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WEEKLY LETTER

Neighbor City as Told by

Our Regular Weekly

Correspondent.

L. N. Coffey attended the Lum-

Herbert Brent spent a few days

Mr. Means and daughter, Miss

Miss Dora Scallorn of Medina

Norman Jetton spent Wednesday

J. M. Bruff. Geo. L. Sellers, Mac

W. J. Moore visited the Alamo

Last week the Junior League en-

passed through Monday on her way

Jessie, of Medina were in Center

in Kerrville last week.

Point Monday.

to San Antonio.

Boerne last week.

bermen's Convention at San Antonio

REVIVAL MEFTING

the revival was begun Sunday morn- Mr. Ed. Joy is at work this week ing at the Methodist church,

Rev. Whaling is an able evange- his truck farm at Hunt. list and is doing some the best and most convincing preaching we have ever heard. Mrs. Whaling's Bible talks each morning at 10 o'clock are Blevens at Pebble. a rich spiritual treat to all who hear her. The attendance has been very good from the start and interest is growing as the meeting progresses. If you are not attending the meeting you are missing something good.

Baptist Ladies Aid

ary meeting at the home of Mrs. fish. program on our work in South Johnson county. how our work is growing in Argen- Sunday night.

After the program our hostess week. served delicious refreshments, assis- Miss Iva Dubose of Kerrville was joyed a picnic at Camp Verde. Sevted by Misses Leah and Edith Buck- the guest of Miss Leah Byas last eral invited guests attended. The ner. We were delighted to have as week. our out-of-town guests Mrr. Owen Anderson of Olney and Mrs. J. T.

with Mrs. T. B. Peterson.

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JAPONICA JOTTINGS

Rev. H. M. Whaling and wife of Mr. and Mrs. A. Howell of Sinton Austin arrived last Saturday and were visitors to Japonica last week.

> putting down his gasoline engine on Local News Items from our Busy Mr. R. L. Howell of New Mexico

passed through Hunt Monday on his way to see his sister, Mrs. Alvin

Dr. J. L. Fowler and son George and A. E. Davis spent Saturday afternoon up at Mulkey Bluff fishing. They caught some fine bass.

Mr. A. G. Taylor carried his son Beal to the Kerrville Hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Holland came The Ladies Aid and Missionary up from Kerrville last week to visit Society held their monthly mission- Mr. J. R. Mayhugh's family and

T. A. Buckner Tuesday, April 21. Mr. P. N. Baker who has been and Thursday of last week in San There were 12 members and 5 visi- stopping at the home of Mr, and tors present. After the business Mrs. A. C. Joy for the past seven Antonio. was dispensed with an interesting months has returned to his home in Dozier, E. O. Hartshorne, Hugh G.

America was rendered, consisting of The young people of the commu- Edens, John McBryde, D. M. Painreadings, special music and a map- nity enjoyed themselves at a singing ter, and L. D. Lowther attended talk. It is very gratifying to see at the home of Mrs. Sam Williams the Tri-County Masonic meeting at

tina and Brazil. The freewill offer- Mr. Forest Byas of San Antonio visited his parents at Hunt last city last week.

chief amusement was a game of base

ball between Camp Verde and C. P. We never had a better line of The score was 15 to 1 in favor of Clothing than the Lion Brand, They Center Point. Our next meeting will be held take the cream of the business over

KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Mrs. Jennie M. Brown is the any suits made. At proud owner of a new Ford auto. West Texas Supply Co. Mr. Tilford Bean of Lampasas next term of court.

and Harvey Mosty. visitor Monday.

will probably move here.

Clarence Wellborn will move to Rock Springs next week. We understand Claude Wellborn will run the farm here.

of losing one of his horses. It fell ment of said land to the county as on a tooth harrow and several of the consideration for above.

Thursday is to be clean-up day in Center Point.

School Aditorium Friday night was road purposes. à great success.

bate next Tuesday.

Leen spending the winter here left cia. The clerk was allowed \$2.50. for their home in Wisconsin Tuesday

Mr. Brandon and family left Tuesday for Palacios. Luke Wray visited the Alamo city

the first of this week.

For Sale

McDade, in Bastrop county; about half in cultivation, the balance in pasture. Two good houses; plenty of water. On public road; in one mile of school and on phone line. Price \$30 an acre. A. G. Sowell,

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What Advance Contains this Week

Page 1, County and War News. Page 2, Mexican News,

State Capitol News, Washington News.

Page 3, Serial story.

Page 4, Editorial Notes.

Page 5, Local and Personal.

Page 6, Stock and Farm News. Page 7, International S. S. lesson.

General State News.

Page 8, Local News,

President Wants No War.

President Wilson intends to act slowly to force Huerta to yield and hopes to avert war. With the taking of the railroad for a few miles inland from Vera Cruz and the two custom houses, it is believed no other aggressive steps will be taken.

Commissioners Court.

Special term of Commissioners Court held April 13, 1914.

ever, he lives two weeks. Voucher of American lives. to be turned over to Geo. E Meeks.

to construct a telephone line on Cypress creek road, granted.

Returns of County School Trustee election held April 14, 1914 was canvassed and J. L. Fowler, J. C. Baxter and M. O. Britt declared elected as county trustees.

The clerk is ordered to draw voucher on the county advalorem occupied. All territory around the only to defend themselves. fund, in favor of W. G. Peterson, tax assessor, for \$200, same being an advancement on his salary as tax assessor on assessments of 1914.

It was ordered that Jake Reinhardt and his son Jesse be allowed \$4 each for the next month, said

Petition for county line school district, April 14, postponed until

s here visiting his nephews, Lee | Contract by and between Commissioners Real, Rees and Webb and Mr. J. E. Jones was a Kerrville the Alamo Construction Co. of San Antonio, to erect and build steel Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of Bishop bridges across Goat Creek, Lime are here visiting Mrs. Jackson's sis- Kiln Creek and Brushy Creek, Kerr They County, was ratified and confirmed

by the court. Claim of J. W. Orr for damages to the extent of \$35 for a piece of land on his premises used for public road purposes, granted. Mr. Orr Sam Mayfield had the misfortune is required to make proper assign-

Martin and Erich Spenrath allowéd \$28.50 as damages for a strip of land 10 feet wide by 559 1-2 varas The "Old Maid's Tea" at the long off their real estate for public

Ordered that the county judge, The Tom Ball club will have a de- county attorney and the commissioners be allowed the minimum fee in Mr. Lomstall and family who have the lunacy case of Zipreano Blasen-

Petition for an election granted and election ordered in school district No. 10, Camp Verde, to determine whether or not the school tax in that district shall be increased to 40 cents on the \$100 taxable valuation of property. The election to be held on the 16th day of May at Camp Verde school house, and Ivy 270 acres of land 4 miles West of Rees appointed presiding officer of

> A special term of the court was held on Monday, April 20, when the two following orders were passed:

The County Depository of Kerr County is hereby ordered and instructed to pay nothing to the Co. Treasurer of Kerr County as commission on any money or monies Our News Service | that have been borrowed by Kerr County Road District No. 1, or that have been derived from the sale or pledge of bonds for said district.

It is hereby ordered that the order of this court entered at the February te m, 1913, relative to the commission allowed the County Treasurer of Kerr County, Texas, be and the same is hereby revoked, and that the County Treasurer be and he is hereby allowed one mill on the dollar for receipts, and one mill or the dollar for disbursements by said County Treasurer from and after this order.

Done in open court, all members thereof being present and acting, this April 20, 1914.

UNCLE SAM TAKES VERA CRUZ, MEX.

Four U. S. Marines Killed and Twenty Woundded when Orders to Sieze Custom House are Carried Out. Mexicans Lose 200. Tampico May be Taken Next.

Vera Cruz, Mex., April 21.-Vera American consulate is strongly pa-Cruz tonight is in the hands of trolled and detachments hold other Ordered that John Hunter (col) forces from the United States war- sections of the city.

pauper be allowed \$1.25 per day ships, but the occupation of the port | The Mexican commander, General for the next two weeks in case how- was not accomplished without loss Gustavo Mass, offered a stubborn Four Americans, bluejackets and and for many hours there was fight-

The petition of Fritz Bartel et al marines, were killed by the fire of ing in the streets. Toward nightthe Mexican soldiers and twenty fell fall it was reported that the main wounded. The Mexican loss is not body of the Federal garrison was in known, but it is believed to have retreat to the westward. been heavy.

The water front, the customs- at 10 o'clock tonight, Rear Admiral house and all important piers, in- Fletcher has warned the Mexican. cluding those under the terminal commander that he would use the works, from which extended the his men did not stop firing. The railroads to the capital, have been American forces had orders to fire

resistance to the American advance

Though fighting had not ceased big guns of the American fleet if

ENTIRE CITY OF VERA CRUZ NOW OCCUPIED

The very latest advices from the move if Huerta doesn't come to seat of war state that the entire terms. Seven battleships are now city of Vera Cruz has been captured at Vera Cruz ready for action. It by U. S. soldiers and marines. The looks more and more like war, and vouchers to be turned over to Emil taking of Tampico will be the next Uncle Sam is ready if it comes.

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TO SEIZE TAMPICO-VERA CRUZ

It is impossible for United States to Further Protect Foreigners in Mexico-Special Message to Joint Session of Both Houses.

Washington. - General Victoriano Huerta has finally refused to accede to the demand of the president of the United States that he order an apologetic salute to the American flag.

By boldly defying the power of the United States, the provisional president has made American armed intervention in the affairs of Mexico unescapable

General Huerta's refusal is definite and positive. It was conveyed to Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires, at 6 o'clock Sunday evening, Mexico City time. The department of state was notified of the Mexican dictator's decision in a cablegram received from Mr. O'Shaugh nessy at ten minutes before 9 o'clock Sunday night.

O'Shaughnessy and Rojas Confer.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy had a conference with the minister of foreign affaires of the Huerta government at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. At this conference Mr. O'Shaughnessy was informed that Huerta's refusal was flat and unconditional. The provisional president announced through his minister of foreign affairs that hegotiations were closed so far as he was concerned

Mr. Daniels, secretary of the navy, and Mr. Tumulty were at the department of state when Mr. O'Shaughnessy's report of this second meeting and of Huerta's refusal was received. They at once went to Secretary Bryan's home. Mr. Bryan got President Wilson on the long distance telephone at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and told him the news.

to receive his message.

The Troops in Texas.

The regular troops now stationed at Texas City and Galveston would be the first to move, in all probability, in case of intervention in Mexico. A long conference was held Sunday by Major General Wood, the retiring chief of the general staff; Secretary of War Garrison, Major General Witherspoon, who will assume the duties as chief of staff this week. and, Brigadier General Scott, until lately in command of the Mexican border, touching army strategy, and when the plans to govern a probable movement were gone over.

For many months the government has had formulated its general plans for movement against Mexico in case of emergency. These included blockading the east and west ports, and the "peaceful blockade" ordered by President Wilson several days ago is said to be along the line heretofore agreed upon. The plans also included a movement of land forces via the railroads from Texas.

Since these plans were formulated, success of the constitutionalists in Northern Mexico served to change Mexico's war map, and, as this government does not want an allegiance with Carranza, the necessity of altering the plans has become quite apparent. To sweep over the Rio Grande as originally proposed would be to throw the army against a hornet's nest, to use the expression of army officers, and this is said to have been a feature laid before the conference.

Rebels to Attack Tampico. Juarez, Mex.-Orders for an immediate renewal of the rebel attack on Tampico, with the purpose of capturing the town at the earliest possible moment, were issued Sunday. The desirability of speed, said to have been emphasized in the order, has given rise to rumors that when the American warships start to enforce President Wilson's order they will find, not federals, but friendly rebels

in possession. Streets of Juarez Patrolled.

Juarez, Mex.-Strong street patrols have been established at Juarez for the protection of all foreigners. This has been done by direct order of General Carranza, who sent word Sunday that no matter what the outcome of the dispute between the United States and the Huerta government, aliens must not be molested.

National Guard Is Ready. Austin, Tex .- Governor Colquitt, following advices that Huerta had refused to accept the ultimatum of the United States, said on a minute's notice the Texas National Guard would be ready to take the field for the protection of the property and people of the state.

Laredo, Tex.-United States Consul six marriages to every divorce. Garrett and wife, Vice Consul Theriot and wife and several other Americans residing in Nuevo Laredo moved to the American side Sunday.

TRUCK SHIPMENTS BREAK ALL RECORDS

To Date 2,006 Solid Carloads of Produce Have Gone Out of the Brownsville Country.

Corpus Christi, Tex .-- All records for shipments of vegetables from the gulf coast section have been shattered during the present season. The report of the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for the week ending April 7 shows a total of 290 cars shipped during that week, compared with shipments of 104 cars for the similar week in 1913, making a net gain of 186 cars.

Total shipments from points on the St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico railway for this season amount to 1914 cars, according to official reports. Shipments from Corpus Christi over the four roads entering the city amount to 92 cars for the season. Thus total shipments of truck from the gulf coast for the season totals 2,006 solid carloads. In addition several thousand tons of snap beans, lettuce and other truck have been shipped by express.

Carload shipments have consisted of 1,758 cars of cabbage, 35 cars of onions, 48 cars of lettuce, 3 cars of potatoes and 70 cars of mixed vegetables, the above being from the points along the St. Louis, Browns ville and Mexico railway. From Corpus Christi shipments have consisted of 88 cars of cabbage and four cars of

A complete report from each of the shipping points compared with shipments for the same period in 1913 follow; the 1914 shipments being given first: Brownsville, 162, 132; Calallen, 49, 50; Donna, 40, 13; Edinburgh, 20, 1; Harlingen, 96, 41; La Feria, 27, 7; Lawrence, 21, 4; McAllen, 59, 11 Mercedes, 168, 38; Mission, 366, 88; Olmito, 26, 11; Pharr, 98, 35; Riviera, 3, 2; San Benito, 504, 240; San Juan, 36, 14; S. B. and R. G. railway, 307, 111; Corpus Christi (all roads), 92, Totals, 1914, 2,006; 1913, 880.

Cabbage shipments for the season will be practically ever within another two weeks and the shipments of onions, snap beans, potatoes and tomatoes will occupy attention for the succeeding six or seven weeks. Those section estimate that onion shipments will amount to 600 cars or more.

at any time this season, the quota-The president ordered a special cabe around \$10 and \$12 per ton. Fancy the relations of cordial friendship ex- overpowered by Detective George gested to colleges and universities, for inett meeting, and made arrange prices are being obtained for onlons, isting long between the two nations. Neven, who, in the capacity of chauf one thing, that they add to the work ments for a joint session of congress farmers getting from two to three cents per pound at the station.

Considered from all angles and sole ly from the viewpoint of the truck best in the history of South Texas,

Two Airmen Burned to Death.

Buc, France.-Francois Deroy, aviator, and Marcel Dablin, who was making a flight with him, were burned to death as a result of a collision in the air Sunday. Thousands witnessed the accident. Deroy's machine and an tions of the treaty the sum of \$25, other, piloted by the aviator Dedault with a passenger, M. Pelladeau, collided in midair. Both machines burst into flames and fell to the earth.

Hookworm Commission Reports.

Austin, Tex.-The state hookworm commission has completed a six week's campaign in Freestone and Wharton counties. In all 3,992 examinations were made. The infections numbered 643, and 720 treatments were given. Among school children from 6 to 18 years of age 2,882 examinations were given and 539 infections were found.

To Erect Three New Bridges.

Columbus, Tex.-The commission ers court has awarded contracts for three steel bridges across the Colorado river at Columbus in place of those damaged by flood last Decem-

Wind in Oklahoma Is Damaging. Muskogee, Okla.-A wind approaching a hurricane in violence, accompanied by rain, did thousands of dollars damage to property Saturday. Telephone and telegraph wires were blown down.

Three Thousand Acres More Cotton. Rosenberg, Tex.-Crop conditions over the Rosenberg section are exceptionally good. The acreage is approximately three thousand acres

larger than any season heretofore.

Strawberries Shipped North. Alvin, Tex.-Two full carloads of strawberries were sold Saturday at a good figure, and were shipped to the Northern markets.

French Aviator Killed by Fall. Paris.-Leonce Ehrmann, the aviator, was killed Sunday by a fall from his aeroplane.

Center Farmers Plant Peas. Center, Tex .- The farmers near Center have turned their attention to raising peas. There will be 1,000 acres planted.

Twelve Marriages to Every Divorce. Houston, Tex.-Twelve marriage licenses to every divorce is the record of Texas, according to Martin L. Carter of the census bureau at Washington, who is in Houston gathering data on public and private wealth. Illinois holds second place with a record of

Bonds were successfully voted this week for good roads in Scurry county.

CAUGHT!



COLUMBIAN TREATY REVEALED IN PARIS

ed States and Columbia Settling Panama Controversy Published.

Paris.-The text of the treaty between the United States and Colombia settling the Panama controversy was Friday, Michael P. Mahoney, an apmade public Saturday through the Co- parently irresponsible, elderly man, lombia legation by publication in the Temps.

The treaty was signed at Bogota

published in the Teraps, says:

"The government of the United Cabbage prices are now lower than of the people of the United States ex. municipal job. presses sincere regret for anything

grower, the 1914 season has been the pear all obstacles to the restoration

shall enjoy freely and in perpetuity honey was Police Commissioner Ar- of the study of marketing problems free passage through the Panama thur H. Woods, who was waiting for and the sources of consumption. canal for her troops, stores and war the chauffeur to get into the car, inships," and stipulated also that six tending to sit beside the driver. months after the exchange of ratifica-000,000 shall be paid to Colombia.

ucts imported into the canal zone and court Tuesday. for special advantages in the railway. The court said, however, that no traffic of Panama when the canal serve order would be issued for the prisonice is interrupted for any reason and er's discharge from custody until arwhen it is needed for Colombian rangements had been completed to agents and troops and for war stores take the case to the United States sufrom Colombia.

"Colombia recognizes Panama as an Thaw's petition for admission to bail continues:

agreement regarding the pecuniary lia- favor. bility of the two countries."

Texas Lumbermen Meet.

croachments of mail order houses on what the retailers claim their own tightful territory formed the dominant purpose that ran through the first day's session of the twenty-eighth annual convention of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas, which opened in San Antonio Tuesday.

Cotton Grade Must Be Given.

appeals Wednesday held that it is before the strike. swindling for a person to sell an incourt Wednesday.

Search Is Begun for American. Washington .- At the request of Repdepartment has ordered the consuls at | pital, Northwestern University, an-Torreon and Chihuahua to find trace nounced Wednesday, will be used in at Fort Terry, New York, was found of H. W. Townsend, who was last establishing clinics to furnish medical heard from several months ago in the aid to the poor. vicinity of Chihuahua.

Believed Sealer Is Lost.

or Eagle by wireless reported sight to Mc terey and Saltillo, Mexico, ing wreckage 120 miles off St. John's, where the federals still are in control, issued

Text of the Treaty Between the Unit- The Aged Assailant Misses Mitchel, But Wounds His Corporation Counsel.

MAN SEEKS LIFE OF NEW YORK MAYOR

New York .- In an attempt to take the life of Mayor John Purroy Mitchel who later said he was a blacksmith to gain control over rural credit. out of work, fired into a group of Again, we recognize that any system three men seated in the mayor's au- of bonding on a long time basis must tomobile on the east side of City be founded on the soundest valua April 7 by United States Minister Hall Park. The bullet entered the jaw tion and maintenance of agricultural Thaddeus A. Thomson and Dr. Frank L. Polk, corporation counsel, values. Any hasty or wildcat exploitacisco Jose Urrutia, Colombian minis- who was sitting next to the mayor. tion will only hurt in the end every ter of foreign affairs, and the mem- With blood spurting from his mouth, effort to promote an efficient system bers of a Colombian advisory commit- Mr. Polk was taken into the city hall of agricultural credit. Amortization and afterward to a hospital, where it achemes must be carefully tested in The first article of the treaty as was said the wound would not prove order that they do not prove a snare fatal

States, desiring to put an end to all clared, because he felt aggrieved at co-operation, which is only successful disputes and differences with the re the city executive's "extravagant ex the world over when based upon selfpublic of Colombia occasioned by penditures" and because he was in help, careful auditing, valuation and best posted on crop conditions in this events which have brought about the censed at being refused an audience sound business methods." present situation in the Isthmus of with the mayor on two occasions this | At its closing session the conference Panama, in its name and in the name week, when he came to apply for a went on record for action which, if

tions for the past few days ranging that may have interrupted or altered fore he could fire a second he was agricultural products. It was sug-"Colombia, in her name and in the feur, was adjusting robes about the now being done for increased producname of the people of Colombia, ac men in the automobile. The mayor tion, courses on marketing, standardcepts this declaration in the full as sat in the middle of the back seat, ization and sources of demand. The surance that in this way will disap- with Mr. Polk on his right and George same suggestion is made to railroads of complete harmony between the two ed so close to Mayor Mitchel that the state information bureaus. The coleft side of his face was scorched The treaty provides that "Colombia Standing within a few feet of Ma production is already far in advance

Thaw Wins Another Point.

Concord, N. H. - Harry Kendall The article relating to canal privi- Thaw's petition for a writ of habeas leges also provides for commercial ad- corpus was granted by Judge Edgar vantages in favor of Colombian prod- Aldrich of the United States district

preme court on appeal.

independent nation which shall termi- the court left undetermined, taking nate on the Pacific coast at points the ground that it would be more apequi-distant between Cocalito and propriate for this to be passed upor Ardita," says the last article, which by the supreme court. The result of the decision is that Thaw's guardian-"The United States undertakes to spip and condition will be unchanged secure the sending by the government for the present, but that his petition of Panama of an agent to negotiate for a writ of habeas corpus will go to with Colombia a treaty of peace and the highest court in the land, with a friendship which shall include an decision of the lower court in his

Strike of Copper Miners at End.

Houghton, Mich .- The strike of the coppe'r miners in Upper Michigan San Antonio, Tex .- To build up the came 'to an end Monday as a result of retail lumber business through co-op a referendum vote taken among the eration of those engaged therein; to member's of the Western Federation of extend operations so as to embrace Miners. The strike had been in effect various adjuncts, and to resist the en. since last July, when 13,000 men, ac cording to the figures of the federation, den anded better wages and working conditions and recognition of the federation. Managers of the mines have announced that they will re-employ all m en who have not been guilty of violence as soon as they give up their menabership in the Western Federation of Miners and places can be found for them. The present working forces are nearly equal numerically, Austin, Tex.-The court of criminal mine managers say, to what they were

ferior grade of cotton than the sam Twelv'e Marriages to Every Divorce. ple submitted when it is represented Houston, Tex.-Twelve marriage lithat the whole bale is like the sam censes to every divorce is the record ple. E. W. Bragg of Titus county was of foxas, according to Martin L. Carconvicted of making such a represent ter of the census bureau at Washingtation and was sentenced to two years ton, who is in Houston gathering data in the penitentiary for swindling. His on public and private wealth. Illinoissentence was affirmed by the higher holids second place with a record of six marriages to every divorce.

\$1,000,000 to Aid Sick Poor. Chicago, Ill .-- A gift of \$1,000,000 esentative Smith of Texas, the state from James Deering to Wesley Hos-

Spaniards Arrive at El Paso. El Paso, Tex .- One hundred and fif-St. Johns, N. F .- Fear that the seal ty Spaniards of the 800 expelled from er Kite has met with disaster was into Torreon left this week for Eagle Pass, creased Wednesday when the steamh- whence they expect to make their way

CONGRESS URGED TO AID FARMERS

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MAR-KETING AND FARM CREDITS.

Congress Asked to Render Service to the Farm Producers of America. Resolutions Passed.

Chicago, Ill.-All members of the United States senate and house of representatives, as a result of action taken Saturday by the second National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits, will be asked to render the following service to the farm producers of America:

1. To use great caution in enacting farm credit legislation; fear being expressed that the relief planned may be frustrated by a law which protects neither the borrower nor the lender.

2. To work for an interpretation of the Sherman anti-trust law which, while it puts co-operative producers' organizations on the same basis of supervision and regulation given industrial combinations, will be sufficiently liberal to allow the farm 'trusts' to operate successfully and with governmental approval.

As a result of the criticisms of the Moss-Fletcher bill and other farm credit measures, the delegates voted to send the following resolution to all members of congress:

"Resolved. That this conference urgo upon congress action upon the ques tion of rural credit. This action should be taken, however, with care and de liberation. Great interests which have already controlled the marketing of industrial securities are now striving. and a delusion. Reckless government Mahoney shot at the mayor, he de al aid plans are detrimental to true

carried out, will be of the greatest Mahoney fired only one shot. Be benefit to producers and marketers of V. Mullan, the mayor's former law which are carrying on educational

THE LAW ON SHOOTING PLOVER IN TEXAS

Federal Statute's Exceptions Apply to Species Rarely Seen in the Lone Star State.

Austin, Tex. The game, fish and pyster department has been and is recelving a large number of inquiries the law, both state and federal on shooting ployer. Under the state law there is no closed season against kill-

ing plover. The only state regulations are as to the bag limit of twenty-five per day, the hunter's shipping affidavit and the inhibition against selling or buying Under the federal migratory bird law, however, it is unlawful to kill the black-breasted and golden plover in Texas except in the months of November, December and January.

The state game, fish and oyster department has received the following ruling from the bureau of biological survey of the federal government:

"The upland plover, a distinct species from either the golden plover or the black-breasted plover, and, notwithstanding its name, belonging to the group of shore birds, is protected for five years under regulation No. 4. Besides this species there are at least six other kinds of plover occurring in Texas, namely: Kildeer plover, semipalmated plover, pipping plover, snowy plover, Wilson's plover and mountain plover. All these six birds are likewise protected for five years under regulation No. 4."

As the black-breasted and golden plover, the killing of which is permitted in Texas under the federal law during the months of November, December and January, seldom if ever appears in Texas, it will be seen that under the federal law it is unlawful to kill the plover in Texas for five years.

Millionaire Cattleman Dead. San Antonio, Tex -Robert Driscoll,

72 years old, pioneer cattleman and millionaire of Southwest Texas, died Wednesday at his apartments in a Army Officer Is Found Guilty.

Washington .- Major Benjamin M. Koehler of the Coast Artillery, tried by general court martial last month guilty of immoral conduct and sentenced to dismissal from the army.

Last Road Bonds Were Sold Galveston, Tex.-The City National bank of Galveston Wednesday purchased the remaining bonds of the \$250,000 Galveston county road boad

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WHAT ANGERED MRS. WILBUR

Mabel's Comment Taken Entirely Too Scriously and Friendship Was Rudely Jarred.

"That Mrs. Wilbur is so angry sho won't speak to me," confided Mabel to Ethel.

"Really!" exclaimed Ethel. "And what is she angry about? "I haven't the slightest iden," said Mabel. We met a couple of days ago, and we were talking as friendly

as possible, when suddenly she flared up and she hasn't noticed me since. "What were you talking about?" Inquired Ethel.

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"Why, nothing in particular," ex-plained Mabel. "Just the ordinary small talk. I remember she said. I always kiss my husband three or four times every day."

"And what did you say?" asked Ethel, in an effort to get at the root of the trouble.

"Why, I said." replied the other, "'I know at least a dozen girls who do from all over the state in regard to the same, and then she nearly had a fit.

> Quite the Style. Friend-How is your son spending

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Fort Worth, Tex - Summary of developments at Fort Worth gathering of democrats:

Efforts to nominate a candidate for governor fail.

Governor O. B. Colquitt declares for

General Felix Robertson withdraws from race and declares for Colonel Chomus H. Ball.

Fort Worth, Tex .- The conference of constructive democrats was held Tuesday for a few minutes and adjournment taken In a signed state ment this committee declares that their reason for not going ahead with the conference as announced on Monday was because "in the confusion and conflict of personal ambitions and selfish interests, conservative democrats have feared to be committed in any action which might violate their principles and have refused to attend a conference in sufficient numbers to warrant organization at this time,"

The call issued on April 3 by J. Sheb Williams, Paul Waples, Louis J. Wortham, W. N. Waddell, Scott Fulton and O. P. Pyle was for a conference of "open-minded" delegates for political situation, and if possible to select a strong candidate to make the race for governor against. Tom Ball, democratic party.

Constructive leaders declare that a great many of the delegates who came to Fort Worth to attend the confereace were instructed for Ferguson, having been selected in the primary held under the call originally sent out by Bryan T. Barry of Dallas, which was revoked and the call for the con-Terence made in its stead. For this reason the original purposes of the conference could not be carried out it was stated.

This latter call was signed by a ommittee of six, all of whom signed the statement calling off the Tuesday ing! conference at Fort Worth, with the exception of O. P. Pyle of Belton, who remained away from the city altogether.

W. Morris of Hood County:

provides that democratic nominations had many thousands of his money. all be determined by count of th ballots cast by all the democrats at the July primary election, and,

land; now, therefore, be it

vention. That we condemn, as not only would be be more content to go undemocratic, but also as being unand unlawful action."

The resolution was adopted unani mously by a rising vote.

John McKay, campaign manager for James Ferguson, gave out a statement at Temple . It reads, in part, as fol-

"I am gratified to learn that those given the extraordinary supper. attending the conference became con vinced of the justice, propriety and regularity of Isaving the nomination for governor to the popular rule and ently maintained

Ferguson's campaign.

Four Killed in Auto Wreck.

citizens of Williamson County were ous gaiety? He smiled-the wan smile killed and two slightly hurt Wednes of the prisoner who sees his friends day when a Katy passenger train and joys in them before he marches struck an automobile containing six to the guillotine. men. The dead Former Constable G. T. Robinson, C. C. Grosset, W. J. stir when he arrived. There always Joiner, Joseph Howell, all of Flor was a stir in restaurants when he ar patrimony and the utter hopelessness and W. A. Howell, all of Florence.

Panama Railroad Traffic Grows.

States and to foreign countries.

Bond Issue Election Won.

district Wednesday resulted in a vicschool building and a maintenance tax of 20c.

Customs Collector Is Indorsed.

Washington-Senators Sheppard and Culberson have joined in a recommendation that R. E. Latimer of Port Arthus be appointed collector of cus toms at that point.

FROM THE PLAY OF GEORGE M. COHAN WITH PHOTOGRAPHS FROM SCENES IN THE PLAY OF GEORGE M. COHAN FROM SCENES IN THE PLAY OF GEORGE M. COHAN COPYRIGHT, 1945, 69 GIRL DILLINGMAN CO.

Jackson Jones, nicknamed "Broadway" because of his continual glorification of New York's great thoroughfare, is anxious to get away from his home town of Jonesyflie. Abner Jones, his uncle, is very angry because Broadway refuses to settle down and take a place in the gum factory in which he succeeded to his father's interest. Judge Spotswood informs Broadway that \$250,000 left him by his father is at his disposal. Broadway makes record time in heading for his favorite street in New York. With his New York friend, Robert Wallace, Broadway creates a sensation by his extrava-

CHAPTER III .- Continued.

the purpose of discussing the present an elaborate monogram, of which the disconsciate lobster's shape with a widow and was worth a million. from her whom he had left so short a voutly folded on its breast time before. Mrs. Gerard, by means that would unite all factions of the of it, implored him to become a mem- pitable, easy, readier to listen than edly had festered in his brain! Here only faded flower in the gay group, his master. ber of a theater and supper party for that evening. The note almost was affectionate

The theater and supper parties were to both occur in Broadway! Ah. Broadway! It would be hard to leave leads out of the light into the shadows!

It occurred to Broadway Jones that loved which were so fully to his like shook as he raised his glass to the

And then another plan flashed into his mind. Why not give a farewell supper? No one but himself would Former State Senator W. P. Se know it was a farewell supper all the bastian of Stephens County obtained rest would think it just the best afrecognition and offered the following fair of many fine affairs which Broadresolution, signed besides himself, by way Jones had given. The restaurant Jack Crotty of Erath County, Dr. P. H. which gave it would be paid undoubt Chilton of Comanche County and B. edly out of the residue of his estate. and if there wasn't any residue the "Whereas, The statute law of Texas restaurant could well afford to lose. It

He would make this dinner-no: would be better to make it a supperelectrified Broadway. respect and abide by the law of the sound with joyful chords and merry realization of the disappearance of his lace gaily. laughter; in short that supper should "Resolved by this democratic con- achieve the limit and surpass it. Then

He locked the poison and the fire inwful all nominations made by any arm carefully in a deak drawer. He gatherisg or faction, and recommend called Rankin, and, to that staid servto the democratic voters that by their ant's great delight roade out the list vote they rebuke such undemocratic of invitations to the wildest supper he had ever planned; he telephoned to his good friend, the restaurateur. Returning to the study he took the poison and the pistol from the drawer and put them in another. The second drawer had two locks, while the first drawer had but one. He refused again to think about them until after he had

CHAPTER IV.

The asphalt glittered with the glaze had passed the nomination for a gov- of recent rain, redecting countless ernor up to the people to be deter- lights of many colors. The sidewalks, mined in the democratic way in the crowded with gay theater-goers, were regular statewide primary to be held as colorful and animated as the changin July, a position that Mr. Ferguson ing figures of a child's kaleidoscope, has taken from the first and consist- and he smiled at them. Even the odoi of burned gasoline which drowned the "The results of the conference will perfume of fair women's presence in no manner alter the plans of Mr seemed as frankincense and myrrh to hlm-for this was Broadway, the beloved thoroughfare.

And was it not to be his last night in its glitter, his last hearing of its Georgetown, Tex -Four prominent medley, his last glimpsing of its nerv-

In the restaurant there was obvious ence. The, injured: Lester Grosser rived. With a practiced and a clever of everything. He looked at the great eye he examined with great care the decoration in the center of the table private dining-room wherein was to be and said gravely, so that all might sung the swan song of his spendthriftiness. It was extremely well arranged, one but the dobster: Washington - Two small isthmian the table was a dazzling sight, the railways -- the Panama railway, forty flowers were gorgeous and of all-per know a bigger lobster than you ever his millions for their very own. miles in length, and the Tehuantepec vading fragrance, the colored candle were -and itching palms,

> riously from the firm and hearty hand- who was he, and where? clasp of Bob Wallace, to the merry kiss of Inez Vasquez Marquez, Spanish dancer, born in Keokuk, who would for that is-some-lobster." leave early so that she might dance late on the bill at the Spring Garden. There was a flutter with the entrance ed the whole tableful.

Her once pretty but now age-puckered face had been as thoroughly concealed as possible with various expensive substances which are found in beauty parlors, and her hair was probably the most costly in that part of town that night, and this is saying fool to do it?"

ter of the table, its antennae extend down. I meaned toward the host, one of its claws a tray. Broadway steadfastly main grily toward Bob Wallace's place. At tion which arose from all the men, the ever guesses right gets a cigar." tained that if a drowning man asked each lady's place were little lobsters, chorus of mock criticism which arose The pink envelope was marked with arette case had been fashioned into a one sat on his right, that woman was one was the right one. dominant letter was a "G." It was curled-up tail and drooping claws de

> Broadway was a perfect host, hosfellowship for his men guests.

he might decently accept this invita earnest cow-explorer which was cred which should be at once that of a son tion, even if the crowd which she ited with having first laid out the for an indulgent mother and a nearwould have would probably be not street. The thought continually ob drowned man for his rescuer! Why quite to his liking. Ah, there were truded that this must be to him a not? Why not? Why not marry Mrs. crowds upon the thoroughfare he funeral, not a festal feast. His hand Gerard? first toast.

Visions of that blued-steel automatic Winter Garden dancer wore across the her menu card: table from him; oh, how the red of that red label differed from the red of the red roses! It was not at all the red of the red lobster!

In his dining he had reached that scribbled. stage where over-stimulated emotion found an outlet in the bitterest self- nate youth answered. condemnation which he yet had manthe finest little supper which had yet aged to evolve since the beginning of reply. It should his self-condemnatory days that is, "Whereas, All good citizens should sparkle, it should fizz, it



Mrs. Gerard.

"You may be big, old chap, but \

railway, 190 miles long-carried in shades cast a subdued, artistic glow It happened at that instant that a 1913 \$130,500,000 worth of merchan upon the whole. The head waiter pause had come in the excited joy dise, brought to their termini by ves himself, his neck enchained in sign ousness about him one of those brief, sels from the United States to be re of office, was in personal control of unexpected silences which never fail loaded at the opposite termini and details, his staff had been well picked at least once in every dinner-party, to shipped to other ports of the United from Broadway's favorites among sub reveal to everyone some saying which ordinates; a very pretty girl, who the sayer wished to have unheard by smiled at Broadway sweetly, wistfully, the majority. Always it is something as a peasant maid might smile at a awkward, inadvertent, stupid or un crown prince, was ready to accept and wholesome which is thus made bla-Thorndale, Tex.-The election held check the ladies wraps, while the tantly the property of everybody's in the Thorndale independent school small boy in butions, who was to sort ears. This night it was our young and store the outer garments of the bost's confidential statement to the tory for the \$20,000 bond issue for a gentlemen, was ready with bright eyes great, red decorative lobster in the enter of his dinner table.

The party arrived promptly, coming | There was a chorus of inquiry, If in a bunch and greeting Broadway va- Broadway knew a bigger lobster. "Be careful, Broadway! Don't name any friend of ours! We'd get peevish,

> "Who is it, Broadway?" "Name, Broadway; name!" demand-

of not for emergencies, but for appear- rose and bowed. "I'm it!" he answered. "I."

Protests chorused. "What hard-hearted girl has turned less a smile. you down, Broadway?" asked the lovelly Inez.

Realizing that this did not sound

murmured. Ah, that thought which so repeatdeclaim, full of admiration for the were millions which admired him! ladies, full of the perfection of good Here were millions which would pay the debts which had piled up, which At first he found it difficult to put would make the bottle with the would be the last of all his gorgeous blued-steel barrel quite unnecessary! head that after these wild hours he which, if he accepted them, he could upon the puzzled party. would be as far from Broadway as that offer adequate return in a devotion

"No girl could turn you down," had

been her words. In the hurly-burly of the questions pistol and that bottle with its crimson and the answers, the frolic and the derfully feigned embarrassment as she outer hall, where he stood near the label floated momently before his eyes. nonsense, he scarcely had an opportu-Ah, that steel was not the blue of nity to speak to her in tender words, the diaphanous gown which the pretty but he answered her by scribbling on

"Couldn't you?"

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"Because I love you," the unfortu-"I love you, too," she scribbled in them

dered "It's a new kind of game of some notably fine glassware, did a gay hearts. It's played with menu cards | pas-seul among the wrecks of sangui-Shut up!?

"It can't be true," he scribbled. "It is true," she wrote.

swered.

he must leave.

It seemed to Broadway that the him had not provided. others mattered less. For Wallace his affection was so genuine that it include lady with a skillful simulation of emed an intense desire to hold the man's barrassment. "You naughty, naughty respect. Sighing with relief he called boy!" the major domo to his side as soon as Bob had gone and whispered to him tremely lucky!" said the wholly unthat all glasses must be filled. -With the intense alacrity which the youthful spendthrift's orders were everywhere observed along Broadway, this was attended to, and he rose to his feet with all the dignity he could command. "Friends," he said, "I want to tell hiding place around the corner, was you something. I want to tell you of

Is it a hard luck story, Broadway?

someone asked. "Er-yes," said he. "I mean-" "Jackson!" said a soft voice (peraps a little cracked) close at his side

ith something of reproach in it. "For the lady," he hastily corrected. Hard luck for the lady. I'm-I'm going to be married.

The men shouted and there were more than one among the ladies who were seriously agitated, their number hear, although he was addressing no being co-equivalent to the number who themselves at one time or another had had hopes of winning Broadway and Everywhere about him rose the

shout: "Who is she, Broadway? Name! Name!

He swayed there on his feet, a somewhat sickly smile upon his face, his hand elaborately spilling champagne on his shirt front, a fact of which he was in ignorance and which no one oted for a time. It was Mrs. Gerard ho called attention to it by elaboitely dabbing at him with her handrebief.

There were proprietary details even movement of her hands and some owd wits suspected for an instant. n though they put the wild idea n them as absurd before it gained sochold in their minds,

The is she, Broadway? Name! e! Name!" the shouts insisted. uess!" said Broadway strangely.

been drinking very busily since for several years in the same capacity | ter to every word!"

brought with her her own maid, while life which he loathed to quit, yet felt execution. He had been certain he flowers from ladies' corsages, table Jackson Jones, nicknamed "Broadway" her footman waited in the corridor, that he could not continue, Broadway would need some artificial courage. | Bouquets and men's boutonnieres. One

across the table, and Viola (who was found in his hands as he arrived upon "Who is it, Broadway? Who could present in the makeup which she had the sidewalk. A lady, being under the possibly have the heart or been the worn from the stage of a near theater, impression that the wedding had been where she had, that evening, acted celebrated while she briefly napped up way creates a sensation by his extravagames on the White Way. Four years
pass and Broadway.

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him a game on the White Way. Four years
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him a game so languishing that he almost had to turn his face away.

"No girl has ever turned me down,"
with the advice to chew it and forget his
troubles. He quietly seeks work without

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"No girl has ever turned me down,"
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way of asking her the fateful quesway, as yet, only Broadway's flances.

"But you can't walk without it." Mrs. Gerard, his neighbor, bent on powerfully the part of a wronged and at the table, insisted upon throwing gantic floral lobster occupied the cen girl has ever had a chance to turn me tion! She had had high hopes of him.

Perhaps-"No," he answered thickly. "Guess most careful to bring everything upon fond of the ladies, for it yearned hund if he could, but the howl of approbal tellect's the only thing'll do it. Who- into tears.

Rankin to bring help he would first nicely wrought of gold, with jeweled from all the women, drowned his voice. aldies present who was not favored before the long and rangy touring car go to get a tray to take it to him on eyes, for each male guest a silver cig. From all the women except one. That by some speculative mind, and that reached the granite archway which in-

Guesser after guesser named some the bachelor apartment in which Ran-"No girl could turn you down," she of the young and vivid creatures of kin waited for him, sleeping, but with that almost wholly young and vivid one ear open for the riot which frefeminine company, none guessed the quently attended the home-coming of Broadway; never dreaming of the ag- The car had scarcely come to a ony which filled the faded flower's standstill before both eyes were open. much powdered bosom because of the And as the eyes appeared from their omission of her name, feeling few emo- snug hiding places behind fat lids, his out of his mind the thought that this crimson label and the weapon with the tions, really, other than the keen sen- ears achieved astonishment. His massation of relief from his financial worder had returned at early hours on it by the chilly by path, death, which nights on Broadway. The notion Here were millions which would solve ries, stood smiling somewhat vacantly, previous occasions accompanied by fought for permanent position in his the last one of his difficulties and for but, on the whole, without much pain. merry friends, but they had never

"Go on, guess with your brains," he genially suggested. "It's mind, not What could it mean? foot-work, that will win the prize."

But none guessed. Realizing that in this was something covetable position of consort to the youth, Mrs. Gerard attracted everyone's attention, presently, by a wonrose and stood by Broadway's side.

He felt certain that she gasped with who were so sure of this that they congratulatory talk. believed a joke was hidden somewhere Why do you say such th'ngs?" she in the episode, but the majority were frequent of the crowding, earnest so well trained to Broadway's genius words. for producing mad extravagance that they simply charged this up as one of

sprang lightly to a table, and, to the "Don't interrupt, Bob," Broadway or destruction of the floral lobster and nary shells and emptied bottles. The He turned again to his delighted, if head waiter smiled, knowing that ancient partner in the novel pastime. whatever might be broken would be charged up in the bill at double value and paid for without question by the "Will you marry me?" he scrawled. sensational spendthrift, to whose own With a coy look at him which made | wealth was now linked the extraordihim feel a little faint, but without an nary fortune of the recent John Gerard instant's hesitation, "Yes," she an (wholesale leather) who had made his millions, married a very vital lady It was tremendously to the relief of of his own ripe years and then died of the young host that Bob Wallace, at sheer antiquity, to leave her, triumabout this moment, rose and said that | phant in superior vitality, relict and craving for that galety which life with

"Broadway!" breathed the ancient

"Naughty, possibly; but how exexpected bridegroom-elect without a quiver, much to his own surprise and self-congratulation. As it broke up the party rioted with

joy, very largely alcoholic, Mrs. Gerard's car, when it came up from its

of Mrs. Gerard, for, as ever, she | Gloomy and dissatisfied with that | the dreadful thought had been put into | straightway encumbered with the It gathered in his soul and helped enthusiast thrust in a potted palm, him fashion an extraordinary smile- and Mrs. Gerard screamed when she vacuous and tremulous, but none the sat on it. Another made a thoughtful contribution of two lobster-claws "Viola?" hazarded a reckless youth which, to his astonishment, he had

> escort pleaded earnestly. "I'd limp a year for Broadway," she

Rankin brought him a pink envelope stretched toward the seat reserved for gallant, being instinctively, by nature, again. Three guesses. It's going to insisted, missed Mrs. Gerard's coffure upon a little silver tray. Rankin was Mrs. Gerard, the other somewhat less a gallant, he would have modified it take some brains, I tell you that! In- by a quarter of an inch and then burst

Four yellow government notes were There was only one among the placed in circulation in police circles vited entrance ten stories underneath

chosen as their happy, matin song, the "Wedding March from Lohengrin."

Going to the window he craned out. trying to see what was going on upon the sidewalk, but the extending corlike reflection on her fitness for the nice underneath the window made this quite impossible, although the touring car beyond the curb was visible. This lacked interest, so he hurried to the elevator shaft and listened earnestly. The party gasped, but rose to the oc Presently, as the group succeeded in casion as soon as it could get its getting up the three stairs leading breath again. It was incredible, and from the sidewalk into the ground floor there were those among the guests hall, he caught a word or two of thick,

"'Sh'ou joy, ol' man," was the most

What could it mean?

and the swift swish of the ascending A dancer who had been brought up car, Rankin withdrew to the apart-"What sort of game are you two from the cabaret below after one ment, there to linger, waiting for his tered curiosity.

Devoured with curiosity he stood walting as his master entered through the outer door which he considerately had left ajar for him. He had guessed at certain details of his young employer's probable condition and knew that in the midst of just those details Broadway was impatient of latch-keys, bell-ringing or even knuckle-tapping on the door.

The first thing he noted as the unsteady Broadway entered was the fact that his silk hat had been reversed upon his head; the second was that someone evidently had been sitting on his ragian cape while it had been rolled rather carelessly; the third was that his face wore an expression of relief and peace with all the world.

Not so unsteadily that he falled en tirely to reach the goal Jackson tacked across the room and found the window. His friendly escort was still evidently in his mind, for from the open window he now waved a genial handkerchief, whispering meanwhile "Night-night," as if the hearty spirit which induced the words would take them to the sidewalk ten score feet below.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

INSANITY IN ROYAL FAMILIES | to his insane father. In neither case,

Than the Exception Among Occupants of European Thrones.

We have to go very far back in the

life of the deposed King Otto of Bavaria to find any allusions to him which show him otherwise than as a funatic. But as a boy he is quoted to have been at pains to be cheerful and agreeable, while his elder brother Lud. she greatly admired for her intellectwig sulked. They were brought up on a severe system of economy, being allowed only 50 cents a week. The story used to be told that Prince Otto, hearing that sound teeth were a saleable commodity, went to a dentist's and offered to have his own extracted for a consideration.

The deposition of King Otto brings touch of insanity. King Otto's mother lidy-except you, miss." was Princess Marie of Prussia, closely of the old kaiser, and granduncle of friend always put a small 'I' for the the present emperor-who lost his personal pronoun 1?" reason in 1857, and for four years had

felt less worry than he would to be superseded by the prince of hie is very hard-worked. She mu felt before he had imbibed the Prussia as regent-just as George IV. have been in a 'urry. When she 'as aw glasses of champagne. He of England, for the same reason, acted plenty o' time she puts a capital let-

however, was there a deposition as Unreason Seems to Be the Rule Rather now in Bavaria, as both the periods of regency were so short. Long before the official declaration of his infirmity, Frederick William's fantastical sentimentality had amounted almost to insanity.

Matilda, maid of all work, had received a letter from a friend whom ual attainments. With glowing pride she placed the epistle in the hands of her young mistress, a very clever high school girl, and, as the latter in dulgently perused, the ungrammatical but copperplate effusion, she kept up a running comment.

'She's a marvel!" exclaimed the little maid, with conviction, flercely reminder that the Bavarian is not the blacking the kitchen stove. "I dunno only royal family in Germany with a that I know-a better edicated young

"A remarkably well-written letter. akin to Frederick William IV .- brother Matilda. But tell me, why does your

"I'll tell you, miss," she cried. "W



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At a special session of the Commissioners' Court last Monday the court cut County Treasurer A. B. for receiving and disbursing county the entire locality. funds, and further ordered that he be allowed no commissions for money borrowed for the Kerrville road precinct. It is understood that there has been a controversy between the court and Mr. Williamson growing out of an agreement to waive commissions arising out of the \$40,000 bond issue voted by the Kerrville precinct. The bonds have not been sold, but the court authorized the Commissioner of the Kerrville precinct to borrow several thousand dollars to be paid out by him in road work and the loan to be repaid out of the proceeds of the bonds when sold. The money was borrowed and has been disbursed, and the court's order forbids the payment of any commissions to the treasurer.

The law fixes the treasurer's disbursing county funds unless otherwise fixed by the court. The law as well as the oath and bond of the treasurer make him the custodian of county funds, and he is made reat Austin. Among many endorsemiles, Hasper 21 miles. to keep correct accounts of all re- to say of him: "He is a dilligent splendid system of water works. The ceipts and disbursements, make de- student and eminently qualified for streets and \$40,000 has been voted for tailed reports, etc. While the court the position; his record as a public road improvements in this precinct. is given the power to fix the com- official and his active interest in feet. The Guadalupe river, which missions the law evidently contemplates reasonable commissions and public questions, have disclosed through the city. On the east side where the city is located, there are certainly never intended to confer to the principles of good high bluff's on the river, and on the west side is a fertile and beautiful valauthority to require the laborious government, and he is the type of ley, and mountains surround the city to be performed for nothing. Mr. should elevate to their highest and ranchmen, and the mountain re-Williamson is concededly a faithful positions." and efficient officer, and is not a creature of the court, but has been elected three times by the votes of you kill the monster liquor traffic land generally is well woodled, princithe county. He is entitled to reasonable compensation, if any at all, chance to grow up sober. You may water excellent for performing the duties of his drink, but you don't want your boy office, and of course no court or to drink. Only the liquor dealers fa, cotton and corn, and fruit and veg- didate for the office of Sheriff and other authority can legally deprive want the boys to be debauched, etables do well. Kerrville is one of a person of his commissions, salary Good men whether they drink or and large quantities of wool, mohain, or wages that he has already earned. not will be with us on this issue."

the court which gives no reason for money is the root of all evil." putting the treasurer under the court's ban.

Judge Garrett for Congress

Hon. Daniel E. Garrett of Houston has announced for re-election for Congressman-at-large, there being two to be elected. Judge Garrett was the Democratic nominee at an overwhelming majority. He was most Germans of this town. Miss currency law, and is a thorough man social songs and B. Schleifer Phone or write. Texas Phone. progressive Democrat. He favors a will deliver a speech in which he County, Texas. their farms at lower rates of inter- tainment will take place at Pampell's est, and while not considering pro- Hall, Saturday, May 9th, at 8 o'clock hibition a party question, he has p. m. Admission 50 cents. always supported prohibition, and Proceeds will be given to the says with regard to the saloon: "I building fund of the New Lutheran regard the saloon as the one great church. enemy of the home, the church, the school and the State, and my opinion is it has no proper place in our civilization." Having proved true to progressive Democracy the Democrats of Texas will no doubt give Judge Garrett a second term. He is for the office of Sheriff and Taxa lawyer of fine attainments and a brilliant campaigner.

Antonio, Judge Gordon Boone of age-plenty old enough to make a Corpus Christi and Judge James B. good sheriff. He is making the Wells of Brownsville, though not race because he wants the office and favoring prohibition, are among the believes he can satisfactorially fill it, strongest supporters of Thomas H. and will appreciate a kind consider-Ball for Governor,

Community Co-Operation

F. P. HOLLAND

are men and women who go or cident, that her purchasing list insend to the larger cities for many of cluding a certain standard make of cities than at home.

opment of the communities in which freight. Williamson's commissions to one they live. Nevertheless they retard mill or one-thousandth of a dollar rather than assist the progress of chase of these two articles resulted

> In a certain small Southwestern town a woman, whom I will call dollars. She found the class of Mrs. A., had just completed a very handsome home and had signified an intention of purchasing her furniture dled two "Trademarked-Advertised" in a distant city.

> A local furniture dealer was very persistent in his solicitation for the order, but to no avail-Mrs. A. simply thought she wanted better although she had not inspected his always give your local merchants

the contemplated trip this progres- way of prices and service.

Ex-State Senator J. J. Faulk of Athens is a candidate for Judge of the Criminal Court of appeals to suc- has a population of about 2500, is sitceed Judge W. L. Davidson. Judge Antonio, and is the terminus of the Faulk has as strong endorsements Kerrville branch of the S. A. & A. P. commissions at 2 1-2 per cent for from those who know him personally and from San Antonio, and daily mail receiving and 2 1-2 per cent for as any candidate can produce. He routes, carrying passengers in hacks, to Ingram, Junction, Rock Springs sponsible for the funds and required ments, Hon. Cone Johnson has this Kerrville has electric lights and a ponsible duties of the office man whom the people of Texas on the east and west. The Guadalupe valley is occupied by thrifty farmers

In another column under the head There is no argument for the of the Commissioners' Court pro- liquor traffic but the love of money, ceedings we publish the order of and as St. Paul said, "the love of

> Forty-one million people in the United States now live in prohibition communities, and the noble column Kerrville and the adjoining towns are is marching forward, never back-

Germans to Entertain.

German entertainment will be the last election and was elected by given by the co-operation of forerural credit or banking law so that will compare European and Amerifarmers can obtain loans to improve can social conditions. The enter-

George McElroy for Sheriff

In the proper column in this issue of the Advance will be found the announcement of George McElroy Collector of Kerr County. Mr. Mc-Elroy is a Kerr County boy born and raised, being a son of Steve McElroy Ex-Senator Marshall Hicks of San of Center Point, and is 29 years of ation of his candidacy.

In nearly every community there sive merchant learned, quite by actheir purchases, believing that they kitchen cabinet and a well-known can "do better" in the stores of the refrigerator. Both articles he kept in stock and, as he explained to Mrs. These people are usually not mali- A, his prices were the same as elsecious barriers to growth and devel- where, and he could save her the

Her visit to his store for the purin her buying practically the entire bill, amounting to over a thousand goods desired and prices were right.

The fact that this merchant hanarticles enabled him to secure a large sale that he would otherwise

I do not ask any person to patronize his local merchants if he can do better elsewhere, but you should the benefit of your purchases if they have the articles wanted and will A few days prior to the date of offer as good inducements in the

Is the county seat of Kerr County, railroad. It has two daily trains to

The elevation at Kerrville is 1750 gions, among which there is consider able valley, creek and arable land, there are large ranches of cattle horses, sheep and goats, all of which Capt. Richard P. Hobson: "When do well in the Kerrville country. The

> Our farmers grow wheat, oats and all other small grain, cane and alfalthe largest wool markets in the state, cotton, oats, cattle, etc., are shipped from this point.

The climate of the Kerrville country is unsurpassed. The winters are short and generally mild and invigorating owing to the dryness of the climate and the prevalence of sunshine The summers are cool and delightful, and the mountain air is pure and bracing. Game abounds in the Kerrville ountry, and fishing in the Guadalupe, especially north of Kerrville, is go popular resorts for health and recrea-

The Kerrville Commercial Club, any of the different Realty Companies or any of our citizens, will be pleased to give prospective residents or visitors further information.

FOR SALE

500 acres of land, 50 acres in cultivation and more can be put in. for President Wilson's nomination Clara Herzog will render a selection Hog and sheep proff fence, good and has stood unqualifiedly by the of classic songs; Miss Hilda Real house and windmill. Price \$9.00 President in Congress. He support- will give a piano solo, the Concordia per acre, \$2,000 down and balance ed the tariff and income tax and Singing Club will sing several Ger- on long time at 6 per cent interest.



Man But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community. Catch the Idea?

CAR OF NEW BUCGES

and Hacks Just Arrived AT THE BIGGEST BUGGY HOUSE IN KERRVILLE

I have no time to talk; I am too busy selling buggies.

I have on display a car of the latest up-to-date Buggies, Hacks and Surreys, Come in and see them.

I Now is the time to buy before they are picked over.

I sell more buggies because I give better buggies for the money. I have on my floor the Henney, the Freeport, the Velie and Hercules Buggies.

J. E. PALMER

Lowry Building, Kerrville, Texas

Announcements

The Advance is authorized to announce George McElroy as a can-Tax-Collector of Kerr County at the and 8:00 p. m. ensuing November election

FARMER'S INSTITUTE

To be held at Center Point, Texas

Saturday April 25, at 2 p. m. 1. The Home Canner. B F Killbugh.

2. Dry Weather Forage Crops Geo. E. Meeks, Geo. Walker. Stock Law in Pre. No. 2.

John Rees.

4. The Home Garden, Mrs. H. Schulze 5. Farmer's Fire Insurance J.

C. Baxtier. 6. Go'od Roads, Everybody. Come early. J. C. BAXTER, Sec.

Mad at Paint

25c a grallon for paint is about \$2.50 on the average job, and lots of men waited last year for that; p. m. but they didn't recon; they got mad; wouldn't pay it. There are times to glet mad and refuse to pay; but all to visit these services. when one's property needs protectirig is no time to get mad and not paint.

Besides, it costs more to get mad and wait than to paint.

Getting mad doesn't do any good to your property; paint does it good by keeping-out water; no rot; no paint, some water and rot; and a little rot is more than enough to list and 3rd Sundays in each month at make a man liberal towards his the Union Church. Sunday School at painter and paint.

Paint costs not a cent. All the . paint in the world, so long as it keeps-out water, costs not a cent. DEVOE.

H. Noll Stock Co. Sells it.

FOR RENT-Rooms at reasonable prices, furnished or unfurnished. Ring Phone No. 237.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Methodist Church S. J. DRAKE, Pastor

Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Starkey, Superintendent. Epworth League 7 p. m. Mark. Mosty, President.

First Baptist Church

D. P. AIRHART, Pastor J. T. S. GAMMON, Treasurer Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. in

and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. A. B. Meets at Fawcett's Hall, 2nd and 4th Williamson, Superintendent; Howard Thursday nights in each month. Butt, Secretary.

Prayer Services every Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock. Church choir practice every Friday night.

The Ladies Aid meets every Tuesday at 3 p. m. Mrs. R. S. Newman, President; Mrs. A. A. Roberts, Secretary and Treasurer. Missionary Program 1st Tuesday in each month

Presbyterian Church

W. P. Dickey, Pastor Preaching every Sunday, 11:00 a. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00

Services will begin and close prompt ly on time. A cordial invitation is extended to

Episcopal Church

Preaching services II a m and 8:00 p. m. every Sunday. Litary and sermon Friday nights at Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Rev. P. A. Brunner. Pastor

Lutberan Church

B. Schleifer, Prstor.

THE LODGES

W. O. W. Meets at Fawcett's Hall on First and Third Wednesday nights in each

> A. Mosty, C. C. A. F. Thigpon, Clerk.

WOODMEN CIRCLE Meets on the Second and Fourth Mon

days in each month at Fawcett's Hall Mrs. Lilah Moore,

Mrs. Elizabeth Mosty, Clerk

O. E. S.

Meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday nights of each month at Masonic Hall Mrs. Ettie Townes, Worthy Matron Dr. E. Galbraith, Worthy Patron. Mrs. Eron Williamson, Secretary.

K. of P.

Lodge No 166 meets on 1st and 3rd Thursdays in each month at Fawcett's

Silas F. Howard, C. C.

W. W. Noll, Clerk.

Lodge No. 697 meets at Masonic Hall on Saturday night on or before full

moon each month A. W. Henke, W. M. E. Gold, Secretary.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

Meets 1st and 3rd Friday evenings of each month at Fawcett's Hall. Mrs. J. E. Grinstead, M. E. C. Miss Mabel Davie, M. of R. & C.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

THE COURTS DISTRICT COURT

R. H. Burney, District Judge; L. J. Brucks, District Attorney, Court meets First Monday in January and Fourth Monday in June

COUNTY COURT Meets for Probate business on First Monday's in February, April, June, August, October and December, Lee Wallace, Judge.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT Meets Second Monday's in February, May, August and November.

COUNTY OFFICERS Lee Wallace, Judge

W. G. Garrett, County Attorney John R. Leavell, Clerk J. T. Moore, Sheriff B. Williamson, Treasurer G. Peterson, Assessor A. L. Starkey, Surveyor

OUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Arthur Real Pre. No. 1 John Rees, Hugo Wiedenfeld, J. M. Webb Pre. No 3 E. H. Turner, Justice P. Pre. No. Jas. Crotty, Justice P. Pre. No. Ed Smith, Justice P. Pre. No. 3

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For a Graduation Present

Nothing is nicer than a



More real enjoyment may be gotten out of Kodaking than almost anything else.

Buy an Eastman

JEWELRY and KODAK STORE.

We are IT for presents for Graduates.

Local Notes

day from Noxville where he put in Ingram on a few days visit. a shearing outfit for Mr. Parker.

You will always find up-to-the- Model Tailoring Co. minute styles in leather goods, such as Mary Jane, Baby Doll, Doris, Tulip and Stroller at

Miss Jeanie Hodges is visiting her brother, Jack Hodges, at Fredericksburg this week.

line men's fancy belts. J. E. Palmer. here.

dressed men that know. West Texas Supply Co.

Our big dress goods department we'll be glad to show you at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morriss and two Fine assortment of fresh candies small children are down from their just received at Pearson's. Divide ranch visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morriss.

Mrs. Truman Hill of Center Point The novelty Dress Goods in the Mrs. T. O. Baker.

Model Tailoring Co.

satisfactory price.

for mohair.

cents per yard at

legal business.

family of Kerrville.

made, just received at

H. Noll Stock Co.

Attorney Cilbert C. Storms made

Good young milk cow for sale,

Apply to R. E. Buckner.

West Texas Supply Co.

J. H. Burns, County Clerk of

I have installed a new harness

J. E. Palmer, Lowrey Bldg.

27-inch embroidery flouncing only

H. Noll Stock Co.

18 cents per yard. See our big

and will no doubt be pushing his

We economize for your benefit. A 35c meal for 25c at the new

Depot Restaurant.

claims for matrimony next.

anteed. C. L. Word, agent.

and our number is 117.

machine and other new tools and I

w patterns at West Texas Supply Co.

Mrs. Effic Davis who has been ere for some time visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Freeman, returned from Center Point with his wool to San Antonio a few days ago.

Embroidery flouncing 18 inches wide for 10c per yard. See our big show window at

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wood of

H. Noll Stock Co.

city Saturday.

Cane seed for sale at West Texas Supply Ce.

FOR SALE --- Five nice shoats, 7 cents a pound. J. R. McVicker, 36 inches wide. Finest quality, 65 Mountain Home, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leinweber and baby of Ingram spent last Friday in Kerrville visiting and a trip to San Antonio yesterday on shopping.

The best is none too good for our customers. Call for Del Monte good milk and butter cow, fresh. brand canned goods if you desire mething extra good.

West Texas Supply Co.

Claud Mayfield of Medina spent John Lohmann returned yester- Monday in Kerrville on his way to

Guaranteed Suits, \$15 to \$50 at

Miss Edney and Miss Holcombe of San Antonio are guests at the Riggs West Texas Supply Co. cottages for a few weeks.

> Cane seed for sale at West Texas Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Chelchowski and I have just received an up-to-date little son are recent arrivals from San Antonio to spend the Summer

Every man knows what "Royal" Valencienne laces, 3000 yards to repairing and new harness work. means, the master over all, and we select from. Price 2-1-2 cents per Give us a trial. handle the Rayal Tailoring for well- yard. See our big show window at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mrs. O. T. Anderson and son Marshal of the San Antonio district, Is Clara Smith has returned Morriss Hannis, of Olney arrived in was in Kerrville on business between Cuero where she recently fin- Kerrville last Saturday for a visit trains Monday. d her term of teaching school. to Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morriss.

is the talk among the ladies. Come Miss Ethel Hardcastle visited in show window at Center Point Tuesday and Wednes-

Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

There was quite an excitement in is spending the week here visiting town last Tuesday when it was reported (by some one) that Oscar Nowlin had gone to work. When Best cleaning and pressing at asked to explain, Mr. Nowlin said "It was either go to work or go to the poor house, so I have gone to Albert Rees was here Tuesday work."

Mrs. Ridgway and daughter, Miss which he sold to local buyers at a Melia, of Mississippi are visiting relatives and friends on Verde creek

For Novelty Dress Goods and Bro. J. M. Witt filled his regular trimmings you better see the up-to- appointment here Sunday.

date store, West Texas Supply Co. Quite a crowd of Center Point young people chaperoned by Miss The big freighting wagons are Brent and Miss Janie Rees, came Center Point were visitors to our rolling in every day from the West out to the famous Camp Verde loaded with wool and mohair. The springs last Saturday on a picnic. top price being paid by local buyers They were a jolly crowd and seemed is 18 cents for wool and 26 3-4 cents to have a good time. Come again young people. We will insure you a hearty welcome, always. White or cream color all-over net

Mr. E. O. Hartshorne and wife of Center Point and Mr. O. Nowlin and wife of Camp Verde made a flying trip to Bandera and Medina Tuesday.

We are glad to welcome our old friend and neighbor H. T. Smith and family back to our community.

The farmers and ranchmen of this community are all wearing broad smiles; the fine prospects for a good crop and the high price of wool is

Mrs. Geo, Freeman and daughter Johnnie Taylor had the misfortune Miss Totsy, of Wallace Creek are to get struck in the eye with a balspending the week visiting Mrs. ing wire. He is in the Sanitarium at Freeman's son, J. P. Freeman and Kerrville, and we are glad to say he is doing nicely. The doctors say he will not lose his sight.

A new lot Middies and Childrens' Mr. Robt. Rees was in town Mon-Dresses, good values and neatly day trading and shaking hands with old friends:

VERDEITE.

The U. S. Naval Fleet

Real County, is here this week work-We give on page 6 of this issue a ing on the transcription of the a complete detailed roster of the record of the lands taken from Kerr U. S. naval fleet. Better preserve County in the organization of the it for reference when reading the

At My Old Trade Again

am prepared to do all kinds of Will Leavell building and am at my old trade again, making stockmen's boots and repairing shoes, harness and all leather goods. I will appre-J. L. Dibbrell, Deputy U. S. ciate all business that comes to me. J. Q. WHEELER.

> Cane seed for sale at West Texas Supply Co.

If it's good clothes that you went, made this season, I've got them and prices to suit your purse.

W. C. WORD,

Ring us up and tell us the news I have an 8-room house with good We keep a phone for that purpose barn and 235 feet front on water street--back to river, well, wind C. L. Patterson and Q. C. Mullens mill and tank and under-ground of the Bandera Enterprise were in cistern, good orchard, modern im-Kerrville last Friday in the interest provements. Place is for quick provements. Place is for quick sale. See Gilbert C. Storms for of their paper. Mr. Patterson price and terms. Office on Main bought a new buggy of J. E. Palmer street, Kerrville Texas.

> Trunks, Suit Cases, hand bags, at West Texas Supply Co.

747 acres, 100 acres in cultivation good fences, barns and out houses Good 5-room house, two good wells and three tanks, one windmill. Lo Laundry De Luxe agency opposite cated 19 miles Northwest of Kerrville on Kerrville-Reservation road Schreiner's store. Basket goes All farm implements and machinery, every Tuesday. Best service guar- consisting of reaper, grain drill mowing machine, rake, molases mill cultivators and single and double disc plows go with place for \$12000, Messrs, J. V. Hopkins and R. A. Apply to The Advance.

that just because you are in business, everybody is aware of the fact. Your goods may chelves unless the people are

merchandisc. you'll reap a handsome

Housecleaning Time is Here.

If it is a new piece of Furniture or Floor Coverings we have it, and in fact the best assorted stock of goods ever carried in our line is here now for your

We Furnish your House from Garret to Cellar with the Latest Styles Furniture

on the market and our prices, considering quality, are right. Ask to see our Fireless Cooker, the Thermatic, the best on the market. O-Cedar and Wizzard mops and oils always on hand.

W. A. Fawcett & Co.

JEWELRY! JEWELRY!!

For Jewelry and Optical Goods and all kinds of repair work in the jewelry line, call on

Drug Store W. R. JAY, JEWELER and OPTICIAN

The Depot Restaurant

NOW OPEN

Breakfast in time to catch the train.

SHORT ORDERS

REGULAR MEALS 25c

Come in and wait for the train.

J. S. CRAWFORD, Prop'r

\$5 Reward FOR CASH TRADE

When your purchases amount to \$5,00 with us, on a coupon we furnish, same entitles you to a premium valued at from \$3 to \$5.

PHONE OR CALL FOR COUPONS

We are giving these valuable premiums as an inducement for new customers and cash trade. HURRY-they won't last long.

PEARSON'S CONFECTIONERY

S. A. & A. P. Time Table

Dail	Daily		Daily	Daily
No.	No. 43		No. 42	No. 44
5 05 P	M. 8 15 A. M.	" Boerne " " Waring " " Comfort " " Center Point "	9 00 A. M.	7 05 P. M
6 24	9 33 "		7 40 "	5 45 "
6 56	10 07 "		7 10 "	5 14 "
8 7 15	10 25 "		6 50 "	4 55 "
7 35	10 46 "		6 30 "	4 35 "
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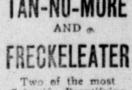
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Positively the Best

Cooking Compound

C. BUTT CASH GROCERY

TAN-NO-MORE



Scientific Beautifying Agencies Known.

FRECKELEATER CREAM For the removing of Liver Spots, The scientific combination of Cream and Powder. Deligated in appearance blemishes of the skin. It will bleach the and pleasing in its effect. Used during skin in 10 days and make it as smooth

the day it is a protection from the sun and soft as a baby's.

and wind. In the evening its use assures

Makes Bad Co Makes Bad Complexions Good Good Complexions Better.

All Dealers 50 AND 25 CTS.

50 AND 35 CTS. BAKER-WHEELER MFG. CO. DALLAS, TEXAS

Holland and their families and Rev. B. T. Mayhugh went up the river to J. R. Mayhugh's ranch last Friday and had a great time fishing. They

report plenty of fish and an enjoya-T. J. Moore and Ed. Smith, two of Ingram's popular merchants, made a business trip to San Antonio this week in Mr. Moore's Ford car,

W. L. Fries from his ranch on Winan's creek, Bandera County, was in the city Tuesday. He brought over his Spring clip of mohair and

returning yesterday. Claud Mayfield drove the car.

sold for 26 3-4 cents per pound.

Washington.-Never before in the | OFFICIAL STATEMENT ISSUED history of the nation has the strength of the navy been shown as it is in Mexican waters today. A greater percentage of fighting machines were assembled about Cuba in the war with Spain, but the navy of 1898 had not the fighting strength of the navy of today, either in number of vessels, in tonnage or in gun caliber.

The war strength which the United States now has or will have in Mexican waters within a few days with which to compel compliance with the demands of this government may be summarized as follows:

On East	Coast.
Battleships15	Transport 1
Cruisers 4	Mine depot ship 1
Gunboats 2	Fuel ship 1
Destroyers15	Hospital ship 1
Tender 1	Marine transport. 1
on Wes	t Coast.
Armored cruisers, 3	Tender 1
Croisers 2	Supply ship 1
Destrovers 5	Fuel ship 1
Gunboat 1	
Men Available for	Landing Purposes.
On Eas	t Coast.

On West Coast. 750 Marines Addition marines have received orders to prepare for departure to Mexico. The number available are: On the east coast, 3,000; on the west coast, 1,000.

.5,000 Marines

Salors

This strength, if used for landing purposes, can be reinforced by troops, \$5,000 of whom are along the border.

Details of the Fleet. North Atlantic Fleet.

Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, commander-in-chief. Displace- No. of

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Battleships-			
South Carolina	16,0	V00	34
Michigan	16,0	100	34
Louisiana	16.0	X00	46
New Hampshire	16,0	100	46
Vermont	16.0	100	45
New Jersey	15.5	00	39
Tacoma (cruiser)			18
Nashville (gunboat)	1.3	70	- 8
Hancock (marine transp.)	8,5	00	. 8
Puel ships-			
Vutcan	11.2	MA.	
Jason	19.1	33	
Orlon			
Nereus			
Under Preparatory			
Third Division-Rear Admi			10.
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Nebraska	44.1	216	40
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Virginia	****	100	- 40

Rhode Island	45
Nebraska14,948	40
Virginia	40
Georgia	40
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Birmingham (crutser) 3,750	10
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commander.		
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R Doyle, commander.		
Spaulding	742	3
Ammen	742	- 3
Burrows	742	
Palterson	742	. 3
Trippe	742	- 3
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N Jeffers, commanding.		
Panning	742	. 3
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Now at Vera Cruz.		11
First Division-Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander.	F.	F.

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Solace (hospital ship) 5,700	**
Vessels at Tampico;	
Fourth Division Rear Admiral May-	B.
Baytleships-	
Ulah	30
Connecticut16,000	45
Minnesota	45
Cruisers-	
Chester 3,750	10
Des Moines 3,300	18
Dolphin (gunboat) 1,485	- 6
Pacific Fleet.	δij
Rear Admiral T. B. Howard,	

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Maryland	
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Artificial Breeding of Foxes.

There is little doubt that the various species and varieties of foxes can be improved by the application of taethods of animal breeding used by up to-date breeders of live stock. The commissioner of fisheries, in his ananual report to the secretary of commerce and labor for the fiscal year 1912, in speaking of the special efforts made to improve the stock of foxes on the Prihylov Islands and the metheds of handling the herds, says:

"The results of experiments in feed-

Following is the official statement issued as representing the views of President Wilson and the administration on Mexico:

"In discussions in official circles in Washington of the present Mexican situation the following points have been very much dwelt upon: "It has been pointed out that, in

considering the present somewhat delicate situation in Mexico, the unpleasant incident at Tampico must not be thought of alone. For some time past the de facto government of Mexico has seemed to think mere apologies sufficient when the rights of American citizens or the dignity of the government of the United States were involved and has apparently made no attempt at either reparation or the effective correction of the serious derelictions of its civil and military. officers.

Orderly Placed in Jall. "Immediately after the incident at Tampico an orderly from one of the ships of the United States in the harbor of Vera Cruz, who had been sent ashore to the post office for the ship's mail, and who was in uniform and who had the official /mail bag on his back, was arrested and put into jail by the local authorities. He was subsequently released and a nominal punishment was inflicted upon the officer who arrested him, but it was significant that an orderly from the fleet of the United States was picked out from the many persons constantly going shore on various errands, from the various ships in the harbor, representing several nations.

Official Dispatch Withheld "Most serious of all, the officials in charge of the telegraph office at Mexico City presumed to withhold an official dispatch of the government of the United States to its embassy at Mexico City, until it should have been sent to the censor and his permission dispatch into the hands of the charge

he had not received. United States Singled Out. tives of other governments were con- economic and legislative. cerned, but only in dealings with representatives of the United States, and

the rights and dignity of the United States, offenses not duplicated with regard to the representatives of other governments, have necessarily made the impression that the government of the United States was singled out for manifestations of ill will and con-

THE INSULT FOR WHICH REPARATION IS DEMANDED

tempt."

ment. Gans.

Thursday morning, April 9, a boat's phin for Tampico to get a fresh supply treaty. of gasoline

The United States flag was flying from the stern of the whaleboat when it approached the landing in Tampico. For no assigned cause Assistant Paymaster Copp and his men were placed under arrest as they stepped ashore.

.Surrounded by a detail of Mexican Federal troops they were marched up and down the principal streets of the city, and finally taken to the police station, where they were locked up.

One report of the affair says the United States flag was snatched from the stern of the whaleboat when the arrests were made and carried and sub-Displace- No. of jected to the jeers and hisses of the anti-American populace.

There is no denial of the fact that the prisoners were made the subjects of an anti-American demonstration. though at the time of their arrest they had just stepped from a boat flying the United States flag, were wearing the uniform of the United States and were conducting themselves in an orderly manner.

After the Americans had been de tained several hours, word of their arrest was carried to Rear Admiral Mayo, who demanded their immediate

The demand was complied with, but the only reparation made was a brief expression of regret for the alleged mistake.

The Difference.

"In these days, when a man thinks he has won his ladylove, it is a case of hit or miss.

"In the primitive times when a man knocked down the girl he fancied, it was a case of hit and miss.

now in progress give reason to believe some other representative of the Brit-strengthened themselves by their opthat the output can be greatly in the government. creased and the quality of the fur enhanced."

Her Airs. Jessie--Mrs. De Style put on too many airs.

Tessie--How so? Jessie-She was knocked down by a pushcart and she told the newspaper reporters she was struck by a horse less vehicle.-Syracuse Herald.

WILSON, ROOSEVELT AND TAFT MAY ALL TAKE THE STUMP IN THE AUTUMN.

TOLLS REPEAL THE ISSUE

President Probably Will Defend His Course, Which the Two Former Chief Executives Are Expected to Attack in Campaign.

By GEORGE CLINTON. Washington.-A few days ago President Wilson was asked at one of his Monday conferences with the Washington correspondents if it was his intention to go into some of the states this fall for the purpose of campaigning in behalf of his party, which then will be engaged in a battle for a continuance of its supremacy in the house of representatives. The president's answer was that he had not yet been invited. The inference from what followed was directly to the point that Mr. Wilson probably would consider seriously a campaign-

ing trip after his summer's rest. If the president makes up his mind to go before the country he will have two great matters to defend, or, if not to defend, to explain. One is his Mexican policy and the other is the request that congress should repeal the tolis exemption clause of the Panama canal act. The opposition parties, the Republicans and the Progressocrats, have charged that the president's Mexican endeavors have falled. that Watchful Walting has been impotent to accomplish anything and that his course on the repeal act has been un-American.

Roosevelt May Oppose.

received to deliver it, and gave the lieve, and it seems likely that the Progressives know, that when Theodore d'affaires of the United States only Roosevelt comes back to this country the leaders of the party know that upon his personal and emphatic de he will assail the administration's polithey must stick together on trust mand, he having in the meantime icles in Mexican and in toll exemption measures which are forthcoming for 1912. learned through other channels that repeal matters. Colonel Roosevelt consideration in order that the Democa dispatich had been sent him which has been a long way off for a long racy can go before the country in the time, but it is known he has been in congressional elections with a fairly touch with the leaders of the Progress- clean record for harmony, coupled with | card "Cuticura, Dept. L. Boston."-Adv. "It cannot but strike anyone who ive movement in this country. It is a record for accomplishment. Dispashas watched the course of events in surmised from what the Progressives slopate political observers in Wash-Mexico as significant that untoward say that the colonel has not been al- lington do not seem honestly to believe neidents such as these have not oc- lowed to remain in ignorance of the that the present row in Democracy's but clay." curred in any case where representa- developments of affairs here, political, ranks necessarily is going to create

If Colonel Roosevelt should carry out the suggestions already made to the country on a speech-making tour in opposition to President Wilson, and should speak simultaneously with Mr. Wilson speaking in defense, the country would witness a warm time of it in the field of discussion.

Every Progressive in the house of against the president's demand that term for the presidency." the tolls exenction clause should be repealed. The Progressives who parted on this matter from their brethren said they were acting as they did through conviction, for they thought crew of United States marines, in the exemption of coastwise salking gle term plank." command of Assistant Paymaster ships from the payment of tolls was a Charles C. Copp, left the gunboat Dol- plain violation of the Hay-Pauncefote

Issue for Progressives.

liam Howard Taft were in favor of Mr. Wilson does not intend to seek exempting American coasters from another nomination at the hands of the payment of canal tolls. Mr. Wil- his party, and that he has been held son takes exactly the opposite view. to this decision not only by the word-The Progressives, like the Republic ing of the Democratic convention date issue with which to go before advance to the "principle" of the sinthe country in opposition to the de gle term proposition, but by his own mand of the Democrats that they be personal inclination to retire to pricontinued in power. If this repeal vate life after the completion of one bill had not come up for discussion term. congressional campaign of next fall probably would have been devoid of great interest. As it is, with Woodrow Wilson campaigning in behalf of the Democrats, Theodore Roosevelt campaigning in behalf of the Progressives and William H. Taft and other Republican leaders campaigning in behalf of Republicanism and making arguments fly like arrows, the contest promises to be interesting and perhaps warlike.

Wilson Felt Insulted.

canal tolls act. President Wilson has exemption law necessary. let it be known that he feels nothing but the noun "insults" fits in describing the charges of certain congressmen that the administration made deals with representatives of Great Britain which resulted in his recommendation to repeal of the tolls exemption clause.

It has been made perfectly appar-Panama canal act.

The president has let it be known directly to the country that he considers the Democratic declaration against subsidies in general, based as it is on lang-cherished Democratic principles, should take rank of the plank in the Baltimore platform which declares for tolls exemption. There have been few such evidences of indignation in the White House recently as the resentment shown by the president when he intimated that the desires of certain men, Republican, Progressives and some Democrats, to assail the administration had outweighed their judgment in matters which Mr. Wilson thinks are connected with the national honor and the people's duty.

First Breach of Harmony.

In the heat of things in congress over this matter, partisans in Washington have seen a disruption of the Democratic party, a discrediting of the president and a revolt of the voters against the policy of repeal. It seems likely that the partisans will cool off after a little and look at things in a different light. As a matter of fact from a non-partisan viewpoint this repeal matter is the first real scrap the Democrats have had since they came into power and made their original promise to preserve harmony at all hazards. Republicans and Progressives here admit that the Democrats have got along pretty well thus far.

Calmer politicians here say that a party ought to be able to withstand the effects of one such a disagreement as that which recently has arisen, even though its accompaniments have verged on the riotous. It was originally charged that Mr. Wilson was in favor of the adoption of the rule in the house of representatives which would limit debate on the repeal question to ives, and here and there some Demo- 20 hours, the so-called gag rule against which there was so great a demonstration of disapproval. There has been denial that Mr. Wilson urged the gag rule and there has been admission only that he wanted a rule adopted which would prevent the discussion running to such lengths that a vote Democrats and Republicans here be- might be delayed for weeks.

The Democratic party is having its differences on this repeal measure, but the disunion which leads to disaster.

Single Term Enough?

that there has been no occasion for him and should fulfill the prophecies the attitude of President Wilson to other governments to call attention to which Democrats and Republicans are ward the question of the repeal of the such matters or to ask for apologies.

"These repeated offenses against the empty of a speech making day by day, by going before tolls exemption clause of the Panama canal act. One of them said: "Son of the newspapers should print a cartoon showing Mr. Wilson standing on the Democratic platform with the bank declaring for tolls exemption smashed into smithereens, while with a crow bar he is attempting to rip up the othrepresentatives except three, voted er plank which declares for a single

The other Republican said in answer! "Do not make any mistake. The cartoon should show Woodrow Wilson with a hammer in his hand nailing uated, has he decided where he is down more firmly in its place the sin- going to work? Here are represented two different

viewpoints of Mr. Wilson's attitude toward the presidential succession. Some men in Washington are begining Both Theodore Roosevelt and Wil- to believe more strongly than ever that now have a distinct and up-to- plank which pledged the candidates in

Casting Aside Ambition.

Some friends of the president say that if he were looking to the future with an ambitious eye and were inclined to consider only the politics of the case, he either would have taken an entirely different position on the question of repeal of the tolls act, or he would have suggested it merely as something to be desired and then would have left the matter wholly in the hands of his party in congress. As it' vas. Mr. Wilson gave his repeal There have been evidences of strong suggestion the force of a command personal feeling in the White House and backed it up with the statement over the nature of the debate in con- that considerations of honor and justgress on the repeal of the Panama ice made the rescinding of the tolls

A good many of the Democrats here seem to think that both Mr. Clark and Mr. Underwood, and presumably other possible candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination, have come to believe on their own account that Mr. Wilson is to be out of it. Now it must be taken for granted, of At the White House the word insult course, that Speaker Clark and Leader came into use in connection with the Underwood opposed the president on unveiled assertion of a representative the repeal matter because of a sinin congress that even if Mr. Wilson cere belief that the tolls exemption denied he had made a deal with Sir taw was constitutional and wise, but Lionel Carden, late British ambassa- some of the politicians here hold that ing and selective breeding that are dor to Mexico, he had made one with Mr. Clark and Mr. Underwood have position with party men in many sections of the country, and that in a ent by Mr. Wilson in direct conversa- free-for-all presidential nomination tion that he thinks it strange Demo- fight they will get more votes because crats in congress who, with their of their stand on repeal than they will party members elsewhere, always lose because of the same thing. In have been staunchly opposed to subsi- other words, some Democrats feel that dies in whatever forin, suddenly should so far as delegate-securing strength is become so much in love with subsidy concerned, both Mr. Clark and Mr. in the form in which it was provided Underwood have benefited themselves in the tolls exemption provision of the by their opposition to the president's stand on the tolls question.

CONGRATULATION A LA MODE

Mollie's Comment on Friend's Engage ment Probably Led to a Lessening of intimacy.

Mollie met Muriel at the metinee one afternoon. They embraced enthusiastically

"Oh, dearie." cried Mollie, "I'm so glad to see you! I have scarcely been able to wait until I could see you. to congratulate you on your engagement to Harold! Why didn't you give me a hint as to what you expected?"

"Why," replied Muriel, "I-"Now, don't you dare to tell me, went on Mollie, "that you concealed

it from me intentionally!" 'Why, I didn't, certainly," said Mariel. "I really didn't expect it my-

self quite so soon, dear." "He is such a charming fellow," continued Mollie. "Weren't you just surprised to death when he proposed to you, dearle?

Why, I can't say I was," replied "Why should I have been? 'Well," replied the dear friend, "everybody else was."

SKIN TROUBLE ITCHED BADLY

Glenns P. O., Va .- "My baby's trouble began with an itching and then a little bump would come and she could not rest day or night. The trouble affected her whole body. The bumps festered and came to a head. Does your strength give out quickly and the corruption looked like thick matter, kind of a yellow color. The sores itched so badly until it seemed to me she would scratch herself to pieces and then a sore would form and her clothes would stick to her body and pull off the little scab. In some places she would scratch and irritate the sores until they seemed to be large. She was affected about a year.

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Softy.

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Imagines that he neither eats nor

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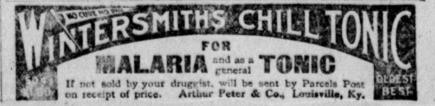
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A plant is being equipped at Ballinger for the maufacture of a rotary gin saw filer. The new enterprise will begin operation immediately.

A new banking institution at Beaumont to be known as the Guaranty State Bank & Trust Company, has opened as doors to the public and is capitalized at \$100,000.

The copper smelters near El Paso which the among the largest in the world ware enlarging their capacities the world ware enlarging their capacities the copper smelters are the copper smelters and the copper smelters are th and will put on larger forces of men in a short time.

for the interurban line which is to last week's lesson we had set before be constructed between Fort Worth us the severe terms of discipleship and Denton has been secured and laid down by Jesus to the multitude preparations are being made for which followed him as he left the grading work on this project. . . .

Much interest is being manifested in the proposed construction of an interurban line between Mineral Wells and Fort Worth and the propo- the door open to himself, for he was sitions is assuming definite propor- seeking those who were prepared to tions. It is expected the road will share with him in his enterprises of be built via Springtown.

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A committee from Vernon is cooperation with a New York rail. trast! The grumbling theologians, road promoter, on the proposition criticizing and bickering, grieved that to build a railroad between that point and San Antonio and has accompanied the financier on a number of trips along the proposed route purpose of God's attitude toward these of the line.

14 there were 48 new gins estab- third, the prodigal, we see the sinner lished in Texas. The total number seeking the father. Christ's idea of DAISY FLY KILLER placed anywhere, at traces and hills all of gins employed in ginhing the 1913 goodness consists in saving the bad. Texas cotton crop was 4,349 and The Pharisee holds aloof. Christ goes each plant turned ou 506 bales less out from among the Pharisees and than in 1912, when Texas produced among the outcasts. her bumper crop of 4,880,210 bales The 1913 crop is 3.943,133, or 937,037
II. The Lost Sheep, vv. 4-7.—The bales less than 1912. The cost of sheepherd is God the son (John 19:11. RAROLD SOMERS, 150 DEXAID AVE., Brooklyn, S. T. He graduated from West Point in 1837. ginning last year's cotton crop was approximately \$8,000,00 and was paid by the farmers of Texas.

1912 corn crop in the granaries of fold, but was out of place. These is insufficient to last the farmers is torn, bleeding, and "ready to die." until the next harvest and approxi. One such lost one will call forth the mately 45.660,000 bushels will have shepherd's utmost endeavor to save it, as to how many persons in Great Bri- in 1872. to be disported at a cost to the far beyond the care lavished upon tain are assessed for super-tax at \$750, of \$30,000,000.

Texas association of life un-- dery ers, which was organized in the business on a better basis, is вига .makin the crook insurance agents. again who are operating over the state There is here the evidence of the faand at the same time lends a help. terest in the flock which is incom ing hand to the novice who unwit- plete and the interest of the owner tingly transgresses. There is a law as well. The safety of the lost one which prohibits relates on the policy depended upon the shepherd's interest premiums by showing a distinction or discriminating in favor of any individual. In connection with repat- three parables are a unit in the fact ing, case have been presented to va- that they reveal the attitude of God rious grand juries with the result toward men who are in their deepest that two agents have been arrested, need. Each is the story of something and they are now out on bonds.

\$100 of property values was voted central one sets forth the work of at a special election at Lawrence. The special tax will be used in erect. Rev. 22:17; Eph. 5:25. One of ten ing a new brick school building. . . .

Women's first use of the ballot as a weapon in Illinois worked radical changes. Nearly complete returns show that suffrage votes in Tuesday's elections drove \$1,100 saloons out of Illinois and added great ment in Chicago politics.

district will now have sufficient funds

While eating an oyster purchased "joy" of the holy spirit? Gal. 5:22, mong a lot at a local market recent. I Thess. 1:6. Over the wellbeing of ly, Mrs. Harry Johnson of Dallas, found 56 small pearls in the bivalve. They are of merely nominal value on account of their irregular shape.

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ty roal work arrived at Gladewater son of the spirit. The crowding mul-Saturday and went to the road camp | titude of publicans and sinners, held south of town. They were met at in contempt by the Pharisees, Jesus the train by a large representation viewed as lost ones. Appalling as of citizens. Now they are establish- this suggestion is, yet the theep beed in the camp and are receiving longed to the shepherd and the cott visits from people all over the coun- was the property of the woman. This try, a great deal of interest having suggests the digni y and value of men been ereated by announcements that and the tragedy of their condition the convicts were coming. The con- Knowing all this and understanding victs seem to enjoy having the peo. the full significance of that tragedy ple with them and are sociable and the son as the shepherd has under

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Department, The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.)

LESSON FOR APRIL 26 THE LOST SHEEP AND THE LOST

COIN.

I. Introduction, vv. 1-3.-We now come to that chapter in the Bible which contains three of the more Practically all of the right of way celebrated parables of our Lord. In house of the Pharisee. The writer, I ever used. I sincerely express my thanks at top speed: Luke, makes a close connection be-"ears to hear" in chapter 14 and verse 1 of this lesson. Jesus had shall take every opportunity to speak sifted the crowd though he had left the door open to himself, for he was building and of conflict, if they could bear his teaching. This is responded Work is soon to commence on a to by those outcast ones, the publicans unqualifiedly honest with them though at the same time he set up heart searching conditions. What a conhe should demean himself by such associates. In reply, Jesus shows them the truth of the fundamental who eagerly sought to "hear," by giving them these parables. In the first two, the sheep and the coin, we see During the ginning season of 1913- divine love seeking the sinner; in the

True and False Shepherds.

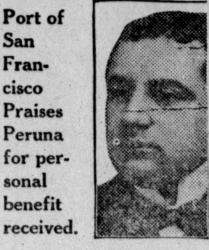
12; Luke 19:10). He is the "True Shepherd," the Pharisees were false ones. This adds point to the parable; see the Old Testament rebukes for the same, Ez. 34:7-10; Zech. 11:16-17; Jer. There are 49,000,000 bushels of the 50:6. The lost sheep belongs to the the ninety and nine already safe in the fold. This means labor, toll, and pri-3. for the purpose of placing | 17:2, 12 R. V.; but every "sheep" that duving end of the life in- is astray he will find. Once found it rests upon his shoulders, is kept by test figures available, is 66." a systematic campaign his power, I Pet. 1:5. Over it he and the father rejoice, vv. 23, 24, 32

Work of Holy Spirit. III. The Lost Coin, vv. 8-10 .- These being lost and the fact that it is found. The first is a revelation of the A special school tax of 20c on the son, the last of the father, while this the holy spirit through the church. coins in this woman's marriage necklace is lost, hence the incompleteness. The spirit will not rest until it is found, nor should the church. The woman takes her lamp-the word of God, Ps. 119:105; Phil. 2:15, 15-and sweeps the house. It has been suggested that sweeping usually stirs up a dust and that some are likely to the church of the living God begins to stir up a dust and they are annoyed At a special election held at Little- at any eager search for the lost ones, field a special school tax carried Acts 17:6. The woman is a suggeswithout a negative vote. This school | tion to us in that she sought "dilifor the erection of a splendid school Then she, too, calls in her neighbors my work. house, and also to run the free that they may rejoice with her. Does school for a full nine months' term. the church keep up a like search? the home the woman watches and once. again the search is in the interest of the owner, and in the interest of the bottle today.

household IV. Summary.-The chief value of these two pictures is in their revela-The state convicts for Gregg coun- tion of the work and interest of the taken to seek and to save the los

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000 or more, the secretary of the treas | IF YOUR SKIN ITCHES, ury said: "I cannot undertake to classivation, and he keeps up the search fy in separate divisions incomes ex-"until he finds it." This does not ceeding \$500,000 a year. The aggremean that all will be saved, see John | gate number of persons assessed for

MOTHER COMES TO DAUGHTER'S RESCUE

When, Daughter Thought, Every Avenue of Escape Closed, Mother Came to Rescue.

recent troubles, Mrs. Bessie E. Bruce, and Resinol Soap (25c).-Adv. this town, says: "After childbirth. suffered greatly with wasting, and various womanly troubles, and was in bed for six weeks. Half the time, I York last month a westerner told a could not move, only when I was story about the colonel. turned over by some one. Oh! how I suffered, no one knows.

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I know that Cardul saved my life, and I would not be without it in the And do we know anything about the bouse. I almost waited too long, and "joy" of the holy spirit? Gal. 5:22. I advise all suffering women not to took my breath away. wait, but to begin taking Cardul at

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"I should say, a cottage shape."

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A brawny son of Erin was acting as time keeper in a rough-and-ready fight between his mate and a negro in South America. In the course of the fight a well-planted blow sent the Irishman earthwards.

"One!" crier the time keeper, in a tense voice, watch in hand "Two!" he murmured hoarsely. "Pat,

ye fool, git up! There's only eight seconds left!"

The inert mass never moved. "Three!" shouted the time keeper desperately. "Think of yer old mother, Pat! What's it she'd be saying to ye, Bate the nigger!'"

Slowly he called up to eight, buckng up his mate with patriotic ejaculations between each long second. When eight had been called Pat slowly staggered to his feet, and by a mighty lunge succeeded in knocking down his black opponent.

revive in time, the time keeper set off "One, two, three, four, five, and

Desperately fearing lest he should

tween the final admonition about It has done me and a number of my five's ten! Ye're out, ye black villain! -London Tid-Bits.

> The Same Thing. Secretary Garrison, apropos of his bill for creating six vice-admirals, said at a luncheon in Washington:

"This bill will make things better from a diplomatic standpoint, though the actual working of the navy will remain the same. Yes, the navy itself will be like Brown.

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canal boats coming up and down, and finally stopping a canal boat captain, he offered to work his passage. "The captain took him on and set

him to leading the horses along the "He led the horses for two days

thinking hard. On the third day he had thought it all out, and he resigned. "'By the powers,' he said, 'I might as well walk as work my passage."

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