres, abstract & Santa Fe Ruilroad company and one can observe and study the nat- No. 495, certificate No. 1528, sur- assigns are defendants, the nature ural history of the minute animal vey No. 9, grentel to WHMsuldin of the demand set out in said petiworld, which otherwise would re-by the State of Te-and that tion being an action to recover of the defendants the sum of one This instrument has shown me be- foreclosed. And plantiff further dollar and fifty cents being the yond cavil that creatures as low in prays for cost and general relief. amount due plaintiff for taxes, for

Texas.

CITATION.

THE STATE OF TEYAS: County of Sutton.

f Sutton county, greeting:

"They tell a good story of General summon W. A. Harris his heirs sioner of pensions, out in Dauville, of this citation in some newspaper Ills., where he lives," said A. D. published in Sutton county for four Matlock of Springfield. "General weeks previous to the return day Black is a very eloquent speaker hereof to be and appear before the THE STATE OF TEXAS. same as those of the great produc- spasmodic and irregular advertis- and has few equals before a jury. Hon. Dissrict Court of Sutton County of Sutton.

CITATION.

To the Sheriff or any Constable

The superintendent of a large tion of this citation in some newspaper this 6 h day of October A. D. 1896 Guage railway company and assign the first and assigns by making publication of the dependent of the depe We had the pleasure of meeting wood engraving establishment in published in Sutton county for four Green county sheepman, one day succeed at that business. Men re- of, to be and appear before the Hon. last week. Mr. Bremner said gard it as a life work; women as a District court of Suiton county, for the means of subsistence until they get | 51st Judicial District, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the ther is laney reliection. Thought February A. D. 1897, then and there to town of Sonora, on 3rd Monday in The ST TE OF TEXAS: paceth like a heary sage, but imag-answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of October A. D. 1896, Sutton County, greeting: in a certain suit, No. 45, in which said You are hereby commanded to sumprecedence of kings and queens the year 1895 on the following d scrib- at the next regular term thereof, to be The order is-emperors, children of ed property, located in Sutton County held at the Court House of said County emperors; kings, children of kings. Texas, to wit, 320 acres, Abstract No. in the town of Sonora, on the 3 d preserve them from the agedly civil war, held a very high posifor cost and general relief.

S. H. Stokes Clerk District Court, Sutton County.

ed this 6th day of October A. D

[Seal] S. H Stokes. Clerk District Court, Sutton county

CITATION.

To the Sheriff or any Constable

You are hereby commanded published in the County of Sutton, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, to be and an-Court of Sutton County, for the Witness, S H Stokes, Clerk of to the G. C & S. F. Ry company, Herein fail not, but have you

then and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, S. H. Stokes, Clerk of the District court of Sutton county and the seal of said court attached To the Sheriff or any Constable this 6th day of October A.D. 1896 S. H. Stokes.

You are hereby commanded to Clerk District Court, Sutton county

CITATION.

the year 1895, on the following de-

general relief. Herein fail not, but have you to county, for the 51st Judicial district then and there before said court at the next regular term thereof, to be

executed the same mon Beaty, Seal & Forward and their the District Court of Sutton county heirs and assigns by making publica- and the seal of said court attached, [Seal] S. H. Stokes,

CITATION.

Petition being an action to recover of the Petition being an action to recover of the District Court of Sutton county, and the Defendants the sum of \$6.16, being before the Hon. District Court of Sutton seal of said court attached, this sixth 6, Certificate No. 1-393, Survey No. 7. Monday in February A. D. 1897, then foreclosed. And Plaintiff further prays A. D. 1896, in a certain suit, No. 46, in The State of Texas: which said suit The State of Texas is Herein fail not, but have you then Plaintiff, and J.A. Reed and assigns are and there before said Court this Writ, Defendants the nature of the demand Sutton county, greeting: with your return thereon endorsed, set out in said Petition being an action You are hereby commanded to sum- and the DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS for already founded a large family of ment to grant beligerent rights to The C.U. Lemen property in West showing how you have executed the low club-Witness, S. H. Stokes, Clerk for taxes for the year 1895 on the fol- in some newspaper published in said of the District Court of Sutton lowing described property, located in County of Sutton for four weeks previ- week, or 156 papers a year, for a County, and the seal of said Sutton County, Texas, to wit: 79 acres, ous to the return day hereof to be and ridiculously low price. the Duncan mine, of which the iron tank. Lot 300 x 200 feet well Court attached, this 6th day of October Abstract No. 518, Certificate No. 1837, appear before the Hon. District Court

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prized by an enemy from which on endorsed, showing how you they cannot otherwise escape. Thus, are yet they cannot otherwise escape.

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and there before said Court this Writ, tion filed in said Court on the 6th day

CITATION.

A. D. 1896.

[Seal] S. H. Stokes,

Clerk District CourtSutton county

Texas, and that plaintiff's lien on said property be foreclosed. And plaintiff further prays for cost and plaintiff further pr before the Hon. District Court of Sutthen and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon of endorsed, showing how you have Monday in February A.D. 1897, then and there to answer a petition-filed in Witness, S. H. Stokes, Clerk of said cour. on the 6th day of October A.D. 1896, in a certain suit, No. 43, in which said suit the State of Texas is plaintiff, and Texas Western Narrow are defendants, the nature of the de-mand set out in said petition being an action to recover of the defendants the sum of twelve dollars and thirty-two cents being the amount due plaintiff for taxes for the year 1895, on the following county, Texas, to wil: 640 scres, abstract No. 629, certificate No. 0-258, want at J. A. BURNS, Western Narrow Guage railway company by the State of : exas, and that plaintiff's lien on said property be fore-

closed. And plaintiff further prays for ERVOUS Troubles are due to cost and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you then

Witness, S. H. Stokes Clerk of the

S. H. STOKES, SEAL | Clerk of District Court, -- Sutton County, Texas.

CITATION.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

\$1.54, being the amount due Plaintiff by making publication of this citation bing price of \$2.50 cash. Survey No. 39-10, granted to J. A. Reed of Sutton County, for the 51st Judicial nce. by the state of Texas, and that Plain- District, at the next regular term tiffs lien on said property be foreclosed. thereof, to be held at the Court House And Plaintiff turther prays for cost and of said County, in the town of Sonora, I on the 31d Monday in February, A. D.

Herein fail not, but have you then 1897, then and there to arswer a Petiwith your return thereon endorsed, of October A. D. 1896, in a certain suit, showing how you have executed the No 41 in which said suit The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and John Gibson. granted to W. 1. Harris by State of Texas is plaintiff, and the State of Texas, and that Plain-Texas Western Narrow Guage rail-the seal of said Court attached, this 6th said Petition being an action to recov-From London Bridge In a Sack.

Some years ago a porter named closed. And Plintiff further defendants, the nature of the deand 16-100 Dollars, being the amount Clerk District Court, Sutton County, due Plaintiff for taxes, for the year 1895 on the following described property, located in Sution County. Texas to wit: 320 acres, abstract No. 101, certificate No 24, survey No 11, granted to John Gibson by the State of Texas, and that Plaintiff's lien on said property is fore-To the Sheriff or any Constable of closed. And Plaint further prays for cost and general relief.

GIVE US A CALL.

of the District Court of Sutton County, and the seal of said Court attached, this 6th day of October S. II. Stokes

Clerk District Court, Sutton County,

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Offices and Candidates.		Precincts.				
	1	2	3	4	Total	
Democratic electors.	115	19	19	22	175	
Republican electors.	127	19	15	15	186	
Governor.						
Culberson	131	20	21	24	196	
Kerby	111	29	12	16	168	
Land Commissioner.						
Baker	143	18	22	18	201	
Congress.						
Slayden	112	19	18	20	169	
Noonan	130	30	15	17	192	
District Judge.	1					
Timmins	204	44	23	34	305	
McCarty	12	4	3	1	20	
Representative.						
Callan	121	29	30	7	187	
Renshaw	51	9			60	
County Judge.						
Halbert	66	7	1	18 10	92	
Rountree Batte	83 77	26 14	14 14	10	133 115	
Clerk.						
	112	25	23	27	187	
Stokes Hill	114	25	7	13	159	
Sheriff.						
McConnell	79	24	10	17	130	
Davis	74	16	9	15	114	
Fulcher	78	10	11	S	107	
Treasurer.						
Cusenbary	142	31	15	22	210	
Hagerlund	87	18	14	18	137	
Assessor.						
Swearingen	67	11	7	10.	95	
Atkinson	49 64	18 12	3 5	6	76 89	
Bunton	10	0	2	0	12	
Rudieil	23	- 7	10	13	53	
Bell	7	.0	1	2	10	
Surveyor.		4				
McNicol	129	26	25	37	217	
Inspector.						
Hemphill	136	14	26	33	209	
Black	67	22	2	6	97	
	1 5					

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Stewart 92; English 48; Hurst Tom Green county are Duggan

For Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 1, Stewart 96; English 52; O. K. White justice of the peace. 175,000. In the gubernatorial Hurst 51; Balch 14.

For Constable Precinct No. 1, Taliaferro 96; Caruthers 90; Cooper vented from addressing the people but is not buried so deep, and is

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Wood 30; Word 18.

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, Merck 30.

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Holland 12; Williamson 21.

For County Attorney, W. H. Moon received 36 votes. National Democratic electors received 3 votes in box 1, and 1 vote was not elected.

Peoples Party electors received 2 votes in box 4. McRae for Congress received 2 votes in box 4.

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Noonan Probably Defeated.

San Antonio-J. F. Onion chairman of the democratic congressional committee says Slayden will carry Bexar county over by a plurality of not less than

Sulzbacher of the republican cam- carried for Bryan. paign committee claims that Indiana and Michigan as well

Tom Green county gave Slayden 222 more votes than Noonan.

Schleicher county gave Slayden 0 majority.

7, McRae 11.

Devine: Noonan 11, Slayden 129, Eagle Pass: Slayden 510, Noon.

an 325. New Braunfels, Noonau 1010, the Bryan column.

Slayden 265. Fredericksburg: Slayden Noonan 100.

Center Point: Slayden 105

Blanco, Slayden 72 Noonan 17 McRae 34.

Midland; Slaydon 218, 1 47, McRae 9.

Coonan 38, Slayden 7.

Crockett and Menard counties gave Noonan a plurality.

Brackettville, Slayden 111, Noonan 514.

Del Rio, Slayden 523, Noonan 125,000.

182, McRae 26,

Irion county returns give Slayden 104, Noonan 31. San Saba county, Slayden 600, McRae 500,

50 to 75,000 Bryan carries Texas by 150,000.

The officers elected in Crockett of republican success. assessor, Hudspeth clerk.

The newly elected officers in 280,000.

last Saturday owing to illness.

Just because the man you voted In Michigan the free silver for was defeated is no reason why papers of Detroit concede the you should regret having voted state to McKinley by 25,000.

Its business we want now.

McKinley Has 260 Electoria Votes and Probablyy More.

Chicago Nov, 3.—The returns received by the Associated Press up to midnight indicate the probsubscription \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE. able election of McKinley and Entered at the Postoflice at Sonora Hobart, although the returns are so meagre from a number of doubtful states that this conclusion can only be reached by an estimate based upon the gains and losses.

The best returns obtainable show that Main and Maryland give majorities somewhat reduced from the September election.

New Hampshire gives about 20,000, Massachusetts about 120, 000 and Rhode Island and Connecticut proportionate mejorities.

New York is estimated at about 25,000 and Pennsylvania is likely DR. H. G. COLSON, to reach the same figure if not a

Maryland has been carried for Office at Cusenbary & Briant's drug the republican candidate for president by a majority exceeding 20, 000 and Delaware is confidently claimed by the republicans, although the plurality is not likely to exceed 1000:

The returns from West Virginia are not sufficient to justify the claim of either party.

Ohio has given a very large re-Noonan by 500 and will be elected publican plurality and Kentucky is apparently assured to the Mc-Kinley column, although later returns may not justify this claim. San Antonio-At midnight Nat | Tennessee seems to have been

Noonan will come to Bexar coun as Minnesota indicate heavy rety with 1200 plurality and will publican gains and a strong probcarry Bexar county by 1000 plu ability that they have gone for McKinley.

Illinois will give McKinley over 100,000 plurality.

North and South Dakota are very close and still in doubt. Returns from the Pacific coast

Boerne: Noonan 178, Slayden states are too meagre to justify any claim respecting them.

The states of Virginia, South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Alabama Louisiana. Arkansas, Missouri, Colorado, Nevada, Montana and Idaho may safely be placed in

Later returns seem to indicate 36, that West Virginia and Michigan can be added to the republican

New York, Nov. 4.—Sun says McKinley's plurality in New York City is 30,000. World says it gives McKinley 36,000 majority. Chicago Nov. 4 -- are for Mc. Kinley, 23 states, 271 votes; claim-Juno, Val Verde county gave ed for McKinley, 2 states, 13 votes conceded to Bryan, 14 states, 106

Boston, Mass. Nov. 4.—Republing conceded the state to Mc. from the Crescent city will be read Fort Davis, Slayden 51, Noonan lican candidates for president and Kinley. governor carry every city and Tennessee presents some of the Texans:

Kerrville, Slayden 161, Noonan ing states may be counted for Mc-Kinley: - California 9; Connecti-Sotal, Val Verde county, 14 for cut 6; Delaware 3; Illinois 24; Noonan, 4 for Slayden, 15 for Mc. Indiana 15; Iowa 13: Minnesota); Maryland 3; Massachusetts 15; Michigan 14; New Hampshire 4; election is over. New York 36; New Jersey 10; The cheapest place.-The Pioneer North Dakota 3; Ohio 23; Oregon Drug Store, San Angelo. 3; Pennsylvania 32; Rhode Island M. M. Risinger, Luke Ligon 4; South Dakota 4; Vermont 4; and Mat Patton of Lampasas and San Antonio—City and county West Virginia 6; Wisconsir 12. Bell counties arrived in the Sonora ing twenty-two feet had been able precincts heard from give Slayden Kentucky with 13 votes very close country this week with 2800 sheep to pass the bar at Sabine Pass. 517; Noonan 1570. Total returns and claimed by both parties. 50 comprising nearly half the vote of out of 92 counties in Indiana give For a pleasant smile, a good the district give Slayden 6663; McKinley 27,000 plurality, the smoke and genial company, make

ley by 20,000, at least. Nov. 4. The returns show some A Republican executive com-Culberson carries the State by interesting features and in some mittee man in one of the western respects have been a surprise to counties voted for the McKinley the leaders of both political par- and Hobart electors but voted two The officers electeed in Menard ties. The New England states Mexicans for the Bryan and county are Robertson sheriff, have as was expected, given heavy Sewall electors. Callan elerk, Tomerson assessor. pluralities for McKinley without Go to SAM RUNKLES' Moss Rose Corder was defeated for sheriff was successful in Massachusetts ets, California Orange wine, fine liquetts, California Orange wine, fine liquetts in Kimble county by Jones by 47 beyond what was claimed for it ors and cigars. by the most enthusiastic prophet

county are Gurley sheriff, Young New York and Pennsylvania ties must not be construed into have each given the republican a repudiation of the principles of shot dead yesterday while out candidate between 260,000 and

clerk, Wynn judge, West assessor, third in its plurality of probably wanted free silver. Judge B. W. Rimes was pre- race Altgeld has been defeated,

ashamed of even if his candidate large not far either way from that 75,000.

the chairman of the democratic lose.

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We are here to protect you all from the cold this winter, and therefore, have received the Largest Assortment of Overchats, Ladies and Childrens Wraps, and Gloaks, Mens, Youths and

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otes; doubtful, 6 states, 57 votes. state central committee this even. The following item of news

between them.

quarters when in San Angelo.

The vote for congressman in these western stock raising coun-J. L. Slayden be elected he may To these states Illinois is a good thank his stars that the people

vented from addressing the people of Sutton county at the barbecue probably about 60,000 ahead of can get another pair just like them, Hood's pills are the favorite family the democratic national ticket. just as good in fit, just as carefully cathartic easy to take, easy to operate. guaranteed. For In Iowa, as far as can be seen sewed seams, just as neat in appear-The man who voted as he be- from the returns at present the ance. If they're once good, they are lieved was right has nothing to be republican plurality has been very always good. We have a standardit's best in all points. We work to

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claimed by the republicans and count of the scare can now turn it Agency.

with interest by all patriotic

SONORA,

town for the first time in the interesting features of the cam- New Orleans, La., Nov. 1. history of the state. Republican paign. Patterson, the gold demo- - Major J. B. Quinn, chief of the at the church in Sonora on Saturmajority in the state will reach crat candidate for candidate for United States engineers for the day Nov. 7th. Rev. Mr. Durst is congress in the city of Memphis Louisiana and Texas districts re- said to be an eloquent divine and Chicago, Nov. 4 -- The follow- is running neck and neck with turned from Galveston last night all are invited to attend this his opponent and the official after having inspected the harbors meeting. count will be necessary to decide of Galveston and Sabine Pass. The round trip was made on board the light-house tender Ar-Everybody is glad that the butus, Major Quinn speaks enthul lots in West Sonora for sale, or

Noonan 5925. Slayden's majority state reasonably sure for McKin- Zenker & Maier's your head residence of W. S. Robinson in Ladies Taylor system, I give lesthis city, Hiram Cooper, of Pecan sons free on it, it is absolutely per-Springs, Kimble county. Deceas- fect and it adapts itself to any

he found in excellent shape. He

says some of the largest ocean

greyhounds affoat are crossing the

Bring your Deer skins, Furs and poultry to us, we will buy them and pay highest market prices. Mayer Bros. & Co.

Eagle Pass, Tex., Nov. 2.—Pat Rose a well known and respected stockman and saloonman of C. Porfirio Diaz, was accidentally protection to raw material. Should with a hunting party on the San Diego river in Mexico, fifty-five miles north of Eagle Pass.

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T. B. Birtrong, Sonora Texas.

Notice. I respectfully invite the attention of all ladies interested in Wednesday, Oct. 28, at the kinds. Cutting done by the ed had been suffering with kidney changes of fashion. The Ladies trouble and came here for his Taylor is the latest chart out, all health.—San Angelo Enterprise. orders will receive prompt attention, work done at low rates.

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BOTHERED BY A TITLE.

One of the Confederate Privates Who Was Introduced as a Major.

Among the countless number of men who have served in the civil war and now revel in military titles of all descriptions it is refreshing to meet with a man who will plainly

Serivner enlisted in the Confederate service and went through the entire var, laying down his arms at its close with the humble rank of priat was assigned to him on onlisting. He now enjoys the repuamong his fellows of being the only man that has yet been discovered in the state of California who served throughout the war and yet possesses no gorgeous prefix to bis name. It used to be ousbetween the two.

Well, Scrivner was opposed to this principle and fortunate enough to oscape involuntary dign.ty until one memorable occasion, not long ago, when he was conducting a case up in Butte county. The legal luminaries of the district showed him some less of the days are then. Then through the faroff land of Thrace, famed nurse of steeds, the blast less of the district showed him some less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all emptied are and when less of the wine god's month when vats all e an idiot who said, 'Mr. So-and-so, ' this is Major Scrivner.'

reprimend my introducer nor to explain matters. In an instant I found myself shaking hands with the minute of the bullock's hide myself shaking hands with the limited bullock's hide myself sh myself snaking hands with the abide.
southerner, who eyed me narrowly. The lean goat, too, it pinches sore for all its to the clerk, and came up to the la-

that he would give me a chance to And soundly in her maiden bed sleeps through explain. But he kept right on.

Under what general, sir, may I,

"Under General Gordon.' Ey this time I was feeling mighty un-

was bent on drawing me out. miliar with the names of all the the other day. teading artillery officers in the Con- She had read of the pretty little choice of the epithets he applied to were under your command?'

who served his time in the war and tunity. did his duty without estentation, A shabbily dressed, shoeless little marked, there was still a comfortaor assumed. However, I bridled girl's straggling locks: up, and, looking my catechiser full

'Guns be d--d, sir! I served mand of one gun, and that I carried ward her. over my shoulder.' "-San Francis-

A Diagnosis Completed.

tiny of nations in general and on that of this country in particular the orator's wife.

Beriah," she said, "would ye mind my takin a hand in the argy-

Tain't no argyment," he an- girl. swered. "All of 'em agrees with The child reached for the nickel, what I sav.'

"Well, mebbe I could he'p ex-

"I dunno's I see how ye kin."

too many men lookin for work an not ingly. -Polly Pry in New York Re-

findin it ter do.' 'Thet there's the condition of

"Well, thet ain't whut causes the hull trouble. It's bad enough, but it ain't all.

"What's the rest of it?" men ez has work ter do'll look the other way an set around, talkin poli- dark, his eyes and hair black, and, tics an finance, leavin their wives ter run the farm an tend ter the live stock, not countin the children, the

Free Press.

Leader.

Englishman on board an American were rather angular, but never awkclipper, "that flag of yours has not ward, and he was never burdened floated in every breeze and over with that frequent curse of unfortu- Do You Deal In every sea for 1,000 years, has it?" nate genius, the dreadful oppression

"No, it hain't," replied the cap- of petty self consciousness.—Charles tain, "but it has licked one that A. Dana. has."-Youth's Companion.

A Narrow Escape.

Mrs. Snobbs-How many girls do the Newlies keep?

Mrs. Nobbs-Only one. calling there yesterday!-Cleveland

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blood, and thus builds up the nerves, ers." tones the stomach and regulates the whole system. Read this:

My health run down, and I had the grip. that is, fine jewelry-in his life. After that, my heart and nervous system "How can there be?" were badly affected, so that I could not do my own work. Our physician gave me those ways is the marking up of to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon I could business draw tro20 by marking Nature Furnishes the Necessary Protec-

tell you that his name is "Mr." and Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla, that he served from beginning to and they have done much good. I end of the bloody campaign as a full will not be without enem. I have taken 13 blown private. Of that description | bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and through is John J. Scrivner, the San Francis- the blossing of God, it has cured me. When the war broke out, Mr. mer, and I am thankful to say I am ey's worth as near as may be. They MRS. M. M. MESSENGER, Freehold, Penn. be caught in any kind of trap. This and many other cures prove that

Sarsaparilla

idiot who said, 'Mr. So-and-so, s is Major Scrivnor.'

The forest things with fur on end clap close their bushy tails.

Each with the change of the class of the

the wintry night,
What time the cuttlefish its toes doth gnaw for
very want,
And cheer in poor men's fireless homes is mis-

Hor Little Trick.

rate service during the war. trick that a gentleman acquaintance the clerk, who had really acted I ask you, sir, how many guns of mine loves to practice upon poor children—that of taking a penny out stopped to tell the other clerk of his I assure you, judge, I never felt of the child's hair and presenting it good luck in making a \$500 sale. so mad in my life. Here was I, a to the amazed youngster-and she The proprietor was hot, too, for, man who always avoided notoriety, thought she saw an excellent oppor- notwithstanding the price was

the never sought a military title, girl sat next to her, holding the ble profit in it. As to the lady, she but always scared off my friends hand of her mother, who was even was beyond explanation, and to this from addressing me by one, and yet, shabbier and dirtier than the child. owing to my bungling, d-d good The lady took a nickel from her jeweler tried to bunko her and did natured friend, being catechised by pocketbook, "palmed" it and then not simply because she was too sharp an entire stranger upon a title I nev- said, as she seized one of the little for him."-Washington Star.

"Mercy on me! What have you got in your hair?'

The child burst out crying, and through the entire war, sir, in cor- the mother jerked her fiercely to-

"Notting de mat' wid her hair," hissed the matron. She was an Italian, and her eyes blazed with anger. "Her hair all righta. I comba dis An earnest dissertation on the des- morn. You minda your own biz.' The philanthropist paled.

"You don't understand me, madwas interrupted by the advent of am," she gasped. "It was a little trick of mine"-

"No wanta any tricks." -"to take this coin out of her hair and give it to her. Here, little

but the mother pushed it away. "No beggar," she said as her eyes glowered with rage. "My man he maka dollar day. She gotta good "Just ez I got here I heard ye say clothes for Sunday. You go away." thet what we suffer from is havin | And away my friend went accord-

> corder. Lincoln's Personal Appearance.

endeavor to give those in this audience who never saw Mr. Lincoln some idea of his personal appear-"The rest of the trouble is thet ance. He was a very tall man—6 himself. feet 4 inches. His complexion was best way they kin. Thet's the rest a man of fine fiber, and thus a brain of the trouble, Beriah."—Detroit a small but rather elongated skull. Horatio Seymour once spoke of him as a man "who wore a No. 7 hat and "I say, captain," said a young a No. 14 boot." His movements

Hives are due in the majority of cases to improper diet. The foods that should be avoided by those subject to this unpleasant disorder of the skin are fish, pork, cheese, pic-Mrs. Srobbs—Only one? Good gracious, and I came protty near the skin are fish, pork, cheese, pickles, sauerkraut and strawberries, particularly when they are stale. New York Post.

SUSPICIOUS CUSTOMER.

Not Completed. "Yes," smiled the good looking need, in Hood's Sarsaparilla. It fur- and well dressed clerk in a Wash-PUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE nishes the desired strength by puri- ington jewelry store, "there are Entered at the Postoflice at Sonora, fying, vitalizing and enriching the tricks in our trade as well as in oth-

"I'm really surprised," responded the reporter, who had never bought "I want to praise Hood's Sarsaparilla. more than \$4 worth of jewelry-

"In various ways, and one of some help, but did not cure. I decided goods on display. Other lines of do all my own housework. I have taken them up. For instance, we will put a jewel a some rich article on display which may be worth as much \$ \$1,000 or \$2,000, and we will mark it \$10,000. That draws people somehow, for they do like to see big figures. As to paying that sort of a price, that is quite a different mat- ful to the snakes. Various species ter. People who are paying those big prices don't pay them until they worked as hard as ever the past sum- know they are getting their monwell. Hood's Pills when taken with are painfully suspicious, too, and Hood's Sarsaparilla help very much." are constantly on the lookout not to

"I remember some years ago I had charge of a jewelry store for the summer at a swell resort, and next door to us was another New York firm, whose reputation was not as good as our own, owing to the fact that they catered to the met veteran for some title to pass

Hood's Pills effectively. 25 cents. dow a big diamond for display marked \$1.500 and one day a rich by it and wanted to get it for her

hespitality, "And," as he afterward expressed it in relating the circumstance to Judge Hunt, "one day I was introduced to a southerner by majerial to the stance of the st make a plump offer for it, and she now was the chance and that it

"The clerk hemmed and hawed awhile, but at last agreed to trade. "You served in the Confederate shaggy hair.

The lean goat, too, it pinches sore for all its shaggy hair.

Howbeit less dolefully the flocks with close dy on the outside of the counter with the stone in his hand. She looked at him suspiciously as he held the stone out to her and shook aught of all its rage. er, 'and I'm pretty well up in the aught of all its rage

The tender girl safe still at home beneath her mother's care, and I would have taken it if you had handed it to me across the counter, smooth, soft skin and white that he would give me a chance to aught of all its rage

The tender girl safe still at home beneath her mother's care, Naught knowing of love's gold dight queen and what her doings are.

She bathes and then anoints with oil her smooth, soft skin and white the would give me a chance to aught of all its rage

The tender girl safe still at home beneath her mother's care, Naught knowing of love's gold dight queen and then anoints with oil her smooth, soft skin and white the would give me a chance to aught of all its rage

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The tender girl safe still at home beneath her mother's care, Naught knowing of love's gold dight queen and would have taken it if you had handed it to me across the counter, but I don't want it now.' That ended the trade, and the woman left.

"The lady told me this part of the story herself, and I felt sure that the clerk had done just what she suspected him of doing, and that he had changed the stone on his way A well meaning young woman was around the counter. Later I saw one 'Major,' he said, 'I'm pretty fa- covered with confusion in a cable car of the clerks and asked him about it. He was mad all over and was not \$1,000 under what the diamond was day I presume that she thinks that

Reassuring.

On one occasion when Webster It so fell out that he was the only passenger, and as he thought the driver had a sort of a highwayman look about him the senator felt ill at ease. However, like the small boy, he kept up his courage by whistling till they came to a dark woods near the dueling grounds at Bladensburg, when he was accosted by the driver with "Where are you going?"

"To Washington," replied Webster as soon as he could recover his composure. "I am a senator and am going to my duties there."

Upon this the driver grasped him by the hand joyfully and exclaimed: 'How glad I am. I have been trembling in my seat for the last hour, for, to tell the truth, I did not like your looks and took you to be a highwayman."—Indianapolis Sun.

Not Puffed Up.

Fuddy-Not at all, not a bit puffed up, though he admits that any they rejoice.

other man possessed of his abilities would be.—Boston Transcript. Want to Know the Reason Why.

why and wherefore. Sappy-Yes. I wonder why it is? -Philadelphia Record

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It has often been stated that Indian and African natives who handle any precaution protect themselves with the juice of an herb, the odor of which is said to be very distasteof the aristolochia, among them the birthwort and the Virginia snakeroot, have the reputation in various parts of the world of possessing the properties of keeping away venomous reptiles and insects and of counteracting their poison. These statements have as often been asserted as disputed by botanists and chemists; but, according to a report made by Mr. Sada, the botanist at the Colonial park of Pondicherry, in India, he has recently satisfied himself that the Aristolochia indica really possesses such qualities. This plant is known in Sanskrit as "ari" or "hari," meaning "snake." One almost believes oneself perusing an old myth of Glaukos or Plinius when reading Mr. Sada's report, where he claims to have observed a chameleon which, after being stung by a scorpion, hurriedly searched for an aristolochia bush and ate of its leaves. The chameleon then remained lying on the ground for a short time as if lifeless, and finally biting off a stem with a few leaves attacked the scorpion with this branch. As soon as the animal ad-

vanced, the scorpion turned and fled. This sounds like a myth, but Mr. Sada has also seen that a cobra snake, the head of which was strewed with aristolochia leaves, was dazed by their odor so that it could be killed without trouble. The steaming of aristolochia leaves is the best remedy against the plague of insects and vermin, and in the province of Malabar the natives even carry wreaths of the foliage of the plants upon their heads in order to keep away stinging insects. Babies' cradles in that country are also surrounded by garlands of these leaves.

It is high time that these reports should be scientifically examined as to their real value, for the loss of life by snake bites in India alone is still enormous. The experiments of Clamette and Fraser, who claim to make people poison proof by gradually inoculating them with the poison ally inoculating them with the poison of the purisipal and the first would code for the said court. On the 6th day of Octobe A.D. 1896, in a certain suit, No. 49 in which cold cuit the State of Translating them with the poison of the purisipal and the first would code for the first and there to answer a petricol med to said court. On the 6th day of Octobe A.D. 1896, in a certain suit, No. 49 in which cold cuit the State of Translating them. old snake charmer has said to Mr. 83 years the little belfry and dome pany by the State of exas, and that Sada, their secret is exclusively in of the Russian chapel at Ross have plaintiff turther prays for closed. And plaintiff turther prays for the poisonproof qualities of the ari stood bravely facing the heavy win-plant—that is, the aristolochia inditer storms. The watch towers are level fail not, but have you then ca. The swallowing of small quantities of the juice pressed from this plant and the rubbing of the skin with it are said to be a perfectly safe preventative against snake bites, for the simple reason that the snake, before fastening its fangs, will turn was a senator and on his way to away its head. It cannot stand the Washington he was compelled to smell. As a consequence the snake take the night stage from Baltimore. can never infliet a wound in such a way as to imbed the poison fangs in the wound.—Philadelphia Record.

Cheerfulness.

diance of a cheerful spirit. give themselves up to fits of de- speak to the point with certainty. Fuddy-Speaking of Miggins, I spondency and moodiness and are a London Tablet. But before going further let me consider him the most modest, unas- kind of a moral wet blanket on the suming man I ever met in all my pleasures of all with whom they come in contact. They tell you their Duddy-Then he is not stuck on sorrows and bedew you with their riding on the front platform of a

Costique-It's funny that some termination not to fret and not to ried them on to the end and in Latpeople are never satisfied to know a add to the sorrows of the world the in. And yet in cultured Boston there thing is so and so, but must ask the griefs of one's own heart.—Philadel- hangs a signboard on which is print- meet on Saturday at 7:30 p. m. phia Times.

> Surprised. "No, sir," said the physician pompously, "I never lost more than

half a dozen patients in my life.' "Well, I'm surprised," replied the WINDMILLS? cynical man. "Surprised! At what?"

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That is Alaska's southern boundary to this day. Not so well known, however, are the facts with reference to the daring occupation by the poisonous snakes without taking Russians of the territory of California in the early years of the present century. The Hon. R. A. Thompson of Santa Rosa has treated the latter subject at length and with much detail in his paper, entitled "The Russian Settlement In California, Known as Fort Ross, Founded 1812, Abandoned 1841; Why the Russians Came and Why They Went." Mr. Thompson has performed a work of no little importance to this state in a historical sense. He shows that when the region north of San Francisco bay was occupied by order of Alexander Baranoff, the bold and energetic head of the Russian-American Fur company, it was undoubtedly Baranoff's intention to hold it against its then owners for all time. "And his successors would have done so but for the timely promulgation in 1823 of the Monroe doctrine, which gave notice to all the world that no occupation of American territory by European powers would be tolerated by the United States." Although the Russian settlement in California was not mentioned in the agreement of 1824 with reference to the 54.40 parallel, still it involved the abandonment of such territory and put an end to any further encroachments in California. In 1811 the Russian agents fixed upon a site for a fort and settlement, and it was called Fort Ross. "As to the exact original meaning of the word Ross, says Mr. Thompson, "there seems to be a difference of opinion, but it is certain that the people of the Volga were formerly called Rus, and the Russians generally were called the people of Ross, and the country is yet called Rossia, or Russia."

Fort Ross is in Sonoma county. partly decayed. Of the apple trees and there before said court this writ. planted by the original settlers some with your return thereon endorsed 50 are alive and bear fruit every showing how you have executed the year. This is all that is left of the place that cree boasted 400 souls.— District Court of Sutton county, and seal of said court attached, this sixth San Francisco Call.

To Look Upon the Host. In an article on the liturgical aspeet of the Westminster cathedral Father Gasquet makes one remark which will make immediate appeal to the observation of every Catholic: "Nowedays the whole meaning When we come to count over the of the elevation of the blessed sacqualities that endear our friends to rament is 1 st by the general custom us, almost all of us think first of of burying heads in hands during cheerfulness. The sunshiny man or the whole time. The priest is directwoman who brings a bright thought ed to raise the blessed sacrament, or word or even a glad smile with that it may be seen by the people, them are always welcome as the and this elevation was introduced flowers in May. Each heart knoweth into the sacred liturgy that people its own bitterness, each soul has its might look upon the sacred host own troubles and trials and vexa- and then bow down with the priest tions, and so we turn to the one who in adoration, as a testimony to their can lighten our sadness with the ra- belief in the real presence of our Lord in the most holy sacrament. Sunshine of the soul is largely a Every pictured representation and two years old. See them before matter of cultivation, for there are every written account of the cere- buying others. but few so fortunate as not to have mony would testify to the practice had some grief. The selfish sit down of our Catholic forefathers, even if and brood over their sorrows. They there were not a whole literature to

The City of Surprises.

A friend writes me that he was tears until it seems that there must street car in Boston, and as there p. m. on second and fourth Sun be a kind of luxury of woe in which was no one there but himself and days at Sonora. the driver he, in a fit of absent-After all, it is only "that brave mindedness, repeated a few lines of attitude toward life" of which Ste- Virgil in an undertone. To his sur- day evening at 7:30. phenson wrote. It is a courageous prise, the driver of the car took up bearing of inevitable burdens, a de- the lines where he left off and car- Sunday at 9 o'clock a.m. ed this legend: "Veterinary surgeon. | before the second Sunday. Horses clipped satisfactorily in the rear."--Critic.

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