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#### Bamboo in the Orient.

Bamboo, one of the most prolific gifts of nature to a people, is put to so many uses by the natives of the tropics, especially in the orient, that it is difficult to see how they could live without it. Among the principal uses to which it is put may be set down: Building houses, furniture of all kinds, casing of artesian wells, water buckets, rafts, pipes, window shades and blinds, mats, umbrella ribs, hats, raincoats, outrigger on native prows, cover for junks, palanquin poles, blowpipes, picture frames, decorative purposes, including paintings; paper and walking pulp, baskets, small bridges, paper sticks and flutes.

#### Gold Horseshoes in Olden Times.

Roman writers inform us that Commodus caused the hoofs of his horses to be covered with gold leaf and even the fetlocks to be gilded. Nero's short journeys were invariably performed on white mules wearing gold shoes on their fore feet and silver behind. The beasts which drew the chariots of his wife, Poppaea, wore shod all around with gold. Several others among the dignitaries and potentates of the riotous days of the Roman empire shod their horses with gold and used the same material for bridle bits, buckles, spurs, etc.

#### Uncomplimentary Husbands.

In China the wife is seldom mentioned by her husband, but when he does mention her it is always in some roundabout way. He has some name that he calls her in his flowery language which takes the place of the word "wife." One man calls his wife "my hand the clothes," another calls her "my dull companion," another "my thorn in the ribs," another describes her as "the mean one of the inner rooms."

#### Helping it Along.

"It's almost certain that she'll marry that good for nothing chap."  
"Has the engagement been announced?"  
"Not yet. But they'll get married all right."  
"What makes you think so?"  
"Her mother and father have both started in to knock him."—Detroit Free Press.

### RAILWAY MARVELS.

Feats of Engineering That Were Once Considered Impossible.

Some remarkable feats in railway construction have been accomplished in the Rocky mountain states. Passes that a few years ago were deemed insurmountable have been scaled, seemingly impassable canyons have been threaded, and mountains have been tunneled to cut down heavy grades until the barrier of the Rockies has become no barrier at all.

But a generation ago engineers pronounced Colorado hopeless from a railway viewpoint. Yet today there are several railways making daily climbs of the main range in Colorado, and a road built not so long ago from Denver toward Salt Lake climbs the barrier at a point where twenty years ago engineers said no roadbed could be successfully made.

This road—the Denver, North-western and Pacific—crosses the main range at an altitude of 11,660 feet. This impressive climb is effected only by the most tortuous windings and numerous tunnels. At one point—Bow Knot—the train plunges through a tunnel, makes a sharp turn to the right and returns over the very tunnel it entered a few minutes before.

At another point the train "loops the lake." It swings around a tiny body of water called Yankee Doodle lake, and in so doing it describes a complete circle. It then climbs up and up and makes another curve and climbs again, enabling one to stand at the lake and count three tiers of track above him.

When the Denver and Rio Grande company prepared to build through the Rockies engineers contended that the canyon of the Arkansas could never be penetrated its entire length. There was one spot in this awe inspiring chasm where there was not room for a roadbed on either side of the stream. The walls of the canyon came down to the swift current of the Arkansas without foothold for a man on either side.

But an engineer suggested a hanging bridge suspended between the walls of the canyon. The bridge was built with supports imbedded in the solid rock, and across it the heavy transcontinental trains now flit daily with nothing but the slender ironwork between the river and the top of the canyon, 2,600 feet above. Great iron braces, which in the vastness of the canyon appear spiderlike in their proportions, were thrown across the gorge and anchored securely in the sheer sides. Huge cables depend from these braces, holding a long iron bridge, which extends not across but parallel with the course of the river.—Harper's Weekly.

### DEEP SEA WONDERS.

Life Where Light, Sound Nor Change of Any Kind Can Enter.

What happens in those impenetrable depths of the ocean where it is four and five miles deep? What manner of life do their weird denizens lead? Some of the conditions have been conjectured by Mr. P. L. Lowe in "A Naturalist on Desert Islands."

"The creatures of these nethermost depths brood forever in the appalling silence of uttermost night, preying one upon another in constant carnivorous strife, living under a pressure that is almost inconceivable and in a temperature so low that it actually seems to defy the possibility of organic life.

"Every hour of their life, every day, every year, is passed in the same stagnation of hideous changelessness in circumstances of almost absolute uniformity. For them there is no night; there are no seasons; there is no sun, no moon; there are no changes from warmth to cold or from cold to warmth. We cannot even conceive that there is anything in the nature of sound. There is absolutely nothing to mark the flight of time.

"The great cold of the bottom water of the ocean is best brought home to those who have examined the contents of a haul of the trawl. The bottom ooze is intensely cold, and it is a strange sensation, while your back is broiling beneath a tropical sun, to have your hand nearly frozen off by the stiff cold mud or ooze that you are compelled to handle while sorting the contents of the trawl.

"The pressure at a depth of 8,631 feet amounts to nearly two tons to the square inch. We ourselves, living at ordinary levels, are subjected to a constant pressure of nearly fifteen pounds on every square inch of our bodies. We can calculate, but only feebly conceive, what the pressure must be at the bottom of those abysses.

"Take again the question of light. Photographic plates let down beneath the surface of Lake Geneva showed that at a depth of 510 feet the effect on the plates was no more than that which would be produced on a dark, moonless night. Similar results in the Mediterranean, whose waters are unusually clear, were reached at a depth of 1,200 feet, so that we may conclude that in general at any depth below this a profound darkness exists. This complete absence of sunlight at once puts out of account the possibility of plant life. And this all important factor in the economy of animal life, human or otherwise, at once raises the question, How do deep sea animals ultimately live?"

### DISTANCE IN SPACE.

Where the Miles Are as Thick as the Duct in the Air.

Surveying the billions of miles to a star would be an impossible feat to the ordinary person, who is perhaps not a mathematician. Even the astronomer may make a mistake of a billion miles or so.

The first requisite is a basis of calculation. For this the astronomer takes the spot where his observatory stood in the month of March and its place in September. It is the same location on earth, of course, but in celestial space—the earth having traveled halfway around the sun—the distance is 186,000,000 miles. With this as the base of a triangle the astronomer, by a simple calculation, computes the opening of the angle where the star is situated and then finds the distance to the earth—that is, he could do so accurately if the 186,000,000 miles were proportionately long with the two other sides of the triangle instead of being almost inadequately short.

Some idea of the method may be gained from its employment for land measuring. The distance to a mountain top is desired. The surveyor lays off a few hundred yards on the ground, finds the angles at which straight lines proceed from this basis of measurement to the mountain top and then solves the problem easily. To ascertain the distance to the moon a very long line is needed—one drawn between two observatories will do—not along the earth's surface, which is round, but the straight line through the earth, from observatory to observatory. With this line a triangle is drawn, with the moon at the vertex, and the satellite found to be 240,000 miles away.

In making a triangle with a star astronomer have had recourse to the longest line possible to earthlings—between the aforementioned points located by the extremes of the earth's orbit. If a star were only a trillion miles off a 186,000,000 mile shift in the position of the earth would afford quite an advantage for a look at the other cheek, yet it makes hardly an appreciable distance in the relative position with the nearest star, Alpha Centauri, 26,000,000,000,000 miles beyond.

Now, the arc of a circle is divided into 360 degrees, each subdivided into 60 minutes and the minute into 60 seconds. So there are 1,296,000 seconds in a circle. The angle that Alpha Centauri makes is less than the millionth part of a circle. It is about three-quarters of a second of the arc. Imagine the angle—a line drawn from the star to the earth in March, another line from the star to the earth in September. The base of this triangle is 186,000,000 miles, which constitutes less than the millionth part of a circle in measurement of the angle where shines Alpha Centauri. This is hard to detect with the finest of mathematical instruments, and that is why the distance to even the nearest star is a vexing problem.—Harper's.

### One Vote Makes History.

A correspondent of the Richmond Virginian relates a story of how a squealing pig, caught in a fence on a Rhode Island farm, brought on the war of 1812, elected Andrew Jackson president and destroyed the Bank of the United States. The pig delayed a Whig voter and prevented him from reaching the polls in time to vote. The result was the election of a Democratic legislature by a majority of one vote, a Democratic senator from Rhode Island by one vote, a declaration of war with Great Britain by one vote, the war resulting eventually in Jackson's election as president.

### Certified Voters.

In parts of New England during the seventeenth century voters had to reside in a "stone house of the dimensions of twenty feet by sixteen, with one or more brick chimneys or chimneys." Each voter had also to be certified by his neighbors "of sober and peaceable conversation." In Connecticut every candidate for the local assembly had to furnish a certificate from the selectmen of the town where he resided that he was of "quiet and peaceable behavior and civil conversation."—Exchange.

### What He Craved.

Mrs. Nagget—Oh, you make me tired! You're forever trying to give the impression that you're a martyr. I suppose you want everybody to think that you suffer in silence because—  
Mr. Nagget—No; I suffer in the perpetual absence of silence. A little silence occasionally would be a positive pleasure to me.—Exchange.

### Ambiguous.

"Mike, I am going to make you a present of this pig."  
"Ah, sure, an' 'tis just like you, sor!"—Woman's Home Companion.

### SALONIKI THE CONTINUOUS.

It May Be Called the Eternal City of the Near East.

The city we now call Saloniki has had a continuous history for more than 2,500 years. Even before it was refounded and renamed by Alexander the Great, in the year 315 B. C., a city had existed on this beautiful gulf, facing mighty Mount Olympus. But its known history dates from this year, when Alexander rebuilt it and called it Thessalonica after his sister, the wife of Cassander. It is said that Philip of Macedon named his daughter Thessalonica because on the day he heard of her birth he won a victory over the Thessalians. Thus the victory of Philip and the name of his daughter, the half sister of the conqueror of the world, are all embalmed in the name of the city.

It was a great city, its harbor full of shipping, its houses rising in tiers one above another from the edge of the water to the summit of the acropolis behind the city and around all a white wall five miles in extent. Through the heart of the city stretched forth the great artery of trade, the Egnatian way. At the eastern end it passed under a magnificent marble arch, which was built in honor of the victory of Octavianus and Antony over Brutus and Cassius in the battle that took place in the plains of Philippi.

Fortunately for Thessalonica, she had sided with the monarchists against the republicans in this battle, and when it was over both Antony and Caesar visited the city and commemorated their triumph by erecting the arch of victory, which remains to this day. Under this archway doubtless Paul and Silas passed many times during their somewhat lengthy stay in the city.

It has been my privilege more than once to visit Saloniki, to enter it from the sea as one journeys from Athens and to leave by the route which Paul entered it on his first visit. It is interesting to note the characteristics of the city, which are the same now as in Paul's time, as well as the changes which the centuries have wrought.—Christian Herald.

### Little Economies.

"I once made up my mind," said a London man, "that I would become the possessor of a good gold watch. I saved up the money for it in this way: When I felt like eating a shilling luncheon, as I often did, I kept it down to tenpence. I put the twopence saved toward my watch fund. You will hardly believe me, but with little economies like this I had in less than six months saved enough to buy my gold watch." "But," said a listener, "where is your gold watch? You are wearing a poor little gun metal thing." "Well," was the reply, "when I found how easily I could get along without shilling luncheons I concluded I could get along with a ten shilling watch instead of a ten pound one. So that the watch fund grew until it purchased for me my own house."—London Mail.

### Didn't Depend Upon Noah.

Highlanders cling so tenaciously to the honors and antiquity of their kindred as to be amusing to others. One day a Campbell and a McLean disputed, and the latter insisted that his family was in existence as a clan from the beginning of the world. Campbell asked quizzically if the clan McLean lived before the food that drowned all the world but Noah and his family.

"Pooh!" said McLean. "My clan was before the flood."  
"I have not read anywhere," observed Campbell, "of any one of the name of McLean going into Noah's ark."  
"Noah's ark!" retorted McLean, in contempt. "Who ever heard of a McLean that did not have a boat of his own?"

### The Hessians Played.

It is a matter of record that upon the first official celebration of Independence day by the Continental congress music was secured for the occasion by forcing the Hessian band, which had been captured by George Washington at Trenton in the previous December, to play in the public square all day, to the great delight and amusement of the people. It is also stated that these involuntary celebrants were obliged to practice appropriate airs for three weeks previously in order that they could not plead ignorance as an excuse.

### Carried to Excess.

"My husband is too tender hearted altogether to get on," said Mrs. Muggins dolefully. "It shows his good points, certainly. Why, he won't even speak a cross word to me, nor whip the children, nor even kill a fly."  
"Oh, that's nothing," said Mrs. Buggins. "My husband is so tender hearted that he can't even beat the carpet."—London Stray Stories.

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### South Hit by Free Tariff.

New Orleans, La., April 20.—Declaring that Underwood tariff bill was deliberately framed to please the industrial and commercial centers of the North and East at the expense of the South and West, and that any reduction in the cost of living that may follow the passage of the bill will come out of the pockets of the farmers, Clarence Ousley, editor of the Fort Worth Record and one of the factors in journalism and politics of the State of Texas, attacked the proposed tariff legislation of the Wilson administration in an interview last evening and said that if it becomes a law it will wreck the Democratic party.

"The Underwood bill is the most disastrous piece of legislation since the Wilson bill of 1896," declared Mr. Ousley. "It is an inexcusable protection of New England manufacturers and is nothing less than cruel discrimination against Southern and Western producers."

"The three years of grace proposed to the sugar men is a concession that the free list will destroy the sugar industry, and yet the bill deliberately and purposely protects woolen manufacturers. Free woolen goods, including blankets and clothing, would give more relief to the ordinary family in one year than will free sugar in 10 years."

"In the same manner the bill, while protecting woolen manufacturers, puts raw wool on the free list. As a matter of fact, wool and sugar are the two best revenue items of the whole list and yield in the aggregate \$50,000,000 a year, while the tariff on woolen goods yields substantially nothing. Hence any tariff on woolen manufactures is rank protection."

"Free wool will reduce the price of an ordinary suit of cloths 40 to 50 cents. Free woolen goods would reduce the price of the same suit from \$5 to \$7."

Mr. Ousley challenged any advocate of the Underwood bill to tell him why woolen goods are not put on the free list.

"He can make but one answer," said Mr. Ousley, "and that is, it would close the woolen mills. Yet the same Democratic Congress, composed in a large part of members from the South and West, deliberately proposes to enact legislation that will close the sugar mills and ruin the sheep ranches, at the same time depressing the price of cotton—the South's great money crop and the Nation's greatest item of export."

Mr. Ousley said that he can show any man who his familiar with the sugar, wool and cattle industries that free sugar, free wool and free meats will benefit the manufacturers of wool, the refiners of sugar and the meat packers, with little or no relief to consumers.

"That is the teaching of our whole economic history," he pointed out. "It is a demonstration of a sad experience which impoverished the South and West and wrecked the Democratic party."

"If the same kind of legislation does not produce the same results in 1913 then President Wilson will have worked a Democratic miracle."

Mr. Ousley said that in making that allusion to President Wilson he wanted to be understood as having faith in the chief executive's good purpose, "but to my mind," he continued, "it is alarming that Congress seems actually to have abdicated the law making power, for so stalwart and courageous a man as Mr. Underwood said a few days ago, when speaking of certain details of the tariff.

"We are leaving these things to the President."

"I hold the law making power and the executive power to be co-ordinate and independent branches of government, and when the legislative branch yields its independence to the executive branch then we have established a one-man government. Such a government is all the more dangerous when the one man happens to be popular and is moved by a zeal which is without partial experience."

"I believe that in the last analysis the prosperity of the Nation and the very salvation of the republic depends upon profitable agriculture, and if the Government is to show any favor to any class in tariff legislation it ought to favor the man who produces the wealth of the Nation. At least the Government ought to contrive its fiscal measure in such a way as not to discriminate against them."

Mr. Ousley is a well-known of the Democratic party in Texas. He is one of the commissioners appointed by the Southern Commercial Congress to study rural credits in Germany, France, Italy and other European countries, and is enroute to New York and Europe in connection with that work. Mr. Ousley will spend Thursday in Washington and sail from New York Saturday.

### Notice to Trespassers

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W. J. FIELDS,  
Sonora, Texas.

### Many Important Live Stock Deals Involve Big Amounts.

R. L. Russell, a former Menard buy who ranches at Hominy, Oklahoma, made the following purchases of cattle the past week. From J. S. Dabney 400 two and three year old steers at \$32.50; from M. E. Pulliam, 735 two and three year old steers at \$37.00; from D. H. Moore, 75 two and three year old steers at \$35. All these cattle were shipped to Oklahoma over the Santa Fe on the 18th.

Tom and Mark Pulliam recently sold to Browning Bros., of Kansas City, for shipment to Garden City, Kansas, over the Orient, April 21st, 1500 steers yearlings at \$30.

J. M. Callan bought the Burbank cows in Menard county, 1300 head, at \$13. Mr. Callan also bought from Walter Russell of Menard 300 cows at \$43.50.

McCrohan Bros. have just finished delivering to Brown & Ferguson of Abilene, 1000 three-four year old steers, which they sold last fall at \$36.

Charles P. Broome sold 400 cows to Mr. Souther of Big Springs at \$40 per head.

C. M. Rawls sold 1440 wooled muttons to Ferguson & McKee at \$2.25 per head. Mr. Rawls also sold to E. W. R. 1500 ewes, with wool on at \$4.50 per head.

Mr. C. M. Rawls and Mr. Dan Hanks expect to save for the Imperial Valley country in California and Arizona to purchase bucks for the Texas flockmasters. Standard.

### Pains in the Stomach

If you continually complain of pains in the stomach, your liver or your kidneys are out of order. Neglect may lead to dropsy, kidney trouble, diabetes or Bright's disease. Thousands recommend Electric Bitters as the very best stomach and kidney medicine made. H. T. Aston, of Raleigh, N. C., who suffered with pain in the stomach and back, writes:

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### Well Known Stockman Dies at Christoval

Mark Fury, age 60 years, died suddenly of heart trouble Friday night at his home in Christoval at 7:30 o'clock. Although not in the best of health for some time past Mr. Fury was not taken seriously ill until Friday morning.

The body was brought to this city by the Charles A. Robinson Undertaking Co. Saturday afternoon and is at the home of Mrs. Dave McCrohan, a daughter of the deceased, at 718 East Harris avenue.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Catholic church Sunday afternoon by Father Nicholas. Interment will be made in the C. H. cemetery.

Mr. Fury was a prominent stock man of Christoval, and is survived by a wife and six children—San Angelo Standard.

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Will Whitehead, the big ranch man and banker, was in the city the first of this week, greeting his many Del Rio friends.

John Cannon, the Pecos sheepman, who is now pasturing in this county, spent the past week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Briant, of Sonora, were in the City this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Gurliev. W. B. Hays and family, of near Rock Springs, have moved to Del Rio to make this city their home.

R. R. Russell, the big cattleman and financier has been in San Antonio on business.

T. J. Coffman and son Mark Henna Coffman, were in from Double Cross county this week. Mr. Coffman was rejoicing over the prospects of bible going on the free list. This he believes will reduce the cost of living about half. Now if the Democrats would remove the duty from French shoe polish our living expenses would not amount to anything.—Del Rio Herald.

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### Texas Law Wars On Ticks.

As a result of the new livestock sanitary law passed by the recent legislature, and signed by the Governor, it is believed by cattlemen of Texas who are interested in the subject that Eastern and Southern Texas will eventually be freed from ticks. The bill was introduced into the Senate by Senator Claude B. Hudspeth, and as originally introduced empowered the Livestock Sanitary Commission to quarantine "any district or premises, and to establish, maintain, and enforce such quarantine lines, quarantined districts and sanitary rules and regulations as it may deem necessary." In other words Senator Hudspeth desired to give the sanitary commission power to quarantine any county portion of a county or ranch or farm when, in its judgment, such was necessary. The bill was amended, however, by which a "local option" feature was inserted instead giving the sanitary commission the power as set forth in the foregoing. The bill on final passage read that when any fifty land owners in any county desire to have their territory quarantined they could petition for an election on the subject; the election must then be called; and if a majority of the qualified voters on such a subject decided in favor of quarantine, then the sanitary commission could, and most declared a quarantine and get busy. Penalties are provided for violations of the law. For instance, if an owner of stock in a quarantined area moves or allows without the consent of the commission any animals which have been prohibited then the commission will have the right to seize such animals, turn them back whence they came and fine the owner \$10 for each head of stock attempted to be moved; costs of expense of the commission in seizing and returning the stock are added to the fine.

Another clause in the law calls for a fine of from \$100 to \$500 if reads as follows:

"Any person who shall have in his possession any domestic animal affected with any contagious or infectious disease, knowing such animal to be affected, who shall permit such animal to run at large, or who shall keep such animal where other domestic animals, not affected by or previously exposed to its contagion, or who shall ship, drive, sell, trade or give away such diseased animals which have been exposed to such infection or contagion, or who shall move, or assist in moving, or aid or abet in paying any animal

which is under quarantine of the Livestock Sanitary Commission, or which is prohibited by the orders, rules or regulations of the Livestock Sanitary Commission, from being moved from the place to another, across the quarantine line, or out of any quarantined district or of any premises which are under such quarantine, without a permit from said commission, and contrary to the orders, rules or regulations of said commission, or who shall move or drive any domestic animal in violation of any direction, rule, regulation, or order of the Livestock Sanitary Commission of Texas. Establishing and regulating livestock quarantine, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 for each of such exposed or diseased domestic animals which he shall so unlawfully move, permit to run at large, or sell, ship, drive, trade or give away in violation of the provisions of this act; provided, that any owner of any domestic animal which has been affected with or exposed to any contagious or infectious disease, may dispose of the same, after having obtained from the State Livestock Sanitary Commission a bill of health for such animal or animals."

Commissioners' courts of the counties of the State are authorized to make such appropriations and to employ such inspectors or other agencies as may seem necessary to aid the Livestock Sanitary Commission in the work of cleaning up a county or a fraction of a county.

All counties north and west of the regular quarantine line are free from ticks, hence will not be affected by this new sanitary law. It was created to give the sanitary commissioners power to make the different cattlemen of east of the quarantine line get busy, and now when a majority vote to have a leaning up the minority must acquiesce.

Mississippi and Tennessee are doing effective work in this regard. Tennessee has almost been freed from ticks, and Mississippi is moving along with success.—Fort Worth Live Stock Reporter.

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E. F. & A. Vander Stucken.

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Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch 6 miles south of Sonora, for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

56-1f J. T. Evans, Sr.

Notice is hereby given that all trespassers on my ranch 12 miles south of Sonora for the purpose of cutting timber, hauling wood, hunting hogs or fishing without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

O. T. WORD,  
Sonora, Texas.

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O. T. WORD,  
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 second-class matter.

SONORA, TEXAS, - April 29, 1913.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Word were in town  
 this week visiting relatives.  
 Misses Sallie Wardlaw and Clara  
 Allison left on Tuesday for Quannah  
 to attend the wedding of Miss Annie  
 Wardlaw.

Alfred Vander Stucken sold all  
 of his cattle, sheep and goats to  
 Messrs. Schultz and Lackey of  
 Marble Falls. Mr. Vander Stucken  
 will now devote all of his time to  
 making improvements on his big  
 ranch. He recently purchased  
 sixty miles of wire fencing.—Brack  
 ett News.

### Special Examination For Teach er's State Certificates.

There will be a special examina  
 tion at the courthouse in Sutton  
 county, Texas for State certificates  
 only, May 1, 2 and 3, 1913.

The following is the schedule of  
 the examination.

Thursday, May 1st History of  
 Education, Physics, Solid Geomet  
 ry, English and American Litera  
 ture, Psychology, Chemistry,  
 Plain Trigonometry, Bookkeeping  
 Friday May 2nd. Physical Geo  
 graphy, Physiology, Composition  
 Arithmetic Texas History, Gram  
 mar, Descriptive Geography, Plain  
 Geometry.

Saturday May 3rd. Spelling,  
 Writing, Methods and Manage  
 ment, Civil Government, Reading,  
 U. S. History, Algebra, Agricul  
 ture, General History  
 E. S. Briant,  
 County Superintendent.

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### For Sale or Trade for Goats.

Five roomed house and bath  
 well improved, lot 240 by 200  
 For further particulars,  
 65 of Apply at News office.

### Herefords For Sale.

I have 40 head of Registered  
 Hereford Bulls, two and three  
 years old. Reasonable prices.  
 Address,  
 C. C. YAWS,  
 Mayer, Texas.

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### W. McCOMB

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### Residence For Sale

Four roomed house and hall.  
 Two galleries. Lot 100 x 100 near  
 school house.

Apply to  
 G. G. Stephenson,  
 Sonora, Texas.

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### For Sale.

A four roomed house corner lot  
 50 x 140 near school house.  
 Price \$750. Apply at news office.  
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Notice is hereby given that all  
 trespassers on my ranch 2 1/2 miles  
 south of Sonora for the purpose of  
 cutting timber, hauling wood, work  
 ing live stock, hunting hogs or  
 injuring fences, without my per  
 mission, will be prosecuted to the  
 full extent of the law.

D. B. CUSENBARY,  
 Sonora, Texas.

### Pasturage Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I  
 will charge 5 cents per head per  
 day for horses or cattle held in the  
 Curt Allison trap four miles South  
 of Sonora. I have this place ren  
 ted and cannot afford to pasture  
 stock without charge.

Wiley Smith.

### For Sale Dirt Cheap.

One 4 cylinder Cadillac automob  
 ile, good as new, first cost \$2250,  
 with \$75.00 Gabriel horn. Comple  
 te \$1000.00, if bought at once.

Noah Smith,  
 San Angelo, Texas.

### Bunch of Keys.

Lost on Thursday between Main  
 street and race track a bunch of  
 keys. Finder will please return  
 them to News office.

### S. G. Taylor Is Appointed Judge

Of 45th District Court.

Samuel G. Taylor, who has been  
 appointed by Governor Coquit to  
 succeed J. L. Camp as Judge of the  
 Forty fifth District Court, is a  
 widely known attorney and promi  
 nent member of the San Antonio  
 bar.

He was born in St. Joseph, Mo.,  
 in 1834 and moved to Texas in  
 May, 1893, living one year at Cle  
 burne. He was admitted to the bar  
 in the spring of 1891 at Johnson,  
 Texas.

He later moved to Sonora, Sutton  
 county, where he practiced law  
 up to May 1 1906, when he moved  
 to San Antonio and became associ  
 ated with the firm of Swearingen  
 & Taylor, attorneys.

Judge Taylor married Mis  
 sary Callahan, a native of Milano  
 County, Texas, in Ozona, in 1893.  
 He is the father of three children,  
 Corrine 15 years old; Alfred, 10, and  
 and Lois 8 years old.

Governor Coquit's choice for  
 judge of the Forty fifth District  
 Court meets with the approval  
 of local attorneys. He enjoys an  
 excellent record as a member of  
 of the bar and yesterday received  
 congratulations of his many  
 friends.

Judge J. L. Camp, whom Judge  
 Taylor succeeded, was appointed  
 United States District Attorney  
 for the Western District by Presi  
 dent Wilson about a month ago.

Judge Camp sent in his resigna  
 tion to Governor Coquit last night  
 to take effect at noon Monday.

Asked when he was going to  
 qualify as District Attorney, Judge  
 Camp said:

"I suppose I will take the oath  
 of office as soon as the present  
 acting District Attorney, El getting  
 returns from El Paso, where he  
 has been engaged at the Federal  
 Court.

Mr. Taylor has not fixed a date  
 for qualifying but said he would  
 probably be sworn in some time  
 after the Fiesta.

The announcement came as a  
 surprise, as the Governor, according  
 to report, had decided not to di  
 volve the name of his appointee  
 until the resignation of Judge Camp  
 was in his hands. However, it is  
 thought that he tried to flood  
 of inquiries coming from San An  
 tonio and even from Austin, as to  
 who has been selected to serve on  
 the bench vacated by Judge Camp  
 after twenty years of continuous  
 work.

Mr. Taylor was not an applicant  
 for the appointment.—San Antonio  
 Express.

### Beef & Cattle Exports Decrease.

Washington, April 20.—The  
 United States was exporting more  
 than thirty six times as much fresh  
 beef and cattle six years ago as  
 it sends aboard today, as shown  
 by statistics made public today by  
 Secretary Keckfield of the Depart  
 ment of Commerce. In the first  
 nine months of the present fiscal  
 year ending March 31 there was  
 exported only 5 479 439 pounds of  
 fresh beef and 12 598 head of catti  
 as compared with 200,039 729  
 pounds of fresh beef and 307 726  
 head of cattle in the same months  
 of 1907. The intervening years  
 reveal uninterrupted decrease.

Another feature of the report is  
 the statement that while the popu  
 lation of the country has increased  
 11 per cent since 1907, the number  
 of beef cattle has decreased 30 per  
 cent; furthermore, 222,000 head of  
 cattle came into the country in  
 the first eight months of this year,  
 against only 12 590 in 1907.

In the calendar year past the  
 United States exported 9 600 000  
 pounds of fresh beef, while Argenti  
 na sent 758 000 000 pounds,  
 Australia 105 000 000 pounds, New  
 Zealand 28 250,000 pounds and  
 Uruguay 21 000 000. To the United  
 Kingdom, Argentina sent 739,  
 000,000 pounds, against 684 000  
 pounds from this country. The  
 number of cattle in the United  
 States in 1907 was 51,500,000; to  
 day there are 36 000,000.

The United States surpasses its  
 rivals, however in prices obtained,  
 having received last year for beef  
 exported an average of 11 674 a  
 pound against 4 86 for Argentina,  
 4 93 for Australia and 5 26 for  
 New Zealand beef.

### For Sale

60 head Polled Angus steer and  
 heifer yearlings. Will sell all or  
 steers and heifers separately. Also  
 25 head shu cattle, of colors, dif  
 ferent ages. Will sell for cash  
 or for small payment down and  
 backable note—payable in 6 or 12  
 months, for balance. These cattle  
 were fed all winter and are in  
 good shape.  
 Address: Fort McKavett, Menard  
 Co. Texas.

D. C. OGDEN.

### The Wool Situation.

Although you will probably not  
 notice it when you buy your next  
 suit of clothes, the threat of free  
 trade in wool is already bearing  
 the price.  
 Shearing is now in progress at the  
 big sheep stations around Chicago  
 and this week's sales are 12 cen  
 per pound lower than last week  
 or 2c lower than a month ago.  
 Dealers assert an intention to buy  
 wool on a free trade basis or not  
 at all, but the fact that a world's  
 shortage exists is an open secret.

Many wool growers regard the  
 present 11c duty on grease wool  
 as a joke so far as furnishing the  
 industry with protection is con  
 cerned. Importers evade it by  
 bringing in light shrunken fleeces,  
 a policy that actually cuts the  
 duty in half.

Free trade in wool has been  
 discussed, the threat having been  
 responsible for three years of  
 strenuous legislation, and no  
 further decline in prices is expect  
 ed; in fact, the 1913 crop will be 25  
 percent less than the world's room  
 capacity. United States flecks are  
 now on a mutton basis, wool hav  
 ing been relegated to a by product  
 position.—Chicago Live Stock  
 World.

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### F. Mayer's Will Probated.

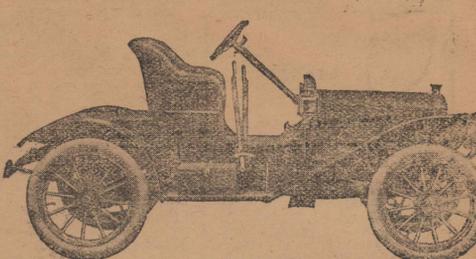
The last will and testament of  
 the late Ferdinand Mayer was  
 filed for probate in the Probate  
 Court of Bexar County yesterday  
 morning. By the terms of the will  
 his daughter, Miss Tessie Mayer,  
 is made executrix of a fortune es  
 timated at \$50,000. The will of his  
 wife Yette Mayer, was also probate  
 at the same time, and Miss  
 Tessie Mayer is named the applica  
 ant also in this will. Mr. Mayer  
 died April 11, 1913, and his wife  
 Mrs. Yette Mayer, died just two  
 months and one day before his  
 death, February 10, 1913.

The following disposal is made  
 of the property.

To his daughter Tessie Mayer  
 his home-stead at 526 Golled street  
 with all the furniture and improve  
 ments; to his daughters, Mrs. Jose  
 phine Alexander, \$11 000 Mrs.  
 Fannie Pommar, \$12 000; Tessie  
 Mayer \$16 000; to his three grand  
 children, Guida Mayer, Lurine  
 Mayer and Francis Mayer, \$1,500  
 each; to his son Abe Mayer \$1,000  
 and to Solomon Mayer \$1 000.

The remainder of the property  
 after the just debts and the various  
 bequests are paid, is willed to his  
 three daughters Mrs. Fannie Pom  
 mers, Mrs. Josephine Alexander and  
 Miss Tessie Mayer.—San Antonio  
 Express.

## THE RED FRONT GARAGE, E. B. PFIESTER, PROP.



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 IZED, SPRINGS & OTHER IRON WELDED, LUBRICATING &  
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### 462 School Children in Sutton County.

The scholastic population of  
 Sutton County is 462 according to  
 a report just issued by the State  
 Department of Education and the  
 total apportionment at \$6.61 per  
 capita is \$3 164.70 for the 1912-13  
 terms. All of our school children  
 are white. The total number of  
 school children over seven and  
 under seventeen years of age in  
 Texas is 1 017,133 and 812 896 are  
 white and 2 4 237 are colored.  
 The males number 515,603 and  
 the females 501,530. The total  
 apportionments are \$6 967 361 for  
 the State.

It is customary to multiply the  
 scholastic population by five in  
 order to ascertain the true popula  
 tion of the county and on this  
 basis Sutton County has a popula  
 tion of 2310 an increase of 741  
 over the Federal Census of 1910.

The scholastic population of the  
 Independent district of Sutton  
 County is shown in the following:  
 Sonora 344—balance of county 118.

### The Cany American Angora.

One of the more recent additions  
 to the membership of the Ways  
 and Means Committee is John M.  
 Garner, hailed at the time of his  
 appointment as a "free trader".

Mr. Garner represents the Fif  
 teenth Texas District, which is  
 separated from Mexico by the Rio  
 Grande. On both sides of this  
 border line and thrives the sturdy  
 Angora goat, famed for its long,  
 silken hair.

Angora goat hair is largely used  
 in the manufacture of cloth and is  
 a direct competitor with some  
 grades of wool.

The tariff bill, made by the com  
 mittee of which Mr. Garner is an  
 honored member, places wool on  
 the free list and gives the Angora  
 goat, canny enough to confine his  
 American residence to the Fifteenth  
 Texas District, a 20 per cent  
 protection against his brother liv  
 ing just across the Mexican border  
 and a 20 per cent advantage over  
 his cousin, the American sheep.—  
 New York Herald.

### Pat Lee of the Abe Mayer cattle Co's

ranch on Howard in Crockett county  
 was in Sonora Thursday. Mr. Lee  
 has been visiting her parents Mr.  
 and Mrs. Dock Simmons for the past few  
 weeks.

### John Robbins and sons were in

town this week delivering steers  
 to Pulliam Bros.

Judge Cornell and Bart DeWitt  
 left for Brackett Sunday to attend  
 the Mary Veltman wedding.

Misses Marion Woodford and  
 Pearl Parkinson accompanied by  
 Chas Mitchell and Harry Meckel  
 visited Ozona Saturday.

Les Thomson who has visited  
 many places in the past year is  
 home again and says that Sonora  
 has got all the others beated.

Mr. and Mrs. August Meckel enter  
 tained the Home Mission Society and  
 gentlemen friends at their ranch home  
 Thursday night.

Don't forget that if a war among  
 the "Powers" in Europe arises or Japan  
 gets on the "peck" with California  
 that the Texas horses and mules will be  
 in demand.

Marion Stokes and Russell Martin  
 are expecting to leave for San Antonio  
 to inspect the auto displays there. Marion  
 is going to buy a car and will depend  
 largely on Russell's advice.

We notice in the ad of the Wool  
 Growers Central Storage Co that  
 J. S. Allison is the only director  
 representing the great Sonora wool  
 and mohair producing country.

The Ozona school boys won two  
 games of base ball Saturday defeat  
 ing the Eldorado school boys.

The Eldorado girls however de  
 feated the Ozona school girls at  
 basket ball.

J. D. Noguess bought from T. J.  
 Stuart of Sonora, 150 three year  
 old cows at private terms. This is  
 the selected herd Mr. Stuart had  
 kept out of the Herefords bought  
 from I. W. Ellis a few years ago.  
 They should be fine and a start for  
 any stockboy is any country.

Another fine rain has fallen in  
 the Sonora Country which insur  
 early grass where there are any  
 roots left. The precipitation at  
 Sonora was more than an inch and  
 extended more generally than any  
 rain in several months. Practically  
 all of the range district of Texas  
 got a good soaking. The downpour  
 was probably too hard but all now  
 think we will have more and more  
 gentle, smoothing soaking ones  
 later.

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