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Lets Cat Out Always the Bag 10 Something The attorney who represented Buy Your Special the contestants at Crockett last Friday used language something like this: "The reason we are at MISTROT'S so much interested in a road sup-Solid erintendent is we have recently When you read THIS COLvoted a bond issue on ourselves UMN from week to week, you find it contains more and will need the services of a road superintendent." Now this important news than any spoils everything-lets the cat Carload other column in the paper. out of the bag completely. This is the very thing that Crockett 6c white and figured 42C has denied. But the attorney lawns..... who represented them evidently trom knew what he was talking about 7c white and figured 52C else he would not have representlawns...... ed them. A.B. GUICE 10c white and figured Another thing: Those parties 82C lawns..... at Crockett who contested the election on the grounds that illeg-121-2c white and figured al votes were cast at Grapeland lawne..... should have been more consist-The Best Line of Harness ent. They ought not to tell their 15c white and figured neighbors to wash their faces lawns..... when their own is besmeared in Grapeland with smoot and grease. It de-20c white and figured 15c veloped at the trial Friday that awns..... there WAS AT LEAST SEVEN ILLEGAL VOTES IN THE 25c white and figured . 18C CROCKETT BOX. Grapeland lawns..... wanted to recount ALL the News of Rock Hill From Old Gray boxes and Crockett objected. 25c 15C What do you know about that? Madras..... June 19 .- This community is Blair's Farm, June 18.-One very dry, having had no rain inmonth yesterday was the last Not So Sure 20c 13c over five weeks. The crops, asrain we have had in this vicinity Madras..... pecially corn, are damaged very until this evening. We have had much from the drouth. "In-The writer is not unmindful a light rain which will tend to writer has never seen corn in 10c white 82C and unappreciative of the benecool the atmosphere for awhile bad condition at this time of awn.... fits and beauties of civilized soand will be of some benefit to year. Some of the corn is . ciety as it exists today, with all total failure and all will be seres its inconceivable horrors. To 15c white cotton. As to cron, the die is 12¹2C if it don't rain. Cotton, for mes contemplate the progress of cenlawn..... cast. We don't think that we turies, in the fields of labor-savage, is excellent but on account. ever witnessed such a complete of the rainy weather in easily ing machinery and the arts and failure in corn throughout this 25c white spring the farmers were late in 20c sciences, overwhelms the avercountry. We were in Augusta planting their cotton. Most all lawn..... age mind. I give it all due revyesterday and we found that the are up with their work and amerence, but when I think again same conditions prevailed in the joying a few days rest. Fishing 30c white of the great, throbbing mass of surrounding country-no corn trips are numerous. 24C humanity, whose daily lives are lawn..... At present cotton is doing fine, Our Sunday school is dame so fashioned by heredity and engrowing nicely and fruiting well. fine. On the first Sunda ironment that they can enjoy so Peas and sweet potatoes are in noon in June we heard an excellittle of the-products of this the back ground for the want of lent sermon preached at Antrana wonderful civilization, I am not rain. by Rev J. I. Weatherby. Cha so sure of our prosperity after Since our last Mrs. Neil Mcthe second Sunday and Saturall. For if thousands must toil day night before Rev. W. D. Millan of Augusta has surrendthat one may be idle, if thousered her soul to the God who Andrews delivered two good ands must live and die in rags gave it. Mrs. McMillan had sermons at Antrim and that. and poverty that one may live lived in Augusta for nearly forty night at Rock Hill. and die in luxury, if thousands years, and none knew her but unloaded Friday night, June 9, there must be poor that one may be to love and respect her. She was an ice cream supper at Myrich, if thousands must die unhad lived the life of a christian and Mrs. Z. W. Weisinger's, and wept, unhonored and unsung that one may be wept for, honand she has gone to receive her a great crowd of the young folks reward due the faithful. She is attended. ored and praised, I ask it in good survived by two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cook of faith, dear reader, in the name one son-Mrs. Hugh Long and Lone Star have been here on a of God and justice and all that Mrs. Will Sheridan of Augusta, visit to Mrs. M. E. Cook, when humanity holds dear, of all that and Bud McMillian, now of Boshas been very sick for some is beautiful, true and good in time. We have several sick comque county. The entire com-Remember: earth and in heaven, for whom munity sympathizes with the in our community at present is civilization intended? For family in their sore distress. among them are Mrs. Lucy Manwhom is organized society con-"The Price is the Our better half is away on a thews, Luther Campbell. and Miss Ola Willis. structed and practiced? Whose visit and through the kindness business is municipal governof Mr. and Mrs. May Jones we Willie Gee of Grapelance ment? For whom has the earth Thing." were highly entertained at their spending a few days here visitbeen made, the waters to run, **REDUCTION** on men's, womhome for supper and breakfeast. ing relatives. en's and children's low quarter the sun to shine and the stars to A feature of the occasion was the robbing of very nice bee quarter shoes, Do not let this twinkle? Are they to be princi-Miss Eva Wallace and little sister, Ila May, of Athens bare pally for a chosen few who hap opportunity pass you. gum-plenty of the most delicbeen spending several. weekee pened to be born under a lucky ious honey you ever tasted. May here with friends and relatives. Saturday, June 24th, to star, or for a few who happened KEELAND the mantle of lite fall gently up H. E Gee and C. M. Streetto go that way by fortunate cir on your shoulders and bless you, man went to Crockett Friday. Saturday, July 1st. cumstances? Or is the world made for us all and therefore for your kindness to others. Next Sunday, June 25, we are BROS., The great issue of the day is going to have music at Rock Holl owned by us all alike to live in not being discussed in this por- all day, conducted by Prof. F-Mistrot and enjoy its unlimited blesstion of the vineyard, as there is W. Woodard. Don't ask if your ings, for as we all come so we (Successors to Whitley & Keeland) but one side of the question here are invited-just come and hat must all go. and that is the right side--antis. us prove that you are welcome-"The Price is the Thing." Upon the correct solution of Since the speeches of those The trustees have employed great, brainy fellows at Fort Miss Bula Sheridan to teach case Since the speeches of those these questions hang the desti-Bros. Telephone No. 34. ty of nations, the happiness of Worth the people are opening school next term. Think we wait humanity and the fate of souls. their eyes and getting them - have a good school. ALPHA. selves together in a way that ROCK HILL YOUTH will give the antis an overwhelm-Co., Take HERBINE for all dising victory, and then peace and turtances in the bowels. It puri-Watson's Purge Mix in (cmo-Gov. Colquitt will reign once fies the bowel Channels, promotes sule), the best purge for homes, mules and cattle. Results guarmore in the land. regular movements and makes The health of this community you feel bright, vigorous and anteed. Sold by A S. Porter is good.

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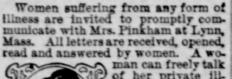
cheerful. Price 50c. Sold by A. S. Porter.

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Historic Event Celebrated.

Australia recently commemorated the one hundred and forty-first anniversary of Captain Cook's first landing. It was in 1770 that H. M. S. Endeavor, a barque of 370 tons, entered the inlet first called Sting Rays Harbor, but afterwards Botany Bay, from the beauty and variety of the plants growing about its shore. The vessel remained eight days, and before she left the British flag was hoisted. As is the custom on each recurring anniversary, the flag was again unfurled upon the spot where it was first displayed, and was saluted by the guns of the warships in the harbor.

fou; anticipate his need .- Socrates.

Do not expect a friend to ask of chilus

WAYS OF SERVING CHEESE

Some Suggestions for the Housekeeper Who Wishes to Avoid

Monotony.

The housekeeper who does not believe in monotony does not serve cheese in the same way two days in succession. A little planning will enable her to run three or four different kinds of cheese at the same time. keeping them all fresh by putting them in an airtight cold place.

As most cheeses spoll quickly it is well to buy in smaller portions, especially in warm weather. Some cheeses are so perishable that grocers will not handle them in summer, and they should not be bought unless to be eaten at once.

The same kind of cheese may be served in various forms. Take the popular cream cheese, probably more used than any other one make. If you pass it out in squares one day, the next mix it in balls sprinkled with parsley; again mix with chopped pimolas; or thin slightly with whipped cream, mix with chopped red peppers, and remold into a flat thin cake, which is passed whole.

Instead of serving bar-le-duc and cream cheese separately, stir together into a mixture about the consistency of creamed butter and sugar.

Fried cheese balls are delicious served with plain lettuce and French dressing. Mix into the cheese chopped parsley, a dash of cayenne, a pinch of salt, and two drops of onion julce. Mold into balls, dip in egg and bread crumbs, and fry in boiling lard before serving. Another fried cheese with lettuce is

made of the English or ordinary American cheese cut in strips like French Every woman ought to have fried potatoes. Dip these in seasoned. egg and bread crumbs and fry in deep fat when ready for use.

New York Man's invention Will Save Housewife From Grating Off Fingernalls.

A nutmeg grater that grates all the nutmeg, down to the last scrap, has been designed by a New York man. It also saves the housewife from grating off her fingernails and the tips of her fingers. The grater proper is circular and is affixed to a wooden handle.



"DEAF" BEGGAR COULD HEAR

Incident That Struck Householder as Being Along Slightly Humorous Lines.

"Many funny things happen in a flat during the course of a few months," said a Milwaukee flat dweller, "but one of the best things I ever saw happened yesterday.

"I was suddenly roused from my slumber by three loud knocks on the door. Jumping to my feet and into a bathrobe, I hastened to see what was wanted. I opened the door in time to see a young fellow half way up the flight to the next floor.

"'Hello, there!' I yelled at him. "He turned around, hastened back and handed out a small envelope, pointing to the inscription. I glanced at it. It was an appeal for aid because the applicant was deaf and dumb.

"Say, I was mad enough to kick him down stairs. Then the joke struck me and I slammed the door in his face and went back to bed laughing."

HARD ON CHOLLY.

Cholly Chumpleigh - Would you leave your happy home for me? Miss Caustique-Yes, if I saw you coming and the back door wasn't locked.

Willing to Support Proxy.

Albert Tiedemann, a freshman of the University of Pennsylvania, was called upon to vote for officers in a recent gathering. Not being well acquainted with the nominees, he thoughtfully hesitated before filling out his ballot.

One of the company left the room with the explanation that he would vote by proxy."

"So will I," said Albert, and with his pencil poised above his paper, leaned over to a companion on his right and asked:

"Say, what's Proxy's first name?"

Outdone.

Willis-I'm raising 500 chickens on a five-foot lot. Gillis-That's nothing. You ought

affects the digestion of food.

machinery of digestion.

of food.

details.

found.

To tell you the curious story of how the mind

before, at the time, or just following the taking

Ity have) he will help you understand the curious

subject, I will try to lay out the plan in a general

way and you can then follow into more minute

sician and Chemist, experimenting on some dogs, cut

into the tube leading from the throat to the stomach.

They were first put under chloroform or some other

anaesthetic and the operation was painless. They were

When quite hungry some un-appetizing food was placed before them and, although hunger forced them

to eat, it was shown by analysis of the contents of the

stomach that little if any of the digestive juices were

Then, in contrast, some raw meat was put where they

couldn't reach it at once, and a little time allowed for the minds of the dogs to "anticipate" and create an ap-

petite. When the food was finally given them, they de-

voured it ravenously and with every evidence of sat-

isfaction. The food was passed out into a dish through the opening before it reached the stomach. It was found to be mixed with "Ptyalin" the alkaline juice of the mouth, which is important for the first step in di-gestion. Then an analysis was made of the contents of

kept for months in very good condition.

Pawlow (pronounce Pavloff) a famous Russian Phy-

I refer to the condition the mind is in, just

If he has been properly educated (the major-

To start you thinking on this interesting

care of in our flat .-- Puck.

.... ieartless Father. "I need some help with my household duties," announced a woman when her husband came home the other night.

"What's the matter with our daughter?" the husband wanted to know.

"Our daughter? The idea! Why, Jim, you know she's awfully delicate, and she would die if she had to do any household work. She has her school, and---"

"And what? Her teacher's report shows that she isn't doing a bit of school work."

"But she is the star member of her basketball team, and you know she is eager to take the prize at the gymnasium contest. But that's just like a man-wanting a delicate girl to engage in rough, hard labor. Be ashamed of yourself, Jim Jenkins! You have no feeling."

"The Bard of Odon."

The Rev. George F. Culmer, "the bard of Odon," celebrated his eightysixth birthday yesterday. The Rev. Mr. Culmer was born May 22, 1825, in Kent, England, during the reign of George Frederick (Geirge IV.), for whom he was named. At the time of his birth John Quincy Adams was president of the United States.

Dr. Culmer has been a minister for many years in the Methodist Episcopal church until his advanced age made it necessary for him to retire. He is a scholar and poet. Many of his poems have been published in magazines and newspapers .- Washington Correspondence Indianapolis News.

First Aid.

George Ade, at a luncheon in Chicago, paid a gallant compliment to a well-known actress. The actress wore a harem skirt of

the new flame color and Mr. Ade said to her:

"It is pretty. And what an odd color it is! Tell me the name of the color."

"Flamme de Vesuve-flame of Vesuvius," the actress answered.

"Be jabers," said Mr. Ade, "ye make a vurry purty crater."

Dress.

If a man prefers the kind of clothes he can jump into and wears another only under compulsion:

While a woman prefers such clothes as she cannot put on without toil and trouble and the expenditure of time. and will ,unless under compulsion, wear nothing else;

Then what of permanent equality is it going to avail for the law to call the sexes back to the tape and start them all over again ?- Puck.

Use of Ants In Nature.

Prof. J. C. Branner, in the Bulletin of the Geological Society of America, describes the immense importance of ants as geologic agents, especially in tropical regions. Ant burrows have been found at a depth of 3.5 meters, and they ramify over vast areas.

(A short human-interest story written by C. W. Post for the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.)

HAD BEEN SILENT SUFFERER

Subordinate Officer the Recipient of Hints Intended for His Superior.

A sea captain's wife tells this story of a maiden woman, sister of one of the owners of the ship on which she once made a long voyage. She had very decided opinion on most matters, and she and the captain had many spirited arguments at the dinner table.

The captain's wife, a meek, submissive little soul, fearing that in the heat of argument her husband might say something to offend their august passenger, was in the habit of kicking him on the shins to hint at moderation. Nevertheless, all these reminders passed unheeded.

One day she administered a more vigorous kick than usual, and noticed an expression of pain flit across the face of the mate, who sat opposite her.

"Oh, Mr. Brown, was that your shin?" she asked.

"Yes, Mrs. Blaikie," said the mate, meekly, "hit's been my shin hall the voyage, ma'am."-Youth's Companion.

Couldn't See the Resemblance.

They have been joking Assistant Treasurer James A. Mathews of the Guardian bank, on his resemblance to President Taft, and Mr. Mathews has steadily refused to be annoyed thereby. So the jokers subsided and the joke died a natural death.

Until the other night, when Mr. and Mrs. Mathews dined together with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmon and their little daughter, when the Taft resemblance was revived. Turning to young Miss Harmon, Mr. Mathews asked whether she, too, thought he looked like the president.

Dorothy studied long and earnestly. Then she answered:

"Not in the face, Uncle Jim."-Cleveland Leader.

Tea Time in Chile.

Either tea or yerba mate is served in Chile at 4:00 p. m., not only in the homes but at clubs, restaurants and hotels, and many business houses. A cup of tea and a roll or small cake in the club or hotel cost from eight to twelve cents United States gold, while the business houses serve it free rather than have the clerks leave their work or go out for it.

Two Varieties.

Little Willie-Say, pa, what is business courtesy.

Pa-There are two kinds of business courtesy, my son. One is the kind extended to people who pay cash, and the other is extended to people who don't.

The Exception.

Post-There are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught.

Parker-Hm! I guess you haven't heard Thompson's latest fish story .-Harper's Bazar.

to see the relatives my wife is taking

Vienna Style Jausage A good dish for

a Luncheon or Supper.

Brown the contents of a tin of Libby's Vienna Sausages in the frying pan and serve with baked potatoes.

> Easy to serve -fine to eat

Look for the Libby label which means quality.

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Pivoted to the center is a revolving handle resembling a miniature motorman's controller, with a little cup in one end to hold the kernel and a spring cap to keep it in place and press it against the grater plate. The nutmeg is placed in this cap and the handle turned until the desired amount is ground off, the operation being much speedier than when kernel has to be rubbed across the grater by hand. Furthermore, the hand method results in waste, as after the nutmeg has been ground so small that it cannot be scraped without scraping the fingers as well, it has heretofore had to be thrown away.

Cream of Lettuce Soup.

Wash and remove the poor leaves from three heads of lettuce and place In the saucepan of a double boller. Cook until the leaves are tender, then press them through a fine steve and put back into the saucepan. Add one and a half pints of white stock and bring to a boil. Mix a tablespoonful of flour with a little milk and stir into the soup. When the soup is of a creamy consistency add a tablespoonful of butter and season with salt and sepper.

China Chilo.

Cold roast mutton should be diced and placed in a saucepap with a good pint of green peas, one head of lettuce torn into shreds, sufficient gravy to moisten and a good seasoning. Simmer for half an hour and serve with an accompaniment of boiled rice.

Convenience for the Ironing Board. A large pocket tacked on the back of your ironing board is useful to drop froning wax, iron handle, stand, etc., nto when you are through with them. -McCail's Magazine.

Some Day Ask Your Physician

the stomach, into which no food had entered. It was shown that the digestive fluids of stomach were flowing freely, exactly as if the desirable food had entered.

This proved that it was not the presence of food which caused the digestive juices to flow, but the flow was caused entirely and alone as a result of the action of the mind, from "anticipation."

One dog continued to eat the food he liked for over an hour believing he was getting it into his stomach, whereas, not an ounce went there; every particle went out through the opening and yet all this time the digestive juices flowed to the stomach. prepared to quickly digest food, in response to the curious orders of the mind

Do you pick up the lesson?

Unappetizing food, that which fails to create mental anticipation, does not cause the necessary digestive juices to flow, whereas, food that is pleasing to the sight, and hence to the mind, will cause the complicated machinery of the body to prepare in a wonderful way for its digestion

How natural, then, to reason that one should sit down to a meal in a peaceful, happy state of mind and start off the breakfast, say with some ripe delicious fruit, then follow with a bowl of crisp, lightly browned, thin bits of corn like Post Toasties, add a sprinkle of sugar and some good yellow cream and the attractive, appetizing picture cannot escape your eye and will produce the condition of mind which causes the digestive juices nature has hidden in mouth and stomach, to come forth and do their work.

These digestive juices can be driven back by a mind oppressed with worry, hate, anger or dislike of the dis-agreeable appearance of food placed before one.

Solid facts that are worthy the attention of anyone who esteems prime health and human happiness as a valuable asset in the game of life.

"There's a Reason" for saying "The Memory Lingers" when breakfast is started with POST TOASTIES.

STATEHOOD OUTLOOK BRIGHT

MAY REPORT FAVORABLY ON HOUSE RESOLUTION.

Arizonians Are in a Hurry, Willing to Vote on Judges' Recall as Provided by House.

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Washington .- The outlook for the early passage of the resolution approving the constitutions of New Mexico and Arizona brightened Saturday, when at the close of the meeting of the senate committee on Territories it was announced that there will be no more hearings and that the committee will probably report the house resolution Friday. The resolution will come before the senate amended in a minor matter, which, it is thought, will prove entirely acceptable to the house. The senate committee on Territories, of which Senator Smith of Michigan is chairman, is composed of seven republicans and five democrats. Two of the republicans, Brown and Bristow, are insurgents, while all five of the democrats, Owen, Chamberlain, Shively, Johnson of Maine and Hitchcock, are progressive democrats, thus easily insuring a favorable report on the proposal to let in both Arizona and New Mexico.

At the hearing J. P. Orme, president of the Salt River Water Users' association, speaking for 2,800 Arizona farmers, said that in Arizona no objection has been uttered against the provision of the house resolution which would resubmit to the people of Arizona the question of voting on the recall of judges. He urged the speedy adoption of the resolution. New Mexico was represented at the hearing by Charles A. Spiess of East Las Vegas, chairman of the constitutional convention; Judge A. B. Fall and former Governor Curry. They took the position that while they prefer the constitution as drafted by their convention, they wanted the adoption of the pending resolution, as the people desired Statehood at once. The committee failed to report out the bill because of the absence of Senators Lippit and McLean, and final action was put off until Friday to enable the attendance of the members of the committee.

Fortifying Canal.

Washington. - Actual construction work on the fortifications of the Panama canal was started this week. Preliminary surveys for the sites of batteries and emplacements already have been made by the army engineer. Locations for all the giant guns that will command both entrances of the great waterway have been chosen. The work of fortifying the canal zone will be done by Colonel Goethals and the force of men at his disposal on the isthmus.

Shawnee Powerless.

SUFFERED FOURTEEN YEARS. A Terrible Case of Dropsy and How It Was Cured.

Mrs. W. R. Cody, 603 Tenth St., Lewiston, Idaho, says: "Fourteen years

I suffered from kidney trouble. I was so lame and sore I could hardly move. Headaches were frequent and my whole body bloated. I had chills and hot flashes and my ankles were

so swollen I could scarcely wear my shoes. The kidney secretions bothered me and my nerves were unstrung. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and soon the swelling diminished. The backache and other troubles quickly disappeared and I was completely cured."

Remember the name-Doan's. For sale by druggists and general storekeepers everywhere. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

EXTENUATING.



Parson-Boys, don't you know that you shouldn't play ball on Sunday? Jimmy-Oh! that's all right, Parson. We ain't playing; we're practicing fer tomorrow's game.

FREED FROM SKIN DISEASE

"Our boy was born in Toronto on Oct. 13, 1908, and when three months old a slight rash appeared on his cheek. What appeared to be a water blister would form. When it broke, matter would run out, starting new blisters until his entire face. head and shoulders were a mass of scabs and you could not see a particle of clear skin. Other parts of his body were affected, but not to such an extent. We tried about every advertised remedy without avail, indeed some of them only added to his suffering and one in particular, the Remedy, almost put the infant into convulsions. The family doctor prescribed for him and told us to bathe the baby in buttermilk. This did not do any good, so we took him to a hospital. He was treated as an

Their Great Value is Most Appreciated by Those Who Have Tried Them.

"I was afflicted with Eczema in the palms of my hands and between my fingers. The treatment used gave no relief and my hands were in a dreadful condition when I was advised to try Resinol. I began with it by applying the ointment twice a day and using the Soap when bathing. This effected a cure in less than a month. I heartily recommend those excellent preparations," writes Mrs. Amy Crain. Fredonia, Ky. At all drug stores.

The Kaiser Likes the Bible.

The kaiser is a great reader, and while he tries to keep himself abreast of current events, his favorite book is the Bible, says the London Chronicle. A well thumbed and marked copy is always by his bedside. When Mr. Roosevelt visited Berlin last year, the kaisor made him a present of a number of books. About half of them referred to theology and the others to military subjects. These two classes indicate the kaiser's own preferences.

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Intricate Letter.

When Bilkins was away from home on a long business trip, he got a letter from his wife that still puzzles him. it ended thus:-

"Baby is well and lots brighter than she used to be. Hoping you are the same, I remain, your loving wife."--Everybody's.

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She-A girl should look before she leaps.

He-She should look pretty or she may not get a chance to leap.

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means of positive cure are referred to the People's Com-mon Sense Medical Adviser-1008 pages, newly revised

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Shawnee, Okla .- During a severe electric storm early Sunday lightning struck the plant of the Shawnee Gas and Electric company, which was totally destroyed, entailing a property loss estimated at \$150,000. Street car service has been discontinued. The city is without lights and 100 men were thrown out of work.

Potatoes at \$2 a Bushel.

San Antonio, Tex.-Irish potatoes are now quoted at the highest price this year, retailing at \$2 a bushel. At this time last year potatoes were only bringing 75c and 80c a bushel. Other vegetables are also high. The poorer classes are finding it about as cheap to eat meat.

Grown Cotton Bolls.

Bryan, Tex .- Several parties from the country brought in Saturday cotton bolls that were just about grown. A careful inquiry from farmers from different parts of the county elicited the information that cotton was still standing the drouth with but little in jury.

Bull Pen Collapsed.

Waynesville, N. C .- Four convicts were killed, twelve seriously injured and fourteen convicts and three guards slightly injured Sunday in the collapse of a bull pen near Waterville, N. C., in the heart of the Smoky, the only remaining mountain pass to the past.

Proctor Knott's Illness Fatal.

Lebanon, Pa.-James Proctor Knott, 'ormer governor of Kentucky, and prominent for many years in congress, fied at his home in Lebanon Sunday it the age of 82 years. He had been teeble and partially blind for several years.

Suffragette's Campaign Fund.

London .- Five years ago the suftragettes started to raise a campaign 'und of \$500,000. Mrs. Frederick Petaick Lawrence announces that the war chest now amounts to .\$515,000. Plans have now been arranged for obtaining a total of \$1,250,000.

out-patient twice a week and he got worse, if anything. We then called in another doctor and inside of a week the boy was, to all appearances, cured and the doctor said his work was done. But the very next day it broke out as bad as ever.

"We decided that it could not be cured and must run its course and so we just kept his arms bandaged to his side to prevent his tearing his flesh. We left Toronto and shortly after our arrival in Duluth, the Cuticura Remedies were recommended. We started using them in May, 1909, and soon the cure was complete. You would not think he was the same child for Cuticura made his skin perfectly clear and he is entirely free from the skin disease. There has been no return this time. We still use only Cuticura Soap for baby's bath. Robert Mann, Proctor, Minn., May 3, 1910."

When Fate Mocks.

"Too bad about Joe. "What's the matter?" "He sprained his arm and they are

afraid he can never pitch again, so his folks are going to make a doctor or something of that sort out of him."

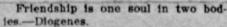
Raw.

Bore-Do you believe oysters have brains? Bored-Certainly I do, since they know when to shut up.

The Herb laxative, Garfield Tea, over-comes constipation, giving freedom from sick-headache and bilious attacks.

To apprehend contempt is to have deserved it already .- Pierre Loti.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain. cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.



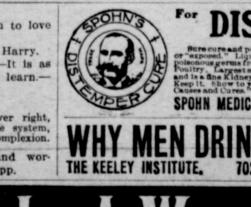
and up-to-date Edition, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only; or, in cloth binding for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. Pretty Quick. He-But couldn't you learn to love me. Anna?

She-I don't think I could, Harry. He (reaching for his hat)-It is as I feared-you are too old to learn .--Harper's Bazar.

Garfield Tea will set the liver right, correct constipation, cleanse the system, purify the blood and clear the complexion.

A self-made man? Yes, and worships his creator .-- Henry Clapp.

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W. F. CONNER, S. W. Passenger Agent, 404 Flateau Bldg., Dallas, Tex. General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo. McCANE'S DETECTIVE AGENCY Houston, Texas, operates the largest force of competent detectives in the South, they render written opinions in cases not handled by them Reasonable rates. of this paper de-Readers siring to buy anything adverin its columns should insist upon W. N. U., HOUSTON, NO. 25-1911. having what they ask for, refusing all ٠ DAISY FLY KILLER Nine-tenths of all the sickness of women is due to some derangement or dis-case of the organs distinctly feminine. Such sickness can be cured—is cured Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription Sick Women Well. PARKER'S It acts directly on the organs affected and is at the same time a general restorative tonic for the whole system. It cures female complaint right in the privacy of home. It makes unnecessary the disagreeable questioning, examinations and local treatment so universally insisted upon by doctors, and so abhorrent to hompson's DEFIANCE STARCH esslest to work with and EMPER Pink Eye, Epizootto Shipping Fever & Catarrhal Fever tter how horses at any stage are infected acts on the Blood and Glands, expels the emper in Dogs and Sheep and Cholera in Cores La Grippe among human beinge ottie: 65 and 165 a dozen. Cut this out at it for you. Free Booklet, "Distempen

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Grapeland Messenger sary to close all the saloons in the city.

ALBERT H. LUKER, EDITOR.

Entered in the Postoffice at Ecapeland, Texas, every Thurs- of a Trouseau Club to a brideday as second class Mail Matter.

THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 1911



June 19. Do anti-prohibitionand oppose prohibition because They think it will not prohibit, or mecause they fear it will prohibit? De they oppose prohibition because they fear it will not elim mate the liquor traffic, or long, lazy days, the glittering messause they do not want the sun, the refreshing thunder My wor traffic eliminated? They showers, the tall waving fields of do not oppose prohibition be- cotton and corn remind us of cause they doubt its efficiency; this fact. Time does indeed fly if such doubt existed, they swiftly, for was it not only yes-would oppose it the more if this terday that the cold north winds staght were removed. The truth were telling shivering humanity is they do not want prohibition good bye with vigorous puffs and the prohibit, nor will they favor the small grasses and flowers may law that might injure the were tentatively peeping up here Riyuor traffic.

statewide prohibition, antis are mas bells were ringing the yule-schibiting figures showing the tide joys? Wasit not only a litarrests resulting from the many tle while ago when we were welwielations of state prohibition coming the first autumn chillness and the raids made by officers on as a relief from the sultriness of misces where liquor was sold. last summer? And now the fair How such argument is expected queen of the season again enlivto influence votes against pro- ens us with her presence. Days, matition is beyond the wisdom of months, years and generations Salomon to understand. Are rush by as though carried by a mighty torrent, and the brief they protect the public from the period of human life is only a malefactions of criminals? Must time during which a soul decides saciety be imposed upon by in- for itself the choice of existence areaitous people, iniquitous institu | in the great aftermath. fains, because the elimination of these oppressions might embarmes the criminals? Must a law conscient except that one which ans one will violate? If, so, then for what purpose does a law serve? Marcover, the antis try to estab-is the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-but over to a companion on his right and all over the failure of the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and employed counsel to repre-list the failure of statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and the statewide with the guns and long looked for rain came and long looked for rain the statewide with the guns and long looked for rain the statewide with the guns and long looked for rain the statewide with the guns and long looked for rain the statewide with the s ficion upon the the guns

resumony of the benefit. Do not expect of Maine, who is an mit himself, and by the governor Could not the success of state which was appreciated by all. wide prohibition be proven Quite a large congregation were ercally as well by the governor out to hear him. Bro. Childs, and recommended that another Georgia, who is a pro, the mayor of Atlanta, who is a pro, the governor of Kansas and the generations of Oklahoma, Tennesand other prohibition states, wiss are pros? Besides it might the noted that here in Texas the millis are wanting the constitutime to remain intact while in Oklahoma and Maine they are declaring for a change in those constitutions. Again are we to believe that prohibition is a failure in Kansas upon the testimoney of the hirelings of the liquor trust instead and taking the word of the Topeka rnass meeting of 4,000 representrive citizens? The resolutions awarpted by the meeting read, in Dart: "We, the citizens of Carreka and Kansas, in meeting special bled, do hereby proclaim: First that there is not a saloon in much for their dead one day in existence within the borders os Hamsas. Second that the pro-Intation law is well enforceed in Kansas as any other law on the daughters here last Friday. She estate books and far better enfaced than high license laws in daughter, Sallie, who will remain commer states."

Our confidence in the destiny of the human race is greatly increased by a "canned fruit shower" given by the members elect. Such little evidence of good sense as this from time to time are refreshing cases in an otherwise untenable desert.

It is interesting to note how some newspapers take a neutral position in the prohibition campaign. In view of the fact that the prohibitionists are bankrupt and that the pages of these pa-pers bristle with anti-prohibition advertising matter, the case becomes doubly interesting. All praise to the editor who will not accept the filthly lucre of the liquor crowd! Prohibitionists should support prohibition papera.

Summer is again with us. The and there? Was it not only a In their desperation to belittle day or two ago when the Christ-

Daly News

us a fine sermon here yesterday

What it Means to You

To have the satisfaction of knowing where you can buy your goods where you can get Quality and your dollars will go a long ways. It has always been our policy to co-operate sincerely with our customers. Our interest in you doesn't cease when you buy from us. Our success depends on yours. We want you to know that we take pride in showing you our goods, making prices and explaining the quality. SPECIAL PRICES on all summer goods. CLOSING OUT all Straw Hats. Our stock is clean, up-to-date, prices the lowest. We are waiting to serve you.

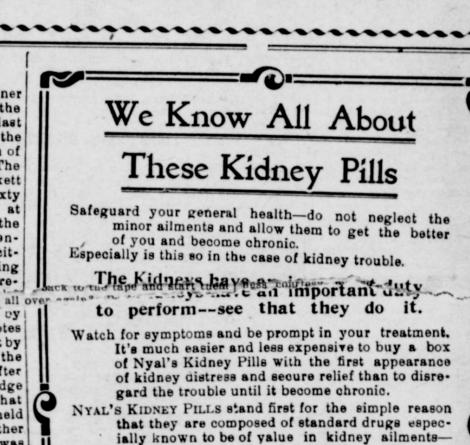
W. F. MURCHISON

Yours to Please

Election Held Illegal

District Judge B. H. Gardner held a special session of the District Court at Crockett last Friday to try the contest of the recent election on the question of a road superintendent. The contest was filed by Crockett parties on the ground that sixty eight illegal votes were polled at Grapeland and enough in the county to total 173. A representative crowd of Grapeland cit-June 19 .- The much needed izens were present at the hearing

last night which will be of great sent them. A heat was made oy Grapeland to have all the votes recounted, but this was fought by Rev. M. L. Williams preached the opposite side and none of the votes were recounted. After hearing all the evidence Judge Gardner rendered a decision that the election was illegally held Mr P. L. Fulgum and family of election be held. Reynard were at church, also agreed [to and the commis-Mr. Wm Brown, wife and daugh. sioners court went in session and ordered another election for Saturday, July 8th.



Most of the schools and universities are now out for vacation. We know the graduates there their diplomas all right, but must we should like to inquire is whether or not they have reached that transcendent height in edaposition where they can correctly this needs encouragement and spell such commonplace words as "cat" and "dog" and distinguish between a comma and Halley's comet.

Perhaps it is a late honr to make such a statement, but it great oversight on the part Personal Liberty Jake to over-Local securing the attendance of Con Knights of Rest at the saloon mily. Free booze, free sandmobes, and free railroad fare would have been entirely to their tiling. However, to have in ared their hearing the governor orate the whole system. Sold by wax, it would have been neces- all druggists.

ter of Hays Spring.

Mrs. W. P. Kyle visited her daughter, Mrs. Bob Martin Saturday.

Miss Annie Pridgen is on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Mathews of the Rock Hill com-Cunity.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumnar Rials visited the family of Mr. Kyle, Sunday.

The W. O. W. members decorated the graves of their dead here last Sunday. We think this a fitting tribute to the dead and that everyone should do as the year anyway.

Mrs. T. S. Kent visited her was accompanied by her awhile visiting friends and relatives.

We are talking of a protracted meeting here in the summer. We hope all will take an interest and that much good may be accomplished. Such work as the help of the people, as such upbuilds a people greater than anything.

CHARLOTTA.

Trade with Wherry, save the Profit-Sharing Coupons and get them redeemed IN CASH.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will brace up the nerves, banish sick headache, prevent despondency and invig-

Guaranty State Bank

The above is the name of the new bank which was organized in Grapeland Wednesday of last week. The capital stock is \$15,000. The following officers and directors were elected:

Dave Walling, President. M. P. Herod, 1st Vice-Pres. J. B. Thomas, 2nd Vice-Pres. Charlie Kennedy, Dave Walling, J. B. Thomas, Jim McLean, J. L. Jordan and C. O. Glenn, directors.

A cashier will be elected at the next meeting, which will be held some time soon.

The bank will be located in a prominent place on the west side of the railroad, and a brick build ing will be erected. The new bank proposes to be open for business by September 1st.

F. S. Rexford, 615 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., says: I had a severe attack of a cold which settled in my back and kidneys and I was in great pain from my trouble. A friend world of good. D. N. LEAVERTON.

Wherry will share his profits with you, Call and investigate. It's worth something.

Mrs. W. P. Traylor and children are visiting relatives at Magnolia.

we know the formula and know they will do as represented.

Prompt and effective in their action, they cleanse the blood of all impurities and restore the kidneys to a normal condition. Do not hesitate the next time you want speedy relief-either call or phone and we will send it to you in the shape of Nyal's Kidney Pills.

Worth much more-but only 50c the box.

Any doctor will tell you that when we compound a prescription it's done right. Bring us your prescriptions.



POPULAR EXCURSION TO Excursion tickets will be sold is milder or more efficacious in for trains arriving Galveston and its action. It heals the sores or Houston Saturday afternoon, wounds of man and beast. Price June 24th, and Sunday morning, June 25th. Limit to leave Galveston returning Monday, June 26th. For any other particulars see ticket agent.

Lame shoulder is almost invariably caused by rheumatism of the muscles and yields quickrecommended Foley's Kidney ly to the free application of that sluggish billious feeling, so Pills and I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Liniment. This common in hot weather. It crethem and they have done me a Liniment is not only prompt and ates strength, vigor, appetite and effectual, but in no way disag- cheerful spirits. reeable to use. Sold by all druggists. .

> Pure Ribbon Cane Syrup at Lively's.

Watson's Liniment relieves aches and pains in man or beast. cures Blind Staggers in horses 25c and \$1.00, guranteed. Sold by and mules. \$1.00. guaranteed. A. S. Porter.

There is no horse liniment GALVESTON AND HOUS. more effective for animal flesh TON, VIA I. & G. N. R. R., than Ballard's Snow Liniment. nor is there any healing remedy SATURDAY, JUNE 24th. for the human body only, that 25c 50c and \$100 per bottle. Sold by A.S. Porter.

> Profit-Sharing Coupons given with cash purchases-they are redeemable in cash.

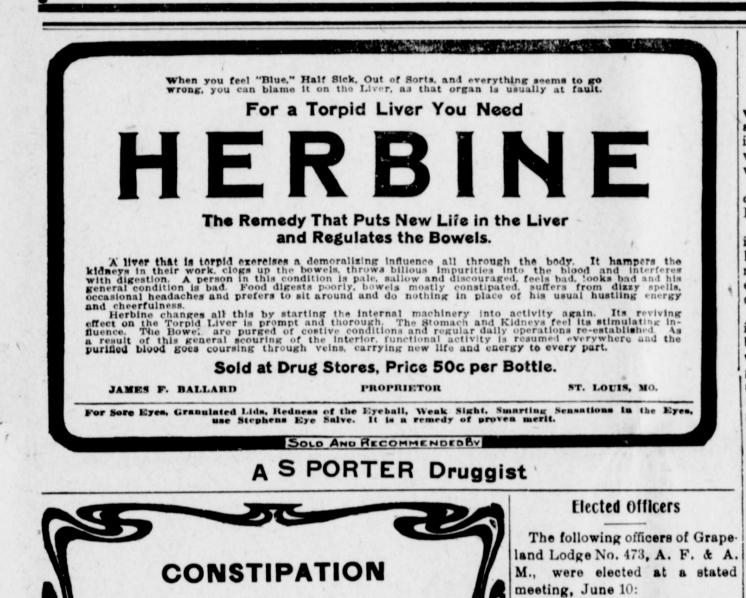
W. R. WHERRY.

Nothing equal to PRICKLEY ASH BITTERS for removing A. S. PORTER, Special Agent.

W. P. Traylor spent a few days in New Waverly this week.

Watson's Stagger Remedy Sold by A. S. Porter.

Barbecue and Basket Dinner July 4th at Weldon, Texas! Prominent Speakers, Plenty of Music, lots Dancing and good Games. Amusement for All Excursion on B. & G. Railroad. Special trains will meet all I. & G. N. trains at Trinity. Come and see the new town and have a good time. CELEBRATION



New Prospect

(Delayed) The farmers are all about up making big preparations for the with their work until it rains, and fourth of July, the occasion a good many are talking of go- being the annual old settlers re-ing fishing. Some went last union. A basket dinner will be week, but we have not learned spread at the noon hour, and what luck they had.

cream supper at Barton Taylor's. to bring a basket. Everybody had a good time.

we enjoyed some good sing- will be prohibition speaking by ing last Sunday conducted by able speakers of Palestine, who Prof. Haltom. In the afternoon will discuss the statewide issue most of the young people attend- in a mild way that will not offend ed the unveiling at the Parker anyone. A division of time will cemetery.

To Old Gray: You can shoot other side if requested. it to us as much as you like about being cripled under the hat. We extended to the public to attend. will admit that we are dull on a great many subjects, but we have sense enough to know what is pest for us and our boys and rheumatism are all subject to the girls. We will vote a pro ticket great healing and penetrating if no more than for sixty yards power of BALLARD'S SNOW

we sitting on the stool of do-nothing? Are we preparing our-selves and helping some one else for the glorious meeting? Let's get to work and have one of the best meetings that has ever been held at New Prospect.

Mr. Hunter says he is going to ing officers were elected:

The Fourth At Salmon

The people of Salmon are hat luck they had. There was a good crowd at the possibly do so will be expected

One of the features of the day be made with speakers of the

A general invitation has been

Blisters on the hands, burns, scalds, old sores, lame back and It will soon be time for our protracted meeting, and neigh-bors, what are we doing? Are we sitting on the stool of do-

Eastern Star Officers

At the last stated meeting of Grapeland Chapter No. 120. or. der of Eastern Star, the follow-

Is the cause of much misery and expense. It clogs the vital organs with impurities and brings on a general break-down of health.

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

Is a bowel regulator of the greatest merit. It relieves the bowels mildly yet thoroughly and extends its cleansing and strengthening influence to every part of the body.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red on Front Label. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Druggists.

A S PORTER SPECIAL AGENT

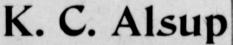
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We will sell you any quantity.

We handle ice in car well. Sold by all druggists. lots.

Prices right.

We are open Sundays until 12:30



are not satisfied after using two- week ago. thirds of a bottle according to FOLEY, KIDNEY PILLS Sold by all druggists.

"back yonder. "

If you are not satisfied after

using according to directions two-thirds of a bottle of Cham-

berlain's Stomach and Liver Tab-

lets, you can have your money

back. The tablets cleanse and

els. Give them a trial and get

If you want the Grapeland

Messenger to some friend

Jas. Owegs, W. M. Frank Leaverton, S. W. G. H. Black, J. W. D. N. Leaverton, Treas. A. L. Brown, Sec'y. Alton Murchison, S. D. P. H. Stafford, J. D. T. D. Zackary, J. S. J. F. Martin, Tiler.

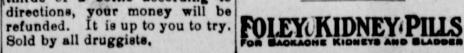
Foley's Kidney Remedy

Is particularly recommended for chronic cases of kidney and bladder trouble. It tends to regulate the kidneys and controls the kidney and bladder action and is healing, strengthening relieve a cold, as it has no nauand bracing. D. N. LEAVERTON.

The rain Sunday night was duly appreciated, and will be of much benefit to cotton and some corn.

Gas in the stomach comes from food which has fermented. Get invigorate the stomach, improve rid of this badly digested food as the digestion, regulate the bow- quickly as possible if you would avoid a billious attack. HER-BINE is the remedy you need. It Cleanses and strenghtens the restores energy and cheerfulcountry advertised send The ness. Price 50c. Sold by A. S. Porter.

Jim Cook was down from Palestine a day or two this week. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Jim told us that a young lady is sold on a guarantee that if you arrived at his home about a



buy him a crop and neves go back to Oklahoma. We are glad to have him remain with us, and we always try to make everyone feel at home with us.

THE JUNIORS.

A Leading California Druggist

Pasadena, Cal., March 9, 1911. Foley and Co., Gentlemen.-We have sold and recommended Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for years. We believe it to be one of the most efficient expectorants on the market. Containing no opiates or narcotics it can be given freely to children. Enough "Get the original Foley's Honey

and Tar Compound in the yellow package".

Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

County Union Meets Here

The Houston County Farmers July 7 and 8. Hon. Geo. B Terrell of Alto, member of the legisstomach, liver and bowels, and lature and prominent in Union Kidney Pills." affairs of the state, will be present, and on Friday night will deliver an address which everyone should begin now to make ing and fishing. arrangements to care for the delegates, as the time is not far off, and people will be here from all over the county.

> Jackscnville, was here on busi- annoying irregularties. ness last week.

Mrs. B. H. Logan, Worthy Matron.

Odell Faris, Worthy Patron. Mrs. P. H. Stafford, Associate Matron.

Mrs. Odell Faris, Conductress. Mrs. A. H. Luker, Associate Conductress.

W. D. Granberry, Treas.

J. F. Martin, Sec'y.

Mrs. Eleanor Kendedy, Ward-

B. H. Logan, Sentinel. Your Neighbor Experience

How you may profit by it. Take Foley's Kidney Pills. Mrs. seating results, and does not interfere with digestion. Yours yery truly, C. H. Ward Drug Co. time I had a very serious case of C. L. Parsons Sec'y and Treas, kidney trouble and I suffered with backaches and dizzy headaches. I had specks floating before my eyes and felt tired and miserable. I saw Foley's Kidney Pills advertised and got a bottle and took them according to directions and results showed almost at once. Union will hold their meeting in The pain and dizzy headaches Grapeland Friday and Saturday, left me, my eye-sight became left me, my eye-sight became clear and to-day 1 can say I am a well woman, thanks to Foley's

D. N.Leaverton.

A crowd of Grapelandites are is invited to hear. Grapeland on Trinity river this week hunt-

Middle Aged And Elderly People

Use Foley's Kidney Pills for quick and permanent results in all cases of kidney and bladder J. R. Crim, insurance agent of troubles, and for painful and Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

Many swollen tor burden into the satisfaction and a master thinkers has floo Legislature with advice, thre and offers to go on the pay roll.

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Those who hunger and thirst for power have been beating the political tom tom and sending shrieking vibration through the Legislative halls, but it is a good experience for our solons, as it will fit their nerves for the strife below. In the Legislature, it is just one thing after another. Our Legislators are a jolly lot of good fellows, and with the exception of the call "to arms" that occasionally echoes through the Legislative halls, they are as happy as a lot of young colts in a pasture, but if they tried to please every body, they would please nobody and loose their jobs in the bargain.

There are as many kinds of Democrats in the Legislature as there are breakfast foods on the market and one hardly dares to get outside the Capitol building without a picture of Thos. Jefferson in hand, lest he become lost in the jungles.

The political map makers have been working over time. Many members whose districts have never been dimmed by the smoke of a factory and who have constituents that have never heard the shrill whistle of a locomotive are trying to embarass fame by writing their names on a redistricting bill that will give either one or the other of the numerous contending factions in Texas an advantage. Some men can't be great without being dangerous.

The introduction of an amendment to the Appropriation bill increasing the contingent expenses thirty thousand dollars was interpreted by the memb ers to cover the expenses of a proposed investigation of the last election and precipitated a bitter fight in the Legislature and finally passed both Houses on a majority vote, but in case it should not meet with the approval of the Governor, the measure will doubtless be lost, as the necessary two-thirds vote to offset a veto was not shown on the ballot. We investigate everything in Texas except our undeveloped resources. The Governor submitted a message to the Legislature showing a deficit of a million dollars inherited from the Campbell Administration. A tax levy of one cent on the one hundred dollars will net the State, on the present basis of assessment, approximately \$200,000 and it will, therefore, require a tax levy of five gents on the one hundred dollars to take care of the deficit. The Waters-Pierce wind-fall will be absent this year and to absorb the deficit and care for the necessary expenses of government, will require an estimated tax levy of sixteen cents for purposes of general revenue. Our revenue system is in rather a chaotic state and the Legislature may conclude to investigate it. The Governor has asked the Legislature to repeal the law

LOCAL NEWS	Trade with Lively. Lively sells it for less.	Augusta News	MONEY TO LOAN
Lively sells good shoes.	Salt in 100 lb. sacks at Kent's.	On Saturday night, June 17, one of the most interesting plays	
"Walk over" shoes		ever given in Augusta was pre- sented by the ladies of the Woodmen Circle, "My Aunt	We Handle Real Estate.
t Kent's.	corn chops and 15 per cent cotton seed meal.	Heiress," title of the play, was presented by nine characters,	If you want to buy or sell a farm or borrow money on it, call on us. We buy Vendors Lien Notes.
Claude Sory went to Crockett londay on business.	the second	each of whom performed their parts with force and reality.	
Miss Ima Oliphint is yery sick	Hats of every description at T. S. KENT'S	This play was given for the ben- efit of the church, and am glad	WARFIELD BROS.
rith typhoid fever.	Miss Bernice Avery of Alto is	to say it was a success. We had several visitors on that occa-	Office North Side Public Square CROCKETT, TEXAS
Chops, Bran, flour and meal at	here on a visit to relatives.	sion, who were Mrs. Fannie Wilson of Garden City Mrs. John	
Cent's.	any case of Chills and Fever.	Kennedy of Grapeland, Mrs. R. L. Sims and little son of Rat-	A NEW DEPARTURE IN
For Dwarf June Corn call at Howard's.		cliff, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hol-	BANKING for Grapeland.
5 or 6 doses of "666" will cure	money. Money saved is money	thews of Alto, Misses Helen and Rena Cannon of Crockett,	Drittino for Grapeland.
any case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.	made.	Messrs. Sam Sims and Albert Thompson of Daniel.	Read This:
Try a sack SOUTHERN	Mrs. C. G. Lansford and child- ren of Grockett are visiting rel-	There has been quite a lot of sickness, but is somewhat sub-	We issue Interest Bearing Cer-
BEAUTY flour. It's fine. W. H. LIVELY.	atives in Grapeland.	siding. Since the recent rain people	tificates of Deposit and pay in- terest as follows:
My, you look cool! I've been to	LOST-K. of P. button on the	are wearing brighter faces. A FRIEND.	Time Deposits of 6 months we pay
the KANDY KITCHEN. I wish I had gone there, too.	streets of Grapeland; liberal re- ward offered. M. L. CLEWIS.	Don't Wait Until	3 PER CENT Time deposits of 12 months we pay
For Shumate guaranteed \$1.00	I HUNDER OF HUNDER ICIC		5 PER CENT
razors go to Howard's. Try one for an easy shave.	Saturday for Durant, Okla., to visit relatives.	The fall	Call at the Bank for further information.
Try Protositos. 85 per cent	Watson's Colic Medico cures	you are expecting to accound out	Farmers & Merchants
ced meal.	colic in horses and mules. Guar- anteed. Sold by A. S. Porter.	school you cannot give a reaso- nable excuse for postponing en-	State Bank,
Sold by J, W. Howard.	Joe Davis of Neches, formerly	Journerent proor to continue Jour	Grapeland, Texas
in session this week, sitting as a	agent here, was in town a few days this week.	obtain a practical education, the	
Me for the KANDY KITCH-	See Frank Denton before buy-	better it will be for you. We have now almost as large attend-	
EN. They make their own	ing your Ice, Can save you	ter. We offer every inducement	Spacial Affarl
there. My, the coke is so good	Miss Dora Leaverton and Isom	in the summer as in the winter. Our past record shows that stu-	Special Offer!
Lively & Royal have put in a barbecue pit and are now fur-	Osborne of Kaufman are visiting		-
nishing their customers with nice		other three months in the year. This is due to the fact that our	
barbecued beef and pork.	Jim Ellis has returned home from Tyler where he has been		State of Texas, having practiced in nearly all the larg cities in the south and will now take up the profession
Have just received a car of mixed feed-meal and hulls-in		forth the same energy in the	again. For the month of JULY, in order to introduc
100 pound sacks. J. W. Howard.	Watson's Liquor Blister cures Spavin, Fistula and Bone Lame- ness in horses and mules. Gu-	He who enters now will finish in	my work, will make the following Special Low Prices 5 year guaranteed gold filled spectacles
All straw hats going at very	aranteed. Sold by A. S. Porter.		10 " " " " "
low prices. It will pay you to see me before buying.	Mrs. Frank Leaverton and	would be a reasonable excuse for	15 " " " " " <u></u>
W. H. LIVELY.	babies have returned home from Edom, where they have been	lat up here it and we will give	If in any case I fail to please, no charges, conse
FOR SALE	visiting relatives.	we can show you that you can	quently no risk. DO NOT FAIL to take advantage
Butler gin at Waneta, in good	Call up W. H. Lively, phone	and a practical education beside	

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Watson's Fly-Proof Healer for Barb Wire Cuts, Saddle and Collar sores. Heals quickly and leaves no scar. Does not irritate. 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Bold by A. S. Porter.

The best liniment known is Balsam of Myrrh, it heals where others fail. Money : - back for empty bottles wh the purchaser is not satisfied with results. Sold at Howards.

Gr d appetite and cheerfulness follows the use of Prickly Ash fesday of last week to Miss Win-Bitters. It purifies the blood, livworth living.

A. S. Porter, Special agent.

'lis said that the good die young. I know this to be true, for there has been several deaths at Hatchell's slaughter pen this last week of the very best beeves the country can offer. Phone No 40 and get your beef sent up at once.

On the night of July 4th, at the KANDY KITCHEN a big ball. All invited. Music will be furnished by Barker Tunstal's Orchasta of Crockett.

Wyley Caskey and A. S. Por- any kind of printing. ter left Tuesday night for Mineral Wells. Mr. Porter has been

first assistant of our school, declined to accept, and the board summer attendance. We have elected Prof. W. L. Price of no regular term openings; a Forney as principal. This leaves student can enterour school one the first assistantship to be filled. day as well as another. Our

Due to arrive a car of Southern Beauty and Prosperity flour. A mixed car of chops, meal and bran. Prices right.

W. H. LIVELY.

of the editor, was married Wednie Davis Smith, near Nacoger and bowels and makes life doces. They will make their it would be of no use to write us,

> FREE! Magnificent imported Cake Sets given away absolutely W. H. LIVELY. particulars.

> > A S PORTER

Bring me your old hats and have them cleaned and made new at a moderate cost. J. W. CASKEY.

The Messenger has just received a lot of new job type and we are in better shape than ever to handle your printing. Be sure to see us when you need

than you could to continue as you are until fall and then attend school, will it not have done you a favor? Give us a chance at Prof. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks, your case. We have solved the who were elected principal and problem for thousands of others,

as it has proven by our large

school is conducted so differently from the literary schools and colleges that a student who is just out of one of those schools, will find it a recreation to get into our practical work. It is almost like accepting a position in a store or a bank. There is plenty that mercury, if it remains in

Rey. Frank E. Luker, brother of life, hustle and get-up-and- the body, will soften and rot the get about each day's work. Now don't think for a moment crosis of the bones. Calomel is that you have a good excuse and a form of mercury, and to keep home at Lindale, where Frank is that we couldn't remedy your to take no calomel at all, espastor of the Methodist church. case. It's your case we want; pecially, as there is a better remwe want to see the case we can't edy.

remedy. It's been our life work solving just such problems as FREE! Call at the store for yours, and qualifying young men and women to earn three dollars where they could not have earn - tonic that induces the liver to act ed one.

Write us by return mail; tell affter-effects. In fact Dodso's us frankly what is hindering you from entering before fall. Tyler, Commercial College, Tyler. Texas. Counter Photo 3

"It cured me" or "it saved the life of my child" are the expressions you hear every day about Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This is true the world over where this valua-ble remedy has been introduced. Julius, our correspondent at No other medicine in use for how confined to his bed over two weeks with a severe attack of rheumatism, and has gone to the above place to take the hot baths in the hope of getting relief. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we in the hope of getting relief. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we in the hope of getting relief. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we in the hope of getting relief. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we are compelled to hold it over un-til next week. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we are compelled to hold it over un-til next week. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we are compelled to hold it over un-til next week. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we are compelled to hold it over un-til next week. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we are compelled to hold it over un-til next week. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, and on account of its length we the new sector of the success of the Mesenger office Saturday, Chamberlain's Colic, Chalers and Diarrhoes Remedy is that it cures. Bold by all druggists. Hays Spring, writes a very inter-esting article on the road law, the secret of the success of the Mesenger office Saturday. Norton at Creek.

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amendment, was made plain Friday hour when the wreck occurred. when Chairman Penrose of the committee forced the bill into its second reading before the senate and announced its probable early passage.

Monday.

well as representatives.

Payne-Aldrich bill.

Military academy.

sugar industry in America, its trials imperial decree of May 26. The and temptations ever since, and how the Oxnard Bros. were enriched by order to avoid the threatened embarmore than half a million dollars profit rassment of the government over the through "the little transaction" of contentious zemstvo measure, providselling their cane sugar refinery in ing self-government for the western Brooklyn to the first sugar trust in provinces, and which was promulgated 1887, were the features of the testi- over the head of the legislature on mony that Henry T. Oxnard gave Sat- March 27. urday to the house sugar investigating' committee.

Woman's suffrage joined in support of the parcels post in advocacy of the Sulzer bill Friday before the house committee on postoffices and post roads. Miss Emma M. Gillette of New York declared the cause of woman's cesses of the country. suffrage needed the parcels post, and she praised the postoffice department | ant entry into the capital Francisco I. as the only government department Madero has been handled without that is close to the people.

Representative Hughes of New Jersey delivered the only speech made professional men of the state of Moin the house Friday on the bill to revise the woolen schedule, other matters occupying most of the session. Mr. Hughes spoke in favor of the bill.

DOMESTIC.

Standing of Texas League teams: Games. Won. Lost. P.C. Clubs-Oklahoma City. 64 36 28 .562 Waco 63 34 29 .540 Dallas 66 35 31 .530 Austin 63 33 30 .524 Fort Worth ... 65 34 31 .523 San Antonio ... 67 33 34 .493 Houston 66 32 34 .485 Galveston 65 23 42 .354

will be exceptionally large and fine this year. Messrs. Collier Bros. report that they will ship some 30,000 pounds, while the bee man at Berclair reports a fine crop this year. Standing of Southwest Texas teams; tion.

Clubs- Games. Won. Lost. P.C. Brownsville 58 32 26 .552 Bay City 56 33 27 .550 .544 Beeville 57 31 26 Victoria 58 .483 28 30 Corpus Christi.. 59 27 32 .458 Laredo 58 25 33 .431

majority in favor of the bill without running possibly forty-five miles an

FOREIGN.

the senate leaders that there is a clear outside of Houston. The train was

Five months of usual summer inaccivity in Russia's home politics began The story of the birth of the beet with the adjournment of the duma by session was cut short one month in

> Beacon fires built on 2,500 of the most prominent points of the British Isles, in England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland, will on the evening of June 22 flash the tidings of the coronation of King George V to the remotest re-

> For the first time since his triumphgloves in a public meeting. Rich haciendados and leading business and relos gathered Saturday in an obscure section of Mexico City, and at a little known threater, to protest against the naming of General Zapata as the chief of the military forces of their state.

A dispatch to Paris from Tangier says Spain has concentrated 10,000 men, with an enormous quantity of war materials, at Cadiz for use in Morocco, should occasion arise. The forces now occupying El Araish are to be increased to 4,000 men.

A dispatch to the Temps of Paris from St. Sebastian says General Diaz declared at Vigo that when he left The honey crop for Goliad county Mexico the treasury reserve totaled about \$31,000,000, which he believed would now be squandered by the revolutionists. General Diaz insisted that the United States government was in no way responsible for his resigna-

In protesting against the occupation of El Harish by Spanish forces, Mulai Hafid, the sultan, declares he will appeal to the signatories of the Algeciras treaty against this violation of the compact.









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"That brings us to another quee

tion," Mr. Grimm continued merciless

"I want to believe you, Miss Thorne," he supplemented.

She turned quickly with something

"Yes, I know," she said slowly. "It

Mr. Grimm leaned forward in his

"Understand, please, that by that

answer you assume equal guilt with

the person who actually did the

shooting," he explained. "If you ad-

here to it you compel me to regard

you as an accomplice." His question-

ing took a different line. "Will you ex-

plain how the revolver came into your

"Oh, I-I picked it up in the hall-

"I want to believe you, Miss

"You may. I picked it up in the

"Why that, instead of giving an

"No alarm was necessary. The shot

"Then why," Mr. Grimm persisted

coldly, "did you run along the hall-

hallway," she repeated. "I saw it ly-

way there," she replied vaguely.

Thorne," Mr. Grimm said again.

ing there and picked it up."

itself was an alarm."

vares, do you know who did?"

of defiance in her attitude.

chair, and spoke earnestly.

were useless to deny it."

"Who was it?"

possession ?"

alarm?

"I won't tell you."

There was another long pause.

SYNOPSIS.

Count di Rosini, the Italian ambas-sador, is at dinner with diplomats in the national capital when a messenger brings a note directing him to come to the embassy at once. Here a beautiful young woman asks that she be given a ticket to the embassy ball. The tick-shel Thorne. Chief Campbell of the secret service, and Mr. Grimm, his head detective, are warned that a plot of the Latin races against the English speak-ing races is brewing in Washington, and Grimm goes to the state ball for information. In a conservatory his at-tention is called to Miss Isabel Thorne, who with her companion, soon disap-pears. A revolver shot is heard and Campbell and Grimm hasten down the hall to find that Senor Alvares of the Maxican legation, has been shot. A wo-man did it, and Grimm is assured it was Miss Thorne. ly. "If you did not shoot Senor Al-

CHAPTER VI.

Revelations.

Some vague, indefinable shadow darkened Miss Thorne's clear, bluegray eyes, in sharp contrast to the glow of radiant health in her cheeks, as she stepped from the automobile in front of the Venezuelan legation, and ran lightly up the steps. A liveried servant opened the door.

"A gentleman is waiting for you, madam," he announced. "His card is here on the-"

"I was expecting him," she interrupted. "Which room, please?"

"The blue room, madam."

Miss Thorne passed along the hallway which led to a suit of small drawing-rooms opening on a garden in the rear, pushed aside the portieres, and entered.

"I'm sorry I've kept you-" she began, and then, in a tone of surprise: "I beg your pardon."

A gentleman rose and bowed gravely.

"I am Mr. Grimm of the secret service," he informed her with frank courtesy. "I am afraid you were expecting some one else! I handed my card to the footman."

For an instant the blue-gray eyes opened wide in astonishment, and then some quick, subtle change swept over Miss Thorne's face. She smiled graciously and motioned him to a seat.

"This is quite a different meeting from the one Senorita Rodriguez had planned, isn't it?" she asked.

There was a taunting curve on her scarlet lips; the shadow passed from her eyes; her slim, white hands lay idly in her lap. Mr. Grimm regarded her reflectively. There was a determination of steel back of this charmin exterior: there was an indomitable will, a keen brain, and all of a woman's intuition to reckon with. She was silent, with a questioning upward slant of her arched brows.

relevently. "You, Mr. Grimm of the revolver, yes," Mr. Grimm interrupted Secret Service of the United States; quietly. "Is this the one?" I. Isabel Thorne, & secret agent of Italy together here, one accusing the other of a crime, and perhaps with good reason."

"Where is the revolver?" Mr. Grimm insisted. "If you were any one else but you!

I could not afford to be frank with you and-"

"If you had been any one else but you I should have placed you under arrest when I entered the room." She smiled, and inclined her head.

"I understand," she said pleasantly. For the reason that you are Mr. Grimm of the Secret Service I shall tell you the truth. I did take the rethe shot. Believe me when I tell you that that person did not act with my knowledge or consent. You do be-lieve that? You do?" She was pleading, eager to convince him.

After a while Mr. Orimm nodded. "The revolver is beyond your reach and shall remain so," she resumed. "According to your laws I suppose I am an accomplice. That is my misfortune. It will in no way alter my determination to keep silent. If I am arrested I can't help it." She studied his face with hopeful eyes. "Am I to be arrested ?"

"Where is the paper that was taken from Senor Alvarez immediately after he was shot?" Mr. Grimm queried.

"I don't know," she replied frankly. "As I understand it, then, the motive for the shooting was to obtain possession of that paper? For your government?"

"The individual who shot Senor Alvares did obtain the paper, yes. And now, please, am I to be arrested?"

"And just what was the purpose, may I inquire, of the message you telegraphed with your fan in the ballroom ?"

"You read that?" exclaimed Miss Thorne in mock astonishment. "You read that?"

"And the man who read that mes sage? Perhaps he shot the senor?" "Perhaps," she taunted.

quietly. "Is this the one?"

He raised his hand quite casually, and his fingers closed like steel around the weapon. Behind his back Miss Thorne make some quick emphatic gesture, and the new-comer released the revolver.

"I shall ask you, please, to free Miss Thorne," he requested courteously. "I shot Senor Alvares. I, too, am a secret agent of the Italian government, willing and able to defend myself. Miss Thorne has told you the truth; she had nothing whatever to do with it. She took the weapon and escaped because it was mine. Here is the paper that was taken from Senor Alvarez." and he offered a sealed envelope. "I have read it; it is not what I expected. You may return it to Senor Alvares with my compliments."

After a moment Mr. Grimm's hand fell away from Miss Thorne's arm, and he regarded the new-comer with an interest in which admiration, even, played a part.

"Your name?" he asked finally. "Pietro Petrosinni," was the ready reply. "As I say, I accept all responsibility."

A few minutes later Mr. Grimm and his prisoner passed out of the legation side by side, and strolled down the street together, in amicable conversa-Half an hour later Senor Altion. vares identified Pietro Petrozinni as the man who shot him; and the maid servant expressed a belief that he was the man who slammed the door in her face. .

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THIS WAITER WAS SATISFIED

Old Negro Receives One Dollar for Every Cent He Collected From Wealthy Man.

"The shrewd waiter will accept a tip, no matter how small it is, and pretend that he is satisfied," said a hotel manager yesterday. "When I hear of persons giving extraordinarily small tips it reminds me of an old ne gro walter we used to have at Palm Beach a few years ago. His name was Winfield Scott.

"A wealthy but eccentric New Yorker arrived at the hotel early in the season, and Scott took charge of his table. He took his three meals at the same hours each day. At the end of the first he solemnly handed the waiter one cent. Scott was wise, so he bowed and showed his teeth and said: 'Thank yuh. suh.' The next meal the same thing happened, and so on to the end of three months. when the visitor was about to leave. Scott waited on him with the greatest punctiliousness at every meal and never hinted that the tip he got was not perfectly satisfactory. "After he had finished his last meal

the visitor said to the waiter: 'Scott, how long have I been here?"

"Jes' 90 days, sub,' was the answer. "'I have given you something after every meal, haven't I?' 'Yes, suh.'

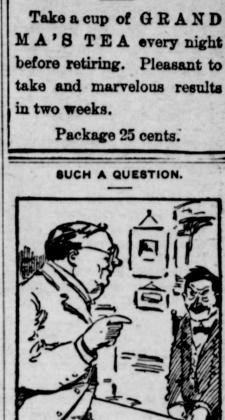
"'How much does it amount to?"

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Eradicates scrofula and all other humors, cures all their effects, makes the blood rich and abundant, strengthens all the vital organs. Take it.

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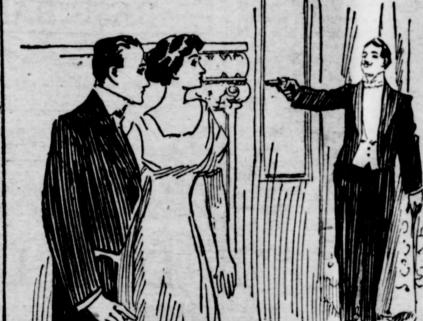
State's Attorney (examining tal man for fury)-If you considered this man guilty would you send him to the gallows?

Talesman (a politician)-What's his politics?

The Worth of the Volce.

How wonderful is the human voice! It is indeed the organ of the soul! The intellect of man sits enthroned visibly upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his countenance. But the soul reveals itself in the voice only; as God revealed himself to the prophet of old in the still, small voice, and in the voice from the burning bush. The soul of man is audible, not visible. A sound alone betrays the flowing of the eternal fountain, invisible to man .--Longfellow: Hyperion.

He Got the Pass.



"I am not mistaken in assuming that you are a secret agent of the Italian government, am I?" he queried finally.

"No," she responded readily.

"In that event I may speak with perfect frankness?" he went on. "It would be as useless as it would be absurd to approach the matter in any other manner?" It was a question.

Miss Thorne was still smiling, but again the vague, indefinable shadow, momentarily lifted, darkened her eyes, You may be frank, of course," she

said pleasantly. "Please go on." "Senor Alvarez was shot at the

German embassy ball last night," Mr. Grimm told her.

Miss Thorne nodded, as if in wonder.

"Did you, or did you not; shoot him?"

It was quite casual. She received the question without change of countenance, but involuntarily she caught her breath. It might have been a sigh of relief.

Why do you come to me with such a query?" she asked in turn.

'I beg your pardon," interposed Mr. Grimm, steadily. "Did you, or did you not, shoot him?"

'No, of course I didn't shoot him." was the reply. If there was any emotion in the tone it was merely impatlence. "Why do you come to me?" she repeated.

"Why do I come to you?" Mr. Grimm echoed the question, while his listless eyes rested on her face. "I will be absolutely frank, as I feel sure you would be under the same circumstances." He paused a moment: she nodded. "Well, immediately after the shooting you ran along the hallway with a revolver in your hand; you ran down the steps into the kitchen, and out through the back door, where you entered an automobile. That is not conjecture; it is susceptible of proof by eye witnesses."

Miss Thorne rose suddenly with a queer, helpless little gesture of her arms, and walked to the window. She stood there for a long time with her units classed behind her back.

Mr. Grimm Found Himself Inspecting The Weapon From the Barrel End.

way and escape by way of the kitch- | en? If you did not do the shooting, why the necessity of escape, carrying too, rose, and faced him quietly. the revolver?"

There was that in the blue-gray eyes which brought Mr. Grimm to his feet. His hands gripped each other cruelly; his tone was calm as always. "Why did you take the revolver?" he asked.

Miss Thorne's head dropped forward a little, and she was silent.

"There are only two possibilities, of course," he went on. "First, that you, in spite of your denial, did the shooting.

"I did not!" The words fairly burst from her tightly closed lips.

"Or that you knew the revolver, and took it to save the person, man or woman, who fired the shot. I will assume, for the moment, that this is correct. Where is the revolver?"

From the adjoining room there came a slight noise, a faint breath of sound; or it might have been only an echo of silence. Their eyes were fixed each upon the others unwaveringly, with not a flicker to indicate that cut, aristocratic features, and of the either had heard. After a moment pronounced Italian type. Miss Thorne returned to her chair and sat down.

"It's rather a singular situation isn't it, Mr. Grimm?" she inquired ir-

For a long time Mr. Grimm stood staving at her, staring, staring. She,

"Am I to be arrested?" she asked again.

"Why do you make me do it?" he demanded.

"That is my affair."

Mr. Grimm laid a hand upon her arm, a hand that had never known nervousness. A moment longer he stared, and then:

"Madam, you are my prisoner for the attempted murder of Senor Alvarez!"

The rings on the portieres behind him clicked sharply, and the draperies parted. Mr. Grimm stood motionless, with his hand on Miss Thorne's arm. "You were inquiring a moment ago for a revolver," came in a man's voice. 'Here it is!"

Mr. Grimm found himself inspecting the weapon from the barrel end. After a moment his glance shifted to the blazing eyes of the man who held ita young man, rather slight, with clean-

"My God!" The words came from Miss Thorne's lips almost in a scream. "Don't-!"

"I did make some inquiries about a

Scott told him. 'Have you got a those pennies?' the visitor asked.

"Scott said he had, and the visitor told him to bring them. Scott returned with a bag 'of pennies and handed them over.

"T'll take them.' said the man. 'Now this is yours,' and he handed over to the waiter \$90."

Doing Your Own Papering.

In preparing the paper for hanging. first trim off all white edges which might show afterward. Then spread the paste on the paper, very evenly, to obviate the danger of irregular drying and later spotty effects. Regulate the temperature of the room so that the paper will dry within one hour after hanging.

The following method of estimating the number of rolls of paper may be of help. This estimate holds good for rooms of from seven to nine feet in beight Measure the number of yards around the room, and multiply this by two. The resultant figure represents the number of full-length strips. For each ordinary sized window and door allow two strips each. Subtract this daylight. from the first figure, and divide by five. This will give you the number of donble rolls required. This estimate makes allowance enough so that the trimmings fill in odd places .-- Country Life in America.

Attribute of Euccess.

An American must not die: be must direct his energies toward success; success means making one's way in life; nine times out of ten, for ninety-nine men out of a hundred, that means the business world. To seize the business opportunity; to develop that opportunity through the business virtues of attention to detail, industry, economy, persistence and enthusiasm-these represent the plain and manifest duty of every citizen who intends to "be somebody."-Stewart Edward White.

Life's iteal Pleasures.

Make yourselves nests of pleasant thoughts, bright fancies, faithful sayings; treasure houses of precious and restful thoughts, which care cannot disturb nor poverty take away from you-houses built without hands for your soule to live in.-Ruskin.

"Pass? You're not entitled to a pass. You are not an employe. Sorry."

"No; but here the antipass law says free transportation can be granted to 'necessary caretakers of live' stock, poultry and fruit.' Well, I'm going on this trip with an aunt that's a henthere's your poultry; a girl that's a peach-there's your fruit; and a nephew that's a mule-there's your live stock. Gimme a pass."-The Way. Bill

WANTED TO SLEEP Curious That a Tired Preacher Should Have Such Desire.

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"I find that by eating a dish of this food after my Sabbath work is done, (and I always do so now) my nerves are quieted and rest and refreshing sleep are ensured me.

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