

ANOTHER SOUTHERN QUEEN.

Capitulates to a Northern Man— Miss Gordon's Engagement.

New York, July 29.—Miss Caroline Lewis Gordon, daughter of Genl. John B. Gordon, and who since the death of Winnie Davis has been called by the old Confederates "the daughter of the Confederacy," has been won by a New York business man, and will be married to him early in September. Orrin Bishop Brown is the lucky man.

News of the engagement reached New York to-day. Mr. Brown is now in Atlanta visiting the family of General Gordon. He went South a week ago, and his arrival in Georgia was closely followed by the announcement of the engagement.

The man who has won the daughter of the dashing Confederate major general is a son of Maine—a down-East Yankee. He met Miss Gordon in this city two years ago. Miss Gordon is the only unmarried daughter of General Gordon, and presides over the general's magnificent home, Sutherland, near Atlanta. She was a great favorite in Washington society during the term her father spent in the United States senate. A year ago Miss Gordon made her debut as an interpreter of negro folklore, and appeared at several fashionable houses in this city.

Mr. Brown is wealthy, and his family is one of the most distinguished in Maine. He has a fine summer home on the Maine coast.

World's Stock Yard Records Smashed.

(CHICAGO, ILL., July 27.—Four million dollars' worth of cattle have been taken care of this week at the Union stock yards, and the animals are still coming smashing world's records. In single file, these cattle would make a procession from Chicago to Bloomington. Standing upon each others' backs they would make a tower of beef at least seventy miles high. Molded into one beast the result would be an animal weighing 84,000,000 pounds. This monster would be miles in height, and it might easily switch a few tons of masonry off the top of the Masonic temple with its tail. That is the kind of a proposition the stock yards commission men and packers have been dealing with this week. About thirty-five miles of cars have been dragged along-side the pens since Monday morning.

A Cotton Trust.

Boston, Mass., July 30.—Geo. F. Washburne of this city, president of the Commonwealth Club of Massachusetts, sailed for Europe to-day. His mission is to inquire into the co-operative methods of various bodies in England, Belgium and Switzerland with a view to the formation of a \$50,000,000 cotton combination in this country. According to an interview, Mr. Washburne has worked out a plan to unite the cotton producers of the South into one great co-operative trust, with headquarters at St. Louis and central warehouses in Memphis. He said he had been selected for this mission because of the special study he

has made of co-operation from a business man's standpoint, and that in his judgment the only way to meet the capitalistic cotton and wheat trusts was to organize better and bigger ones in the interest of the producer.

Mr. Washburne said that the application of the idea to cotton industry was made because the planters being men of means, can unite in a co-operative business movement and effect a tremendous saving to themselves. Mr. Washburne, who in two National campaigns was National executive committeeman for the People's party, was asked if his plan had any political significance, and he said only in so far as it was successful and in that case it would have a far reaching effect along political lines in the West and South.

Would Pass Crockett.

Corsicana, Tex., July 24.—C. C. Waller, the promoter who visited Corsicana some months ago in the interest of a railroad to the Southeast, was in the city last night and to-day is working on the same plan. Mr. Waller's plan is to build a railroad to Sabine Pass, taking about the same route as the old proposed Corsicana and Southeastern Road. A meeting of business men was held this morning and Mr. Waller was assured that Corsicana would do her share when the time came. He will go from here to New York and says he will be ready to make the town's proposition within the next four months.

Postmaster Assaulted.

CORSICANA, TEX., July 30.—Deputy United States Marshal R. M. Warden came down from Dallas Sunday night, and in company with Deputy Sheriff Jim Finch, went out to arrest two farmers on a charge of having assaulted Postmaster F. H. Pace of Hester. The alleged assault was committed one day last week. The two men, growing angry when informed there was no mail for them, started in to make a personal investigation. Postmaster Pace resented the intrusion, and a fight ensued, in which the two intruders got decidedly the worst of it. They were tried on a charge of assault and fined in the County Court here, and will now answer to Uncle Sam on a charge of much greater gravity. Deputy Marshal Warden left for Dallas with his prisoners yesterday, and Postmaster Pace went to that city this morning to testify in their examination in the Federal court.

Schley's Contention.

Washington—Schley is to contend that if he was guilty of neglect in failing to destroy the Spanish cruiser Colon while in the mouth of Santiago Harbor, Sampson also was guilty.

After Liberty Bell.

Philadelphia—Mayor Riggins of Waco is trying to get the Liberty Bell to make a tour of the Gulf States.

Danced to Death.

McKeesport, Pa.—A Hungarian bride, following the national custom, dances with 205 wedding guests and dies from exhaustion.

IMPORTING CHINESE.

Coolies Brought to Mexico, Taught Pigeon English and Smuggled Into the United States.

MEXICO CITY, July 29.—There appears to be reason to believe that the Chinese Immigration agents here contract in Chinese ports for coolies, to be delivered in Mexico for alleged work in the mines, on railways or plantations at ridiculously low figures and for a stated term of years. Some of these men are for the time being hired out but many of them remain in Mexico where employment is provided them and where they are taught to speak broken English with the sole idea of getting them into the United States, where their knowledge of the language largely removes suspicion from their movements. Leading Chinese in this city deny these statements, but they do not deny that every Chinaman in the city is learning pigeon English as fast as his brain will absorb the language. These men after having mastered English are contracted to work near the border. From this point of vantage they are smuggled across the line by Mexican guides for ten dollars a head. It is very seldom that any attempt is made to cross the line at any point on the railway, or in fact, near any town. But it is quite an easy matter for a guide to take, say five celestials in a bunch on a dark night, and cross the Rio Grande at almost any point without attracting the attention of outsiders.

There is much comment in the press regarding the prevalence of suicide.

The city of Pueblo has appropriated \$100,000 for a model school in that city.

Agents of French capitalists are looking for copper mines in the central and southern parts of the Republic.

Health and Pleasure Resorts of Colorado.

Scores of mineral springs of the highest medicinal value, with good and ample accommodations, exist in all parts of the mountainous regions.

Nowhere is there a place of resort or a point of vantage to the tourist that is not conveniently reached by a line of railway from Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo, and a trip to any of them is filled with the most fascinating surprises of mountain grandeur and beauty.

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Manitou, the "Saratoga of the West," is a fashionable resort famous for the variety of its springs, the deliciousness of their waters and its superb hotel appointments.

Glenwood Springs, with its thermal springs, highly efficacious in the treatment of rheumatism and chronic diseases, is one of the most charming spots in all the mountains at any season of the year.

Wagon Wheel Gap, on the Rio Grande river, is a favorite resort

of the fishermen. Its streams teem with trout and its surrounding hills abound in game; its healing waters are so well known as not to require any elaborate mention.

Poncha Springs, on the slope of the Continental Divide, was from time unknown the healing fountain of the Indian. Here there are ninety-nine hot springs flowing from a field of tufa, chemically the same as that at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Cottonwood, Hot Springs, near Buena Vista, under the shadow of the Collegiate mountain range, possesses great curative properties for skin and blood diseases.

Pagosa Hot Springs were also discovered by the Indian to be "Big Medicine," because of their wonderful cures of calculus, skin diseases and rheumatism.

Trimble Hot Springs is one of the great attractions of the famous "Silver San Juan," and a most delightful health resort.

Ojo Caliente is situated eleven miles from Barranca on the Espanola branch of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, with stage line connection. The waters cure paralysis, rheumatism and kindred diseases.

Ouray Hot Springs are highly efficacious in the cure of rheumatism, cutaneous and blood complaints.

Cebolla Springs, in Gunnison county, are especially efficacious in rheumatism, while the soda and springs are beneficial in stomach and kidney troubles.

At Canon City there are several cold mineral springs, one of them resembling the celebrated waters of Vichy, and it is bottled and shipped extensively.

The Waunita Hot Springs, in Gunnison county, is a resort of considerable local repute, for the curative properties of the waters.

Steamboat Springs represent the highest type of Vichy water. These waters cure many human ills, and the hot sulphur pool, a natural bath, is extremely efficacious in the treatment of rheumatism.

All these places are amply provided with bath houses and other requisite accommodations for visitors.

Negroes for Hawaii.

Washington—Hawaiian planters want permission to import Filipino labor, but Commissioner Powderly is inclined to sending Southern negroes.

They Struck it Rich

It was a grand thing for this community that such an enterprising firm as J. G. Haring secured the agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the wonderful remedy that has startled the world by its marvelous cures. The furor of enthusiasm over it has boomed their business as the demand for it is immense. They give free trial bottles to sufferers, and positively guarantee it to cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles. A trial proves its merit. Price 50cts. and \$1.00.

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NACOGDOCHES SITUATION.

No Outbreak of Violence Yet, But Trouble is Feared.

Nacogdoches, Tex., July 29.—A special to The News from here yesterday reported that serious and threatening friction existed between local peace officers and that the Governor had sent General A. P. Wozencraft and two of his staff at the request of the county judge to investigate. Things in general are quiet but it is a common remark that bloodshed of alarming character is generally feared. General Wozencraft and his two aides left to-day at 3:50 p. m. He made close inquiry before leaving. Prominent citizens were summoned and testified before him. Captain McDonald of the state rangers and two of his rangers arrived to-day. The people in general respect his authority and have confidence in his capacity and efficiency.

They believe and hope that he will quiet the trouble, using a firm and impartial hand.

But there are some who think it can not be quelled. The causes are peculiar and of a personal character, but they include points of a political nature and official clash, and they are not free from a feudal feature. Bad blood dates away back before the last election and has been agitated by a series of occurrences. Accusations of dereliction in official duties are made and retorted to by the participants. The leaders are peace officers who have backers, some of them peaceable and law abiding citizens.

Another Negro Killing.

On last Thursday the negroes living on Hickory creek in the eastern part of the county had a big barbecue and general holiday rally. It was to celebrate the laying by of crops and make joyous the time intervening between laying by and harvesting. A great many negroes were in attendance and some of them did not get along well together—two of them in particular, Chas. Walker and Wiley Cavay. These two darkeys "fussed" and it was evident that there would be one coon less before night if their fussing continued. One of them, Wiley Cavay, left the barbecue grounds in the evening with blood in his eye and started home ostensibly. But the other negro, Chas. Walker, had a lurking suspicion that Wiley would wait for him on the road and give him some trouble. Prompted by this suspicion, he procured a shot gun and started home, following in the same road that Wiley had taken. He had reasoned wisely, for out on the road a piece he came upon Wiley, when, as he says, Wiley pulled a revolver and attempted to use it, when he, Walker, fired on him with the shot gun and killed him. Walker came immediately to Crockett and surrendered to Sheriff Hale, which was the first intimation the sheriff had of the killing. Walker was placed in jail.

A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. It's guaranteed. For sale by J. G. Haring.

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Cotton is fine in Kendall county. Savoy reports vegetables scarce. Cotton picking is on in Bee county. Cotton is in fine condition around DeLeon.

Early corn is nearly all ruined in Oklahoma.

Corn has been sold at Bonham at \$1 per bushel.

Live Oak county planters are busy picking cotton.

Corn will not yield half a crop in Panola county.

Feedstuffs are quite a factor with the average feeder.

Brazoria county expects to gather a splendid cotton crop.

It is almost impossible to buy feed of any kind at Hico.

A number of bales of cotton have been ginned by Beeville gins.

In some parts of Erath county corn will make twenty bushels per acre.

About 100 crates of Japanese plums are daily shipped by express from Tyler.

Some truck growers are putting in irrigation plants in the Beeville section.

Truck growers in the Beeville are preparing for next year's cabbage crop.

Feed crops around Gordon, Palo Pinto county, are the shortest ever known.

Three cars of Elberta peaches sold at Lindale at 65 cents for one-third bushel crates.

The prairie hay is about all cut and baled around Decatur. It is said to be a fine quality.

For the first time in two months Orange county irrigation ditches were flushed on the 23d.

Several farmers in Denton county, near Sanger report the loss of a number of hogs by the excessive heat.

The gross sales of five acres of tomatoes grown this season by Frank Ray of Smith county amounted to \$1250.

Peach shipping is in full blast at Neches. About 400 crates per day are going by express and yielding good results to shippers.

Jacksonville is kept busy shipping peaches. The Aber box factory there has made nearly all the baskets in which to ship the delicious fruit.

Quail are devouring boll weevils in Lavaca county. One killed on the farm of Jack Culpepper had forty-six weevils in its craw. This is Lavaca's second brood of the weevils.

The corn crop is reported as being exceedingly fine in most of Brazoria county, and that county will raise more of it than for several years.

John Dyer and John Williams of Vernon have bought of Mrs. C. H. Hitson of Hall county 500 head of stock cattle, paying \$60 for cows and calves, \$20 for dry cows and \$25 for bulls.

Cook & Simmons of Hillsboro went to Fort Worth with 900 horses and mules for the agent of the British government. They shipped 700 head the previous week.

A. J. Nesbit of Hall county bought fifteen carloads of cattle, 1 and 2-year-olds. He paid from \$16 to \$18 for the yearlings and \$22.50 for the 2-year-olds. They have been shipped to Rapid City, S. D.

Thomas Coleman has sold the Vining ranch, located about eighteen miles north of Kerrville, to J. W. Jackson of Austin. The ranch contains some 14,000 acres, 10,000 of which are deeded and remainder leased.

J. H. McDaniel and Richard Voges bought the Morrissey tract of land, nine miles from Floresville, comprising 4395 acres, for \$25,000. This is the largest land transaction in Wilson county for a long period of time.

Judge Philip Lindsley of Dallas, recent Republican nominee for congress, is preparing to open up a large plantation in Trinity bottom near Ennis. He will erect ten tenant houses—two in Ellis county, the others on the Kaufman side of Trinity.

Report from Allen, forty miles due west of Scurry McAlester, are to the effect that cotton is looking well and corn in that locality will make from twenty-five to thirty bushels to the acre. Farmers are in good spirits in consequence.

Indiana has completed her annual job of packing "French peas." This year she has put away between 22,000,000 and 24,000,000 cans that will go out to the markets of the world. Between \$800,000 and \$900,000 will be added to the wealth of the state.

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to produce a better remedy for Chills and Fever, Ague and all Malarial diseases than Yucatan Chill Tonic (Improved). For the past 15 years many sweet and so-called tasteless Chill Tonics have been forced on the public. The theory of this sort of medication is wrong. The stomach of a sick person rejects anything sweet and when the stomach rebels it is time to change your medicine—any honest doctor will tell you so.



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In cases of rose cold, hay fever and starv. Garfield Headache Powders will be found of the greatest value: they soothe the nerves, and relieve the head of the pain, fullness and congestion caused by these diseases.

The dentist and the farmer are both practical stump pullers.

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OUR GUARANTEE ARE BACK OF EVERY WATERPROOF OILED SLICKER OR COAT BEARING THIS TRADE MARK TOWER'S FISH BRAND

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The deadhead in the theater is like a successful prediction—comes to pass.

Automobiles as Transport Wagons.
 Experiments in France have proved convincing, and the French believe they are certain to play a role of much importance in modern warfare. It is odd to note the different uses to which nature and science are put. On the battlefield they fight for the destruction of life, while throughout the country Hostetter's Stomach Bitters fights to preserve it. For fifty years the Bitters has been curing dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and biliousness. It will also prevent malaria, fever and ague.

One of the duties of today is to qualify yourself for tomorrow.

A good habit; getting OXIDIN for Malaria, Chills and Fevers.

When the baby is in the cradle it may be said to have reached bed-rock.

MEN WITH THE HOE.

TEXAS FARMERS CONGRESS IS WINDING UP BUSINESS.

Number of Resolutions on Various Subjects Adopted—Organization of Farmers Clubs Is to Be Encouraged—Other Notes of Interest.

College Station, Texas, July 27.—At the closing session of the Farmers' Congress last evening, the reports of the committee on organization and farmers' institute and home comforts and conveniences were adopted.

Prof. H. P. Attwater delivered a highly interesting and instructive address on the undeveloped resources of Texas, exhibiting a number of samples of these resources in the shape of flint, glass sand, paper, oyster shells a foot long and other things.

At the close of the address President Connell announced Messrs. Leonard Tillatson, Vorles P. Brown, A. H. Sinclair, J. M. Vance and W. A. Ponder as the committee on pure food law.

A resolution urging the legislature to increase the appropriation for the Agricultural and Mechanical College was adopted. It provided for a committee the members of which are V. P. Brown, P. W. Hunt, Tom Frazier, H. B. Savage and L. H. Porter.

A resolution thanking Stewart B. Sbisal of the Agricultural and Mechanical college prevailed, as did another thanking Prof. Attwater for his address and Mrs. Banks, Miss Foster, Miss Cavitt and Messrs. Kerr, Guerley and Smith for music. The railroads were thanked for low rates and a committee on transportation composed of Messrs. A. G. Pickett, W. T. M. Dickson and Sam H. Dixon, was appointed. A resolution pledging the congress in opposition to the practice of slaughtering song birds and doves for ornaments prevailed and the congress adjourned sine die.

The following report was adopted Thursday night:

We, your committee on organizations and farmers' institutes, beg leave to make the following report:

In order to encourage the organization of local farmers' clubs to discuss agricultural and horticultural problems and to develop them systematically towards a definite end, we, your committee, stand prepared to develop the spirit and purpose of this congress as outlined in the president's annual address and co-operate with such local clubs or other organizations of a like nature in perfecting their organizations and in connection therewith outline and prepare such institute and educational programs as will serve the greatest needs in any given locality. We are also prepared to assist in securing and providing experts in all lines of educational and institute work to discuss leading problems at such institute meetings with special reference to local conditions.

The committee announces its readiness to take up correspondence with local fruit and truck growers' associations, county fairs, business leagues, or citizens' committees and begin at once the organization of farmers' clubs and holding institutes in connection therewith.

There should be no hesitancy on the part of the people of Texas in calling upon this committee for its services as indicated, inasmuch as we are the creature of the Farmers' Congress of Texas, appointed for the purpose of advancing the interest of that great association, which means the industrial development of Texas.

E. W. Kirkpatrick, McKinney, Chairman.
 F. W. Mally, College Station.
 B. C. Pittuck, College Station.
 Committee.

NEGROES RECEIVED.

Robinson Co., Tex., July 27.—A number of colored citizens of Calvert and surrounding country are much exercised over the proposed land sales by lottery by the United States Government in Oklahoma. A strange negro, claiming to have just returned from Oklahoma, has been mixing among the negroes of Calvert, trying to persuade them that this new country is a place in which a negro could make a fortune in a brief space of time. It is feared that some of the colored citizens of this county may be deceived by these improbable stories and will be induced to leave a country where they are doing well for a country with which they are entirely unacquainted.

Many negroes believe if they draw a prize they get the land for nothing, whereas they must pay \$1.50 per acre and put up part of the amount in cash. No person who owns 160 acres of land can take a homestead under the statutes of the United States. Residence on the land in the reservations is necessary to complete title.

PLAGUE ABOARD STEAMSHIP.

New York, July 27.—The steamship Hohenfels, which was detained at quarantine to enable the health officers to investigate a case of bubonic plague found on board, will begin to unload her cargo today. As the cargo is exposed it will be fumigated to avoid all chances of spreading the contagion. Twenty-seven members of the crew are at Swinburne island, where they will be held twelve days until the period required for the incubation of any disease germs has passed. The rest of the crew, the officers and one health officer of the port, are at present on board attending to the unloading of the cargo. Dr. Doty, the health officer of the port, said: "The case of bubonic plague found on the Hohenfels is an extremely mild one, over which no apprehension should be felt by the public."

KAISER WILL NOT INTERFERE.

New York, July 27.—There is little foundation for the rumor that the German emperor has offered his services as mediator between the British government and the Boer leaders, with the object of bringing the war in South Africa to an end, says the London correspondent of the Tribune. The Kaiser has all along adopted a neutral attitude, and it is most improbable that he would now contemplate the possibility of making a representation to this country to prevent the war from being fought to a finish. Such action would be regarded as an unwarrantable interference, and the Kaiser is not so foolish as to sacrifice all the fruits of his recent friendly policy with this country.

RECOVERED THEIR FATHER.

San Antonio, Texas, July 27.—Geo. Surkey, district clerk, and his brother, Will Surkey, were overjoyed today by the appearance in their office of their father, whom they believed had died in California twenty years ago. The Surkeys lived in St. Louis when their mother died twenty years ago. After her death, the father drifted to California, after which his sons heard through a St. Louis paper that he was dead. They were still of that belief to today, when the old gentleman made his appearance in good health. He has been in California in business ever since he left St. Louis and came east to visit the Pan-American exposition. At St. Louis he found a daughter, who told him where the boys lived.

KENNAN ORDERED TO LEAVE RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, July 27.—A high Russian police official called upon Geo. Kennan, the American author and lecturer, at his hotel on Tuesday evening and informed him that he must leave the country by 10 o'clock (Friday) evening. Kennan was not allowed to leave the room in the interim, but was courteously treated. The reason given for the order is that Kennan is "untrustworthy politically."

WRECK ON THE CHOCTAW.

Memphis, Tenn., July 27.—A freight train on the Choctaw was wrecked near Palestine, Ark., this morning by running into an open switch. It is believed the switch was thrown by persons intending to wreck and rob the passenger train due there thirty minutes later. Engineer Shelly and Fireman Simmons, both of Little Rock were killed.

ARRESTED FOR SHOVING THE QUORER.

San Antonio, July 27.—Local secret service officials recently arrested J. P. Edwards of Riley, Texas for shoving ten dollar counterfeit bills in Texas. Edwards served a year in the Bevar county jail once for passing one dollar bills, raised to ten, in Austin.

CLEANINGS OF THE GLOBE.

Spain is to reorganize her navy. Hot Springs is to have a \$200,000 hotel.

The Younger Brothers will sell tombstones.

Russia wants two coaling stations on the Persian gulf.

John Henderson, the well known Scotch shipbuilder, died at Glasgow.

Evangelist Abe Mulkey of Texas held a ten-day revival at Memphis, Tenn.

Admiral Bradford has been made a member of the general board of the navy.

In a negro crap game at America, Ill., Hayes Madison was shot and killed.

The French zoologist, Henri Lacaze-Dutchiers, is dead. He was born in 1821.

Clinton Legare, a wealthy stockman, was assassinated near Tazewell, Tenn., and robbed of \$60.

Mrs. Mark Frees killed Wm. Gay at Shelbyville, Ind., claiming he attempted to assault her.

Lord Kitchener has commuted the sentence of death passed on thirty-four Boer prisoners to penal servitude for life at Bermuda.

At New York, Brooklyn, Brownsville and Newark 67,000 garment workers, men and women, are on strike for higher wages.

Walter T. Bourne, a former deputy county auditor, was jailed at St. Paul, Minn., charged with official malfeasance of \$18,000.

By the explosion of the boiler of Lyons & Stewart's saw mill at Bon Secour, Ala., Engineer Hart was killed and Fireman Hayden badly hurt.

The British congress on tuberculosis for the prevention of consumption was opened at London by the Duke of Cambridge, president of the congress.

The mountain regions north and east of Phoenix, Ariz., have been visited by a tremendous rainfall, which stopped the drought and extinguished the forest fires.

Mrs. Carrie Nation was fined \$100 and costs and given thirty days' jail sentence at Topeka, Kan., in the district court for disturbing the peace by a Sunday joint raid last March.

Phenomenal heat prevailed throughout all northern Russia. The temperature in Strasburg was 117 degrees. In Odessa it was 106 and the rate of mortality there is 70 per cent above normal.

By the breaking loose and going over an embankment of a sleeping car on the narrow gauge line of the Denver and Rio Grande railway, near Marshall Pass, Colo., a dozen passengers were hurt.

Because Fred Smith of near Walkerton, Ind., insisted on taking a young lady friend with him to a dance, his wife going along also, the latter suicided. She was 25 years old, beautiful and leaves several children.

B. H. Brown, the negro waiter who was charged with the murder of Mrs. Alice Crowell, wife of a Boston fireman, has made a full confession. He fired six shots into her body. Brown says Mrs. Crowell led him to believe she loved him.

A carriage containing James Goodwin of Hinsdale, Mass., William Thurston of Percy, N. H., Thomas Burns of Winoski, Vt., and Eddie McCabe of Lebanon was struck by the Montreal express on the Boston and Maine railroad, near Lebanon, N. H. All were killed.

The five Choctaw railroad telegraphers arrested at Brinkley, Ark., on the charge of obstructing mail trains were fined \$15 each. They were afterward turned over to the government authorities and subsequently released.

Some one attempted to assassinate City Marshal Collins of Flora, Ind. The marshal instructed the police to arrest all persons smoking cigarettes within the city limits and much bitter feeling has been engendered since the promulgation of said order.

If what Mrs. Maggie Long of Kansas City alleges in her divorce petition be true, Texas seems to have more attractions for Isaac Long than his bride, as the latter claims that in a few hours after they had wedded Long departed for the Lone Star state.

Angered at seeing her husband in the company of his cousin, Mrs. Mary Mike, a widow with two little children, a woman shot Mrs. Mike four times, killing her. All parties are Syrians. The tragedy occurred at Lake Charles, La.

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Your Money Back if you don't like Wetmore's Best

The first and only chewing tobacco to be guaranteed.

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And light dressings with CUTICURA, purest of emollients and greatest of skin cures. This treatment at once stops falling hair, removes crusts, scales, and dandruff, soothes irritated, itching surfaces, stimulates the hair follicles, supplies the roots with energy and nourishment, and makes the hair grow upon a sweet, wholesome, healthy scalp when all else fails.

Millions of Women

USE CUTICURA SOAP, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure, for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and soothing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings, and chafings, in the form of baths for annoying irritations and inflammations, or too free or offensive perspiration, in the form of washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and many sanative, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women and mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. No amount of persuasion can induce those who have once used these great skin purifiers and beautifiers to use any others. CUTICURA SOAP combines in ONE SOAP at ONE PRICE, the BEST skin and complexion soap, the BEST toilet and baby soap in the world.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humour.

Consistency of CUTICURA SOAP, to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened epidermis. CUTICURA OINTMENT, to instantly relieve itching, inflammation, and irritation, and soothe and heal, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, to cool and cleanse the blood. A SPECIAL SET is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disgusting, and humiliating skin, scalp, and blood troubles, such as eczema, psoriasis, and other eruptions, which spread all over the body, and through the world. Each Set of CUTICURA SOAP, OINTMENT, and RESOLVENT, 50 CENTS. CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT, 25 CENTS. CUTICURA RESOLVENT, 25 CENTS. CUTICURA SOAP, OINTMENT, AND RESOLVENT, 75 CENTS. CUTICURA SOAP, OINTMENT, AND RESOLVENT, 75 CENTS. CUTICURA SOAP, OINTMENT, AND RESOLVENT, 75 CENTS.

Social Items.

Mrs. R. E. McConnell is sick.

Rain has fallen over the county generally.

Jim Shivers was a visitor to Marlin last week.

Alfalfa hay and all kinds of feed stuff at H. J. Phillips'.

For Loss of Appetite.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Leather belting at low figures at George Waller's.

High patent flour at 85 cents per sack at H. J. Phillips'.

J. H. Wakefield of Lovelady was in the city Monday.

To Fertilize the Blood.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

W. W. Gaaney of Augusta was in to see us Tuesday.

For Pale, Sickly Children.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Prof. F. M. Martin of Lovelady was in the city Tuesday.

A fine rain fell in Crockett Monday, enlivening everything.

Wagon harness, saddles and strap goods at George Waller's.

A General Strengthening Tonic.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

H. J. Phillips sells Jersey cream flour at \$4.00 per barrel in wood.

For Nursing Mothers.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

Still have plenty of double and single buggy harness at George Waller's.

Pale People Have Pale Blood.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic makes rich blood.

Wyche, the optician, will be in Crockett soon at Smith & French's drug store.

Malaria Makes Impure Blood.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic cures Malaria.

Wait for Wyche, the optician, who will be at Smith & French's drug store soon.

Twenty Per Cent More Doses
In Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic than in a Bitter Chill Tonic.

Foley's Kidney Cure
makes kidneys and bladder right.
at J. G. Haring's.

Beautiful engravures free with Cream of Wheat, the breakfast dainty, at Hail & Dunwoody's.

R. D. Ball is getting the streets in better shape than they have ever been in before.

Buy your furniture at the Big Store. We can save you money.
JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

Buy your drugs, medicines and school books from
SMITH & FRENCH DRUG CO.

Malaria Shows You Weak.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic makes you strong.

A. J. Frick, editor of the Love lady Leader, was in the city Tuesday.

Buy your drugs, medicines and school books from
SMITH & FRENCH DRUG CO.

Mrs. Frank Parker has been visiting in Huntsville during the past week.

See our new improved Milburn wagons before you buy.
CRADDOCK & CO.

Better for the Blood than Sarsaparilla
For those living in the Malaria districts. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

White negligee shirts—something new—at the Big Store.
JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

The Misses Jones of Marlin, who were the guests of Miss Jessie Jones, have returned home.

Mrs. T. G. Bird has returned from a visit to Greenville and Marlin. Her stay at Marlin was for the benefit of her health.

Many People

In every section of Houston county have found it to their advantage to do business with us. They have been pleased with the way we treat our customers, and have recommended us to their friends. We want your trade, and will extend to you every accommodation in our power. We see to it personally that every customer has

The Best

Attention, and our goods and prices are always right. We are headquarters for glass, paints and oils.

B. F. CHAMBERLAIN DRUGGIST.

Miss Jessie Jones is visiting relatives at Marlin.

Harry Atwood of Houston was in Crockett Saturday.

Choicest teas, spices and extracts at Hail & Dunwoody's.

H. W. Huff of Daly was in town Saturday and reported crops good.

Matting at all prices at the Big Store. JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

Strength Enables You to Stand the Heat
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic gives strength.

You can get a good cut from 75c to \$2.50 at the Big Store.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

Tom Bookman, formerly of Jewett, is now employed on the COURIER.

Malaria Causes Biliousness.
Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic removes the cause.

J. S. Kennedy, J. A. Smith and their friend, Mr. Windsor, visited Palestine Sunday.

Miss Mabel Royall, a very pretty young maid of Athens, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mittie Baker.

Ironing made easy by using the Enterprise smoothing iron. See them at the Big Store.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

A small boy had some of his toes mashed off at the Coltharp mill Saturday by heavy timber rolling on them.

Buy your farm wagons at the Big Store. Hickman-make. Every wagon guaranteed.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

The COURIER has blank mortgages and blank vendor's lien notes on hand for sale. Anything else you may want can be printed on short notice.

Tax Assessor Henry Holcomb is now busy compiling his tax rolls. He is assisted by Miss Addie Madden, Mr. Chas. Long and Jack Clark.

Wanted.
Teams, teamsters and wheeler holders on the East Texas Railroad. Apply on the work east of Coltharp. R. J. SMITH.

Mr. John Monk attended services at Rhodes' Arbor, 10 miles east of town, Sunday. He reports a big time and lots of people in attendance.

Just received car of cook and heating stoves. Prices from \$2.00 to \$35.00. Every stove sold under a guarantee at the Big Store.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

Arch Baker informs us that the new bank will be ready for business Sept. 1. All preliminary arrangements are now under headway and the work will be rapidly proceeded with.

Misses Ethel and Frances Wooters, Mrs. Shoemaker and Mr. J. W. Young are spending a few days on the Trinity river.

If all property holders would build side-walks in front of their property Crockett would soon be lined with good side-walks.

If you want glasses fitted to your eyes correctly, see Wyche when he comes. He will be at Smith & French's drug store.

The new bank will be opened up in the Mayes' building, on the corner under the opera house, where H. Bloch now is. Mr. Bloch will move to the next door.

Get you a good breech loading shot gun (from \$6.00 up) or something new in a Stephens rifle. Call and see them at the Big Store.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

You will have a good fruit crop. Eat what you can and can what you can't in Mason fruit jars, heavy glass and porcelain lined, non-corrodable tops at Hail & Dunwoody's.

High living, intemperance, exposure and many other things bring on Bright's disease. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent Bright's disease and all other kidney or bladder disorders if taken in time. Be sure to take Foley's. For sale by J. G. Haring.

Little Things Often Lacking...

Nearly every home constantly lacks some useful item in drug store sundries. An extra hair brush or comb is needed, whisk brooms are too few—perhaps there is but one and that brittle and sadly worn—or the clothes brush has served its usefulness, the purchase of a new supply of toilet soap is often forgotten, and many other items less necessary but equally useful are never thought of. All this is due to oversight rather than economy, and we mention these things merely to remind you. Our sundry stock is always complete. The same regard for quality that we exercise in the selection of drugs rules our buying of sundries, yet our prices are never beaten.

J. G. HARING, PHARMACIST.

For Rent.

Six-room cottage opposite Arledge residence. Apply to Edmiston Bros.

Muddy Blood.

Means a muddy complexion. Pure blood means a clear complexion. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic makes rich, clear blood.

R. E. McConnell is having the old shell of a residence on the lot in front of the Christian church torn down preparatory to building his new residence.

The mud hole in front of the Christian church is being filled and the street graded from there to the corner at Chamberlain's drug store by Street Commissioner Ball.

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a dose of White's Cream Vermifuge. Price, 25 cents at J. G. Haring's drug store.

The election Tuesday was devoid of any unpleasantness that generally comes with elections of like nature. If there is any bitter feeling as the result of this election we do not know it.

Preaching at the Christian church continues this week. Rev. Mr. Hamilton preaches daily and Rev. Mr. Riall at night. These are both splendid preachers and the services are being well attended.

E. E. Barlow of Belott was in town Wednesday.

King & Murchison have moved into their new brick building, where they have more commodious quarters.

A. H. Davis, Mt. Sterling, Ia., writes: "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years, but two one dollar bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effects a permanent cure." For sale by J. G. Haring.

Shirts! Shirts! Shirts!

We have the prettiest, the cheapest and latest styles. One dollar shirt for 50 cents at the Big Store.

JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

For digestive weakness, nervousness, pains in the side, flatulence, dizziness, wakefulness, headache and other annoying accompaniments of costiveness, Herbine is a prompt and unadvised remedy. Price, 50 cents at J. G. Haring's.

W. E. Cannon has sold his old gin and mill and put in the latest improved Pratt gin and Munger cleaner. This is the best machinery to be obtained and he will be better prepared than ever to handle cotton.

Miss Aria Pendleton, who has been visiting the Misses Adams for the past several weeks, left Tuesday evening for Olliphint station, where she will visit a friend and former school mate, Mrs. Olliphint.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Burton and children and Mr. Burton's mother, Dan McConnell and mother and Mrs. Chas. Newton will leave to-night (Thursday) for different points in Colorado to spend the rest of the heated term.

Wm. Finn of Lima, O., obtained excellent results from the use of Foley's Kidney Cure. "It relieved my backache and severe pain over the hips. It toned my system and gave me new vim and energy. It is an honest and reliable remedy, a sure cure for all kidney diseases." For sale by J. G. Haring.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates. at J. G. Haring's.

Mr. Daniel Bantz, Otterville, Ia., says: "Have had asthma and a very bad cough for years, but could get no relief from the doctors and medicines I tried, until I took Foley's Honey and Tar. It gave immediate relief, and did me more good than all the other remedies combined." For sale by J. G. Haring.

Crockett is suffering from a feed famine. Corn can not be had at all and last week the only feed that could be bought was bran. This week some of the feed stores have corn chops which is worth \$1.60 a sack or 80 cents a bushel. Feed stuff is scarcer and higher now than it has been for years.

Miss Mittie Baker entertained Wednesday evening, at her home three miles from town, complimentary to Miss Royall of Athens. The distance afforded a delightful moonlight drive. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed and Miss Mittie's friends pronounce her a most charming hostess.

At Tuesday's election in Crockett the ladies had two free lemonade stands in the court house yard, one in the southwest corner and the other in the northeast corner. They seemed to be well patronized. There was also over each gateway into the yard different mottoes, such as "God Sees You," "Save the Boys," etc.

Rev. Mr. Hamilton of Lovelady delivered an eloquent discourse at the Christian church Sunday morning. He has a splendid flow of language, being a man of education, and his sermons are always interesting. He preaches every morning and his discourses are proving instructive to all who can attend these services.

To Heal a Hurt.

Use Banner Salve, the great healer. It's guaranteed for cuts, wounds, sores, piles and all skin diseases. Use no substitute. For sale by J. G. Haring.

Mrs. M. A. Goodknight, living east of Grapeland, was adjudged to be of unsound mind at a special sitting of the county court Monday. She will be taken care of by her people until she can be conveyed to one of the asylums.

An old man, a carpenter, fell from the top of the saw mill building at Coltharp Friday and died from the effects of the injuries sustained Saturday. He was a stranger and nothing was known as to where his people lived. He was buried at Coltharp.

For Sale.

Five-room cottage and lot, two brick fire places, three closets, concrete cistern, good well of water, improvements all new. Call on or address

F. W. POWELL,
Crockett, Texas.

Rev. A. O. Riall, who has been conducting the night services at the Christian church this and last week, is an able preacher and has delivered some splendid sermons. Much good is bound to be the outcome of these services. The Christian denomination will be increased and the spiritual welfare of the town will be greatly improved.

Misses Etta and Denny Adams, Miss Pendleton of Temple, Misses Ethel and Frances Wooters and Miss Royall of Athens composed a party of young ladies at Col. Adams' Monday evening who received their young men friends. It was a "come and go party," as one of the young ladies expressed it, the young men calling and leaving. Punch was served and a most pleasant evening was spent.

The election brought a large crowd of people to town Tuesday. The crowd was orderly, quiet and good natured. They came and voted and remained in town the best part of the day. But it did not seem to be a buying crowd and the merchants were not kept busy. In fact, very little of anything was bought. There was no whiskey in evidence and we don't believe a drunk man was seen during the day.

Marriage Licenses.

J. H. Burder and Mrs. Hattie Waller.

Andy Edwards and Emma Smith.

Allen A. Ward and Miss Beulah Lively.

O. M. Sims and Miss Maggie Bruton.

Will Walker and Miss Joe Hicks.

Peter Burleson and Mary Dunmore.

R. C. Hodges and Ida Robertson.

A. J. Searcy and Lula Palmer.

A. N. Reeves and Mrs. M. T. Alexander.

W. R. Minter and M. C. Fuller.

The above licenses were issued during the last ten days ending August 29 and are an average of one a day.

BANNER SALVE the most healing salve in the world. at J. G. Haring's.

Lost.

A light sorrel horse, about 16 hands high, five years old, blaze in face, branded S. B., but not plain. May have two white hind feet. Has knot on left shoulder. Will give \$5 for his return or for information leading to his recovery.
S. M. BRUCK,
Crockett, Texas.

THE COURIER.

W. B. PAGE, Editor and Proprietor
W. W. AIKEN, Publisher & Local Editor

Now is a good time to push the water works movement.

Now that the election is over, let's go to work and secure a water supply.

This has been the favored section of the country this year and there should be much cause for rejoicing.

An Illinois man saved two people from drowning and one from death under the wheels of a train recently, and refused to accept either praise or reward.

The former president of a national bank in Indiana has been pardoned by President McKinley, after serving five years in the penitentiary. He was sent up for ten years.

Another one of the San Jacinto heroes has passed away in the person of George W. Petty of Washington county. He was 89 years old and fell dead on his way to attend a camp meeting.

A good price for all farm products in the fall is expected, especially for cotton seed. The corn shortage in the West will make the demand heavy for cotton seed feed products which will increase the value of the seed.

At the centennial exhibition at Philadelphia in 1876 the telephone was first exhibited. Edison expects his new storage battery to gain similar laurels at Buffalo. Its improvement is in weight, lasting qualities and ease of charging.

Every farmer should save all the feed possible this year. Corn will be scarce next year and high in price. The great corn producing section, the West, has experienced a severe drouth this season, and as a result the demand for feed stuff will be large and possibly out of the reach of the cotton grower.

The corn crop of the West has been cut short by the continued drouth, and as corn and cotton seed meal and hulls constitute the bulk of feed for beef cattle, the shortage of one will raise the price of the other. So it is expected that cotton seed will bring a good price this fall, which will be an aid to the farmers of this section.

On the banks of the Delaware near Torresdale, is a \$1,000,000 mansion containing sixty-seven rooms, which was built by Joseph Harrison, who made his money in constructing railroads in Russia. Mr. Harrison's family found the house malarious and occupied it but a short time. It is to be torn down to make room for one of Philadelphia's new filtering plants.

"Texas is not alone great in its oil production," said J. W. Taylor of Fort Worth, to a reporter of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. "Down in southern Texas we have some of the most progressive people, and the country is being rapidly developed by Northern capital. The farmers down our way have not suffered from the drouth so much as they have up through the territory and in Missouri. They had a big corn crop and hay in abundance. While the weather has been dry there for quite a period, the rains have made Texas a full-blown rose in comparison to your Missouri land. Southern Texas is taking as much interest in the big St. Louis Fair as the northern part of the state. There are plenty of wealthy citizens who will cheerfully help out the state

if no appropriation is made. In my opinion, Texas will raise a fund of not less than two hundred thousand dollars. This will be adequate to put up a fine building representing the Lone Star State and give us a good opportunity to show the diversified products that Texas soil will produce. A modern gusher, such as they have at Beaumont, might be reproduced. This would give hundreds of people an opportunity to see a real live gusher. They have read enough about them, but to see one is more wonderful."

A movement is on foot to have Texas represented at the St. Louis fair in 1903. The plan is to have an exact reproduction, except as to size, of the old Alamo building at San Antonio constructed at the fair. The building will be as much larger than the Alamo as will be necessary to accommodate Texas visitors to the fair and will be of great interest to visitors from other sections of the country. The movement has been started by the railroads of Texas giving \$50,000, which is nothing more than right, as they will be large beneficiaries.

In November last Mr. Carnegie announced that he would spend at least three million dollars on a polytechnic institute in Pittsburg, to be managed by the same board of trustees that has control of the Carnegie library and Carnegie institute. The plan to be adopted includes artisan day and evening classes, a technical high school and a technical college. The artisan classes are intended for students who can not attend the technical high school, which is to be elaborately equipped for manual training. Entrance requirements to the technical college will be equal to those demanded by the best colleges of engineering.

An official temperature of 108 or 110 in the shade, which was reached in several central states last week, means a heat running as high as 125 for people engaged in their daily vocations. The hot blast was like the waves from a conflagration, every object touched was burning hot, and the strain upon the nervous system was intense. If such weather came every year for several weeks it would be necessary to modify habits to tropical conditions. One store in Iowa is said to have taken fire from the sun's rays streaming in through a plate-glass window, and the building and its contents burned with almost explosive energy. It felt elsewhere as if a lighted match might set things, including the atmosphere, on fire spontaneously. A broad section of the country has been through this visitation, which succeeded a cool spring instantly, and surprised the weather prophets and scientists. The subject of weather is still, in the main, a mystery.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Culberson, Bailey and Sterett. Washington Cor. San Antonio Express. The mention of Senators Culberson and Bailey being considered in Washington as presidential possibilities in 1904 is not written because this letter is intended for a Texas paper, or to tickle the pride of their home supporters. It is repeated because it is a fact. The cause primarily is that the real democrats of the country are looking for a leader, and secondarily because both Texas senators are regarded in this region as men of tremendous promise. Neither of them is yet a commanding national figure, but with the opportunity now opening to them each soon ought to loom up. The party managers are inclined to experiment with a Southern man as a

candidate, and in casting about for the right man from the South their eyes frequently rest on Culberson and Bailey. Both Cockrell and Morgan were in the Confederate army and both are beyond the age of presidential candidates. Senator Carmack of Tennessee belongs to the Culberson-Bailey class, without the ability of either of them.

A report reached Washington some time ago that Colonel William Green Sterett, Texas' most famous litterateur and raconteur, was a candidate to succeed the late Judge Burke in congress. The report excited much interest here, because it held out the hope of Colonel Sterett's return to Washington. When, however, a reputable and carefully edited newspaper at Lewiston, Me., published a biography of his life, giving the place and date of Colonel Sterett's birth in that State, his Washington friends gave up all hope of his coming to congress from Texas, not that there is a prejudice in Texas against Pine State Yankees, but because Sterett all these years has been sailing under false colors as a Kentuckian. He told everybody in Washington that he was born and raised in Kentucky, and Texans here say that he has told the same tale in their State until it was accepted as a fact. Why Colonel Sterett has thus persistently deceived people as to his nativity is alike mystifying and distressing to his friends in Washington, and they are quietly investigating the matter. J. J. DICKERSON.

Hit With a Baseball Bat.

News reached town Saturday of a fight between young men on Nevill's Prairie. Our information is that some boys were playing ball, when two of them became involved in a dispute which resulted in a fight. One young man named Step had another, named Morgan, down, when Morgan's brother ran up and dealt Step a blow on the head with a baseball bat. The lick was severe, and, we are informed, knocked the life out of Step for a while, but he regained consciousness and is now all right.

Strayed.

From my place on Rosie Bayou, 14 miles north-east of Crockett, about June 30, 1901, one bay mare, branded V I on left shoulder, wire cuts on right fore foot just over the hoof, causing lameness; also wire cut on right hind foot; about 10 years old. Last heard of at T. C. LeMay's place on Hickory creek. Anyone notifying me will be paid for trouble. R. F. HALL, Belott, Texas.

To Save Her Child

From frightful disfigurement Mrs. Nannie Galleger, of LaGrange Ga., applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve to great sores on her head and face, and writes its quick cure exceeded all her hopes. It works wonders in Sores, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds and Piles. 25c. Cure guaranteed by J. G. Haring.

Result of the Prohibition Election.

There were two voting places at the Crockett box, one at the north-east corner of the court house and the other at the southwest corner. The northeast room was the voting place of wards 1 and 2, and the southwest room for wards 3 and 4. Wards 1 and 2 cast 290 votes against prohibition and 300 for. Wards 3 and 4 cast 405 against and 209 for prohibition. The total vote cast at Crockett box was 1204, 695 against and 509 for prohibition, making a majority of 186 against prohibition. The election resulted in 56 for and 34 against prohibition at Daniel, majority 22, and at Pleasant Grove 56 for and 46 against the measure, majority 10, making a total majority at these two boxes of 32 for prohibition, which, subtracted from the Crockett majority, leaves the anti side a majority of 154 votes in the precinct.

What a Tale it Tells

If that mirror of yours shows a wretched, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, it's liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, purify the blood, give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25c at Haring's drug store.

For mosquito bites, bites or stings of insects, animals or reptiles, apply Ballard's Snow Liniment. It counteracts the poison in the wound, subdues the inflammation and heals the flesh. Price, 25 and 50 cts. at J. G. Haring's.

CARBUNCLES AND BOILS

SYMPTOMS OF BAD BLOOD

There is a popular belief that every boil is worth many times its weight in gold, and the sufferer patiently, even cheerfully, endures the pain under the mistaken idea that these little tormentors are health promoters; that they thin the blood when too thick, and cleanse and cool it when too hot or too rich. On the contrary, boils and carbuncles are evidence of blood poverty, or a fearfully depraved condition of that fluid. There may be no external evidence of bad blood until the warm days of spring set in motion the sluggish circulation and the pent-up impurities, unable to escape through the natural outlets, gather near the surface of the skin, and a Carbuncle or a Boil is the result. When the blood is burdened with an undue amount of this impure matter, the Boils come in greater number, eat deeper into the surrounding flesh, and, being nearly always located on a bed of nerves, cause the most intense suffering. Robust and apparently healthy people are subject to Boils, and there is always some hidden agency at work within the blood and system that will eventually undermine the health, but those whose constitutions are broken down by previous sickness or other causes, are most often the unhappy victims of Boils and Carbuncles. Exposure to the deadly malaria destroys the red corpuscles and reduces the blood to such a weak and watery condition that it succumbs to the boil-producing poisons, and the pale and sallow



ANGERFUL BOILS.

Mr. J. B. Scott, a resident of Hazlehurst, Miss., writes: "S. S. S. cured a malignant carbuncle on my neck which the doctors had been unable to bring to a head. As soon as I began to use S. S. S. I was relieved of pain and the dreadful carbuncle got entirely well. My skin is clear, sound and smooth, and I am well today through using S. S. S. I am 65 years old."

BANEFUL BOILS.

Mr. E. M. Pratt, Cave, S. C., says: "For twenty years I was afflicted with boils and carbuncles, part of the time being unable to work or sleep. Several doctors treated me and I tried numerous blood remedies, but received no benefit. During the summer of 1898 I was persuaded to try S. S. S. A few bottles cured me entirely and I have had no return of these painful pests."

kidneys or chronic liver trouble, brought on by lack of nutritious blood; or it may develop into a running abscess or ugly eating sore, causing years of suffering, and often terminating fatally. To seek relief from the inflammation and pain produced by these terrifying eruptions through the application of local remedies is natural and right, but this method of treatment does not prevent others coming, or bring the slightest relief to the disease-burdened, deeply poisoned blood. Only a thorough regeneration and building up of the depreciated blood can bring about a lasting cure of Carbuncles and Boils and prevent their reappearance.

S. S. S. restores to the old blood all its lost properties, re-invigorating and giving it the healthy red color that only pure, fresh blood can have, and through this new blood strength and vigor comes to the bodily organs; the skin resumes its functions, and impurities of whatever character are taken up and filtered out of the system in nature's way.

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Those subject to boils or any skin eruption, old sores or ulcers, are asked to write our physicians all about their disease, and any information or advice wanted will be cheerfully and promptly given without any cost to the patient whatever. A valuable book on Blood and Skin Diseases sent free.

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