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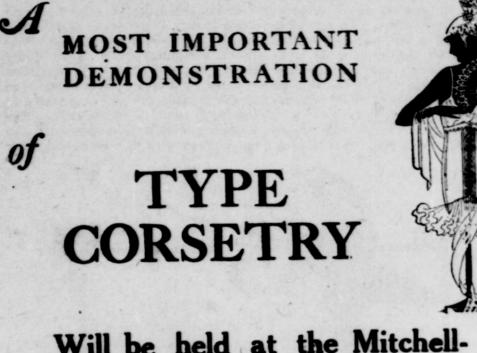
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taurant, one block from apartments. where we get a good, home-cooked

Published Among the Silver-Lined Clouds 4692 Feet Above Sea Level, Where the Sun Shines 365 Days in the Year. The Healthful, Pure Air Makes Life Worth Living.



Will be held at the Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Store all next week.

Miss Gladys Johnson of the Mitchell-Gillett Dry Goods Company has just returned from a week's intensive study at the Gossard School of Corsetry in El Paso. She has re-ceived the Gossard diploma of a graduate corsetiere.

This diploma is awarded only after the successful passing of the most rigid examinations in all branches of corset fitting, advertising, stock keeping, merchandising and other important subjects pertaining to the modern corset department.

Miss Johnson' says that modern hygienic corsetry as originated, developed and perfected in the Gosaard Front Lacing Corsets is a blessing to all womanvind. She says if more women will buy their corsets with a full appreciation of their importance, we will have fewer female invalids. To support her statement she quotes the wellknown medical authority, Alice S. Cutler, M. D., who says "No one wants to be ill, and when women realize that the constant wearing of an ill fitting corset helps to keep our hospitals open, they will insist on being properly fitted with corsets, instead of buying them hit or miss. Most earned physicians now recognize the modern corest as a aygiencally healthful garment and one that is often the means of providing corrective support for many bodily

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

ORGANIZING LOAN AS'N.

Last Sunday afternoon at about 1:00 o'clock.as a west-bound South-ern Pacific freight train was pull-to be known as the Federal Farm & Loan Association of Marfa Tay ing into Maria from Alpine, Manuel & Loan Association of Maria. Tex- Mabry gave the entertainment in eral bath houses here, costing from Garcia, a laborer who had been as.

working at the Toronto rock crush er, crawled from between two re-

unfortunate party who now has to years. suffer the consequences.

foolish chances of getting hurt and offentimes killed by doing so, we can expect to have these accidents into this section of the state. Were served. NEWS FROM HOT SPRINGS, N. M. and come back with seventy-fve or one hundred words and come back with seventy-fve or happen over and over again.

Mexican was a trespasser, it was Felepe Dominguez, who has con- man, W. R. Ake, who is spending a it is done when I get home.

Drs. Z. A. d'Armours and J. C. Dar-racott performed and operation by while sitting in front of his home the benefit of others who might be Well.-I mu amputating the unfortunate man's conversing with his wife. leg. It was found that this had to The deceased was a highly res- baths, for we know what Mr. Ake With best regards to everybody,

As the Mexican was a poor labor-father of sixteen children, eight of We believe everything he says. er and without money, the Blue whom are living,

all possible for the poor man and hardships of frontier days with his sidered it as one more of those fano doubt saved his life. family.

Frank Huerta, the plumber, turn- Besides a wife the following eight letter follows: ed over to the injured man a room sons survive him: Cereldo F., Felix, Felepe, Alexan- Mr. H. W. Schutze, at his home and the ladies of the Blue Cross are now nursing him. dro. Andres. Victor. Juan and Llalo.

THE GRAND JURY

Judge Sutton opened the July District Court last Monday morning and instructed the Grand Jury, who immediately went to work.

As long as people will take the the Big Bend country will be mem- were served.

Forty-two Party

interesting letter from our towns- story but a fact. I will tell you how

heartrending to see the man suffer ducted a small grocery store in Mar- few weeks at Hot Springs, New Mex- The waters here have made some agony. Monday afternoon at two o'clock, fa for the past thirteen years, died ico, with his family, where he is wonderful improvement in some taking the baths for rheumatism. word and the bath of the

the form of a farewell party, as the nothing to 50 cents per bath, or \$10

pay for the most necessary medi-cine and anesthetics and they suc- Davis. He was born in Old Mexico vouched for same, nor would his sign of works and needs no windbut came to West Texas during the many Marfa friends have believed ing. It is indeed a marvel and the story. They would have con-

> mous Ake barber shop stories. The Hot Springs, N. M., July 24, 1923.

> > Marfa, Texas.

Funeral was held Wednesday ev- Friend Henry :ening at 6:00 o'clock from the fam- Just a few lines to let you know the Catholic cemetery.

cross organization of Marfa took it upon themselves to solicit funds to age and had spent 52 years in Tex-he written us about catching the he written us about catching the hy installed a wonderful clock, which

quite interesting.

ful time fishing and swimming. ily residence and interment made in that we arrived here o. k. after The Queen Theatre has succeeddriving over 300 miles. These ed in booking the "Connecticutt

roads are very good-a liftle-rough Yankee" again, and after much cor-R. E. Petross, local agent for the in places, but after leaving El Paso respondence, has secured permis-G. H. & S. A. railway, returned there is no chance to get off the sion to show this production at the From what we can learn, there Wednesday from Houston, Texas, road, as there are sign posts every- reguar admission prices-10c.

frigerator cars where he had been asset to the people of the Big Bend ated for this occasion with homestealing a ride, and in some manner lost his hold and fell between the cars and had one of his feet so bad-ly mangled that he had to have it ly mangled that he had to have it It is the same old story rewritten, available for a term, ranging from Refreshments, consisting of ice- tor boats on the lake, where Billy with only a different name of the five to thirty four and one-half cold watermelons, chicken salad in found out how to operate a motor tomato cups, potato chips, crackers, boat, Billy is having the time of Some of the leading ranchmen of fresh pineapple ice and macaroons his young life-something every minute for him. We have been out

greatest sport is catching the fish in In spite of the fact that the poor DEATH OF FELEPE DOMINGUEZ. The editor received this week an your hands. This is not a fish

I am as ever your friend. W. R. AKE.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Maley returned

last Tuesday from a few weeks vis-

it to relatives on the South Concho.

They report having had a delight-

ailments.

"Style," Miss Johnson says, "is simply a correctly poised body induced by a correctly designed and fitted corset. She states that she can give this illusive charm with perfect comfort and safeguarded health to every type of tigure.

The women of Marfa may well deem it a privilege to have the service of Miss Johnson at their disposal.

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1920 One 7 passenger Buick Six model at \$550 A real automobile

One 5 passenger 1921 Buick Six at model **\$800**

Good Codition. Looks like new. Real Bargain

One Dodge truck, good condition and an excellent buy.

One Dodge Touring, 1920 model. Its a bargain. See us.

All of the above cars can be purchased on the easy payment plan. Come and look

have been no cases	turned into the
Court. but judging	from the way
the Grand Jury is	
will be a number o	
by next Monday mon	
The jury is comp	

lowing members: R. E. L. Tyler, foreman. W. B. Mitchell. S. T. Wood. Bill McGee. J. W. Pool. John Humphris. J. B. Scott. J. B. Davis. W. H. Colquitt. Ben Pruett. G. A. Monkhouse.

Marfa Entertains Visitors

Eighty automobile loads of Alpine friends and school teachers from the Sul Ross Normal visited our city this morning and enjoyed a watermelon feast arranged for them in Sunset park.

The First Cavalry Military Band rendered a most enjoyable program while the visitors partook of their ice-cold watermelon.

It was estimated that there were three hundred persons in the party and all seemed to be delighted with the trip. From Marfa the party proceeded to Paisano Pass, where a barbecue was also prepared for them.

Marfa was delighted to have the students of Sul Ross and our Alpine friends visit with us and we hope they will come again.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

At a meeting of the Marfa Chamber of Commerce held this week Judge W. W. Bogel was elected president.

It was decided to give a watermelon cut in the Court House yard Saturday at 10:30 in honor of the visiting school teachers from the Sul Ross Normal, who will visit our city or a few hours.

By a majority vote it was decided o employ a first-class secretary for he Chamber of Commerce for the next three months who will adverise the big military maneuvers to be held here from September 20th o October 7th.

FORTY-TWO PARTY

Mrs. W. A. Carter entertained with a forty-two party Tuesday morning from 9:30 to twelve o'clock. There were seven tables of players. The house was beautifully decorated with home grown flowers. Those present were Mesdames. R. R. Smith. W. B. Mitchell, H. W. Colquitt, L. C. Brite, Chas. Pruett, W. P. Fischer, Henry Fletcher, F. A. Mitchell, Ben Pruett, T. C. Mitchell, Merriman, (Hillsman Davis, A. M. Avant, R. S. McCracken, Crawford Mitchell, W. H. Cardwell, F. N. Brown, McBride, J. M. Rosson, Har-ry Hubbard, W. W. Bogel, T. C. Crosson, E. R. Mabry, C. E. Mead, Graves Bogel, McGaughey, K. C. Miller, Fletcher Fisher and Blanche Avant. Delicious refreshments were served in two courses.

where he attended an important where-something we hav-nt got in 25 cents. Those who have seen this meeting of agents of this road. The all parts of Texas. We arrived production will come again, and meeting was called to take a vote to just one week ago today, rented us those who have not seen it should see if the Appointive Agency plan a two-room apartment at the James come, as it will scare away those would be approved of. Out of 29 Apartments, for \$10.00 per week, blues, bringing laughter to the eyes agents present, four disapproved of one dollar extra for a cot—every-the new plan, and Mr. Petross was one of the agents who disapproved keeping. Bath house next door to said plan for he believes the believes the dot of the second seco said plan, for he believes that the apartments, clean and sanitary. King Arthur's court, will be shown senierity plan as now employed Living expenses just about the same at the Queen on Friday, August 3rd. shound continue to function.

las at home. A nice clean little res- Don't forget the date.



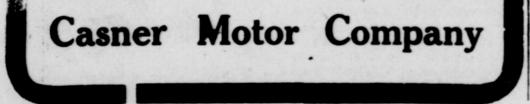
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Our Fall samples have arrived. Five hundred beautiful patterns. Let us take your measure NOW for a Hand Tailored Suit.

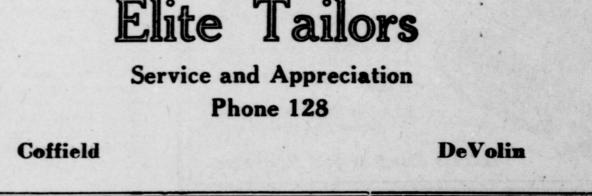
We Guarantee a Fit

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them over. Have many other makes on hand.



Judge C. R. Sutton was called to the bedside of his father at Menard, Texas last Tuesday, and immediately left overland in his car. From late reports we hear that he made the trip safely and found his father very low.



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MARFA NEW ERA, MARFA, TEXAS

Condensed Austin News

GAINS 40 POUNDS Sheriff A. J. Remmert of Austin County, who is attending the Sealy murder trial, presented two fine large Austin County watermelons to "If you ask me, Tanlac is the best Acting Governor Davidson. medicine made and everyone who has

. . .

has taken it on my recommendation Dr. P. H. Harrington of the State thinks the same as I do," recently said Ed Howard, 2324 Market Ave., Board of Control left for Terrell to make an inspection of the North Texas Insane Asylum and will visit "About three years ago flu left me other State institutions prior to the aching all over and with rheumatism awarding of contracts for supplies so bad in my shoulders and legs that late this month, bids to be opened every move I made hurt me. Even my on July 25. sleep was all broken up. My stomach got out of fix, I lost my appetite and

Under orders of Acting Gov. Davidson, rangers were sent to Waskom, Harrison County, the Acting Governor's home county, to investigate the killing of a negro farmer, it being alleged that the negro was slain by unknown white men.

Motion for rehearing has been filed in the Supreme Court in the case Association against J. C. Stovall, El-Tanlac Vegetable Pills are Nature's lis County. The case involves validity of co-operative marketing contracts. The Supreme Court recently held such contracts to be enforceable.

> By a vote of 2 to 1 the State Board of Control refused to make a change in the superintendency of the East Texas Insane Asylum at Rusk. Chairman Cowell and Dr. Harrington voted that the charges had not been sustained to the extent of justifying dismissal, while Mr. Tittle voted to the contrary.

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Reports to the State Game, Fish and Oyster Department are to the effect that the game sections of Southwest Texas give much promise, that the fawn crop was good, there are many young wild turkeys and the quail appear to be returning in considerable numbers to sections which they left some years ago. . . .

Food; giving natural sleep without State warrants are now being discounted 4 per cent and local buyers assert that the rate will be 5 per cent by Sept. 1, when the new appropriations become available. A call was 79,745. Before the call the deficit was \$2,104,008. Therefore it was reduced to \$1,828,618.

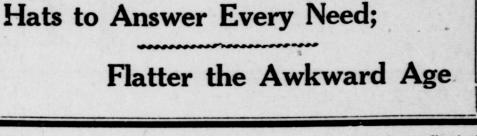
MARKET CONDITIONS Price Range of Cotton, Grain, Hay, Feed, Live Stock, Meats, Fruits, Etc.

Latest report of markets issued by U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Hay.-Markets holding firm. Receipts new hay increasing but arrivals well absorbed account lower stocks in cities. Best grades rather scarce and in excellent demand. New best prairie moving well. Quoted No. 20: No. 1 timothy Chicago \$25, Memphis \$24, Philadelphia \$24.50, Pittsburg \$22.50, Atlanta \$27, Cincinnati \$20, New York \$28.50, Minneapolis \$18. No. 1 alfalfa Chicago \$23, Memphis \$22.50, Atlanta

\$32. Cincinnati \$20.50. No. 1 prairie Chicago \$20, Kansas City \$16.50, Omaha \$18, St. Louis \$22, Minneapolis \$17. Feed .- Wheat feeds dull. Demand from interior very light, resulting from of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton good pastures in most sections. Recent advance of 50c to \$1 per ton in cottonseed meal daily reduced demand. Increased offerings of new crop meal at rather heavy discounts. Corn feeds in ample supply at steady prices. Quoted July 20: Minneapolis bran \$19.50, middlings \$23.50, flour middlings \$28, rye middlings \$23, gluten feed Chicago \$37.15; 36 per cent cottonseed meal Memphis \$37.75, Atlanta \$36.50; 32 per cent linseed meal Minneapolis \$39, Buffalo \$39; white hominy feed St. Louis \$31.50, Chicago \$32.

Grain .- Decline in grain prices 14 and 16 was followed by steadiness on 17th and sharp advance 18th and 19th but weakness today carried values under week ago. Bearish influences early were hedging sales, weakness in Winnipeg on good crop prospects and limited buying power, while advance mainly due to somewhat oversold condition and claims of damage from black rust in Canadian spring wheat territory. Wheat unsettled on 20th and averaged lower. There was a sharp rally one time to above Saturday's but prices declined again toward the last and finished near bottom. Less disposition to follow declines, however. and fair support from commission houses on dips. Scattered liquidation in evidence on late declines with some selling by northwest interest. Corn prices followed wheat. Sentiment in corn mixed with increasing disposition has been made to pay warrants up to take selling side on bulges. Closing to No. 66,900 and represents \$237,- prices in Chicago cash market: No. 2 390. The last outstanding warrant red winter wheat \$1.02; No. 2 hard winter \$1.02; No. 2 mixed corn 86c; No. 2 yellow corn 89c; No. 3 white oats 43c. Average farm prices: No. 2 mixed corn in Central Iowa 731/2c; No. 2 hard winter wheat in Central Kan-Building activity continues apace sas 78c; No. 1 dark northern wheat in in Austin and indications are that Central North Dakota 85c. Closing future prices: Chicago Sept. wheat 98-5/8c; Chicago Sept. corn 76 1/8c, Minthan they were in 1922. Homes are neapolis Sept. wheat \$1.0334c; Kansas City Sept. wheat 992¼c; Winnipeg October wheat 971/4 c. Live Stock and Meats .- Chicago hog prices were unevenly 15c lower to 40c higher for the week. Beef steers 15c \$1.30 lower; butcher cows 15c to 50c payment in the event goods are sold \$1 lower. On July 20 hogs were active stuffed silk flowers. to the State institutions. Bids are 10c to 15c lower at close, beef steers. to be opened July 25 for supplies yearlings and fat butcher cows and heifers very dull. Fat lambs steady to 50c lower, feeders strong to 25c higher with fat ewes steady. July 20 Chicago prices: Hogs, top, \$7.50; bulk of sales \$6.75@7.35; medium and good fund has brought embarrassment to beef steers \$7.60@10.65; butcher cows the State in an unexpected manner, and heifers \$3.50@10.00; feeder steers \$4.50@8.40; light and medium weight government who are forced to travel veal calves \$6.50@10.50; fat lambs in the discharge of their official \$11.50@13.50; yearlings \$8.25@12.00; fat ewes \$3.50@7. Stocker and feeder shipments from 12 important markets during the week ending July 13 were: Cattle and calves 38,706; hogs 8.275; sheep 36,312. In Eastern wholesale fresh meat markets beef was 50c to \$1 lower for the week, veal \$2 to \$5 off. lamb \$7 to \$9, mutton \$1 to \$3 and pork loins \$1 to \$2 lower. On July 20 beef at New York was weak to \$1 lower and weak to 50c off at Boston. Veal and mutton \$1 to \$2 lower, lamb \$1 to \$3 at New York. At Philadelphia lamb was \$1 to \$2 lower and \$1 to \$4 lower at Boston. July 20 prices good grade meats: Beef \$16@18.50; veal. \$15@19; lamb, \$19@23; mutton \$14@ 16; light pork loins \$18@20; heavies, loins, \$12@16. Dairy Products.-Butter markets were firm early in the week but later became unsettled and irregular with some price declines occurring. At the close today the tone was about steady. Hot weather defects have cut down the usual percentage of fancy grades. causing undergrades to accumulate in such amounts that at times they have been hard to move. Closing prices 92 score butter New York 39c, Chicago 38c, Philadelphia 39½c, Boston 39c. Cheese market more active since trading became established generally on the same price basis as last week. Buyers operating more or less conservatively on account of increasing storage stocks, although there is some demand from those who have been off the market recently on account of anticipated declines. Cheese prices at Wisconsin primary markets July 19: Flats 221/2c; twins 233/4c; double daisies 21%; young Americas, longhorns and square prints 22% c.



well as narrow brims, deep and shal-

and it remains only to choose the most

becoming of these to face the summer

with the satisfaction of being properly

In the group of summer hats shown

hatted.

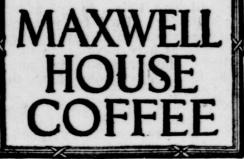
EVERY woman who experiences dif- here shown illustrate how effectively ficulty in finding hats that are not the new styles are bridging the gap between Miss Twelve and Miss Sixonly becoming, but fashionable as well, must be delighted with the presteen. ent styles in summer hats. Wide as

At the left a little dross of crepe de chine has its simple line relieved with double rows of deep plaited ruffles low crowns, poke and off-the-face shapes are all equally in good style, about the skirt and a large square bertha of lace trimmed with ribbon rosettes and long streamers. The blouse is made full and is gathered at the waist with a ribbon belt. The slashed sleeves have a picot edge and below, the model at the top is particu- are latticed with narrow ribbon. They





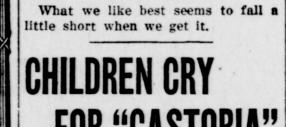
Good to the last drop should say it is ! I could tell a cup of Maxwell House blindfolded. What else could have such aroma, such flavor, such uniformity!



OLD TIME HERBS, a tonic laxative. BORA MENTHOL for cuts and piles—a wonderful Healing Cream. To introduce these old and tried household necessities in this community send 50c for a Dollar package to W. WHEATON SMITH. 1455 Woodward Ave., Ford Arcade, Box 62, Highland Park, Mich.



Mr. M. J. Williams of Dallas, Texas, has a new puncture-proof inner tube, which, in actual test, was punctured over 500 times without the loss of any air. Increase your mileage from 16 to 12 thousand miles without removing this wonderful tube from the wheel, and the beauty of it is that this new puncture-proof tube costs no more than the ordinary tube. You can write Mr. Williams at Commerce and Harwood, Dallas, Texas. He wants to introduce them everywhere. Wonderful oppor-tunity for agents in unoccupied terri-



everywhere.-Advertisement.

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RHEUMATISM LEFT,

fell off thirty-five pounds in weight. I

could hardly drag myself around and

"Tanlac ended all my troubles, even

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pounds in weight and made me feel

like a different man. I'll never be

Tanlac is for sale by all good drug-

own remedy for constipation. For sale

gists. Accept no substitute. Over 37

without a bottle of it on hand."

million bottles sold.

felt like I was pretty near done for.

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Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has

been in use for over 30 years to relieve

bables and children of Constipation,

Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhea:

allaying Feverishness arising there-

from, and, by regulating the Stomach

and Bowels, aids the assimilation of

opiates. The genuine bears signature

and Children of All Ages



Whether you wish to starch a single collar or a full-sized family washing, FAULTLESS STARCH is so prepared that you can mix exactly the amount of starch

the permits for this year will be from 100 to 500 per cent greater under construction in all parts of the city and more apartment houses are being built than ever before in the history of the capital city.

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Several prospective bidders have written to the State Board of Control regarding the time State warrants will have to be held before for a year, aggregating close to \$3,-000,000.

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The large deficiency in the general in that the various employes of the duties are carrying a burden that some are unable to stand. As a result some of the traveling employe. have been taken from the road. . . .

Members of the board of water engineers have just returned after making surveys along the Brazos and Trinity rivers. These surveys were in the form of inspections of dam and reservoir sites to be erected along these streams in carrying out the tenents of the reclamation bill passed during the recent Legislature.

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Former Senator John M. Hender son, attorney for the Texas Steel Company, has been in Austin and conferred with the Attorney Genera! regarding the proposed contract with the State Prison Commission for the operation of the iron found:y at Rusk. Mr. Henderson said that unless convicts can be obtained to operate the plant under the supervision of the State, the foundry will have to be junked and the owners get as much as possible by the sal vage.

. . . R. E. McDonald, chief entomologist of the State Department of Agriculture, makes the following statement: "Cotton leaf worms are now infesting cotton fields in the southern part of the State. They are doing very much damage as far north as Gonzales County. The forerunners have reached as far north as Travis County and probably very much farther."

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and McMillin of Grayson County points for the week, slightly weaker in Black-and-white yarns are used in an have been tendered appointments as members of the Eleemosynary Commission provided for by the last taloupes sell much higher. Legislature, Acting Gov. Davidson Prices reported July 20:-Tom Watsaid. The speaker of the House of Representatives and Lieutenant Governor each name two members of South Carolina 22-30 lb. averages, \$250 the committee. Representative Beas. ley of Sulphur Springs will be a member and probably chairman, it has been learned.

Fruits and Vegetables .-- Prices of watermelons holding about steady in Senator Strong of Panola County Texas, Virginia Irish cobbler potatoes \$1 per barrel lower. Prices of Georgia crown and top brim. belle peaches steady to firm and canson watermelons from Georgia and @500 bulk per car consuming markets \$120@375 f.o.b. cash track to growers. Texas stock \$200@400 midwestern youth and combine simplicity with that cities, 60c@\$1 bulk per 100 lbs. f.o.b. touch of sophistication so ardently desired by the wearer. The two frocks

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GROUP OF SUMMER HATS

larly well adapted to wear at semi- are finished with very deep plaited dress afternoon and evening affairs. ruffles.

The crown is of black taffeta, trimmed Crepe de chine is also used in the with flat hand-made ribbon roses in dress shown at the right in a party pastel shades. The brim is of fine frock having wide panels of narrow milan, edged with a narrow taffeta rib- plaits at the front and back. This is bon. For very dressy affairs the pic- a one-piece slipover model with kiture hat at the right recommends it- mono sleeves and a belt of wide twoself as a charming note in the summer tone ribbon. The short sleeves are to 60c lower, butcher heifers 35c to costume. It is of orchid hair-braid, edged with ribbon and cut in a point with a shadow brim of georgette in which is turned back and fastened lower with feeders 10c off and veal the same tone. The crown and top with a little silk ball. Two narrow calves 50c to 75c lower. Fat lambs brim are trimmed with wool em- ribbons of crepe de chine are tied were \$1 to \$1.75 lower and yearlings broidery and large flat appliques of over the belt at the right side and are finished with silk balls at the ends.

Two tones of felt are used in the lit-Dotted swiss in darker tones such tle sport hat shown at the left. The as navy and wine is combined with



TWO PRETTY DRESSES OF CREPE DE CHINE

trimming is of metallic leather, com- | Irish, venice, valenciennes and filet The problem presented in properly outfitting the early 'teens is alsigners turning their attention to the plain frock. "awkward age" it is always possible to find something in smart outfits that modify the sharp angles of early

Martin w. .

bined with gray wool embroidery. The laces in summery frocks for the subvogue for black and white is evident in deb, the lace being used as the only the model shown below. It is of white trimming. In this use it serves to city markets and Georgia shipping felt, with a facing of black georgette. bring out the white of the dots very all-over embroidery design on the effectively. Berthas are now being adopted even on the most juvenile styles, being plain where the dress is ornate or deeply plaited and edged ways difficult, but with so many de with lace when used with a severely



mixture required.

stant use.

This faultless all-purpose family starch has been a favorite in millions of homes for more than

Faultless Starch Company Kansas City, Missouri

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This Little One Had Colic for **Three Months**

"My baby suffered from colic fo three months and I was afraid I was going to lose her," writes Mrs. A. J. Tolbert, of Holley, Fla., "but she soon got over it when I gave her Teethina. and now I will never be without it, for I give it to both my little ones and it keeps them well."

Colic is a very common complaint with bables and if not corrected in time often leads to more serious disturbances. Teethina corrects baby's indigestion, relieves distress due to an overloaded stomach, cleans out the bowels and regulates the system.

Teethina can be had at any drug store or send 30c to the Moffett Laberatories, Columbus, Ga., and receive a large package and a free copy of Moffett's Illustrated Baby Book .- (Advertisement.)

Japan Turning to Electricity. The growth of the electrical idea in Japan is reflected in the shipment just made from the United States of two 25,000 kv-a., 11,000-volt synchronous judicial tribunal of the land, that it condensers, the largest ever built for has hardly room to turn around. foreign shipment in this country...

stalled by the Nippon Electric Power with the power of veto over the acts company of Osaka, the industrial cen- of congress and of executive officials, ter of Japan, and will be used for pow- a number of the inferior courts of the er factor correction on 154,000-volt country are more commodiously protransmission lines which serve a large area of Japan. The motors of the machines weighed 70 tons, and the stators or armatures weighed 54 tons. The apparatus includes seven transform- building near the capitol on a location ers, each weighing 50 tons complete close to the Library of Congress, or with oil, and standing 27 feet in height. that there will be an addition built

To Have a Clear, Sweet Skin Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin.

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First Commuter (striving desperately to recall name of exceedingly home ly acquaintance)-I remember-eryour name, but-er-I can't place your face.

Second Commuter-You're lucky. You're the first one who ever saw this mug of mine and could forget it .- New York Sun and Globe.



HAS OUTGROWN ITS QUAR. TERS IN THE CAPITOL

CONGRESS MAY GIVE RELIEF

New Offices Could Have Been Built Before This Had Members of the Court Been United in Asking for Them.

By EDWARD B. CLARK

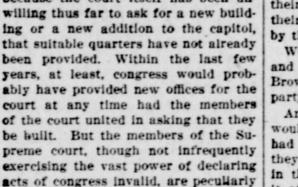
Washington .- The Supreme Court of the United States has outgrown its historic quarters in the capitol, and the question of what to do about it has become acute.

Conditions are such, by reason of the vast accumulation of records and documents of the court, and the increased business of this, the foremost Though it is in many respects the most These big machines are to be in- powerful court in the civilized world, vided for, so far as quarters are concerned.

> Indications are that congress will soon provide for a new Supreme court to the capitol itself for the purpose of affording proper housing for the court.

> > Court Divided on Moving.

It is a strange fact that it is only because the court itself has been unwilling thus far to ask for a new building or a new addition to the capitol, that suitable quarters have not already Everywhere 25c each .- Advertisement. been provided. Within the last few years, at least, congress would probably have provided new offices for the court at any time had the members of the court united in asking that they be built. But the members of the Supreme court, though not infrequently exercising the vast power of declaring

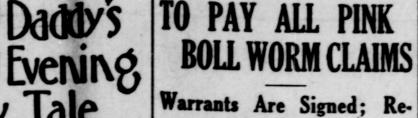


or senate. Chief Justice Tait, who as presi

with the court's necessities.

Do Much Work at Home.

MARFA NEW ERA, MARFA, TEXAS



quest for Opinion Is Withdrawn.

Austin, Tex.-State Treasurer Terrell Thursday withdrew his request for an opinion by the attorney general as to the validity of the appropriation to pay the pink boll worm claims of 1918 and 1919 and signed warrants aggregating \$450,000 in payment of these claims. The signed warrants were immediately returned to the controller's department and in the absence of Controller Lon A. Smith, who will be here this week, they were not delivered to the payees. Chief Clerk Gaston is holding the warrants for Mr. Smith's return. If the latter has no doubt of their validity the warrants will be

given to the payees. Nearly a week ago the warrants were held up when Mr. Terrell raised the point that possibly there was no pre-existing law authorizing their payment. Assistant Attorney Genera! Bryant was examining the authorities when Mr. Terrell, after conferring, with Attorney General Keeling, said he had withdrawn the request for an opinion and had signed the warrants.

BUILDING OF HARD ROADS.

The contract for building 38 miles of hard roads in Hidalgo county has been awarded to W. L. Pearson & Co. of Houston, and the contract for timber bridge construction has been awarded to Dodds & Wedegartner of San Benito. The state highway will be of six-inch concrete with one inch topping of Uvalde rock asphalt between the Cameron county line and Val Verde, and between Pharr and Mamie. From Mamie to the Starr county line the highway will be built of gravel. That part of the highway between Val Verde and Pharr is to be built under a contract made a year ago with the Pearson company and will be of macadiam. Work on the new highway will be started as soon as the conthe contracts.

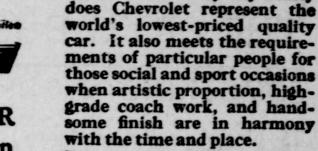
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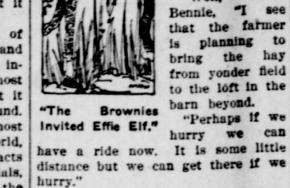
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The Girl I Love.

In Our House. Several days ago Ed L. Hall, of this On the top floor lives the man who throws his shoes on the floor. Below city, came into possession of a one him is the fellow with a marathon dollar bill, with the following inscriptracts are approved by the state and phonograph. On the fourth floor re- tion neatly typewritten across its face: federal highway engineers. The con- sides the baby who howls for eighteen "This is my last dollar, and I gave tracts call for completion of the work hours of the twenty-four. The third it to the girl I love."

within 300 days after approval is given floor is the home of the piano teacher. Mr. Hall is of the opinion that a who works during the other eight real "human interest" story, awaits hours. On the second floor lives a mar- some budding "O, Henry," with the ried couple who continuously celebrate necessary tact and patience to find this their battle anniversary. The first modern lover, remarks the Indianapo Parting with one's last dollar is a



So the Brownies all hurried along and just before they reached the hay wagon Bennie Brownie emptied a great enormous suitcase which he had and handed every little Brownie a hay coat.

THE HAY RIDE

Brownie, "and it is a wonderful plan."

"I have a plan," said Bennie

"What is it?"

"Let us go for

"Oh. that would

asked the other

a hay ride," said

be such fun," the

others said

"When will we

"Well," said

"Perhaps if we

Brownies.

Bennie.

go?"

Now the hay coats were just the color of the hay and the Brownles put them on and pulled the hoods, which were attached to the coats, over their heads.

In this way they could not be seen. If any one came near them they put their arms up over their faces and their arms were covered, of course, by the special suits.

Well they did have such a jolly ride and when it was all over Bennie Brownie said: "Let's have a hay party tonight in the loft."

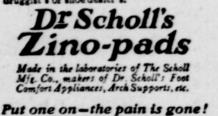
And the other Brownles thought it would be a splendid idea. For they had enjoyed their ride so much that they did want to jump up and down in the hay and play in it and throw it at each other and have some wonunwilling to ask any favors of house derful games.

"Let's invite the others to come,"

No outsider has much influence with congress, has at times since he went a man's conscience. It is extremely opinionated.



ne minute-and the pain of that corn ade! That's what Dr. Scholl's Zino-pade - rafely. They remove the cause - fricdo-rafely. They remove the cause-inc-tion-pressure, and heal the irritation. Thus you avoid infection from cutting your corns or using corrosive acids. This; an-tiseptic; waterproof. Sizes for corns, cal-louses, bunions. Get a box today at your druggist's or shoe dealer's.



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division.

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said Bennie Brownie, dent came into close contact with

"Oh yes," the other Brownles shouted. on the bench gone before the com-

So Bennie Brownie and the other mittees of congress to express his Brownies went around and asked the views on legislation, but as a rule the Fairy Queen and Princess Fairy Joy members of the court shrink from it. and Princess Fairy Twilight-Bell and For sixty-four years, or since 1859, Fairy Ybab and all of the other the Supreme court has occupied its Fairies to come to the hay party. present quarters in a part of the cap-Every one of the Fairles accepted. itol. Prior to 1859 the court sat in Then the Brownies asked Peter what is now the law library, directly Gnome and all of the other Gnomes underneath its present meeting place. When the senate went into its new and every Gnome accepted.

Next the Brownies invited the memchamber in 1859, the chamber it now bers of the Oaf family and they all occupies, the Supreme court moved up one floor and took over most of the accepted.

They invited the members of the offices which it now occupies. The Bogey family and they all came, too, quarters of the Supreme court, therefor they were such jolly little creafore, have a surpassing historic interest and importance, though they are tures and not at all the horrible creatures which some gossips had at the same time cramped, rather made them out to be. dingy and by no means commensurate

They wouldn't frighten children for anything. There wasn't a single Oddly enough, the justices who sit naughty Bogey.

in this court do most of their work at And yet they had heard people say their homes. They do not have that the Bogey man would catch a chambers or individual offices at the bad child

capitol. Associate Justice Pitney was the first member of the court to have say such things about their family, burg since the W. E. Stewart Land chambers in the capitol. He had been and the Breeze Brothers had taken company guit operating there, is rea member of the house and knew the advantages of having an office at the capitol. Associate Justice Sutherland. such unkind things of a nice, jolly C. Lancaster of Hattiesburg, Miss., formerly in the senate, has followed | family.

him in taking chambers in the capitol. Otherwise, the members of the court Elf and all the other Elves to come they paid about \$33,000. This land do their work at their homes. When to the hay party and all of the Elves is being cleared and a good portion former Senator Joseph Weldon Balley accepted.

was in the senate, he succeeded in get-They invited Old Mr. Giant to come ting a number of rooms on the third and Old Mr. Giant said he would have floor of the capitol set aside as to sit down most of the time for he chambers for members of the court, was sure if he stood up he'd hit his but they were not immediately occuhead against a beam but that he pled by the jurists and in a little while would be delighted to come and that the senators had annexed back nearly he would be careful.

all the rooms they had given up. They invited Witty Witch and she The court keeps all of its records accepted with delight.

and documents. None are willingly So they had their party and such a destroyed, although a fire in 1898 did folly party as it was! destroy some of them. These records

They played hide-and-go-seek in the old barn and they made piles of hay occupy a great deal of space and tend to add to the congestion. Conditions into which they

are such that on opinions days of the court-each Monday while the court is in session-the offices of the court are swamped with attorneys, attaches, newspaper men and others, and things are about as packed as in a good oldoff again. fashioned office of a justice of the

peace when a first-class neighborhood dispute is being fought out.

About Inbreeding. had. The general belief that the intermarriage of related individuals tends to produce low grade mentalities and inherent physical defects in offspring the best he could. is contradicted by recent investigations carried on by the United States

each other very dimly.

Temple, Tex .- John L. Thompson, a farmer residing near Rogers, south of floor houses a hard-hearing radio fan News. Temple, had the novel experience of with a triple amplifier. having his shirt kicked off him withflesh. He was shearing a horse when calling for him .- Exchange. the shears accidentally came in contact with the animal's flank. The horse kicked with both feet, divesting Mr. Thompson of his outer shirt adays, has been caused by parents may have gone for candy, and the and a major portion of the under gar. swathing their infants to the eyes next day may have been his regular

Suit Against Stone & Webster.

entirely.

San Antonio, Tex.-United States Attorney John D. Hartman left for now bandaged in such a way as to many heirlooms?" erty to confer upon the framing of tor Williams declared. the amended petition in the suit of the government against the Stone & leged negligence, waste and breach of old. faith in the construction of the Camp Travis cantonment.

Big Land Deal.

San Benito, Tex .- The largest sale They thought it was very mean to of land made in the vicinity of Edinaround many messages, whispering to ported several days ago. Messrs. N. people and asking them not to say Baston, A. Farley, W. A. McComb and have bought 440 acres about two and Then the Brownies invited Effie a half miles from Edinburg, for which will be planted to citrus orchard.

Ginners Overhaul Plants.

Center, Tex .-- Ginners have been busy for the past two weeks overhauling and improving their plants, preparatory to the opening of the cotton season, which will be about the first of August, and announce that they are now ready for business.

Seek New Bond Issue.

San Augustine, Tex .- At a mass meeting of citizens of San Augustine recently it was decided to circulate petitions for an election to vote bonds to build about 36 miles of road. These roads when completed will give a splendid system of roads surrounding San Augustine and will enhance the value of the King's highway, which recently has been completed.

New Appointee Assumes Duties. Austin, Tex .- George D. Armistead of San Antonio, a few days ago assumed duties as member of the state highway commission, to which position he was appointed recently by Governor Neff. Armistead succeeds W. W. Mo from several counties.

Department of Agriculture, husbandry "They Invited Leaf Worm Doing Great Damage. to have that lit-Witty Witch." tle window Edna, Tex .- The cotton leaf or army Inbreeding and cross breeding of through which Mr. Moon could shine. guinea pigs showed that inbred famworms are doing a great deal of dam-And it was fun having it so dark. ilies produced comparatively few abage to the Jackson County cotton crop. They could just really manage to see normal individuals .- Popular Science Many farmers worked Sunday to get "There's nothing like a hay party," said the Fairy Queen as they were rid of the worms. Some have poisoned Remarkable Cherry Tree. leaving after the party was all over. several times, yet have not succeeded On the banks of the Skomish river. "It was a splendid party," they all near Bremerton, Wash., is a cherry in ridding their fields of the worms. houted. tree said to be in its ninety-first sea-While there are some boll weevils. And Bennie Brownie was a very son of fruition. The cherry tree is they are not causing the farmers so happy little Brownie to think that his more than six feet through at the base party had been so jolly and such a and the branches are estimated to much worry as the leaf worms. huge success! cover 5,000 square feet.

In the cellar the janitor sleeps circumstance which might easily be out a scratch being inflicted on his through it all. He thinks they are fraught with tragic significance at any time, and in this case it seems doub-

Cause of Receding Chin.

The receding chin, so common nowment, but the blow missed the body with two much clothing when taking pay day. Who knows the answer? them out for an airing, according to Some one does! Dr. Leonard Williams in a lecture at

the Royal institute in London. "The chins of many children are

Washington this week at the request keep out the beneficent rays of the "I should say so. A new heir looms of Attorney General Harry M. Daugh sun and to prevent its growth," Doc- up almost every week."-Boston Eve-

ly so. But, of course, "the girl I love" may have been his sister, his "last dollar"

Yes. Indeed.

"Did that rich uncle of yours leave

ning Transcript.

Good intentions wilt easily. Better A college diploma doesn't always en-Webster company for \$3,000,000 for al start with new than try to save the able a man to get three square meals la dav.



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jumped. They covered themselves up with hay for the joy of throwing it And Mr. Moon shone through a little old window which gave them

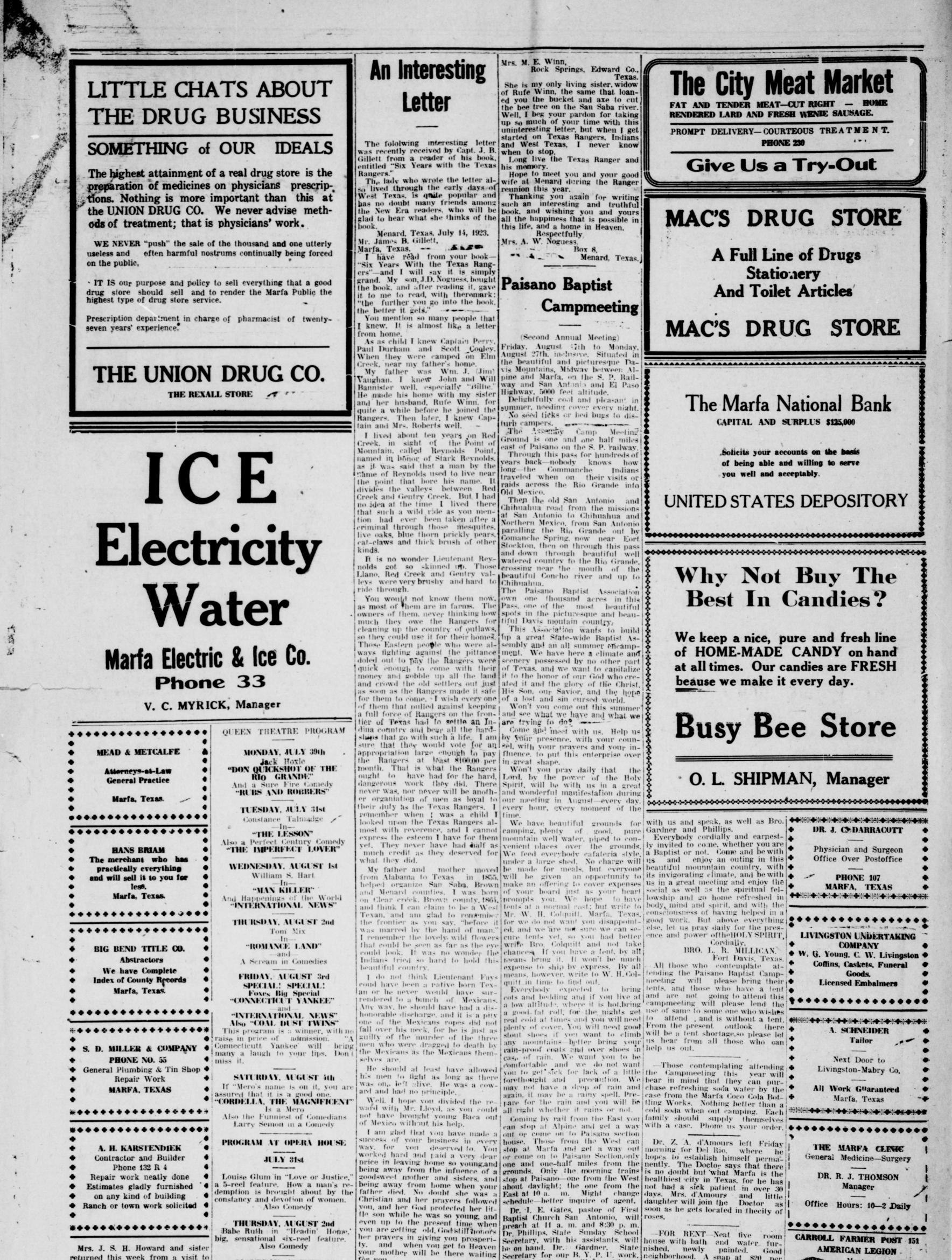
all the light they It was pretty dark even with Mr. Moon doing

> but, as they said, they were lucky

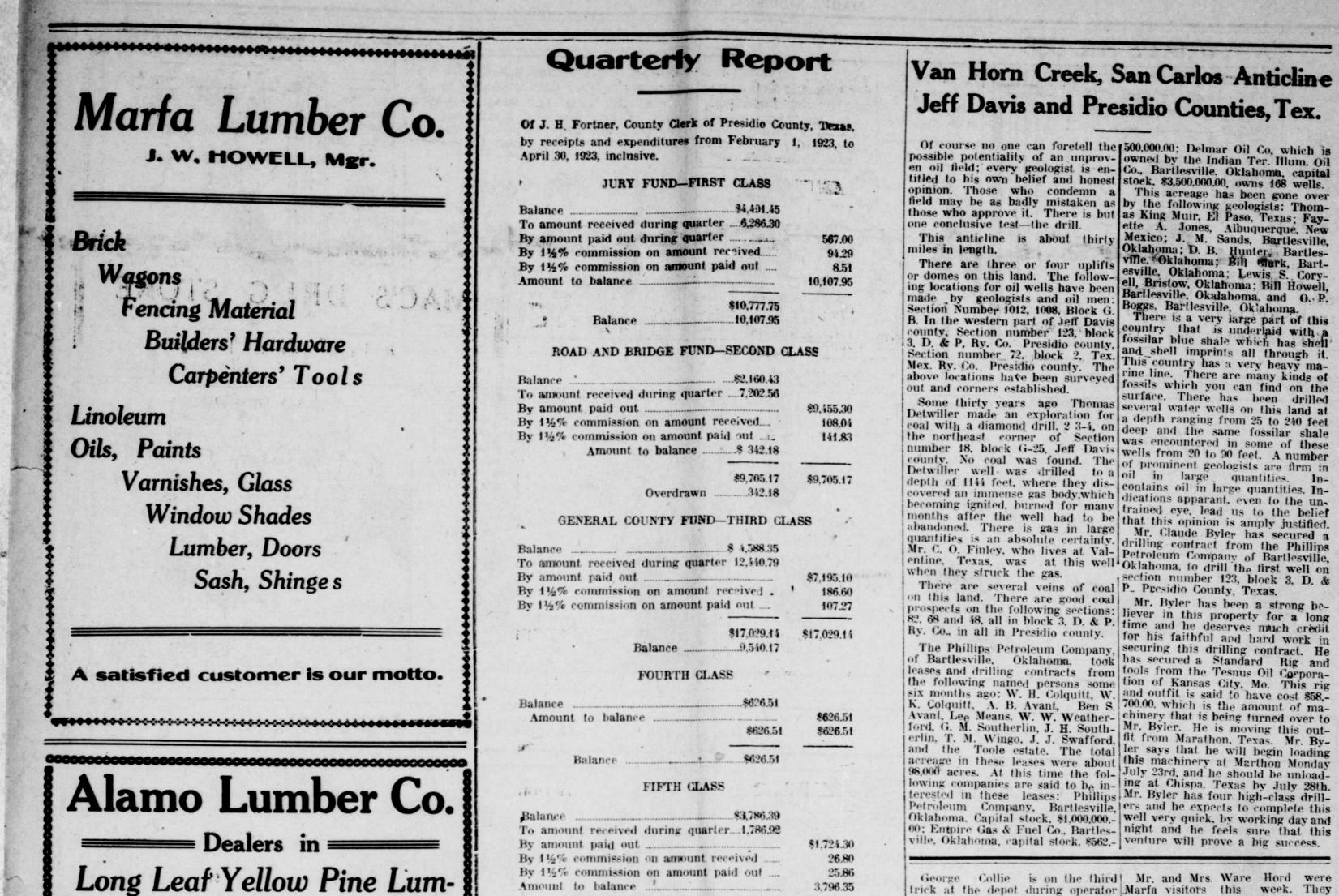


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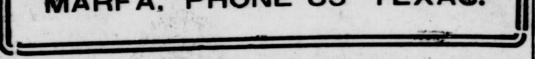
Mrs. J. S. H. Howard and sister your mother will be there waiting Secretary for our B. Y. P. U. work, neighborhood. A snap at \$20 per returned this week from a visit to for you. Now, I cannot express my grafi-tude to you, your wife, Miss Mary S, and B. Y. P. U. work in this cool this property, at \$5.00 per month. Meets each Fridar SATURDAY. AUGUST 4th Chihuahua, Mexico. Mrs. Howard night at 7:30 p. 🛋 "HAND CUFFSOR OR KISSES" reports that prospects look good to **Five Reel Feature** Executive Baylor, or anyone who helped you, and invigorating climate, you can See H. W. Schutze at New Era ofher in Old Mexico, and that they Also Comedy meeting at 7 p. m. or encouraged you to write this do more and better work than in fice. had a very enjoyable trip. They book, for I do enjoy reading it more the sultry clmate in the same time. All visiting Buddies -The Model Dairy offers the made the round trip by automobile Sister Beddoe. State Secretary of -FOR SALE-Fat young squabs. than I can tell. Womans' Work, will be with us and many of our distinguished brethren, not preachers, will be 285. Henry Gordon Schutze. Brwant Day is are welcome. George Randolph, Post Commander and entered Mexico at Candelaria, public fresh whipping cream, but-Copyrighted, 1919. are welcome. But my letter is already too long. They found the roads somewhat ter and buttermilk, in any quantiso I must quit. ty. Just phone us your orders. rough, but made it alright. Bryant DeVolin, Adjutant. Please send one book to



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trick at the depot during operator Marfa visitors this week. They came up from the ranch after sup-Spencers absence. -Brazing and welding of all kinds by the Marfa Manufacturing -FOR SALE-at a reasonable figure, eight three-year old Here-Company. ford bulls. If interested, write C. O. Thomas, Marfa, Texas. Macon Kilpatrick and Gus Elmen-dorf. Jr. left Friday for Fort Sam Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mabry sold Houston to attend the civilians mil- their home this week to Frank Baritary training school. ton, who will take possession on August 1st. -Goodyear and United States ---cases and tubes at the Marfa Manu- -Let the Marfa Manufacturing facturing Company. Company do your windmill and pipe work. T. A. Spencer and E. R. Pampell Contractor B. A. Mitchell has been left Thursday morning for a fishing trip on Devil's river. They will be busy this week putting in a set of in Del Rio for a day or two before transoms in the Longhorn Cafe. which has added much to keeping returning to Marfa. this popular eating place cool. -Sherwin-Williams paints, var--Just the thng for a quick nishes, stains and enamels, at Marlunch-a fat young Belgian Hare fa Lumber Co. dressed-at the City Meat Market. Miss Lillian Spencer returned Sunday from Del Rio, where she Court E. M. Colliflower, N. G. Hilbeen in the Williams sanitarium for debrand and Mrs. George Williams appendestomy operation. Mrs. debrand and Mrs. George Williams Spencer who has been assisting in the sanitarius while in Del Rio, returned with her daughter. -Have your scissors sharpened at -DRESS MAKING and plain sew- the Marfa Barber Shop. Work ing. Phone 39-2 rings .- Mrs. E. F. guaranteed. Niccolls. Mrs. O. L. Shipman is now in Mexico City, from latest reports re-Buck Casner of the Casner Motor Co., delivered this week the finest ticles she is writing for the El Paso automobile ever purchased in Pre-sidio county, to W. T. Jones. It was a special Cadillac sedan of the latest type and up-to-date in every detail. Mr. Jones is one of the largest ranchmen of West Texas Gonzales, Texas, that they are now and a mighty good judge of auto- cozily quartered in their new home and that she and the Doctor like the mobiles. place fine. Mrs. Mahon requests -Fat young Squabs, picked and the New Era forwarded to them, for cleaned, ready to broil, at the City many Marfa friends whom they miss Meat Market. very much. MARFA STATE BANK Capital and Surplus \$105,000,00 **GUARANTY FUND BANK OFFERS SECURITY FOR FUNDS** And Service to All 4% PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent



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Respectfully submitted. J. H. FORTNER, County Clerk, Presidio County, Texas. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of May, A. D., 1923. K. C. MILLER, County Judge, Presidio County, Texas.

May 14th, 1923, approved in open Commissioners' Court. K. C. MILLER, County Judge. T. M. WILSON, President T.C. MITCHELL, Vice-President. BEN S. AVANT, Cashier

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Vegetable Compound. I took a couple of bottlesof it and thought it didnot help me as much as it should, so I gave it up to try something else. Nothing I took helped me much, so I finally decided to give the Vegetable Compound another trial and to take enough of it to make sure it would help me. I have taken it over a year now and it has brought wondera year now and it has brought wonder-ful results. I have gained from 93 to 110 pounds and am keeping house now. My friends all notice the change in my health. I will be glad to answer all letters that women write to me about the Vegetable Compound."-Mrs. W. G. MONSON, 1515 Park Ave., Beloit, Wis. Mrs. Monson is willing to write to any woman suffering from such troubles.



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of the city of Corpus Christi has been put into effect by the city commissioners. The tax rate, including the 5-cent increase, will be \$1.68.

The election held Saturday at Huntsville to determine a bond issue of \$50,-000 for paving purposes carried three to one. A light vote was polled, 174 for to 43 against.

The nineteenth annual reunion of the Williamson County Old Settlers' Association opened at Round Rock this past week with J. H. Fabion, president, presiding.

Members of the locating board of the newly created Texas Technological College were in Lampasas the other day in consideration of the claims of that city for the possession of the institution.

L. E. Lea of Nesbit, Miss., was drowned at a local bathing beach on Corpus Christi Bay the other evening. Lea, a representative of the United States department of agriculture, told members of a party accompanying him that he was going to swim to a raft.

Hubert Evans, aged 27 years, of Paris, was killed Sunday when an air tank blew up at a filling station where he was employed. His body was badly mangled. The room in which the tank was located was wrecked and another employe, Clarence Williams, was injured.

John Miller of Sealy was acquitted of a charge of assault to murder in Travis County district court Sunday in connection with the stabbing of Ernest Schaffner during the Sealy street encounter last September, when four men were killed. The jury deliberated about 26 hours.

Joseph C. Brown of Austin, who addressed a letter to the governor offering to lend the state \$5,000,000 or the department of agriculture present, more to take up state warrants, informally conferred with Acting Governor Davidson last week and later left for New York to further confer with the investment bankers who are behind the proposed loan.

The monster hollow concrete dam near Cisco, which, when completed, will form a lake some six miles long sufficient to supply a city of 200,000

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STANDARDS FOR FARM **GRADING COTTON** LIVE STOCK

Agreement Brings Harmony in International Trading After 15 Years.

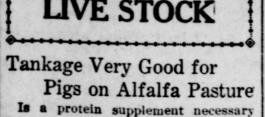
names, for grades was reported Thursday by the international cotton conference at the department of agriculture here. The changes will be promulgated immediately but will not go into effect until August 1, 1924.

The agreement brings harmony in received the same treatment. international cotton trading and concluded an effort begun more than 15 three-quarters of a pound per head years ago by American producers and daily, while those which had the tankexporters for the adoption of universal standards sufficient to the world. The changes in the universal standards agreed upon by the conference are to be made as follows:

In the good middling box a sample containing slightly less creamy color will be substituted for sample No. 12. In the strict middling box a similar change will be made in sample No. 12. In the middling box samples of less creamy color will be substituted for samples Nos. 1 and 4. These changes retain in each of these grades samples with creamy color, that, in the opinion of the American cotton trade is desirable in order that the boxes fairly represent the American cotton crop. A very slight change was also made in the strict low middling box. The conference, called after the Liv. erpool Cotton association had requested a change in the United States official standards had been in session since Tuesday, with six delegates from Liverpool and Manchester, two dozen from the American trade officials and a committee of seven members of the American trade, representing regions most affected worked out the details of the changes with the English representatives. The Liverpool association

Fourteen Cars of Melons. Nixon, Tex .- Fourteen cars of wat

agreed to a compromise.



for hogs which are fattened on alfalfa Washington .- A unanimous agree pasture? Light is shed on this quesment for slight changes in four grades tion by an experiment conducted last of the United States official cotton summer at the Kansas experiment stastandards, now accepted as universal tion. In this test two lots of pigs were ernor Parker of Louisiana declared at standards, and retention of American fattened on alfalfa pasture. One rea conference attended by Governor Pat Neff of Texas, cotton factors and bankceived corn alone, while the other was ers, preliminary to a nationwide boll given corn and a quarter of a pound weevil conference to be held in New of tankage per head daily. In both Orleans September 18-19. cases the grain was hand-fed twice a day on a concrete feeding floor. Both lots of pigs were fed for 120 days and able, with the active co-operation of

The pigs fed corn alone gained but age put on gains at the rate of a pound and a quarer per head daily. The pigs which did not have tankage required 445 pounds of corn to make 100 pounds

of gain. In contrast, those fed on corn and tankage took but 335 pounds of corn and 20 pounds of tankage for 100 pounds of gain. In other words, 20 pounds of tankage saved 110 pounds of corn. When the trial was made corn was worth about \$1 per hundred pounds and tankage about \$4. The saving effected by the tankage, on the basis of these prices, was 23 cents on each 100 pounds of pork. Since corn is now higher in price and tankage about the same as when this experiment was made, the saving due to the tankage would be somewhat greater at the present time.

It was noted by those who conducted the trial that the pigs which had nothing but corn on the alfalfa pasture uprooted the alfalfa to a considerable extent. This was not true in the lot which had tankage. This damage to the pasture necessitated considerable expense in reseeding.

The Kansas test indicates that the feeding of a small amount of tankage to pigs fattened on a legume pasture, such as alfalfa or clover, is well worth while. It is also advisable from the desired elimination of creamy colored standpoint of protecting the pasture. cotton for the middling trades, but

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go into a slack period preparatory to

ments have shown that molting hens

are low producers and often good hens

are discarded when they would be all

Cattle and Sheep Often

Hens that are slow producers when

Cattle and sheep, while passing

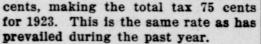
through the large stockyards, often

contract a disease known as hemor-

right if properly fed.

college.

mash is as important in the



GOVERNORS URGE

Set for the Conference

to Be Held.

"I am firmly convinced we will be

state and federal authorities, to fi-

nally stamp out this pest," Governor

Governor Neff was equally optimis-

"You can count op me," he said. "Al-

ready in Texas, which grows more cot-

ton than any other state, we are mak-

ing a good fight against the pest, but

we are ready to join hands with every

state in the union to make the fight

final." He added he would attend the

Austin, Tex.-The state tax rate was

re-assessed at the maximum rate of 35

cents on each \$100 valuation by the

state tax board in session. Reports

made to the board by the state comp-

troller, Lon Smith, showed the total

taxable values of the state to be \$3,-

367,000,000 or a decrease of nearly \$12,-

A total of \$16,500,000 must be raised

by ad valorem taxes, Smith stated. If

this amount should be raised it would

require a 49 cent levy, according to

In addition to the ad valorem tax

rate, the board also fixed the school

tax at the constitutional limit of 35

cents. The confederate pension tax

remains under the constitution at five

000,000 over values of last year.

the comptroller.

AT 35 CENTS MAXIMUM

conference in September.

TAX RATE REASSESSED

tic over the final outcome of the cam-

paign and promised the co-operation of

Parker said.

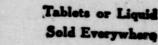
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District Encampment.

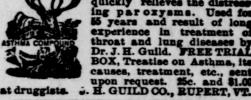


Drives out the catarrhal poisons, dispels the inflamation of the mucous linings and reinforces the system against discase.

For safety take Pe-ru-na during hot weather.







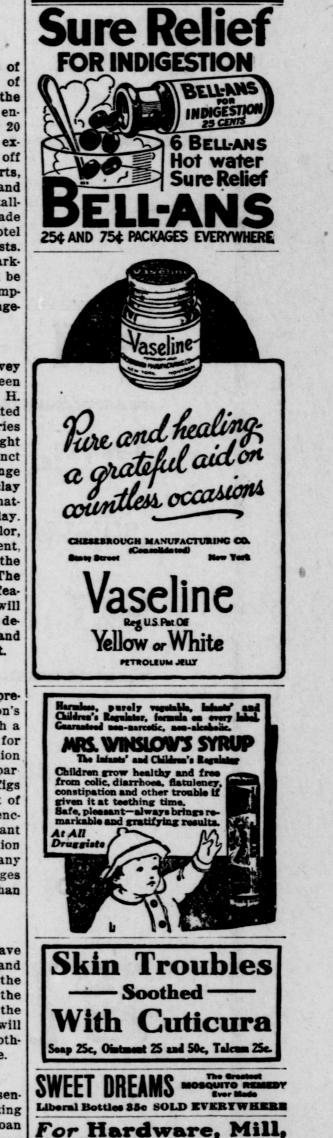


treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Price 75c at druggists, or direct from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Ter.

Really Great Idea. "What! You are planning to go to Vienna?" exclaimed Gutenach. "But that will cost you a fortune."

"Oh, not so much," replied the other. "You see, I'll have my youth restored by Dr. Steinach and come back on a child's ticket."

The next best thing to being rich is to have people think you are.



nteed. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation



So Far. So Good.

"Will you marry me?" "I like your nerve!" "How about my other qualifications?"

MOTHER! GIVE SICK BABY "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Harmless Laxative to Clean Liver and Bowels of Baby or Child.

Even constipated. bilious, feverish, or sick, colle Babies and Children love to take genuine "Califor-4 nia Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely. sweetens the

stomach and starts the liver and bowels acting without griping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits! Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions .- Advertisement.

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Far Gone.

"In love, hey?" "Why, he reads poetry to her over the telephone."



Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine -double strength-is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished en-tirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful, clear complexion. Be sure to ask for the double-strength Othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.



population with water, is fast nearing est in the state and a celebration is

being planned for the opening.

made in San Benito such as the pav. of the growers is about three cars per ing, installation of 42 fire plugs, the day. These melons are simply fine purchase of modern fire fighting ap- and are very much in demand. As paratus, together with new hose and soon as roads can be built better in the the organization of an effective fire sandy lands, where watermelons grow fighting crew, have all helped to bring and thrive best, there will be an enorabout a reduction of fire insurance mous shipment of these melons from rates that have for a long time been a this section. heavy burden to the people of San Be-

nito. The burning oil well of the Suncom-

pany at Corsicana on the Kemp lease No. 1, which caught fire Friday, July 13. was put out Sunday, officials of the company announced. This was the third oil well fire in the deep field of this section within three months. B. L. Kelly, who fought the blaze at the Hughes-McKie well several weeks ago, which took several lives among the drillers, mastered the blaze with steam and chemicals.

tigation into the fatal shooting on July telegraphed to Attorney General stated he obtained information which vestigation into the facts. probably will lead to developments within a few days. Davidson said he has formed definite conclusions regarding the affair as the result of his investigation, but declined to make known his version. Court proceedings are likely in the near future, according to the executive.

Quinton Weaver, 19-year-old boy who was impaled on a sharp stick when he fell from a tree near Sour Lake Saturday, died Sunday in Beaumont. With a number of other boys, Weaver went swimming in a creek. Later he climbed into a tree with a view of making a high dive. He lost his balance and fell. He struck a pointed stick, which was driven entirely through his body in the region of the

stomach. His companions worked some time before they were able to remove him.

To Senator Morris Sheppard is awarded the distinction of becoming the first life member of the Texas committee on prisons and prison labor, according to a statement made by an Austin member of the executive committee of the organization. In inclosing the first installment on the \$500

life membership fee, Senator Sheppard took occasion to commend the "splendid work of the women's joint legislamaternity law."

Oil Well Supplies and . . . Duties of the state insurance and Automobile Tires, The disposition of the sow, her feed Will Organize Steel Workers. Chihuahua City, Mexico.-General Chicago .- Organization of the 375,banking commissioners under the reand care while pregnant and even Francisco (Pancho) Villa, commander TubesandAccessories For over 50 Malaria 000 steel workers scattered about before breeding all have much to do cently enacted separation law were of rebel armies in Northern Mexico foundry centers of the country was to with the number of pigs she will raise. for ten years, was shot and killed Fri- F. W. Heitmann Co. outlined in an opinion to Bank Com-Chills be started here following the arrival av morning at 8:30 o'clock at his big the missioner Chapman by the attorney of William Hannon, general organizer Breeds of Swine, farmers' bulleti Houston, Texas ranch at Canutillo, Durango, by Miguel remedy for all general's department. The bank comof the American Federation of Labor. 1263, may be had by writing the United Trillo, his secretary. and forms of missioner under the new act will super-States Department of Agriculture vise only banks and banking corpora-Lufkin, Tex .- Plans are being made Fever Washington, D. C. Stock Law Wins. It is a Reliable, tions, the opinion holds, while the infor the holding of the third annual An-. . . Franklin, Tex .- At a stock law elec-Care must always be taken that ti gelina County Fair this fall. A special surance commissioner will have charge General Invig-Dengue tion held at Franklin the result was 72 pregnant ewes are not chased by do committee of the Lufkin Chamber of of liquidating so-called 3 per cent loan orating Tonic. companies, supervision of building and to 45 in favor of the stock law, pro- or jammed through narrow gates Commerce has been appointed to select loan associations and general insur- hibiting the running at large of horses, doors, as any rough treatment -**BATHE TIRED EYES** a date and make tentative arrange cause a large per cent of loss of latab ance business. mules, cattle and certain other stock. ments.

ermelons had been shipped from Pancompletion and should be finished by dora, four miles west, up to Tuesday laying hen's diet in summer as in winter. Many persons feel that the September. The dam will be the larg- night. These melons average 40 hens will pick their rations, but this pounds each. Twenty cars more will often causes a serious dropping off in be shipped within the next 10 days production. The recent substantial improvements from this point. The hauling capacity mash ought to be in the feeders at all times. A mash composed of 200 pounds of ground oats, 100 pounds of bran, 100 pounds of ground corn and 75 pounds of tankage makes an excellent

> WANT MEXIA OIL BOUGHT ON GRADE AND GRAVITY BASIS

Mexia. Tex .- The aid of the attorney general's department at Austin was sought by the Mexia Chamber of an early molt and do not lay. Experi-Commerce and the Mexia Salesmanship Club in an endeavor to secure relief from alleged discrimination in the prices paid for crude oil at Mexia, Currie and Powell as compared with prices paid in other Texas oil fields where purchases are made on the grade and gravity basis. Prices in

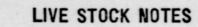
Acting Governor T. W. Davidson, these fields are said to be made on who last week made a personal inves- the gravity basis. A message was 2 of Otto Lange, Somerville 'farmer, Walter A. Keeling appealing for an in-

Rate Reduction Ordered.

rhagic septicemia or shipping fever. Washington .- Railroads were order. The losses occur most commonly in ed by the interstate commerce commission Friday to make, by October the fall as cold weather advances and 10 next, a series of reductions on corn, heaviest losses usually occur among oats, sorghum and other coarse grains stocker and feeding cattle, although

moving from Texas producing points milking cows and sheep may be affected. The disease is a poisoning of to Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina and Florida. To guide the blood and often runs a short course and quickly proves fatal. the reductions, the commission ruled The losses from this disease are that between the Texas producing points and Vicksburg rates should be very heavy and the United States bureau of animal industry is trying to 28 cents per hundred pounds. The

prevent it from spreading. A bulletin schedules will contain increase prohas been published which tells how to portionate to distances over the Vicksburg levels on shipments to points fur- treat this disease and may be obtained free of charge by writing the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.



A small fat sheep brings a better price than a large poor sheep.

A scrub bull isn't worthless. He will make a fair grade of bologna.

Many lambs can be saved by giving lambing time.

Proper feeding just before and immediately after the sow farrows and termining the percentage of pigs raised from the total number farrowed.

The old factory site on the side of the hill in the southeastern part of Cuero has been transformed by the Baptist committees for the district encampbent to be held in Cuero July 20 to 29. About 1500 delegates are expected and grounds have been laid off for baseball, tennis and other sports. while bathing resorts, shower and other conveniences have been installed. Eating arrangements will be made on the grounds, but specially low hotel rates have been made for the Baptists. Meats and provisions have been marked down in price, and an effort will be put forth to bring the annual encampment to Cuero as a permanent arrangegood ration during the summer often ment.

Soil Shows 21 Distinct Types. San Benito, Tex .- In the soil survey of Cameron county that has just been completed by M. W. Beck and B. H. Hendrickson, representing the United States department of soils, eight series properly fed can soon be culled out of soils were mapped. In the eight properly .-- J. L. Gordon, Iowa State series there were found 21 distinct types and phases. The types range from dune sand to heavy clay, the clay loam and silty loam types predominating with rather large bodies of clay. Contract Shipping Fever A soil series is determined by color, structure, origin and lime content,

while a soil type is determined by the percentage of silt, sand and clay. The soil map, which shows all surface features, and the various soil types will be published as a United States department of agriculture bulletin and will be distributed free upon request.

Fig Canning Good.

Palacios, Tex .- Crawford fig preserving plant opened for the season's canning Thursday of last week, with a good quality of figs and prospects for an excellent season. That this section the coast country is adapted particularly to growth of Magnolia figs and that Palacios is the very heart of this ideally located district, is evidenced by the fact that the Crawford plant is the first in the entire coast section to be put in operation this year. Many persons are awake to the advantages offered and a far greater acreage than ever is being set to Magnolia figs.

Washington Crops Good.

Brenham, Tex .- Motorists who have visited various parts of the state and inspected the crops declare that the crops in Washington county are the best they have seen. Cotton in the the flock extra care and attention at Brazos bottoms is beautiful and will make a heavy yield, and corn and other crops are far above the average.

> Adopts Monster Foreign Loan. Buenos Aires .- The Argentine senate has adopted the bill authorizing the government to issue a foreign loan of 150,000,000 gold pesos.

Pancho Villa Ambushed.

Approve Taylor Bond Issue. Taylor, Tex.-Kiwanis Club went on record Wednesday as giving hearty endorsement of the bond issue for Taylor's city park and natatorium, to be voted on August 7. The committee on

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public affairs was asked to investigate why the federal building has never been erected in Taylor on the lot purchased by the government, and to give a report as to the advisability of taking the matter up with senators and representatives.

Ship Carload of Eggs.

Gonzales, Tex.-Stahl Bros., local appreciation of what it did for the redo, the shipment containing 400 cases.

produce dealers, have just shipped out close attention to all details at this tive council" and to express "especial a carload of eggs, consigned to La- time, are important factors in de-



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have a chance to buy them right. WAIT vs. SAVE. Just the right time to buy all your Fall dress goods. Remember, you are to

Regular First of the Month Sale We are remodeling our Dry Goods Department, therefore delaying our

GROCERY AND HARDWARE PEP'TS

for the kitchen that shorten those Hot Hours. Are ready to serve you promptly with the best of "EATS', and with the little "Helps"

Try us often. You will be better Pleased

PRICE YTIJAUO SERVICE Pay Cash Murphy-Walker Company Pay Less

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Bunton and ley left Friday morning for Pomomake their future home visiting relatives.

shows that Marfa people appreciate baby were in from their ranch na. California, where they intend to the efforts put forth to secure the Darracott. Mr. Coffee and child es

