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DEATH OF JAY GOULD

He Passes Away at an Eearly Hour Surrounded by His Family.

CONSUMPTION THE CAUSE OF DEATH.

Congress Reassembles in its Fiftysecond Session-Missourt Gold Hunters.

NEW YORK. Dec. 3. - Jay Gould lied at his residence in this city yesserday morning at 9:15 o'clock. The firect cause of his death, as stated at the house, was pulmonary consumpnon. The scene at the house at midnight was not extraordinary. It was stated at that time that the strong master mind had ceased to battle for ife. His children were at his bedside and they recognized that the hopes of he past few days were vanishing



learfully admitted this to a few als physician, had Dr. Janaway in. consultation, but they said that nothing could be done but make Mr. possible. When the end came the nambers of the family who were in the house were Mr. and Mrs. George Jould Mrs. Edwin Gould Miss Helen Gould, Mrs. Howard Gould, Mr. Howard Gould and Miss Annie Gould.

A Sickening Scene.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Dec. 2. - A terrible fairoad crossing accident occurred at the Pennsylvania avenue crossing of he Erie road at midnight. Five per-William Conklin and wife. Edward Blanchard and wife and Mrs. Maggie Pitts. The crossing is a dangerous one. The wagon was struck by the Erie vestibule train running at a nigh rate of speed. The engineer says station half a mile from the crossing. bodies. They were Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard and Mrs. Conkin. The wagon was scattered along in bits. him at Guthrie for various crimes, The book of Mrs. Pitts and the mangled form of William Conklin were still alive when picked up a hundred vards from the crossing. Mr. Conklin was at once taken to the hospital. All of the killed had their heads

#lftv-second Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6. - A beautiful. and session of the Fifty-second con-Crisp ascended the speaker's chair and his gavel dropped. A solemn prayer. The clerk called the roll. and 224 members having responded was appointed to join a like senate gled. committee to notify the president that both houses of congress were in session, ready to receive any communication he saw fit to make. A recess was then taken for half an hour. The speaker took the chair after recess, but it was a quarter of an hour before the committee appointed to wait upon the president reported. It was to the effect the president would communicate with congress to-day.

Held for Killing a Tramp. ATOKA, L T., Dec. 3. -Bud Smith a white man, was arrested at Stringtown yesterday by Marshall Secore charged with the murder of a tramp at that place Thursday night. The murdered man was found in Smith's house yesterday morning with his skull badly fractured from a blow with a heavy instrument. His brains were oozing out through the skuli and presented a horrible sight Smith ciaims that he is innocent and never weeks ago and who claims to have saw the murdered man before. A miraculous cures for the sick and pool of blood was found in the horse caused a sensation by claiming that its saw mill. lot and blood and brains on the gate he had successfully treated cases by Herman Smith had his leg ground enger train at Marshall, recently, post, where it seems some one had the faith cure, has been arrested on up in a sorghum mill near Manor a Charles Brock, a brakeman, lost his wiped his hands. The murdered man warrants by a number of persons who few days ago. had no papers on his person by which claimed that he secured money from he could be identified.

Missouri Gold Fever. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 6 .- The gold excitement in the sandhills east of here continues at a high pitch. Outbound trains are carrring hundreds of persons going prospecting in an endeavor to locate ciaims. Several hundred tons of valuable ore were ed more snow has fallen on Long taken out Sunday and were of the Island the past two days than at any same high grade as the former test time since the blizzard of 1888. The Several farmers who are devoted snow is deepest near l'ort Jesserson. members of the Holiness Band or where it was four feet deep. Tele-Churen of Sanctification on Sunday phone and telegraph wires are badly gathered on the edge of the property broken in many places. Flat roofs. Mexia up to date. in which the best ore has been found awning sheds, trees and other structand after calling the meeting to order ures are crushed under the heavy girl of Houston, ate fly poison a few shortly after. had long religious services, imploring | weight Several boathouses were days ago and died. divine plessing upon the gold hunters wrecked on the shores Jamaica bay. and praying for continued success in Trains were also delyad in consethe search for mineral wealth.

Litty Years After Buriat. SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 6 .- While execuating and grading on Fannin Rynd, the Allegheny lumber merenant Quintana a few days ago. street at Robert Shaw's residence yes- who receptly failed for over \$100,000 buried over fifty years ago were dug mitted forgeries aggregating over \$25,000, has filed charter.

The Southern Pacific company has generously offered to bring California fruit tree cuttings free to Calhoun ed to be a bride in wedding attire- ada as alteged but is confined in an | himself through the head.

A CURIOUS FEAT.

An Indian Swallows a Lizard and

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 5. - A half breed named Sampson living near the Duck Valley Indian reservation in Nevada, just over the Idaho line, recently swallowed a living lizard and is probably dead by this time. Sampson took the reptile into his stomach upon a wager. He had frequently swallowed frogs, harmless garter snakes and leeches without any ill effect upon his system, and about two years ago ne swallowed and seemingy digested a living Arizona horned rog. Sampson engaged in these perormances in order to obtain whisky from spectators. He finally wagered a quart of rum that he could swallow a blue belied lizard at Dublin. keep it in his stomach dead. He captured one of the lively little reptiles and after some difficulty forced it down his gul'et. Almost immediately he commenced to scream and roll about in the greatest agony, declaring that the lizard was trying to eat its way out of his stomach. Emetics were administered but Sampson vomited nothing but blood | completion. and his sufferings were not appreciably alleviated. Gum campnor was then forced down his throat in the hope its pungent fumes might kill the reptile but when Sampson was last heard from he still asserted that the lizard was alive and was still viciously lacerating his stomach.

After the Gold Fields.

WICHITA, Kan: Nov. 30 .- An organization, having for its object the raining posession of and operating all the gold mines in the northeastern portion of the Comanche nation, has been formed here and the lullans are excited because of the presence in the fields of so-called 'munting parties' in suspicious numbers. Senator Per- standpipe at Temple. to enact a law at the short session of ing agitated at Taylor. congress allowing settlers to locate on mining claims under the mining law. If this fails there will be 40,000 the regions in hope the government will have to allow staking as in the case of Deadwood.

Wratt one of the Dalton gang of des-Corv. Ind. twelve miles from Helshowed fight but a shotgun There are a dozen indictments against and he is wanted in Texas.

trightful Death.

LITTLE ROCK. Ark., Dec. 1. - News the death of Henry Moore, formerly of Fort Worth. Tex., reached here vesterday from Perryville, Ark. Moore was employed at a sawmill near Perryville and was at work at the time of his death. In endeavoring to remove a siao he fell face forward on gress. As the hands of the clocks the fast flying saw and was cut from pointed to the hour of 12 Speaker | the collar bone on the left side to the lower part of the abdomen on the right side. The saw in the center of hush followed the noise and confusion | this terrible gash almost reached the and the blind enaplain. Rev. Dr. Mil- backbone. He was thrown by the burn, delivered a brief and impressive | saw about six or seven feet, landing on his back. His death was instantaneous as his lung, heart and intesto their names a committe of three tines were cut and shockingly man-

NEW YORK, Dec. 5. - George Gould, no doubt, will succeed his father as erford. president of the Manhattan railway company. This decision was practi-

Will Succee 1 Bis Father.

cally reached at the meeting of the board of directors of the road which was held Saturday. It was a full meeting with the exception of Jay and George J. Gould and although no munity, ormal action was taken regarding the filling of the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. Gould, his successor harrow. was talked of and it was generally conceded that George Gould was to have the position so suddenly made vacant. His election will probably take place at the next meeting of the board, which will be held next Wed-

Faith Doctor Arrested. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 5. - Rev. P. Warner, who came here a lew

them under false pretense. His case Childress will be ready for occupancy foot were mashed off. was taken before the mayor and after in a short time. a hearing was held to bail for his appearance at the next term of the criminal court. He is looking for a bonds

Heaviest Snow for Years. NEW YORK, Dec. 2 .- It is estimate at Bublin soon.

Confined in an Asylum.

quence of broken wires.

NOTES.

Comes to Grief. Choice Clusters of Crisp Cullings Condensed

from Daily Reports.

RACY ROUND-UPS RENDERED READABLE.

Bure Breylary of Items of Enterest Gathered from Every Portion

of the Empire State.

A fair association is being organized El Paso is overrun with sneak

A new cotton gin is being erected

Wheat around Bluffdale is in fine condition. Quanah reports several cases of

diphtheria. A union depot project is on foot at Pecos City.

Henrietta's new hotel is nearing Cotton is about all gathered in the Blum section.

night and day. Buildings are going up on every side at Yoakum.

Hilisbore is considering the question of a new jail. A local option election is soon to be held at Palestine.

The Victoria court house is rapidly nearing completion. J. Crew has been jailed at Orange for criminal assault

Work has commenced on the new The new gas plant has just been completed at Denison. A big gin and cotton mill is to be

erected at Greenville. The question of a union depot is pe-The Iron Mountain road is rapidly

pushing toward Bowie. More public school buildings are to be erected at Palestine. The new railroad yards at Denison

are nearing completion. The Tyler chair factory, recently

Work has commenced on the

Baptist church at Paris. The top crop of cotton near Luling as soon as it is finished. is said to be very heavy. A Knights of l'ythias lodge will be

organized at Pecos City. An electric dynamo factory has been established at Dallas. Some of the principal streets Yoakum are being graded.

Work has begun on a new public school building at Belcher. Wheat in the vicinity of Blum is up to a good stand and looks well. The contract has been let for an

electric light plant at Yoakum. The pecan crop in the country around Lampasas is reported very short. Work will begin in a few days on ago. a \$20,000 hotel at Mineral Wells.

Pecos City is nearing completion. of crecting another spring palace. Work has commenced on a new public school building at Barstow.

The pecan crop of the Victoria country is said to be the largest since The Christian church at Waxahachie will be completed in a few

The brick and steel work of the new jail at Beeville has been com-

A large force of men are now at work improving the streets of Weath-Programmes are out for the Lime-

stone county fair, to be held at Groes-The negroes of Reno, near Paris. have been notified to leave the com-

A factory has been put in at Dublin for the manufacture of the Bonham

The question of organizing a fire company is under consideration at San Sana While coupling cars at Whitesboro

recently Brakemau Nagie lost his were hurt The college building at Myrtle

Beaumont will put new machiney in slight wound.

The Knights of Pythias ball at It is reported from Vernon that the

to be abundant. There is a prospect of a large foun-Work has commenced on a new

bank building, a hotel and a union depot at Barstow.

Malinda Crozier, a 2-year-old colored tion for fall grazing.

The Murray Ginning System com-

An alligator six feet long was dis-

fruit tree cuttings free to Calhoun of preservation. One was a well-will when all returns are in amount dressed man and the other is suppos- to over \$50,000, has not fied to Cande to be a bride in wedding attireada as alleged but is confined in an object to be a bride in wedding attireada as alleged but is confined in an object to be a bride in wedding attireada as alleged but is confined in an object to be a bride in wedding attireada as alleged but is confined in an object to be a bride in wedding attireada as alleged but is confined in an object to be a bride in wedding attireand shot the policemas in the mouth, and other fruits do well on the coast place, his clothes causht fire and as bride in flicting a dangerous though not fatal lands and many wish to try the new lands and many wish to try the the cotton press, was missed and a departura

search revealed the fact that be had | A fallen into the press and had been [1]

A switchman named Samlin was run over and killed by a switch en- | Soalle Barnes Killed and W. E. Carruthers

gine at Yoakum, recently. The Waco Ice and Refrigerator company has contracted for the erection of a fifty-ton ice plant

crushed perfectly flat.

Six new residences and a block brick business houses are in course of construction at Waxahachie. The El Paso ore-pumping works will be completed and ready for oper-

ation in about twelve months. Wheat and rye crops in the Panhandle are in fine condition and the acreage of each is very large.

the Methodist Episcopal at Panhandle tragedy shortly after midnight and City, has just been completed. Morris Doran accidentally shot and

illed himself while hunting near Corpus Christi a few days ago. An election is soon to be held at Paris to determine whether or not a special road tax shall be levied.

The 3-year-old child of Bob Brownfield of Bailey, near Bonham, was bitten by a rabid dog a few days ago. The grain elevator of D. D. McMillan burned at Seymour a few days ago, together with 12,000 bushels of

The Southwestern Telephone company is pushing work on a new tele- shoot it out. The prisoner says he phone lipe between Dallas and Fort | teld him he didn't want any difficulty

J. G. Pemberton, a farmer, was held up near Dallas recently by two white men and a negro and relieved

omanche county, suddenly dropped dead at his home near Gustive a few

A larger wheat acreage has been sown in Hardeman county this season than ever before. The crop is look-Work on the Hillsboro park lake is

the dam will be completed in about George Watts a colored barber. was shot and fatally wounded at Hillsboro a few nights ago by Fred A. Jones, a white man.

Louis brewer, will furnish and open to the Island City savings bank at transferring to the Adams and Souththe big Oriental hotel at Dallas as Galveston, valued at \$10,000. This eru express company over the Louis-The waterworks company at Dubin

short time the city will be amply provided with fire protection. Two Mexicans were killed by a party of state rangers on Spring creek;

near Oakviile, Live Oak county, recently. They resisted arrest. Sergeant Joe Davis of company G. wenty-third United States infantry.

ew days ago by taking morphine. man named Reed was shot and killed ed to the bank at once where he care- ten out for counting. As soon as the by J. M. Teague, his prother-in-law.

committed suicide at San Antonio

At Paris recently Irwin Hatley, col-The Methodist church edifice at ored, beat his wife almost to death with a club. Her screams attracted There is some talk at Fort Worth | half the population of the town to the

In a row over a crap game at Petty, near Paris, recently. Sam Scull struck Ed Shelton over the head with a heavy piece of iron, inflicting fatal

Bond, a 3-year-old colored child, was day morning ne was confronted by playing in the yard near a fire, its Alfred McGuire, also colored, who clothing became ignited and it was claimed the cotton was his and that burned to death.

Mrs. Sallie Davis, widow of Col. Sam Davis, a Texas pioneer, was The work of extending the sewer- fatally burned near Greenville a few of the grand jury. age system of Denison is being days ago. She fell asleep in a chair and pitched into an open fireplace.

A difficulty occurred at Santo, rocently, between James Butier and a negro, all in the same wagon, were been held up and robbed. while Henry Ruset in which the latter re- leaving town the bug juice began to no less than thirty residences ceived a knife wound, laying the boil as soon as they got out of eight have been entered and amounts cheek open from the ear to the of the city and the white men, so the of money and valuables stolen.

The San Antonio Washington Heights land company, incoporated under the laws of Colorado with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, has been body. The quartette was caught and against them. The recent numerous granted permission to do business in

While a freight train was switching in the yards at Bells, Grayson county, Elwood Ford's freight wagon was caught between two cars and crushed to splinters. Neither driver nor team

In attempting to swing onto a passhold and fell with his left foot under the wheels. The toes and half the

C. N. Stevens, R. D. Gillenwaters and a man named Franks were at of her brother-in-law. She was 23 and purchased twenty grains more and wheat crop of that section promises tacked by two armed robbers near Gainesville, a few nights ago, and Gross ordered to 'shell out." One of the parties produced a sixshooter instead dry and machine shop being opened and the surprised robbers took to the woods. .

At a negro dance near Tyler, a few | negro | laborer at Rentz' gin, in nights ago, Bob Jackson and Walter this city, while handling some tion was treated Tuesday night to a Field's became involved in a difficulty bagging was caught by the grand meteoric display about 8 of Missouri but three were born in students. Nearly 20,000 bales of cotton have over the insulting of the latter's sis- shaft. One of his legs was so o'clock. A large meteor seemed to the state; ten have been natives of been received at the little town of ter. Fields struck Jackson a terrible badly broken before the machinery start from the moon and burst into at Kentucky; seven of Virginia, and 10,000 members. blow on the head, crushing the skull, | could be stopped that amputation was | least six pieces, then pass to the west, | Pennsylvania. South Carolina, Tenfrom the effects of which he died necessary.

Johnnie Tyler, the 5-year-old son Fine rains in Tom Green county of William Tyler of Luling, met his have put the grass in excellent condiings ago. The little fellow started off R. Stone, whom he was taking back and thought it was the comet knocks the fork of a tree during his travels in following a flock of geese. The geese to Chattanooga on a charge of for-PITTSBURG. Pa. Dec. 1.—B. F. covered under the school house at followed them into the water, where he was found drowned. The Southern Pacific company has

Wounded and Jailed.

CONSTABLE TEDDER ASSASSINATED Negro Sinshed Seven Times With a Knife-A Very Serious

Otn Accident. WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Dec. 6 .- A hooting scrape occurred at Barnestille, in this county, Sunday night, in which Soalie Barnes was killed and W. E. Carruthers shot in the left leg. The finest church in the Panhandle, Sheriff Meredith was notified of the went immediately and found Carruthers at his mother's in the neighborhood of where the killing occured. he was brought to town yesterday morning and lodged in jail, where Dr. Boyd, the county physician, dressed his wound A reporter called on the prisoner and found him resting well Mrs. Tom Youree, wife of a farmer and willing to talk. His version of iving near Colorado City, suicided a the affair is in substance as follows: lew nights ago by taking strychnine. They had a difficulty a few days ago over a report reflecting on Barnes' character, but it was thought to be settled. They went to church Sunday night and Barnes, after escorting a young lady home, returned and met Carruthers and some other boys and soon brought up the old trouble. Carrathers says Barnes proposed to him to lend him a pistol and they would and that he did not need his pistol. After walking a few steps Barnes turned and fired twice at close range. only one shottaking effect. Carruthers drew his own pistol, a 41-caliber, and fired several shots, two of which took shot entered the left side and probably pierced the heart. Death ensued in about ten minutes.

Beavy Less. GALVESTON, Tex., Nov. 30. - Ten is putting up a standpipe and in a lenger on the New Orleansconsignees and received and signed for situation by wire.

Held for Cotton Stenling.

Robinson colored. Wednesday brought a bale of cotton here and sold it to a merchant. The latter received some Intimation that the cotton was stolen property and excused himself from paying for it just then, telling Robinson to call for the money next morn- When the package was laid seals up At Waco, recently, while Claude ing. When the negro called yester- and viewed from the end the most emptied the ag. t had been stolen from Bentley's gin, four miles west of town. Robinson was lodged in jail to await the action

Carved by White Men-CUERO, Tex., Dec. 6.—Saturday afternoon while four white men and

brought back to answer to the law. Constable Shot and Killed.

MOUNT VERNON, Tex., Dec. 6 organized band which has been oper-Saturday night Constable Wm. Tedder ating so extensively in various southspencer, a negro, about five miles east of this place. Tedder and Henry Simpson called at his house and asked A north-bound Santa Fe passenger for a cup of coffee. Spencer told him | Underwood, a local drummer, took train was fired into between Celeste to be seated and left to borrow some twenty grains of morphine with sui- just had their second pair of twins, Louis is in the center of enormous nat-Springs, Van Zandt county, will soon and Wolfe City recently by some un cups and saucers. He came back cidal intent yesterday afternoon, and healthy, perfectly formed children. known miscreant. A man on the with a Winchester rifle and Tedder though every effort is being made to rendered and is now in jail.

A Corpse Instead of a Bride.

Gin Stand Victim. WEATHERFORD, Tex., Dec. Yesterday morning Lewis Smith, a

Jumped from the Train. running at full speed, near Huntsville, Ala., and made good his escape.

A DEPLORABLE MISHAP.

Cornelius Rogers, While Hunting Receives a Mortal Woung.

deplorable accident happened yesterday morning that caused the death of a young man in about six hours after it occurred. Charlie and Cornelius Rogers brothers, and young men well known to a large circle of friends in the city, had been out in their buggy on a hunt and were returning some with the guns in the buggy between them, the muzzle pointing up. as usual on such cocasions. They had reached Eureka, five miles northwest from the city, and without any known cause one barrel of a gun was discharged and the entire contents emptied into the left breast and shoulder of Cornelius, the youngest of the two boys. Every shot in the cartridge went into him and all that his brother could do was to drive as rapidly as possible for the city, which he did, the unfortunate young man bleeding fearfully all the time. They yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. His heroic struggle riding in after he down on his bed as never rallied and ter and brother bathing his pallied and was wired yesterday evening.

Doing a Big Bustness.

five thousand dollars more has been missile, striking the plate more stolen in transit to Galveston. This, fairly, was completely flattened, but makes \$55,000. Nice sum that without cracking it in any way. enough to enable the thief to fight the Allard's friends declare that all the matter in the courts or go to jail. serve his sentence and then come out | satisfactory, and that the inventor, a wealthy man. This \$25,000 pack- among other things, has made by his age had been shipped to Messra. Bail. thousand dollars in currency has been Hutchins & Co. of this city from their and temper to the best article of the New York correspondent, the Nationprogressing rapidly and it is expected The package was addressed to the al City bank. It arrived on the 9:35 Island City savings bank of Galveston. Santa Fe train on Tuesday morning rediscover the art, which was known Yesterday morning the 9:35 train from in charge of the Wells-Fargo express to the ancients, and especially to the Houston, bringing to Galveston the company, Agent Harris, as did also old pyramid-builders of Egypt, reads eastern mail and expressages received | the other package of beefstesk pafrom the Southern Pacific New Orleans per that was addressed to the Island ago, when working at his trade in the passenger and also Wells-Fargo & City savings bank. The route used Co.'s Express Messenger Harris, who by Wells. Fargo & Co. into Galveston Adolphus Busch, the wealthy St. had in his energe a package addressed is via the Eric road to Cincinnati, package had been received from ville and Nashville to New Orleans. Weils-Fargo express mes- transferring back to the Weils-Fargo years he sought the secret in vain. company over the Southern Pacific to Bouston run and had been shipped Houston, and into Galveston over the which ended only in failure and dis-But by Kountze Bros. of New York. | Gulf. Colorado and Santa Fe. Now | The valuable purcel was taken to the then the \$25,000 package was shipped from New York city on November 25. by the bank's teller. John T. McCar- On November 27 it was reshipped thy. When Mr. McCarthy opened from Cincinnati and on November 28 the oundle it contained, not \$10,000 from New Orleans. On its arrival in in currency, but brown paper cut in Galveston delivery was made to Ball. slips about the size of a bank note Hutchings & Co, and a receipt was and neatly made up into two bundles. | taken. After the package had been fastened with rubber bands. The res- received by Ball, hutchings & Co. it ident manager of Wells. Fargo & Co. | was laid aside until about 4 o'clock on As the result of an old family feud was notified of the matter and repair- Tuesday afternoon, when it was gotfully inspected the package. The wrapper was broken the sheets of at Mumford, hear Bryan, a few days New York office of the express com- paper were exposed. The agent of pany was immediately advised of the Wells. Fargo & Co. was immediately started home with a bag of sovereigns. notified, who in turn immediately notified the division superintendent of one of his bags of treasu c. a monkey his company of the matter. The package contained nothing but a lot soon as it was replaced and tied up. of brown paper, each slip the size of a and the ot er bag empted

> long and wide as a bank note, and at he masthea about as thick as a bank note is wide.

casual glance would detect the differ-

ence between the original and the last

A Gang of Crooks. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 5 .- A Spare Mome ts. bold gang of house breakers and footpads arrived in San Antonio apput ten days ago and have been engaged in carrying on their operations every day since. A number of citizens have girl to another. negro states, began to carve him us- Several suspicious characters have ing him up quite badly. He was been arrested by the police during slashed up with knives seven times the past few days, but no evidence of about the face and upper part of the | convicting nature has yet been secured robberies have all been committed by experts, and the police are of the of land. opinion that the crooks are the same

was shot and instantly killed by Alex ern cities during the past few months. Taken with Suicidat Intent. The Reliance lumber company at platform of the sleeper received a was killed. Spencer came up and sur- save him his chance of recovery is Cal., recently reprimended a patrol- are numbered by hundreds. ledge of the Woodmen of the World. TAYLOR, Tex., Dec. 2.-Miss Ida of which lodge he is a member and in ross was to have been married Wed- which he has \$2000 on his life, and nesday to a young German tailor at paid his dues. He then told the secthis place. She is now a corpse retary to pay his wife the insurance Wednesday night she committed and swallowed the drug in his pressuicide with morphine at the residence | ence. He then went to a drug store years old and the daughter of William | was in the act of taking that when prevented by friends. He has a wife and several children. No cause is

known for his desire to die. Large Meteor. MULLEN, Tex., Dec. 2.-This secleaving quite a train of light in its wake and finally passing out of sight cut and Ohio one each. in the west. A few minutes after a Probably the largest serpent of FORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 2.-A deep report was heard like the heavy | which actual measurements have been nelegram was received here yesterday cannonading of artillery. Being so taken was an anaconda which Dr. from Sebe Maddox stating that John early a great many saw and heard it Gardner found dead and suspended to

JEFFERSON, Tex., Dec. 2.—Charles Allen, a Cass county negro, was ar-Van Alstyne, Tex., Dec. 3.—At way to the look-up Policeman Cooper

Policeman Shot.

DISCOVERED A LOST ART.

A French-Canadian Tempers Copper to the Hardness of Steel

Some time ago it was briefly men-Houston, Tex., Dec. 5.-A most tioned in a dispatch to the New York Sun that a poor French-Canadian blacksmith named Ferdinand Allard, of Levis, opposite Quebec, claimed to have discovered the secret of the lost art of hardening copper so that edged tools of that metal would equal the best steel, and copper plates would turn any ball. The announcement of the discovery, though involving results of the greatest economic importance, attracted, as often happens in such cases, little or no local notice, but outside of his own country Allard's invention promises to be eagerly seized upon. It was brought to the attention of Major-General Herbert, the commander of the Canadian militia and the cutting tools made by Allard were submitted to his inspection and to that of engineers named by him. All of the examiners expressed their surprise at the wonderful edge and hardness that had been reached here and immediately called avained. It was the general's suga physician, who followed close be- gestion, made with an eye to hind those who lifted the young man the possibility of the discovery's being wards to his room on Congress avenue, but utilized for the armoring of British of its the wound was one from which war vessels that the inventor prehe could not recover and he died pared a sheet of his hardened copper. under the direction of the lords of the was shot, as his life blood ebbed admirality. Private reports from away. was something almost super- | England state that the experiments human. He sat up in the buggy most in the royal dockyards have proved of the way, yet when he was laid eminently success ut, though nothing | Elgin, besides several smaller enterofficial upon the subject has yet been died with the tears of his mother, sis- communicated to Allard. At a prebrow. His father is in New Orleans Canadian rifle ranges, the bullet, fired from a distance of forty yards was shattered into a thousand fragments by the first impact with the hardened GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 1. - Twenty- copper. On the second trial the

tests so far made have proved most process a copper razor equal in edge famous Rogers manufacture. The story of how Allard came like a romance. Thirty-three years United States, he heard a comrade in the same shop say that the man who tempering copper would make a forhaunted his mind, and for over thirty He made thousands of experiments appointment. A hundred times he vowed that if the next trial failed he wasting his limited means and provwisp for him. At last he fully decided to make one more trial, and if that failed to give the whole thing up forever. A new combination had occurred to his mind and success

A Cerman had made a fort ne in Liverpool by selling milk. He had

On shi board, while he was counting was watching his operations. As bank bill, making a bundle about as snatched up the full oce an was soo ;

He opened the German's bar and The rescaling was a botch job, and it after eyeing the pretty gold, he prolooked as if the thief was in a hurry. | ce ded to drop one piece or the ceck and another in the water u til he had When he had finished the German threw up his hands, excluding: 'the

> water he gives to the water, and what came from mitk he gives to me."-It's a Wonder He Lived.

mu t be the devil, for what came from

Harry Staleight went home at 9 o'clock vesterday evening," said one "How did you manage it?" 'I read magazine poetry to him."

Washington Star. FROM MANY SOURCES.

Palestine is about one-forth as large s the state of New York. An irrigation canal in Utah and Ideho will irrigate about 100,000 acres A lady having written a letter,

be aggrieved by anybody being forgotten by somebody." A woman without arms was mar-GAINESVILLE, Tex., Dec. S. -Jo | ried to a blind man with one leg two | in other parts of the country have good years ago in Melbourne. They have reasons to envy their sisters here. St The chief of police at Sacramento, doubtful. Before taking the drug he man, whereupon the latter is said to the eight months of the year, fish is went to the secretary of the local have given him a good thrashing and abundant on the market stalls then went about his accustomed duties. | at insignificant prices, and for

> during the revolutionary war was 89,-761 in 1776. The aggregate of troops furnished the union army in the war of 1861-5 was 2,320,272. The expedition sent out by the United States government to ascertain the exact geographical position of Mt. St. Elias has finished its work. The mountain is just a mile from the exact

nessee, Delaware, New York, Connecti-

center of Alaska and is 17,201 feet

Mexico According to Dr. Gardner it measured thirty-seven feet in length. Arizona has 70,000 inhabitants, according to Governor Murphy's annual report. There are 512 miles of irrigating canals, not including laterals, and 343,000 acres of land have been re-

claimed. There are still 1,730,000

a copper during the year.

DAVID C. COOK

The Plouser Publisher of Sunday School David C. Cook of Chicago, the widely



child a member o school in Chicago at the age of seven school and at the

and much of the at different hours. In 1871, after the great fire, he left home and with three other young men, whom he persuaded to join him rented rooms in one of the poorest and ughest parts of the burnt district of

North Chicago, and gave hi started "Everybody's Mission," in a German beer-hall and theater, afteran attendance of 350 to 450, made up of some of the worst elements, he sustained for five years without financial aid from any church or society. has since organized and superi North Avenue Mission. Mission and Lake View Union Schools in Chicago, and Grace Sunday School,

liminary trial of similar sheets at the only for his own schools; then, cheapen expense, he solicited orders from others. This was the beginning of a wonderful growth and pop which, in sixteen years, has made his name a household word.

OUR ST. LOUIS LETTER

Club-Purity of Mississippi Water Cheap Turkey.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 1 .- There is not anywhere in the United States a club house owned entirely by commercial travelers and devoted to their uses, but there will be one as soon as the handsome building now being planted by architects, for the Travelers' Protective association, is erected in St. Louis. It will cost half a million dollars; and will be the swellest place of the sort outside of London, both as to its exterior appearance and its appointments inside. One novelty in the arrangements of the club which has been proposed is to be a cab service. The club is to own its cabs, and they are not only to be at trains for use of members, but they are also to be at the beck and call of any of them who may want to drive about the city.

The rapidly flowing water of the Mississippi river has swept away the theorists who began when the cholera scare ran over the country this year to exhort the people to drink only water that had been boiled. At that time, of course, St. Louis took all sorts of sanitary precautions, which, by the way, are still in effective operation, and among them warned those who lived in the tenement districts not to use well water. Every body then resorted to hydrants. About this time arose the cry of the medical men who insisted that all running water must be boiled if the drinker would prevent the coming of cholers, typhoid fever and other disagreeable visitors of that kind. Everyone knows how difficult it is in a household to boll all the water that is used by a family, and careful folks sighed as they went about the new duty thus laid on them. Fortunately, about this time, a party of microscopists from the Smithsonian institute visited St. Louis. They were examing the water supply of all the large cities. They found that the river water used in St. Louis was not only pure but wholesome, and they promptly announced that, adding that it was better than that of any other large city where they had been. The St. Louis Medical society wanted to be sure that the Eastern scientists were right, and appointed a committee of miscroscopists from its own members to examine the water. The examination was made this week, and the conclusion reached was the same as that announced by the Smithsonian institute men. The housekeepers are overjoyed, and the troublesome water-

boiling in the kitchens all day long has ceased. Here is a b't of information for the house-keepers that will make them all want to live in St. Louis. Turkey on Thanksgiving Day sold in the markets here for 15 cents a pound, and fresh venison for 20 cents; and there was cluded it as follows: "Give everybody's | much more of both kinds of the meat love to everybody, so that woody may than could be sold, judging from the appearance of the stands late that night. Not only on Thanksgiving Day, but all the year round, house-keepers ural game and fish preserves. The The largest number of men culisted | the other four months, game is from the thirteen States of America | really cheaper than good beef. The mechanic here lives as well as the professional man of moderate circumstances in New York, Boston or Chicago. A comparison of housekeepers figures would show that the cost of living is 25 per cent cheaper here than in either of those cities.

MAN'S BETTER HALF.

The bride's slippers have gold tips Yale college has about 39 female Brooklyn's women's clubs have about

A sachet for scenting stockings i the latest tomfoolery. A Mrs Billings, of Ashe county, N. C., gave birth, a short time ago, to six

Physicians say that cases of nervous

A New York cid lady of 73 years has

prostration are less frequent since l

heels have come into general use.

children at once.

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grip again.

Gould with all his millions couldn't escape "the shadow feared of man."

A WYOMING Justice of the Peace sent her husband to jail for contempt of court.

TO THE Third Party: The demand the result is that cotton has rendered for taxation. The S

B. F. HOLCOMB, ex-sheriff of Houston county, is being pushed by his friends for United States Marshal for this district. He is in the prime of manhood, vigorous, energetic and faithful and would make a most capable officer.

THE official count of the vote o Texas for president was made at Austin last week. Cleveland received 235,821; Harrison 73.246; Weaver 97,497; Bidwell 2,133. Cleveland's majority over Harrison sonal holdings Mr. Gould tried a few 162,575; over Weaver 138,324; over years ago to escape paving any personal both 65,078.

Kansas has voted to allow women to vote at all State elections. In Montana they have been voting tor some time and in the recent election a woman was elected Attorney-General for the State and tne State.

It is very gratifying to note that the great mass of supporters of Geo. Clark in the recent election do not endorse and will not follow the plan of a few of his supporters in Crockett to prolong strife and division in the party by keeping up that organization. We have talked to quite a number of his former supporter in the country and without exception they say they are done with it.

IT is folly to be making a fight in the courts for the present commission law when a slight modification of one section in a new act would enable the law to pass muster before any fair minded court State or Federal. The legislature should see to it that a new law is enacted and the people receive the benefits of such a measure at once and not wait for a year or more for the courts to pass on the present

tion. The plan is simple, practi- down the stream of time, economi- well Hogg had many rich supportcable and fair. Let it be done and cally perpetuated, until the last ers and I suppose they put up the in so doing all blame and criticism roll is called. of the democratic administration for partiality will be removed.

Connell from the Clark side and again support any man, be he per- owes his election to day. Of the for want of space we defer till next sonally friend or foe, who stands total vote, 430,000, 240,000 went to The policy of the paper has been to can be found two years from now. of Jun Hogg's past administration. during and since the campaign they wight capture votes from ev- dered and like unto the great Na- cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh than was accorded the other side, ery quarter to continue it, but now poleon's old faithful guard, when Cure. Notwithstanding, in some sections, that Cleveland is elected and the the last battle was fought and the F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. notably Grapeland, they have been republican party irretrievably lost, army had surrendered, and Napo- We, the undersigned, have About 2 Cents per Day. both ungenerous and unjust in they will either have to abandon leon himself taken prisoner, and known F. J. Chenney for the last their criticism of the paper and the their platform and stand upon the the old faithful guard ordered to 15 years, and believe him perfectly cerned, it has made no difference. form themselves into a body pol- were, "With sword in one hand and tions and financially able to carry He has been in Texas nearly twen- itic called the Jim Hogg or hourth shield in the other, the old guard out any obligations made by their ty years and has been "cussed" party. The National platform dies but never surrenders." Yes, firm. more or less during that entire does not advocate State banks, fellow citizes, for the preservation Wholesale Druggists. Toledo, O. time, especially during the last graduated income tax and a 68c, of true democracy, politically Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, eight years. He is thoroughly silver dollar any more than it does speaking, we will meet them upon Wholesale Druggists, Toledy. Ohio. schooled to it and really enjoys it. subtreasury and it will be utterly the field with a torch in one hand! Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken in-And those who indulge in it with impossible for them to continue and a sword in the other, and burn ternally, acting directly upon the the hope that their maledictions their platform in perfect contradis- every blade of grass, dispute every blood and mucous surfaces of the count for aught with the editor of tinction to the national platform, inch of ground and the last en system Testimonials sent free, this paper are wasting ammuni- and so it must die and be buried trenchments of liberty shall be our Price 75c, per bottle. Sold by all

THE COURIER. THE DUTY OF THE LEGIS- that it has accomplished. The we number 110,000 strong, there-LATURE.

A grievous mistake will be comcourts. We are satisfied that any robb her of what would have been commission law will be forced to pass muster before the courts. Then let us have one that can stand the test beyond peradventure and when we get through we will be through. A slight amendment of the present one will do. Let that be done and if the roads want to take it to the courts, let New York is wrestling with the Governor Hogg and the State go there with them and fight it out. Besides such an amendment will in no wise impair the officiency of

GOULD AS A TAX-PAYER.

The death of Jay Gould and the statement that his wealth amounts to sixty or more millions of dollars suggest an interesting question as to perats were successful everywhere the amount of property which he advanced three cents per pound. Louis Republic's New York dispatch has the following information touching this matter:

> In spite of Jay Gould's possession for very modest amounts. He seems to have had as much ability in keeping down his taxes as in piling up his miltions he paid taxes on only \$500,000 in personal property. The real estate on which he paid taxes directly was confinto the Grand Opera House, of which he was the owner, and to his home on Fifth avenue. At one time he also paid the taxes on his son's home on East Forty-seventh street, but after that formally passed out of his possession he was, of course, relieved from paying any further taxes on that property. Notwithstanding the very conservative estimate placed upon the value of his per taxes at all in this city.

THE BATTLE IS O'ER.

Defeated But Not Conquered.

Whether on the scatfold high. Or in the battle van The fittest place that man can die

becomes the highest law officer in two years primitive democracy as liency, beg no pardons, make no have gone down beneath the un- ashamed of his vote to-day, because merciful wave of prejudice, misrep- he voted his honest convictions battle is o'er and as the smoke clears | best for Texas. Yes they are men slowly away like a phantom of stable in their undertaking and are brightness stealing from a recess of already preparing for the next darkness, these truths will appear great battle and with expected revividly before you all, and you will inforcements from the enemies once again see that you have been camp who in due time will realize pulled from your own honest con- their great error and flee from the victions into the clutches of the impending wrath. At the demodemagogue. As you are all aware, cratic convention at San Antonio will have no opposition our county nominations had been in 1890 the doors were thrown open made before the Houston conven- and everybody invited to come in tion, and Clark and Hogg followers and to be recognized thereafter as a alike helped to make them, some democrat who voted for Jim Hogg, Clark as well as Hogg advocates consequently he sailed into office being nominated, therefore after on a majority of 182,000, and from mony and to keep down county the wheat. Render unto Cæsar THE question of selecting Texas disruption the Clark wing met and the things which are Casar's and postmasters under the Cleveland resolved to protect the county and unto Christ the things which are administration which promises to district tickets as already cominat. Christ's; render unto Hogg the be very bothersome can be easily ed, and it was this resolution that things which are Hogg's and unto settled by referring the matter to saved them. Yet fellow citizens as Clark the things which are Clark's. true blood medicine will therefore the democratic patrons of every the smoke of the battle slowly re- Some of the Jim Hogg's have said frequently restore the invalid to office. Let them hold elections and cedes we see that this resolution that Clark's vote consisted princi- health and strength when all 'els recommend the man or woman was to the detriment of Judge Clark, pally of negroes when it has been fails. Such a medicine is they want. It has been urged by and as for my part it is only that shown authentically and statistisome leading democratic papers which transpired as mentioned cally beyond peradventure that of and statesmen for years that con- above that held me obligated, not Judge Ciark's 133,000 votes he got gress should pass a law providing that I love Cæsar less but that I 110,000 of as loyal democrats as for the election by ballot of all love Rome more, not that I love ever breathed the breath of life. postmasters. In the absence of our countrymen less but that I love and that Hogg got 40,000 negro such a law much worriment to the the true principles of democracy votes-10,000 through choice, 10,public and much expense to the more, democracy such as after we 000 through obedience to their emapplicants can be saved by the have been numbered with the ployers and 20,000 through bribery democrats of every office holding things that were will be for those at an average of \$2 per head, and an election to determine the ques- who may live after us, and so on where that \$40,000 carue from-

So far as the two parties are con- negro votes would have elected cerned, the Hogg or third party, I Clark, and yet while Hogg and his think one is as detrimental to equit- cohorts were railing out against WE GIVE space this week to a able and economical government as Clark, Cuney and the coons, it is long article from Mr. W. V. Me- the other and I, for one, will never to these self-same coons that week the publication of one from upon the Jim Hogg platform advo- the polls and voted against Hogg. W. il. Campbell of Grapeland. cating State banks, graduated in- This is "the hand writing on the After that we think all communi- come tax on a 68 cts. dollar, but I wall" and shows that a majority of cations on that subject should cease. hardly think that any such men the people of Texas do not approve give generous scope to our Clark This platform was only g tten up Fellow citizens, it is true the first friends and as a matter of fact they to elect Jim Hogg, and in the event battle is o'er, and while we have! We offer One Hundred Dollars have had decidedly more space that Harrison was elected that been defeated, we have not surren- reward for any case of Catarrh that editer. So far as the editor is con one that we stand upon to-day, or dismount, their last and only words honorable in all business transac-

big Hogg heads knew when they fore we ask no quarters, and have nothing to concede, and if there is were making this platform that any coming to be done, those who mitted if Governor Hogg and the was undemocratic but in their inhave departed democratic faith and legislature refuse to pass an amend- satiate desire to elect their personal bolted democratic principles in ed commission law, and determine friend, Jim Hogg, they would not their selfish and eager desire to elect to fight for the present one in the only disrupt Texas democracy but Jim Hogg must do the coming and my prophecy is that they will come a prosperous future. They speak for they can not stand on such a about this Hogg and Clark contest platform in the face of an elected as though it were a personal matter, National democracy. While some a matter of men only, and some of of the Hogg leaders are trying to them are urging now that the fight scare us into a surrender, others are is o'er, and our man lost, to come using persuasive means, knowing back, consolidate again and two that if they can either one way or years hence with combined forces the other accomptish this little sweep the third party out of exisgame, they can two years hence tence. To our whole souled, genertake possession of our platform ous hearted Hogg admonishers and claiming all democratic honhave this to say, that you are just ors still lead their forces on to furas much the enemy to good govther achievments, but fellow citie, nment and true democracy as the zens we are immovably fixed upon third party and I, for one, if you our platform, and they can neither continue to stand upon your presscare or persuade us from it and ent platform, will never be with that we are right time will tell for you again. While it is true Judge right shall prevail so sayeth the Clark was the first to make the Lord. It is really necessary every sacrifice and to general our first now and then that the democratic battle, yet we are not followers of party should be purged and at the Judge Clark, but true followers of Houston convention after the wheat those fundamental principles of democracy such as was enunciated at it was essential that some one Turner Hall and promulgated by should lead the little band of purihim in the late campaign. Yes, tans, and as Moses was chosen to millions, he was down on the tax lists he has temporarily fallen but his lead the Israelites, so was Judge platform still lives and it is upon this rock that we have built our band of puritans, and though the house, and the winds may blow, enemy has overpoweringly impeded the rains descend and the floods our progress and we will have to come, but it will not be effected for camp in the wilderness for two its contents are such as is essential years when we will again arise in to perpetuate an equitable government. While some of the Hoggites are generous enough to ask us to consolidate with them again, there are others who are so intoxicated over their success that they are appallingly denunciatory in their expressions. One of them says in a public speech of the Clark men. tory!! Hallelujah, 'tis done!!!" "They have raised the black flag til the vibrations of sound shall and lets show them no quarters, reach the glory land, and the voices drive them to the wall and politiof the redeemed ride back upon our cally obliterate them from the face reverberations of joy, that all of the earth." To this we mag-Heaven is jubilant over a victory FELLOW CITIZENS:-For the next nanimously reply we ask no lenhanded down by our forefathers, apologies, have nothing to retract democracy such as is essential to and it you call opposition to your perpetuate a successful and eco- platform raising the black flag, we nomical government is politically will forever keep its sable tresses dead, and demagoguery heaped up- unfolded to the breeze and your on the credulity of the people is army is not strong enough to make to the front to refute the charge that once more triomphant. Yes we us forsake it. No Clark man is

W. V. McConnell. MILLS SAFE.

The Houston Post was promptly Mills was in danger of being defeated. It sent but letters of inresentation and bribery, but the and for what he thought was the quiry to every senator and representative as to their choice for United States Senator. The Post Can be found at French & Chamberlain's up to Sunday had heard from about two-thirds of the senators CROCKETT. and representatives and of those heard from Mills had eight more than enough to elect. Mills will A not only be his own successor but

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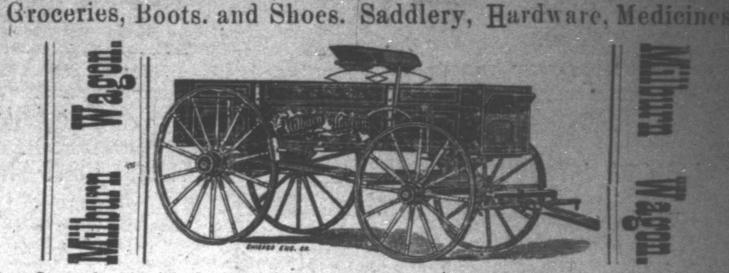
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Court convenes the first Monday's in rebruary, May, August and November.

Precinct No. 1, Crockett, last Monday C. E. Romain, J. P. Precinct No. 2, Augusta, 3d aturday

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should be built by contract. The city council have added an-

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Apply at Harring's Drug Stor.e

family to plant a few shade trees and fancy tray \$2.50. Shoes! More and better shoes, ladges' each. Two spools thread 5 ets. low prices. J. R. Foster, Agt. and thereby contribute to the beau-ty and confort of our streets.

button, lace or Child's school slice.

Two papers large brass pins 5 cts.

each \$1. Three kinds tobacco, that.

WE have these goods and thous.

less raisens, etc, for making fruit Flour, bacon and lard. 5 lbs. Rio ing them at these prices. Don't second hand back will be exchangcake from I. W. Murchison, they coffee and 18 lbs, fancy Y. C. sugar, torget the place. Look for the ed for horses or cattle. are just received and fresh.

We are not unfriendly to the

most excellent postmaster and dying year. METHODIST. J.L. Dawson, Pastor, Ser wanting a change on that score, one more day, ere the year has is the rating of game by points: Besides, the democrats of the en- passed away. tire county owe Mr. Hill a debt of every Tuesday night. First Sunday at gratitude for the manly, open, honest and square fight he made against BARTIST.-W. M. Gaddy, Pastor, the third party ticket in the late Services the 1st, 3d and 4th Sundays in contest. The service he rendered was honest, disinterested and inmeeting every Wednesday night. Second valuable and deserves and should receive recognition from all patriots.

Cotton Market.

when his term is about out.

Cotton has been on the drag for the past week. The decline in J. Wilson, J. Grounds, W. H. heavy, reaching fully a cent for the May, callek to see us this week. latter and fof a cent for the former. Several causes have combined to cause the tumble. In the first place, speculation forced the n.ar-County Judge, Hon. A. A. Aldrich, Jr.; ket away beyond all legitimate advance. Then the receipts have County Clerk, A. J. C. Dunham; Sher- been quite heavy and the interior Hatch Anti Option Bill which be- for some persons to make money. gins on Monday next in the United States Senate and its probable pas- Home, White and Star Machines sage have helped along the decline. Middling cotton in Crockett on Wednesday was selling at 8½ cents.

The Way to Do it. After the expiration of F. H Hill's time as postmaster, his successor can be easily decided by the Court in session the second Mondays's democrats by taking a vote of those The February, May, August and Novem- who are patrons of this office. Let Teas. He has several varieties

day set for voting. Then let the on the market. Precinct No. 4, Lovelady, 4th ThursCharacter. The same plan could ner, of Porter Springs, died on Porter Springs, died on Constipation and the many ills de-

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

LOCAL AND COUNTY NEWS Croup and Bronchitis, while its and will hold forth at that place in the history of medicine. Since COST! H. Huff and Mrs. Callie Huff of its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no The large bridges of the county other medicine can stand. If you have a cough we earnestly ask you to try it. Price 10c., 50. and \$1. If your lungs are sore, chest, or back lame, use Shiloh's Porous One car of new flour just arrived. Plaster. Sold by J. G. Harring.

Changes.

W. E. Mayes has purchased the styles, low prices at Bill McCon- stock of goods of Wilson Adams & dantly able to do it. Having done of that more terrible disease Con- gist. Large bottle (192 tea-spoon-

I. Cone has rented the residence just received at Will Denny's. Call occupied by J. W. Hail and wil open a hotel. J. W. Hail will build Are the citizens of Crockett get- a new residence soon and at pres- Diptheria, Canker mouth, and that Shiloh's Cure will cure your Creole Female Tonic is v certain only the best remedy for Chills ting ready to plant shade trees ent his family is staying with W. Headache. With each bottle there cough. It never fails. This ex-E. Hail.

O. D. Kirkpatrick, an Augusta merchant, is winding up his mercantile business, preparatory to moving west.

W. E. Mayes is burning brick to put up a brick house adjoining the store of DeBerry & Clark.

The new livery stable will open Dr. T. M. Sherman will move to

For Sale.

Forty head of corn fed hogs. W. J. MURCHISON.

of trunks at Will Denny's going CASH! CASH!! CASH!!! and cheaper than ever.

opened to fit big, fat, slim or tall. novelty DEPARTMONT. Men's per barrel. Youths and boys suits. Pants of suits \$5.00, youths suits \$2.50 to all colors and styles. Ladies dress \$5.00, boys suits \$1.25 to \$3.50, If you want bargains in dry goods to eatch the eye of the most jeans pants 50 cts. to \$1.50, overgoods, groeeries. elothing, notions, fastidious, black, green, blue, wine, Shirts!! 3 fine linen bosom shirts their interest to call on the underpurple and brown casimeres, with \$1.00. A large line of shirts. La- signed. JNO. B. SMITH, M. D. WANTED:—A Good Cook. No all shades of braid and cord to dies, misses and mens hose in great other need apply. Good wages. nishing goods. TRUNKS! TRUNKS!! variety and the cheapest in Texas at 10 cts. a pair. Our line of sus-It is an easy matter for every rel top and fancy tray \$2.50. Shops! penders is a surprise. A great va-

Buy your currants, citron, seed- navy or smoking, 25 ets. per 1b. WE have these goods and thou-R. M. ATKINSON. sign.

Bill McConnell Says:

that we favor standing by the pres- fortunes and misfortunes, philan- fair will be on Saturday night, the ent postmaster, Mr. F. H Hill, thropic and misanthropic deeds, 17th. They have elected their capuntil the expiration of his time. religious and diabolical achieve- tains and chosen sides, adopted the leading democrats, including exit I implore you all in her sa- to be hunted. Every man in denearly all the business men, attor- cred remembrance to come once livering his game is pledged on his 101431 Subscription guaranteed over 1300 neys and all the recently elected more to the Palace Store and be- honor that the game he turns in county officials, have signed a pe- hold our magnificent stock in its was killed by himself and in comtition urging his retention by the almost miraculous beauty which is pliance with the rules. Everyone Federal government until his term rapidly passing away and will al- wanting to participate in the hunt expires. Mr. Hill has made a most totally disappear with the can do so by paying a dollar. The

pleased to have him call. These beautiful moonlight nights Owls ... have called out quite a number of Ducks # the young men and ladies in the Doves..... exercise of horse-back riding.

I have just received an elegant Snipe . . . The time to make application is line of notions, and furnishing Opossum goods, such as ties, scarfs, hand- Squirrels kerchiets, etc. W. H. DENNY.

C. Tittle, G. A. Smitherman, W. both spots and options has been Threadgill, J. F. West, T. C. Le-Wanted-300 doz. chickens and

a half car of eggs. Highest prices paid for all kinds of country produce. Our goods are cheap for cash. JONES & SATTERWHITE.

Judging from the number of movement large. Besides. it is strangers in town, the county must Spinks sells the Domestic, New

> lower than they are sold anywhere in the State. Call and see them pints of whiskey a few days since

with suicidal intent, apparently,

a mass meeting be called, an elec- from the cheapest to the best. appeal and hope our tion manager appointed and the Also Arbuckle's Roasted Coffee best

democrats walk up and say who Dr. J. L. Lipscomb, Jno. McCon- There are names on they want for postmaster and certi- nell, J. C. Wootters, R. Douglas, fy the result to Congressman Coop- W. J. Murchison, J. R. Barbee and er. This will do away with all the J. P. O'Keef are attending the to whom the paper it won't coet you a cent. You pay properties of Florida Figs and oth-

be adopted at Lovelady and Grape- Wednesday last of a form of Ty- a cent have we reland where it is proposed to have phoid fever. There are several other cases of sickness in that sec- ceived from them. tion some of which are quite se-

This is beyond question the most The firm of Arledge & Kennedy, successful Cough Medicine we have successors to Dan J. Kennedy have ever sold, a few doses invariably bought the Campbell stock of goods cure the worst cases of Cough, at less than 65 cents on the dollar wonderful success in the cure of with a fine line of groceries. They Consumption is without a parallel are selling the Campbell stock at

One of the best things the council has done is passing an ordinance having the galleries removed from the corner of drug store to post office. Now let them also

We hope the commissioners' court will take steps at once to put a fence around the court house. It this, have trees put out.

Haring.

The Saddle Shop. should come as soon as possible in order to have the largest stock to select from. They are going very fast now. We are prepared to exactly suit the ladies in side saddles. We have the largest and most elegant line ever before brought to Crockett for them to select from,

AND REMEMBER

The entizens of lovelarly, Holly The season of the year when application of any person seeking 1892 is now in her death bed and some from the prairie and shop lifters get in their work is at Wilson Adams & Co. the Crockett post office under the in a few more days she will have their amual game nand and more than usual precau. Are closing their stock of clothing incoming administration. We into eternity registering many hunt on Friday, December 16. The tion and pains should be taken to out at cost. Call and see them. must be frank, however, and say births and deaths, joys and sorrows, supper, which will be a grand af- guard against their depredations. INTERED AT THE POST-OFFICE IN CROCK- We are glad to note that most of ments, but ere she takes her final stringent rules and rated the game berg are requested to come in and stock cheap. Come and see us.

> Wild Turkey Rev. J. T. Smith of Palestine was in town last week. We were Larks

> > Rabbits All feathered game to be killed on the wing except turkey, duck,



Bill Johns (col.) who drank three to have money. We have appealed to those cheap. Examine our over shirts, died from the effect of it Saturday who owe us to come forward and settle. of shawls very cheep, also a splen-Go to I. W. Murchison for fine We make one more



Clear the Track.

I am bound for Arledge & Kenhave fences set back off streets all those goods at cost before they are

Oh, What a Cough.

is needed and the county is abun-signal perhaps of the sure approach it a trial. Get it from your drug- Loss of Appetite. Containing all sumption. Ask yourselves if you fuls) \$1.00. can afford for the sake of saving SHILOH'S CATARRH REME- 50c., to run the risk and do nothing DY. A marvelous cure for Catarrh, for it. We know from experience si an ingenious nasal injector for plains why more than a Million Sold by J. G. Harring.

> Dr. A. D. Burroughs, who formerly lived at Lovelady and general- stroyers taste good and quickly and 3,800 clergymen; in Ireland, 13 remains were brought to Lovelady Sunday for interrment.
>
> No other worm medicine is bishops and 200 other clergymen; in Australia. 1 bishops and 200 other clergymen; in Scotland, 17 bishops and 17 bishops and 18 clergymen and in Scotland, 17 bishops and 18 clergymen and in Scotland, 18 clergymen and in Sco Sunday for interrment.

Died.

Flour! Flour.

I have just bought four car loads I can sell flour cheaper than anybody. A good article for \$1.00 per I am "in it." Clothing just our dry goods, clothing, notion and sack and a splendid article for \$4.50

Real Estate For Sale.

Parties wishing to buy resident alls under all competition. SHIRTS! property in Crockett will find it to

Hacks and Buggles.

If you want a new buggy or back. For Trade.

One second-hand buggy and one

All peasons indebted to M. Brom- stock and are closing out our old settle at once, and avoid suit. A. A. ALDRICH,

Assignee Burglary.

Some unknown person broke into T. J. Crofford's house near Creek supper will be an elegant affair and took out his trunk, broke it open there can be no good ground for Special:-Come to see us on everyone invited. The following with an ax and carried off the con-

For Sale.

The farm on Hickory Creek formerly belonging to Dr. J. H. Smart Hawk 100 deceased, will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. For particulars cal 150 at this office.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Parties wishing to settle their taxes while I am out meeting my appointments can do so by calling on J. W. Madden at my office. J. R. SHERIDAN,

Tax Collector. Sold on its Merits.

cure for any and every form of Dumb Ague, Biliousness and all headache. It will cure your head- Diseases arising from a deranged ache in 15 minutes. It is guaran- Liver or Malaria. This remedy, teed to do that or money refunded when properly taken, neuer fails to Did you ever receive a fairer offer? make a permanent cure. It is If it does not do what we claim we pleasant to the taste-Children are don't want your money. No cure fond of it. Large Bottles 50 Cents.

Go to I. W. Murchison for your dry goods. We have a yery large stock and they must be sold as we This office is bound do not want to carry winter goods over until spring. We have a large stock of men's underwear very we have a good line and are selling at very reasonable terms. In them cheap. We have a large line short while will have a planer rundid lot of trunks and valises.

Keep Your Headache.

friends will respond, If you prefer, but a dose of Preston's Hed-Ake will cure it in 15 minutes. That's what it will our subscription book do-and if it should fail to do it ing the Laxative and Nutritious hauling and pulling and petition- grand lodge at Houston this week. has been going for guaranteed cure for all hendaches, a delightful and effective laxative

MR. EDITOR:-Please give notice that there will be preaching at Beulah church next Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock and at night. In Bottle. For sale by J. G. Harthe afternoon at 3 o'clock the Lord's ing. Supper will be administered. Preaching may be expected also at night for several nights after the Sabbath, Providence permitting. I am expecting the assistance of one or two ministers.

Respectfully yours, 8. F. TENNEY.

TAKE BULL'S SARSAPA-RILLA.

Is your blood in bad condition? nedy's grocery store to get some of Do you feel weak? Do you have Harring. pain? Do sores trouble you? Are you in poor health and growing worse? Use Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparilla. It will make you well Will you heed the warning. The and strong. Do not delay. Give Biliousness, General Debility, and

The Queen of Cures and speedy remedy for all forms of but will be found-very effectual as HOUSTON CO. female derangements. It will cure a Tonic and Appetizer and all forms be without it. For lame back, side day it is the most popular remedy ple bottle. For sale by J. G. Haror chest use Shiloh's Porus Plaster. in the South. It is a splendid

decomposing organic refuse.

the stomach and to occasion acidity and dyspepsis

INSIST ON HAVING

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder,

TAKE NO OTHER.

It Contains Neither Alum, Ammonia, or Any

body is that of an irritan; and it tends to hold the blood in a state of fluidits

It also interferes with the process of exidation of organic matter so that it becomes an antisentic, and it rapidly decomposes that allotropic condition of

oxygen which is called ozone. Thus ammonia present in the atmosphere,

daily respired by living beings, is injurious and we see its effects in the pallor

and 'cobleness of many who dwell in houses in the air of which ammonia is

always present-houses over stables, for example, or in close proximity to

Licbig the celebrated chemist, says of alum, that it is very apt to disorder

Other Adulterant.

Richardson's Diseases of Modern Life"-The action of ammonia on the

If you want a nice straw hat call on WILSON ADAMS & CO. We

Wanted.

want to make room for our fall

Two or three energetic, first-class business men wanted immediately. Only strictly sober, industrious men need apply, well recommended. Teachers of middle age preferred. For further information call at this office.

Epilepsy cured by Dr. Miles' Nervine Assignee's Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed assignee of M. Bromberg. all persons having claims against said M. Bromberg and desiring to accept said assignment are hereby notified to present thier claims within the time prescribed ov law. A. A. ALDRICH, Assignee,

Tasteless Liquid Ague Buster-

Crockett, Texas.

Pleasant to take-A safe and reliable remedy. A positive and per-Preston's Hed-Ake is an unfaling | manent cure for Chills and Fever, Try sample bottle. For sale by J G. Haring.

Lumber! Lumber. Will deliver in Crockett or else where on short notice lumber o any dimension and best quality ning and will furnish cressed lumber. Eight miles west of town

on Hall Bluff Road R. T. MURCHISON. Florida Fruit Syrup.

An elegant preparation, containpending on a weak and inactive Stemach and Bowels. 50 Cents a

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people we around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Confer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75c. we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by J. G

"Fig Syrnp" Chill Tonic.

Positively guaranteed to be the est remedy on the market for speedy cure of Chills and Fever, the laxative and nutrious properties of the ripe figs themselves. combined with Quipine and Iron. in a tasteless form, making it not

has 43 bishops and 24,090 other clergyat drug stores, or sent by mail by and 280 other clergymen; in scattered | | | John D. Park & Sons Co., 175 and dioceses, 9 bishops and 120 elergymen 177 Sycamour St., Cincinnatti, O. 739-other clargymen.

HOUSTON -:- COUNTY

The Commissary.

FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!

I greatfully return thanks to my kind friends who so

bravely and nobly aided in saying the goods out of the fire.

If a like misfortune should ever overtake you I will be

glad to render you a like service for the help you gave me.

May the Good Lord spare our town from another such dis-

I have moved the saved part of the Cash Store Stock to

the Commissary, and there all my clerks will be glad to

Wanted for Cash.

Ribbon cane syrup good quality, offer cash pergallon 40 cts.

Saddles and Harness.

Saddles for men and ladies and boys, harness and bridles

all reduced so that the retail price is about what they bring

Coffins.

Bargains.

Full rigged men's saddles with Lama pockets only

good tie straps and girt worth \$8.00 for

Ladies Leather Bound Carpet Seat Side Saddle with

Respectfully,

T. R. GARROTT

1.75.

1000 dozen eggs, trade per dozen 20 cts.

500 young chickens.

5000 vds. of dress goods at cost.

1000 yards of Jeans worth 35 cts. for

1000 pairs of shoes at cost

500 suits of clothes at cost.

500 Hats prices cut down

Boys suits

Childrens shoes

Wool Jerseys

serve the customers of the Cash Store-Prices cut down.

GROVETON, TEXAS, Nov. 17, 1892,

timber found in the woods of East Texas.

For variety and fertility of soils. A vast forest of native woods, adapted to the manufacture of all grades and styles of furniture, "chicles and agricultural implements. Walnut, White Oak, Linn, asp, lickory of every variety, Post Oak, Cypress, Long and Short Leaf Pine Curley Pine, Holly, Beach, Cherry, Magnolia and all other species of

the more successful treatment of Bottles were sold the past year, the worst form of prolapsus uteri of Disease caused by a Torpid Liv- At the Fort Worth Spring Palace in 1890 for its magnificent display of these complaints without extra It relieves Croup and Whooping after physicians have proved of no er. As large as any dollar bottle timbers. The North-eastern, Northern and North-western sections of charge. Price 50c. Sold by J. G Cough at once. Mothers, do not avail. It has stood the test, and to and only costs 50 cents. Try sam-

The Episcopal church in England The Railroads of the County

The International & Great Northern runs through i ly and highly esteemed there as a citizen and a physican, died at Houston on Saturday last. His remove worms from children or blahops and 1,807 other clergymen, and in Canada, 24 bishops and 1,300 other clergymen; in Asla, 13 bishops and 1,300 other clergymen; in Asla, 13 bishops and 713 other clergymen; in Africa, 13 Short Line on the North, thus affording to every section of the County

reaching the splendid sum total of \$70,000, from which is annually derived for available use in maintaining the schools of the County about six thousand dollars. This added to the amount raised by lo cal taxation and that bestowed by the State furnishes the princely sum of thirty thousand dollars spent annually on the free schools of the County. The population of the County is 20,000 and largely white

of every variety are produced here and the County yields to none the State in adaptability of soils to the growth for market of peache pears, figs, plums, apricots, grapes and berries.

are unsurpassed by any in the State, in respect of efficiency and petency of teachers standard of scholarship and duration of free ter Its own unsurpassed permanent School Fund supplemented sources enables the schools of the county to run from six to nine more The debt and tax-rate of the County are almost nominal

ONE ENJOYS Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Surup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CC. ADDRESSA EST. PRANCISCO, CAL.

Court, Walker county, Georgia thinks enough of German Syrup to send us voluntarily a strong letter endorsing it. When men of rank your German Syrup," he says, "for my Coughs and Colds on the Throat and Lungs. I can recommend it for them as a first-class medicine."-Take no substitute.



LANE'S MEDIGINE

All druggists sell it at 50c. and \$1 a package. If

you cannot get it, send your address for a free sample. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels cach day. Address P. ORATOR H. WOODWARD, LEROY, N. Y.

DO YOU EXPECT TO BECOME A MOTHER?

"MOTHERS" FRIEND" **MAKES CHILD BIRTH EASY.**

"My wife suffered more in ten minutes with her other children than she did all logether with her last, after having used four bottles of MOTHER'S FRIEND." says a customer. HENDERSON DALE, Druggist, Carmi, Ill.

Sent by express on receipt of price, \$1,50 per bot-ia. Book "To Mothers" mailed free. BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., BR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.



It Oures Celds. Coughs. Sore Threat, Orcup. Influence, Wasoping Gough. Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stages, and a sure relief in ad-vanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent affect after taking the first does. Sold by dealers over-where. Large bottles 50 cents and 31.00. P

PISO'S CURE FOR

Consumptives and people who have weak lungs or Asth-

ma, should use Piso's Cure for Consumption. It has cured





FILL give great satisfaction,--25 cents.

TRIED SUICIDE FOR LOVE

existence because ladies whom they actually believed that the Barnacle or desire to wed had the wretchedly bad Brant goose was hatched from the taste to marry somebody else, and parasitic shell known to conchologists

suicide be ause another female is English literature, in writing of the engaged to be married, and to a Barnacle goose says: "I have seen otal stranger, is something of a new these barnacles hanging upon roots, departure. The strange case of timbers etc., with the feathers hang-Leocadie Rhone, a young Belgian ing out of the shell two inches." woman, and Miss Parkinson, which Drayton's 'Herbal," published 17 who vowed solemnly to each other falling into the water, do become tion of the circulation of the blood. that if either were to become en- fowles whom we call barnacles and in Father Kneipp has been parish priest

that the Belgian damsel-who at the '* They are like marsh-geese, but rounded often by seven or eight docage of 20 ought to have got rid of somewhat smaller, and are produced tors, he gives audiences every morning much of the sentimentality of youth -- from fir-timber tossed along the sea- from 8:30 to 12, and in the afternoon really took the vow seriously, and on shore. At first they are like gum: from 1:30 to 4, and afterward deliverhearing of Miss Parkinson's engage- afterwards they hang down by their ing his Sprachstunden to an immense ment journeyed in hot haste from beaks as a seaweed attached to the crowd awaiting him at the door of the Brussels with a loaded revolver, in timber. * * * Having thus in the Kurhaus, and who sometimes have to order to carry out the fell design on course of time, been clothed with a wait three hours before they can obher own life. Why she troubled to goodly coat of feathers, they either tain the desired interview. come over to England at all is not fall into the water or fly freely away | The number of names inscribed on apparent. A few words of kindly au- into the air. * * * I have frequently | the visitors' book from March 16. 1891, vice from the magistrate induced the seen with my own eyes more than a to December 25, 1891, was 11.450, and it too excitable Belgian to return to her thousand of these small bodies of birds is stated that during the previous native shores, and also to promise not hanging down on the seashore from a vear, 1890, Worishofen was visited by to do herself any harm. Evidently piece of timber, each inclosed in 30,000 persons as patients. her whole grievance was that in ac shells already formed. They do not The village is full of the lame, the cordance with her vow, she had neg- breed and lay eggs like other birds maimed, the blind the disfigured (eshe had now better imitate her Eng- nor do they build nests in any corner many of whom have exhausted the relonger. She will find that there is a bishops and priests eat them because have come here as a forlorn hope, many gre t deal of romance to be got out of they are not flesh nor born of flesh." even so commonplace an expedient as Taken all in all the above relates some of the most remarkable ornitho-

BABY'S RECORD FOR AN HOUR.

A Good-Natured Uncle Keeps Tab 'n

Young Hopeful's Performances. The good-natured bachelor of the and education thus use and recom- family, and uncle of the child, was . The rules for determining the disunder the sofa and would not come and nine-tenths miles. something yet

ALL FORMALITIES OBSERVED, and three-fifth miles away.

A Beautiful Scheme Well Carried Out

That Failed. Detective Witte tells a funny story of a case that happened while he was tell you that, hundreds, thousands or street, New York, near the park. On in Chicago, says the Cincinnati com- even millions of deadly microbes enmercial. A country marshal came ter the human body every day by the into town to agrest a man wanted way of the respiratory organs and the years, so many months ago, place not within his jurisdiction for embezzle. esophagus. "But why." you ask, quarters stated his case, but spurned tively innoxious?" Because they are him of his means of livelihood. Would ment. He called at the police headail proffers of assistan e from the de caught, killed and devoured by mi- a generous public be so good as to retectives, saying that he didn't want | nute guardians placed at every vul- | pay him for his songs by leaving penany detectives to 'riog in' on his nerable point throughout the system! nies in his tin box as they passed? cases, and he guessed they couldn't In one sense of the word these watch. There was a piteous appeal in his give him any 'p'inters' anyhow. A ful guardians are simply blood cells. riend of his was to point out through but they are called phagocytes and to have drawn money from the vaults the glass door of the attorney's office seem to be endowed with an extra. of a deposit company. But there was the man wanted, and Mr. Marshal ordinary amount of reason. They no money in his receptacle. His lips was to go in and arrest him. The scheme worked beautifully.

wasn't expecting him. He then de-'You are my prisoner, sir; come

.Well, I guess not," said the man, ing to a broad grin of mirth.

wanted up in Mossville for embezzlement?" asked the marshal, reddening. . No. sir; I'm his attorney," replied ne supposed prisoner. Mr. Smith

A Big Potato Crop. Some wonderful results with regard | Why, man alive, that was what you to potato culture have been obtained had yesterday, and I distinctly told by a gentleman farmer in France. You then you needed a chonge of diet.

This farmer who is also a distin. Rastus—I war mighty 'ticklar 'bout guished chemist, has been, according dat, doctah; dis wuz altogeeder anto a recent consular report from udder chicken dat I done eat ter-Nantes, for some time past conduct- day."-Boston Courier. ing experiments with potatoes with the remarkable result that he has succeeded in securing the enormous return of forty-two tons per acre-The plan he adopts is to carefully select the seed and to use only the best and soundest tubers. The ground is dug or plowed to a great depth and is well manured. Before planting the seed potatoes they are soaked for about twenty-four hours in a mixture "In the other one I went to sleep in the first act, but I didn't do e oil until the second act of this last one."

—Texas Siftings. composed of saltpetre and sulphate of ammonia, six pounds of each salt to twenty-five gallons of water. After this soaking the tubers are allowed to drain and they then stand for twentyfour hours longer in order that the germs may have time to swell -

Chambers' Journal

always objected to their removal. Nellie Fosdick-Yea but the city authorities have hung an electric light right in front of the house. -

Had To. Blikins-Hello Ryghter, what did Ryghter-I sold it for a song -

A QUEER IDEA.

Down until the middle of the Gentlemen have before now at- past century many supposed-toempted to put an end to a mise able be educated people in the world

adies have been known to return the as the barnacle, or a scientifically, compliment in the case of gentle- the bernacula. Holinshed, the English historian who flourished just be-But for one lady to contemplate fore Shakespeare's appearance in ame before Sir John Bridge at years after the death of Holinshed,

DISTANCE AT SEA.

logical opinions ever entertained.

How You May Find How Far Away I

an hour, and gave the result to Jenness eighteen feet above the level of the seal athy. Mitler's Monthly as follows: 1, yelled In that case we double eigteen, which The Emperor Ferdinand would bleed paper as high as he could reach with of 18 feet. From a height of thirty he poker; , broke a glass vase by feet (which is about that of the eye of sitting down on it; 5 swallowed six an observer on a vessel the size of the outtons and a good part of a skein of ('ity of Rome), we double the distance is mother's workbasket into the fire-gives us 60, the square root of which place: 7, tried putting the cat's head is seven and seven-tenths. Hence and off a fine wax doli belonging to his steamer of the size mentioned. I a sofa and brought down two cost is known, the distance of that ship y vases, which were ruined; 10. beyond the horizon is obtained in the with the newest improvements.

They Catch and Devour Microbea. Any physician with the least smattering of microscopic knowledge will 'are these deadly midges compara-The marshal greeted his man with side the veins but often make their the passing crowd. A kindly man, the self-satisfied feeling with which way outside the tissues and pursue, who had plenty of time to make his a cat plays with its captive mouse | devour and digest any bacilli, whether | train, dropped a quarter into the box before making a meal of it, and al- poisonous or otherwise, with which commiseratingly, and added this word owed that his prospective prisoner they come in contact. So long as of advice; iberately took out the warrant and body is safe from attack; but, should do more business." read it with many a flourish. Then they relax their vigilance, millions of "Come off. Don't you suppose the look of surprise on his face turn. ery of the uses of the phagocytes | piteous look on his face. which only dates back to January, .Why. a-a-ain't you Smith. who is 1891, is one of the most marvelous

revelations of modern science. What did you have for dinner to day. 'Rastus-Chickens sah! Doctor-

Theatrical Note. Brown-How did you like Jones new comedy?

Robinson-Well, it's an improve ment on his other comedies. "Lo you think so?" .In the other one I went to slee

An Ameudment. Judge Duffy-Miss, will you please give your age?

"Your correct age, please." montha"-Te as Siftings.

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gaged the other would at once kill the north of England, Brant-geese; in of Worlshofen for thirty-seven years, herself. The arrangement appears a Lancashire, tree-geese, or shell-geese." but has practiced his system of hyrifle one-sided, and noreover, is Cambrensus, who wrote a great dropathy ever since 1847, although it faulty because the punishment falls work on the 'Topography of Ire- is only during the last ten years that land," tells us what he knows about he has attained among his country- for a bad cough." The remarkable point about it is this wonderful goose as follows: " men such wonderful celebrity. Sur-

ected several good offers of marriage. do, nor do they ever hatch any eggs, pecially from lupus), the sick, ish friend, and neglect them ne of the earth. For this reason fasting sources of ordinary medicine, and who

QUEER ANTIPATHIES.

Words and Sights Which Make Many a High-Spirited Soul Shudder. A great deal has recently been said upon the discomposure of the English commander-in-chief in Malta at the presence of a cat. This is no novelty, mend an article, what they say it left in charge of the baby while every tance of objects seen at sea are very for some of the bravest and most disworth the attention of the public. one else was away. Out of curiosity simple and should be known by all tinguished men the world has ever e made a list of what the baby did in Suppose that the eye of the observer is seen have entertained a similar antip

> fifteen minutes without taking breath: gives us thirty-six, the square root of at the nose if he heard a cat mew. pulled enough hair from his uncle's which is six. Therefore, the horizon Henry III. of France, and the Duke of head and whiskers to stuff a sofa pil- lies at a distance of six miles when Schomberg had similar weaknesses. low: S, further decorated the wall the observer sees it from an elevation This dislike to the gentlest and most domestic of animals is unaccountable. But there have been much stranger aversions. Erasmus, though he lived hread: 6, emptied the contents of of the eye above sea-level, which if he smelta fish. Joseph Scaliger had a perfect horror of milk. Cardan grew into a cup. and was badfy scratched object may be seen at a distance of sick at the sight of eggs. however in the attempt; & knocked the head seven and seven-tenths miles from a fresh. Uladislaus, king of Poland, sick at the sight of eggs, however was similarly affected if he saw an ister by trying to drive a tack into a If the depth of the part of a apple. Boyle could not listen to the oy wagon with it: 9, fell off the edge distant ship's hull below the horizon sound of water running through a pipe; his house was probably unprovided

roke two panes of glass with a stick same way. Then, suppose the depth La Mothe de Vayer could not endure is uncle let him have; il, fell into a of the part concealed to be twelve music, though "he took the liveliest coal-scuttle and spoiled his white feet, then we take the square root of pleasure in thunder." John Rol, of ress: set fire to the carpet while twice twelve, or twenty-four, giving Alcantara, would swoon if he heard incle was out of the room hunting up forty-eight; showing that the ship's the word lana (wool) pronounced, omething to amuse him; 13, crawled distance beyond the horizon is four though he had no objection to the material itself.

out unless uncle gave him the pum Hence if a ship is seen twelve feet The author of "The Turkish Spy pot: 14, pot twisted among the leg- of the hull down (that is with tweive tells us he would rather meet a lion of a chair which had to be broken to feet of the hull invisible), the obser- face to face than feel a spider crawling get him out: 15 poured a jug of milk vations being taken from the deck of over him in the dark. This he humorinto his mother's slippers; 16, finally, a steamer of the size of the City of ously attributes to transmigration: when he saw his mother coming, he Rome, we correctly infer that its dis- "Before I came into my present body," can to the door and tumbled off the tance is four and nine-tenths miles he says, "perhaps I was a fly." This teps making his nose bleed and beyond the distance of the horizon is quite as reasonable an explanation tearing a hole a foot square in his (which, by the figures alone, is proved of his antipathy as can be given for dress. And still the youngster's un- to be a distance of seven and seven- any of them. Even Shakespeare, cle thinks that the boy will make tenths miles. We add the two sets of though he gives several examples of figures together and find that the in- this riddle, offers no solution of it.

coming or out going vessel is twelve BECRETS IN EVERY TRADE, the Professional Beggar Wasn't Seeking Points About H is Game. He was standing on Forty-second

his breast a placard hung announcing the details of a sad accident so many named, whereby the bearer had been

own countenance, sufficiently piteous have independent power of were moving as if he were singing, but motion and not only wander in no sound was sudible in the rustle of

these phagocytes remain on guard the | "Speak louder, my boy. You will

invading parasites would pass into the know my own profession? That's a blood and destroy life, either by nul part of the gag, and it works, too," merous mechanical lesions or the poi- the singer said, thrusting the quarter sons which they secrete. The discov- into his pocket and still keeping the

IT WAS TOUGH. It Was the Plain Boarder That Broke Into Modest Protest.

The plain boarder looked up from Doctor-Well. Rastus, how are his plate furtively. He trembled s the gentleman who got up and went you feeling to-day? Pastus-1 reck. slightly, for he was about to cross the out while you were reading the war. ons, dectah, I done feels jus' erbout Rubicon, and even Casar had a shiver no bettah, sah! Doctor - Indeed! when he made that break, su cessful as it afterwards proved to be. "What is it?" she inquired. He besitated a moment.

"The beefsteak," he replied. "What's the matter with the beefsteak? I'm sure I buy the best in the "It's tough, madam."

"You only think so," she said, warmly.

"Possibly I do, madam," and his nerves came to a tension, "but I know there is only one thing in the wide, wide world tougher than it is, and that is the conscience of the landlady who could place it before a boarder without at the same time providing him with an ax, or at least, a saw." Today that man is living at a cheap

restaurant. A Dangerous Deadlock Occurs when the sieve-like action of the kidneys is interrupted, and they partially cease to Witness-I am twenty-seven years secrets from the blood those impurities for the escape of which they are such import at chan. nels. Bright's Disease, diabetes, suppression "And one hundred and twenty of the urine, and weakness and inaction of the bladder-these are complaints to the relief of which Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is admira-Nellie Fosdick—Papa, you might as well take down the front gate and fence.

Fosdick Pere—Why, daughter, you aiways objected to their removal.

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Anybody is brave when he knows the

Some men act so much like calves that they ought to have a bell on. There is probably no more confusing

part of the English language than Nothing More Dangerous that which regulates the use of "shall" Than a neglected cough," is what Dr. J and "will." The teaching of the gram-Hammond, professor in the Eclectic Medical College, says, "and as a prevent marians is that "shall" in the first ativo remedy and a curative agent, I cheerfully recommend Taylor's Cherokee and "will" in the second and third persons are to be regarded as simple Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein." declarations, and that both in all other

n the first person simply, shall foretells: Will simply then foretells the future feat. The trouble with most people's ambition is that it is too big to be of any use,

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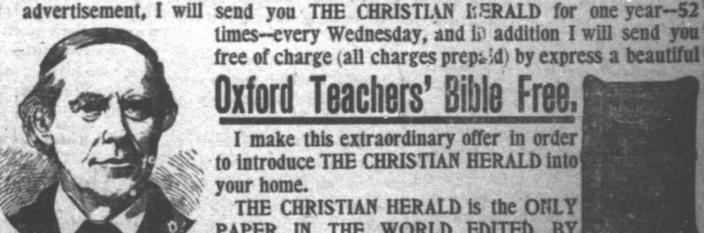
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