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Dan J. Kennedy Says:

Two things have caused us to have a fine business this spring. One is the scarcity of money—the other is the advance in the price of goods.

Any old thing can float down stream or sail in the direction the wind is blowing, but it takes tact, gumption, grit and git to move out against the wind or tide. So it is in business, and this year is the one that tells the kind of stuff we're made of. Realizing that money was scarce and that goods (especially cotton goods) were higher than usual and were rapidly advancing, and that to do business this year, something must be "did," we bought SAMPLES, LOOM ENDS, JOBS, and used hydraulic pressure on everything we bought in regular lines till we got the lowest POSSIBLE PRICE ON EVERYTHING purchased this spring, and then ripped the prices up the back on all goods in stock, and so instead of goods being higher they are much lower (with few exceptions) than ever before, and consequently the people having but little money, are more careful than ever before, and in searching for the best place—the place to get the most for the money—have drifted to us, and our books show a large increase of business over previous years. "We did it a purpose" and are determined to make this a banner business year. Respectfully,

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DAN J. KENNEDY, Proprietor.

TALKS AS

CONSTRUED THAT HE

Cared Not for a United Party—His Democracy is Bryanistic—Influence Minimized.

ocrats here.

es, the Democrats universally do "trust" is not to be looked on as it in a most cheerful way. That unworthy of consideration. It is cheerfulness indicates that the at present decidedly fixed in the party feels that from the speeches idea that Mr. Bryan means to made good will come. Cockran's continue in his fixed policy of disspeech expressed unity. It was a satisfaction, and further that the sort of plan of reunited party, Democratic party of the country and besides this had about "it the is not going to put up with it. sound of a change along the whole They think it will result in his to Judge Gooch, as he and I were four years ago in behalf of Judge line. In it was a notification that either joining or organizing a campaign and all things should be platform and the man made and Government from Republican all is well with the party in New hands. The speech of Mr. Bryan York. They will not openly anwas the speech of every Republi- nounce it, but they privately say can in Congress since the New that the recession of Bryan would fixed opinions, and worst of all, Nebraskan had carried with him August Belmont, or some other able isms, and they would draw to ambitious individual. Indeed, on that party enough voters to make vesterday Mr. Hepburn, a leading the success of the party assured. Republican, attacked the Demo- In the South the withdrawal of York on nearly the identical lines Congressman here and there, but that Mr. Bryan, leading Demo- it would not lose the electoral crat, attacked it. Mr. Bryan's vote of a single Southern State.

at home, who do not hold offices, may talk about Congressional REPUBLICANS trusts or political combinations made by Congressmen with each other and may criticise, vilify and deplore such combinations. These Voters of This Judicial District. BRYAN'S CHICAGO SPEECH WAS home ambitions who are crowded away from the flesh pots may have good grounds for distemper and may be justified in their lamentations over the assumed leadership of those who sticketh like a brother to the pots aforesaid, yet they must admit one or two things. trict Judge and was defeated by They must not permit their tears Judge Gooch, the present incum. They must not permit their tears Judge Gooch, the present incum. They must not permit their tears Judge Gooch, the present incum. Washington, April 24.—The and thus drown reason. One of who supported me in that race, the official, political and personal and Bryan of Nebraska, on the the Congressman who desires to fact, the pleasant memories of that you wish to place upon it same day, yesterday, have set this hold his position is doing his best that campaign are stronger with your seal of approval, and is that part: of the country talking, to hold it. In this line of labor Both claim to be Democrats and he is trying to keep up with home defeat. yet the tone of each being in an thought. Ordinarily he will foltagonism of the other ought ordi- low it or control as the exigency narily to have a depressing effect of the moment dictates. He has a the many assurances of support on the party. But it does not correspondent in every neighbor- from my old friends, and from seem to have it among the Dem- hood, he has a "worker" in every ten of the population. He is ad- coming from all the counties of In fact, in discussing the speech- vised. So the pinion of the party strife was to end in the movement antagonistic to the and would be forgotten in the selected at St. Louis. The Cockthat is, that the Democrats were and other Northern States the vacillating, insincere, without opportunity to declare that the were dominated by David B. Hill, and out of the party all objection-

JUDGE GARDNER ADDRESSES

Tells of a Proposition to Judge Gooch.

Judicial District: Four years ago I ran for Disto back up and inundate their brain bent. I feel very grateful to those

MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

I am now making, so to speak, a motion for a new trial, and with those who opposed me in 1900, the district, I feel quite confident that my motion will not be over-

ANDERSON COUNTY. I had hoped that there would be no one in the race this time but Judge Gooch and myself, and when Mr. Crook of Houston county announced that he also would be a candidate, I proposed was worked to a "Queen's taste" clined to accept my proposition.

When I told Mr. Crook I was going to make this propositon to Judge Gooch he objected, and

county.

AS TO SECOND TERM.

But, going back to the issues between Judge Gooch and myself, I notice that in his announcement he relies upon the second term idea. In other words, as he has had the office four years he thinks he should have it four years more. Why? Because it is Democratic usage? I know of no such custom in this district. Since the formation of this district Judge Williams is the only man who ever held the office of judge more than four years, and in the last twelve years Judge Gooch is the only man who has held the office as long as four years. In the matter of district attorney, which is an office with a term of only two years, the most that has been given to any one man is two terms of two years each, in all four years. But this has not been an petition drawn by me, and, in the invariable rule, and the facts show that at least one district attorney was defeated in his race for the second term. I am not contend-To the Democracy of the Third ing that a man should be given two cases reversed were appeals only four years as district judge. but I wish to make plain that

The real question is this: Is speeches of Cockran of New York the things they must admit is that those who voted against me; in factory, and is that record such me than the disappointment of wish so strong that you are willing to turn your hand against his opponent? Supposing all other things are equal, it seems to me nearly 50 years of age; was admitthat the rule that "turn about is ted to the bar in Troy, Ala., about fair play" is equally as good as a 29 years ago; have been practicrule that blindly gives two terms ing my profession in Texas nearly of four years each. After all, it is 28 years; the last 12 years, and a question of preference or choice more, being at Palestine. I would on the part of the voter as between like to be the judge of this district the claims of the various aspirants; and feel that I can give entire satbut, in forming this choice, the isfaction. If elected I shall run official, professional, political and the office in a business way, but it AS TO A SPECIAL PRIMARY FOR personal record and ability of shall be my aim to be as fair and each candidate should have a con-impartial in my rulings, as I am trolling influence.

A BIT OF PLEASANTRY.

I don't wish to be understood as pleading for sympathy, but in view of the sympathy racket that both from Anderson county, that Gooch, I will say if you consider we get up a special primary for the candidates' feelings in the our county to decide which one of matter you should remember that us should make the race in the while Judge Gooch is seeking a regular primary. As I explained second term I am running the work of taking the control of the ran speech indicates to them that to Judge Gooch, I made the prop- second time, and would feel the osition in deference to expressions disappointment of another defeat that had come to me from all the more keenly than Judge Gooch counties, and to avoid the expense would a defeat after having enof a three-cornered fight in the joyed the honor and emoluments district, and the possibility of the office for four years. Be-York Democracy acted at Albany, give the Democrats of New York third man winning, under the plusides if Judge Gooch beats me rality rule, by reason of a divided twice in succession I would be vote between the two candidates afraid to go home and meet my from Anderson county. Much to wife and seven children. They my regret Judge Gooch has de- have their eyes on this race and I don't believe I could give a satis-WHAT MR. CROOK THINKS OF IT. factory explanation of another

COMPARING RECORDS.

For the last six months there Drug Co. cratic party in its action in New Bryan would lose a Democrate said such a primary would be un- has appeared now and then, in the fair to him. I cannot see where papers throughout the district, the unfairness comes in. It was certain locals, very innocent looknot considered unfair when Gregg ing articles, but evidently intend- reliable set of bowels. If you are and Lacy in Anderson, and Nunn ed to aid Judge Gooch in his race. not the happy possessor of such an

Democrats of Houston county are ed party. For the present I will asked to ignore county lines, and leave the reader to guess his name. to vote for Mr. Crook only in the event they think he is the best man for the place. Four years started at Crockett and went the ago, with Judge Lipscomb as a rounds of the press of the district, candidate, I received in that county, in round figures, 600 votes forestall opposition to Judge to 400 for Judge Gooch, and I was Gooch. All the articles in quesnot in the county after Judge tion have more or less to say about Lipscomb made his announcement. Judge Gooch's record as a judge. My friends assure me of a very I have made no investigation of much larger vote this time in Judge Gooch's record, as to the Houston, and it is my purpose to trial and disposal of cases by him, make an active canvass of that but the articles referred to and the following extract from Judge Gooch's announcement in the Athens Review makes it proper for me to make some reference to the judge's record in some of my cases. This is the extract:

"Why should we swap him off for another lawyer who is without experience as judge, and whose disposition and qualifica-tions have not been tested on the bench?" We see here the same

'fine Italian hand." Now for the record in my cases. Quite recently I had four cases appealed by myself and associate counsel from Judge Gooch's rulings. Three of them have been reversed, and the other has been affirmed by the Galveston court, but will be taken by me to the supreme court. In one of the cases reversed, Judge Gooch had sustained five special exceptions to a opinion of the higher court, it is said the petition was good and none of the five exceptions should have been sustained. The other from a refusal of Judge Gooch to allow bail in the Peavy and Crencriminal appeals. 1 mention this in no complaining spirit, but byway of comparison, and to get even with Judge Gooch for the sly boosting he has been giving himself through a good-natured press.

CUNCLUSIUN. In conclusion will say I am earnest in the advancement of the interest of my clients. My record as a man and a lawyer is the pledge I offer for my conduct in case of my election; I invite inves-

tigation. Respectfully submitted, BENJAMIN HOWARD GARDNER.

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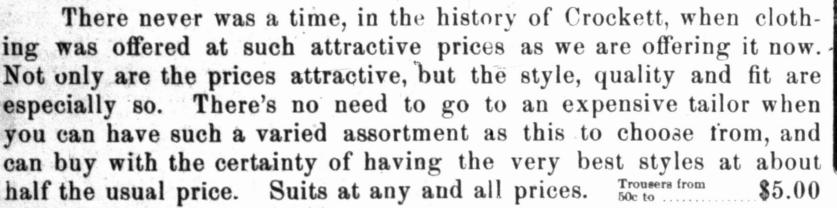
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place of beginning.

And, whereas, on said date the plaintiff recovered a judgment against the Louisiana & And, whereas, on said date the plaintiff recovered a judgment against the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company for any balance remaining unpaid of the above judgment after the sale of first piece of land hereinafter described, and also a foreclosure on the following described land as against said Lumber Company to secure said balance unpaid after the sale of said first described land. Said land being described as follows to wit: About 14 miles from Crockett, and containing 350 acres, more or less, out of the G. W. Grant 1524 1-2 acre survey on the W. P. Davis League. Beginning at the S. E. corner of the 320 acres in the N. E. corner of said 1524 1-2 acre survey, on the E. B. line of said league, stake from which hickory 8 in mkd X brs N. 36 W. 11 5 yrs; thence W. at 1693 yrs, past James Breeze's S. E. corner at 2016 yrs, Jones' N. E. corner; thence S. with Jones' line '650 yrs corner, pine 12 in mkd X brs N. 43 E. 6 yrs, do 24 in K brs S. 63 E. 2.3 yrs; thence E. at 1483 yrs, corner pine 10 in X brs S. 51 E. 6 yrs, P. O. 10 in brs S. 68 W. 7.2 yrs; thence S. at 1250 yrs, corner pine 8 in brs W. 46 E. 2.2 yrs hickory 3 in mkd X brs N. 12 E. 4.1 yrs; thence E. at 533 yrs, corner on E. B. line of said league, B. J. mkd X brs 31 E. 1.4 yrs pine 12 in X brs N. 45 W. 8 yrs; thence N. with said E. B. line 1900 yrs to the place of beginning, levied on as the property of J. G. Williams et al., to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$270.70 in favor of A. Symes and cost of suit. and cost of suit.

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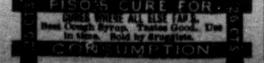
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Eva- 'ln what way "" Ernie-"He said he went automobiling in Venice

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from clean living.

han winking at sin. Respectability may be quite differ-

ent from righteousness.

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He who loses no love for others

loses all life for himself.

weighs more than a dollar.

No man bas any spiritual blessing that he can keep to himself.

The friends we can never lose are the ones we say we have lost in death. day.

A man is worth what he takes out of the world, not what he leaves in it.

No condemnation of wrong is so effective as the commendation of

God cannot blot out our past, but he can prevent its blight on the future .-Chicago Tribune.

STRAWS IN THE STREAM.

The trouble with woman's vanity as a result of her beauty is that it lasts longer than its cause,

Tho' we may possess a fortune in charity, the chances are that we'll spend it all on ourselves.

Do not wrong the mule by comparing it to the professional kicker. The mule kicks for some real, definite rea-

I have known men who were so fond of hard luck that they never into the harbor. bought an apple without hoping to find a worm in it.

Flattery acts like champagne in that it may produce a headache next day. But houest, moderate appreciation is as necessary and as healthy as clear water.

Without being an autograph fiend, I she had been severely burned, don't think I'd refuse to accept a colection of the signatures of the world's greatest living financiers - at the ight end corner of checks.-Chicago

JAPANESE BUDDHIST PROVERBS.

FOUR DAYS' FIGHTING ON THE YALU.

Russian Losses Estimated at 800 Men, While the Japanese Casualities Number 700.

front say that the Japanese forces be- gan at dawn Sunday. gan an attack on the Russians on the Yalu river last Tuesday. The battle was continued Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and theoretically Saturday. A decisive struggle was anticipated for

On Thursday the Japanese effected a crossing of the Yalu and secured a lodgment on the right bank of the Yalu river. The fighting on Saturday was at long range, and there was a duel with a heavy guns across the river. Fighting at daylight was resumed Sunday morning.

The Russian force is estimated at

The Japanese losses are reported to have been small thus far.

Losses on Sunday.

Tokio: The Japanese losses on the Yalu Sunday were about 700 killed and wounded. The Russians lost over \$00 men. The Japanese captured 28 quick firing guns, twenty orficers and many men. The Russians made two

A General Attack.

Tokio: Advices received here state that the Twelfth division of the Japan. ese army forced a crossing of the Yalu river above Wiju just before dawn Saturday morning. The second ponnight. The Russians' left flank has sian loss of more than 800 men."

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Which Was Owned by Olive, Sternenberg & Co. at Olive, Texas.

Olive, Hardin Co., Texas .- The big sawmill of Olive, Sternenberg & Co. burned this morning at 3 o'clock. The estimated loss is \$40,000, partially covered by insurance. The origin of the Nothing binds the soul quicker fire is unknown. When first discovered the flames were all over the mill. The citizens don't understand how the fire could get such a headway before it was discovered. It was only by the hardest kind of work that the planing mill and lumber yard were saved. This mill was built in 1882, before the Swille & Bast Texas Road was built and was one of the oldest mills on that road. It was doing a fine business. and is a total loss. It was built by In the divine scales a dime often and at the present time was being op- being 3,961,011, equivalent to 74 per ern machinery. The capacity of the the United States received 33,501, mill was 75,000 feet of lumber per

Too Much Rain.

after 5 p'clock we had a heavy hail- for over six months, and there is storm. The stones were as large as great rejoicing that the long drouth is small fowl eggs and some larger, and at last broken. Many eisterns and the ground was nearly covered. But it tanks were entirely dry, and grass, came down accompanied by but little garden and crops suffering. Now rain and no wind. Some window lights everything is refreshed and crops are were broken here, but the hail fell so bright softly that but little damage resulted to crops of any kind. We are having too much rain now.

Yeszen's Narrow Escape.

St. Petersburg.-Information received here shows that Rear Admiral Yeszen, commanding the Vladivostok squadron, has had a narrow escape while on his raiding expedition. Through the wireless messages of the enemy, which he intercepted, the Admiral found that he was surrounded ferring the degrees. by Japanese warships, but owing to the dense fog was able to slip back

Queer Case of Injury by Fire. sun, focused through a goldfish jar, the temperature is below freezing. set fire to the clothing of Mrs. Julia Cattlemen who have already placed Fifthert, who was sleeping in a chair their cattle on the mountain ranges near an open window today, and the stand to lose heavily as a result of the flames were extinguished only after cold weather, which is a novelty for

Found Guilty of Murder. Guthrie, Ok .: Ed Lyle, a negro, was declared gufity Saturday by a jury in the Pawnee county federal court on the charge of murdering Deputy Marshal John B. Jones, in the Osage In- ragua, but his mission there was igdian county, last July. Lyle pleaded nored. He appears satisfied with the

Tokio, May 2.-Advices from the been turned and a general attack be-

Nearly all the regular batteries on the south bank of the river and a fletilla of gunboats is co-operating with

The Japanese have the advantage of position and numbers, and are confident of routing the enemy

Japanese Capture Chiu Tien Cheng.

Tikio: The Japanese Sunday captured Chiu Tien Cheng, ten miles north of Antung, which is regarded as the key to the Russian position on the right bank of the Yalu. It is expected that the Russians will retreat to Feng Huan Chang, which is on the road to Liao Yang.

Supplemental Report.

Tokio: Supplemental reports from Gen. Kuroki covering Saturday's fight.

"The Russians made two stands The enemy's strength included all of the Third Division, two regiments of the Sixth Division, one cavalry brigade, about forty quick firing guns and eight machine guns. We have taken twenty-eight quick firing guns, much ammunition, more than twenty officers and many non-comissioned of. ficers and men as prisoners. I am informed that Major Kashtalinsky, commander of the Third East Siberian toon bridge across the river near Wiju Brigade, and Lieut. Gen. Zussalitch. was completed at 7 o'clock Saturday commander of the Second Siberian night, and the Imperial Guards of the Army Corps, were wounded. Our cas-Second Division crossed during the ualties number about 700 and the Rus

Embezziement Charge.

Jhiladelphia, Pa .: John Sheey, said to have been manager of one of Sir Thomas Lipton's stores in Limerick. Ireland, was arrested Sunday evening as he stepped from the Belgian steam.

Friestand from Liverpool, charged with embezzzling several hundred pounds sterling from the famous yachtsman's establishment. The arrest was made at the instance of the British consul, Mr. Powell. The accused man declares his innocence, and said he was on his way to the St. Louis exposition. He will be given a hear-

Emigration of Irish.

ing Monday.

London: A parliamentary return issued Saturday shows that since 1851 and up to 1903, nearly 4,000,000 of J. A Sternenberg and S. T. Oliver, Irish have emigrated, the exact total erated by B. A. Petti and T. A. Stern-cent of the average population of Ireenberg. The mill was up to date in land. During the year 1903, 40,659 every particular, and contained mod- Irishmen emigrated, of which number

Drouth Broken.

Gonzales, Texas: A magnificent rain fell here Saturday evening, the first Northrup, Texas: Saturday evening real good rain that has fallen here

Scottish Rite Masons.

Dallas, Texas, Many Masons from over the State are gathering here for the first semi-annual reunion of the Scottish Rite bodies, opening at 10 o'clock tomorrow at Turner Hall, and closing Thursday night. A class of about 100 will go from the fourth to the thirty-second degree. Degree teams from Galveston and Orange are to assist the local members in con

Cattle Killed in Tennessee.

Knoxville, Tenn .: Snow to the depth of eighteen inches is reported from the mountain sections near this Elkhart, Indiana.-The rays of the city. In the city three inches fell and this section at such a period of the

Peruvian Minister Ignored.

Panama: Costa Rica cables that Peruvian Minister Chocano arrived recently at San Jose, en route to Nicainsanity. He was sentenced for life. Peruvian mission to Colombia.

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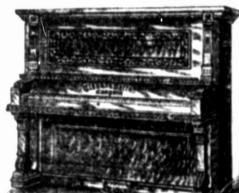
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MAP SHOWING LOCATION OF POTINSA, WHERE JAPANESE TROOPS MAY EFFECT A LANDING.



of Russians.. Potinsa is connected sistance.

The map shows the location of Po- | by a road with Dalny and Port Artinsa, near which place a number of thur, being distant from the latter Japanese transports have been seen, town 150 miles. Should the landing apparently with the purpose of effect; be made in force military critics are ing a landing. Potinsa is on the agreed that it would mean a serious northern shore of Korea Bay and menace to Port Arthur as well as reabout twelve miles east of Takuchan. Suit in a flanking movement of the It is fifty miles west of Antung and present Russian position. Dispatches the same distance south of Feng- indicate that it is at Fengwangchen wangchen, both of which places are | that Kouropatkin's troops are prebelieved to be held by strong forces pared to make their first stubborn re-

War News from the Far East.

Che Foo, April 30 -- Under the pressure of the Japanese advance, Russia | St. Petersburg: The crossing of the ing of the Japanese on the Manchurian side of the river above Wiju, there has been a concentration of the Russians at Antung, and other crossings have rise in prices on the bourse, but so far panese have two full divisions in Manchuria

According to reports, which seem authentic, which have been received here, the Japanese hold the north phoks of the river from Chung Tang opposite Wiju, to the north, and have also landed a strong force below Antung between that place and Ta Tung Kau. These moves have not been ac complished without some hard fight ing, and the Japanese losses have been heavier than they admit. The first crossings were made under heavy ar tillery and small-arm fire, and several times the pontoon bridges of the ad vancing army were destroyed, but the Japanessa soldiers have shown that they can stand fire, and despite their losses pushed ahead. When they had won the north bank the Russians retired with little further resistance.

Chinese Preparing to Take a Hand. Yang and in good health. Pekin, April 30 .- What may regard. ed as the first definite move on the part of the Chinese government to prepare to take part in the war between Japan and Russia was taken yesterday, when an imperial order was issued to the Viceroys to equip and prepare for active service at once 72, 000 troops. This is an addition to the men already in the field, which will give China an army of not far from 200,000 men, armed with modern rifles, equipped with modern munitions, and in the main drilled in accord with modern military methods, and officered by fairly competent men. Many of the wisest and most powerful statesmen in the country, not the least of was Yuan Shi Kai, after the Boxer troubles, realized that to maintain her independence China must learn to fight, and they have been persistenly at work ever since. Like most Orientals, the Chinese are a secretive people. The work of making an army, therefore, has been intrusted to the Japanese, because their work would not attract attention, and the work has been done very quietly, but much more effectively than Europeans or Americans have any idea of,

Forced to Abandon Antung. Tokio.-The Russians were forced to abandon Antung yesterday. They burned the fown and retreated to Feng Huan Cheng. The Japanese now control the estuary of the Yalu.

, Russians Pleasedd.

has practically abandoned the north Yalu river by the Japanese forces did bank of the Yalu Since the first land not impress the Russians in view of verse. These reports became more persistent and caused as all-round been made until now it is said the Ja- there has been no confirmation of

No News at St. Petersburg.

Petersburg: The Associated Press is informed that no further Won San. Korea, or from the Yalu riv-Communication with these places is necessarily slow

. A Russian Denial.

St. Petersburg: The admiralty denles that treasure amounting to \$6. 000,000 went down with the battleship Petropavlovsk. No Russian war ship carries more than \$50,000.

No Attempt on Kuropatkin,

St. Petersburg: Rumors circulated of attempts on the life of Gen Kuropatkin, the commander in chief of the Russian army in the Far East, are de-Gen. Kuropatkin is at Liac

Chinese Cruiser Wrecked.

Shanghai: The Chinese cruiser Hal Tien, which struck the rocks at Eagle Point, sixty miles southeast of Shanghai, is a total loss. The United States cruiser New Orleans went to the assistence of the Hai Tien, but her ef forts were unavailing. The crew of the Hai Tien were rescued. There was

Paris Green at Cost.

Yoakum, Texas: The Yoakum Board of Trade met Friday morning and appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions for a fund to be used in purchasing Paris green in bulk lots to be sold to the cotton planters at cost for ridding cotton fields of the boll weevil. From experiments made the conclusion has been reached that Paris green if used now by all the cotton planters, will exterminate the weevil.

Arrested in Chicago.

Chicago: Don F. Randolph, former president of the National Bank of Commerce of Wyandotte, I. T., was arrest. ed here Friday night after a search lasting nearly a year. According to the police Randolph is wanted for the embezzlement of several thousand dollars belonging to depositors of the bank who were principally Indians from the 018 bales; 1900, 3,438,386 bales; 1901, Wyandotte and Cherokee reservations, 2,498,018 bales; 1903, 2,471,681 bales.

WHAT CONGRESS HAS DONE.

During the Session Which Adjourned On Thursday.

Passed a bill putting into effect the Cuban reciprocity treaty.

Ratified the Panama Canal treaty. Passed a bill providing for the government of the Panama Canal zone. Ratified the Chinese commercial treaty, providing for two open ports in

Manchuria. Ratified a treaty with Cuba to carry out the terms of the Platt amendment.

Passed a joint resolution authorizing the president to negotiate a treaty with Great Britain with the assent of Japan and Russia if possible to protect the fur seals of the North Paeific.

Adopted a joint resolution providing for the transportation on a government vessel of 600 public school teach. ers of Porto Rico to the United States to take courses in summer schools. Re-enacted Chinese exclusion by a

rider on the sundry civil bill. Provided for a joint commission of the two houses to investigate the ship

subsidy question. Appropriated \$1,700,000 to purchase a site at the Pennsylvania Railroad terminal in New York for a branch

Authorized the lease at not more than \$90,000 a year of a postoffice building in New York to be erected at

the Central terminal Passed a bill providing a pension of \$100 a month for those who totally lost sight in the military or naval service. Loaned the Louisiana Purchase Ex-

position Company \$4,600,000. Provided for a \$475,000 exhibit at

the Portland (Oregon) Exposition. Provided for the extension of the east front of the capitol and a senate office building.

Grand total appropriations, \$781,

Number of bills introduced in the house, 15,398; number introduced in the senate, 5,645.

Of a total of more than 1,400 bills passed less than 150 were of a public

FREQUENT CROP REPORTS.

Washington, April 29.—The census office has resolved on a policy of publishing cotton reports next fall which the authorities think will go a long way toward preventing mill speculation on futures on the staple.

As is known, the government, has been appared in securing reports from ginners, and the betting has been on what these reports would show at the end of the year. The new program is to give out reports as they come in and to centinue giving them out dur

On the 18th of October the agents of the government will be set to work throughout the South to secure from ginners the number of bales they have ginned. The government will employ men enough to secure ginners' reports quickly in every cotton growing county, and the census officers think that only a very short time will elapse be fore such reports are in the office here. As soon as they are in they will be published and given to the public. The manner of publication will be in giving the number of bales ginned in each cotton growing state up to the 18th of October, stating that the number ginned came from certain counties, enumerating them, but not giving the number ginned in each county. Another report of a like kind will be made at frequent intervals during the ginning season, and thus a knowledge of the actual production can be had by every one during the entire cotton

The proof sheets of the report on the cotton grown in the United States from the year 1899 to 1903 inclusive, are just out. They show the production of potton in the whole of the United States in equivalent 500-pound bales to be: For 1899, 9,345,491 bales; for 1900, 10,123,027 bales; for 1901, 9,507,745 bales; for 1902, 10,630,945 bales; for 1903, 9,851,129 bales.

The Indian Territory produced in 1895, 143,608 bales; 1900, 249,935 bales; 1901, 247,073 bales; 1902, 351,-595 bales; 1903, 278,347 bales.

Oklahoma Territory produced in 1899, 71,983 bales; in 1900, 106,707 bales; 1901, 131,413 bales; 1902, 193, 704 bales; 1903, 186,589 bales.

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Brown, professional nurse, of 16 Jane St., Paterson, N. J., says: "I have not only seen much suffering and many deaths from kidney trouble, but I have suffered myself. At one time I thought I could not live. My back ached, there were frequent headaches and dizzy spells, and the kidney secretions were disordered. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me from the first, and soon relieved me entirely of all the distressing and painful symptoms."

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Brown will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists; price 50 cents per box.

A Chicago lawyer saved a widow from going to jail and lost his own liberty. She married him.

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of Defiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they cannot sell any other starch.

which is the exact floral image of a hamming bird. The breast is green the wings are deep rose color, the throat yellow, the head and beak al most black.

To vote for a member of parlia ment a Japanese must be 25 years old and pay about \$7.50 annually it direct national taxation. This rule shuts out nearly 99 per cent of the population of Japan.

Mrs. Maybrick's figure in wax which has been for many years in Mme. Tussaud's exhibition in London, has been withdrawn. Whitaker Wright's has taken its place.

volcanoes. The imopriance of the young man sitting on the box of a deposits was only recently recog handsome automobile,

If a well could be dug forty-six miles into the earth, the air at the bottom would, at the proportion maintained at the surface of the globe, have the density of quicksilver.

The members of an African tribe keep their individual records of acta of personal interest by means of tat had never passed his brain, so his astoo marks. Preferably, the diary is tonishment may be guessed when the kept on the body of a wife.

She-I am not the only girl you ever kissed. He-How do you know that? She-Well, I've had some experience mysetf.

A football team of English lads cause, like the team, they are hard to

The young man who wants to make his mark in the world should avoid red

SOAKED IN COFFEE.

Until Too Stiff to Bend Over. "When I drank coffee I often had sick headaches, nervousness and bilionsness much of the time but about 2 years ago I went to visit a friend and got in the habit of drinking Pos-

"I have never touched coffee since and the result has been that I have been entirely cured of all my stemach and nervous trouble.

"My mother was just the same way, we all drink Postum now and have never had any other coffee in the house for two years and we are all well.

"A neighbor of mire a great coffee drinker, was troubled with pains in her side for years and was an invalid. She was not able to do her work and could not even mend clothes or do anything at all where she would have to bend foward. If she tried to do a little hard work she would get such pains that she would have to lie down for the rest of the day.

"I persuaded her at last to stop drinking coffee and try Postum Food Coffee and she did so and she has used Postum ever since; the result has been that she can now do her work, can sit for a whole day and mend and can sew on the machine and she never feels the least bit of pain in her side, in fact she has got well and tt shows coffee was the cause of the

I could also tell you about several her neighbors who have been cured quitting coffee and using Postum to place." Name given by Postum Battle Creek, Mich.

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Outbound. A lonely sail in the vast sea-room, I have put out for the port of gloom. The voyage is far on the trackless' tide. The watch is long and the seas are wide. The headlands blue in the sinking day

Kiss me a hand on the outward way. The fading gulls, as they dip and veer, Lift me a voice that is good to hear. The great winds come, and the heaving The restloss mother, is calling me. The cry of her heart is lone and wild, Searching the night for her wandered child.

Beautiful, weariless mother of mine, In the drift of doom I am here, I am thine.

Beyond the fathom of hope or fear. From bourn to bourn of the dusk I steer. Swept on in the wake of the stars, in the or a roving tide, from dream to dream.

-Unknown.



A GASOLINE CUPID

By CRITTENDEN MARRIOTT

Wough!" The automobile ceased its o'clock. My train goes out then." monotonous chant, coughed once or twice and subsided into a state of silence, and, alas! immobility. In a moment the chauffeur was off his seat and poking about in the machinery. Then he went to the door of the carriage and touched his hat.

"Beg pardoh, miss," he said, "but she's broke down an'll have to go to There is a wild flower in Turkey to get around the city some other | tol?" wav."

The girl on the back seat-a tall, hardsome blonde with the bluest of blue eyes-uttered an exclaimation. 'If that isn't too bad! And I've got just two hours to see Washington before my train goes! Can't you call another auto for me?"

The chauffeur glanced around him. "Oh, yes'm," he said. "Of course. There ought to be some here on the stand now, only there sin't. But I'll go in an' telephone for one right away.

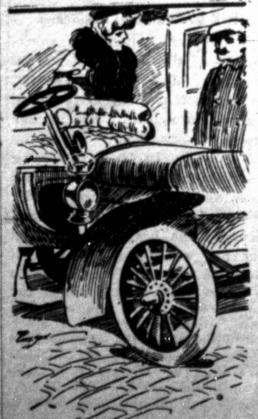
The man looked doubtfully at the machine indicated. "Don't think so, miss," he answered. "That's a private machine, or I miss my guess; still, The Japanese petroleum appears in I'll ask." Leaving the girl he walked over to the curb and addressed

> No one familiar with the new horseless vehicle would for one moment have supposed that the one in question was for hire. "Racer" appeared in every line of its build and costliness in the exquisite nicety of its construction.

That anything but an instant negative would be the answer to his query "whether that machine was for hire?" young man on the box started, glanced at the girl still sitting in the injured vehicle a short distance away. flushed deeply, and replied in the affirmative. Then, without waiting for further explanation, he promptly ran his machine to the side of the other, and halted to permit the girl to climb in. The next moment they were swinging down the avenue at a lively gait.

The girl leaned forward. "Ahem!" she said. "Did the other man tell you

where I wanted to go?" "Said you wanted to see the city, ma'am," returned the young man, respectfully, but in a curiously muffled tone. He had kept his head averted, almost as if he wished to conceal his features-a wish-if it were a wishin which he had been successful; the



"She's broke down an'll have to to the shop. girl had looked at the machine, but

not at the driver. started and clanced curiously at him, here's the city ball. Shail I go in and is cleanly, attends to sanitary instructions, and is ardently patriotic. He mant chord in her memory. "Yes." go in with me?"

"Teuf! Teuf! Teuf! Hrrr! | but I want to get to the depot by 3 "Yes'm. I'll get you there in time. Going East, ma'am?"

> Again the girl looked at him curiously: "Yes," she answered slowly. "I'm on my way to college."

"Oh-er-you believe in the higher education of women, then."

The girl's eyes were dancing with fun now. "Under certain circumthe shop. I'm sorry, but you'll have stances," she said. "Is that the capi-

> "Yes'm, that's the capitol. Under certain circumstances. What circumstances, for instance?" "Oh, a stepmother at home for in-



he exclaimed, "Do you Bessie," mean it? stance. How many senators are

there?" "Three hundred and eighty-six, I believe. A stepmother might be a terror to some girls, of course, but most of them can get away from one home to another without going to college." "How? By the way, is that the li-

brary?" "Yes. Why, of course, most girls have-have-can marry." The man was speaking eagerly now, but he still kept his face turned away and threw

the words over his shoulder. "Married! Whew! That's a very radical remedy. It might be worse than the other trouble. How many books are there in the library?"

"Two or three million, I believe. Oh, no! You wouldn't find it so. I'm sure. Think of growing into a spectacled old maid! All college girls do, you know. Then think of that young fellow just longing to make a home for you---

"What building is that?" "That? Oh, the patent office or the pension office or something! think

"But suppose the girl has sent him away?"

"Then let her whistle him back and see whether he won't come." The girl glanced at the broad back of the man before her, while her

shoulders quivered with silent mirth. Then she puckered up her lips and deliberately emitted a clear, soft whistle. The effect was magical. Instantly the chauffeur swung around in his seat and faced her. "Bessie!" he exclaimed, "do you mean it?"

The girl smiled at him, though her eyes were dewy. "Of course ! do. Frank," she said. "I never thought you would go away as you did just for a word. No! No! Keep your seat. You can say all that's really necessary from where you are."

"And you knew me all the time?" "Of course. The minute I really looked at you. But you'll make me

miss my train." "Train? No train for you! I'll not take any changes now. Your interest When the enauffeur spoke she in the city may have lapsed, but

he said, "I do want to see the city, He had sprung from the seat and and thinks himself well off.

stood holding out his hands, the light of love pleading in his eyes. "Won't you go in with me, Bessie?" he asked

For an instant the girl hesitated; then she took the proffered hand. "Yes, Frank," she said softly. "I will go with you-now and always."

Bless that old gasoline rattletrap that broke down with you," he cried. stamps. "It must have been one of Cupid's upto-date chariots in disguise."-Boston

COULDN'T STAND FOR DEATH.

But Miser Was Willing to Go Half Way-for Money.

Mark Hanna's successor, Gen. Dick. was in his youth a teller in an Akron by steamer for over 2,000 miles. bank. Of his banking experiences he sometimes says:

"One of the depositors with our firm had the reputation of being a miser I don't know whether he was a miset or not, but I do know that he would sometimes make in one day three or gion the island of Maita imports dollars, now fifty cents. Did you ever ucts a year. hear of such a thing?

"They used to tell a queer story about this old fellow. They used to conflict with the popular belief in the declare that a man once went to him equinoction storm. and said:

"'I'm a doctor, and I'll give you \$10,000 if you'll let me kill you. 1 want to see how, cut in a certain vein, a man dies.

"The old miser wrinkled his forehead.

"'Let me think a bit,' he said.

"There was a long silence. "'Well?' said the visitor.

"'Give me till to-morrow,' said the miser. 'I'll think this business out thoroughly, and to-morrow I'll give you a decisive answer, yes or no." "So the man went away, and the

next day he returned. The miser said to him: "'I can't let you kill me for \$19,000. friend. I've figured if all out, and

I find that your money would be no good to me after I was dead. I'll tell you what I will do, though. I'll let you half kill me for \$5,000."

Where the Line is Drawn.

Congressman Joe T. Robinson of Arkansas, who is serving his first term in Washington, is authority for the fact that while his state may have solved to contribute a penny a memits faults when it comes to gallantry ber each lunar month toward a parwith the fair sex "old Arkansaw" shows up grandly. During his term in the legislature a third assistant clerk had to be elected and by unanimous consent it was decided that the place should go to a woman. The energetic champions of three fair daughters of the state enlisted themselves and only after twenty-four ballots. Miss Hicks, or, as a member designated her, the "Lily of Lafayette," was' chosec.

"Yes." responded John R. Thaver. to whom Robinson was telling the interesting story. "Man's admiration for woman never flags. He will give her half his fortune; he will give her his whole heart: in fact he seems cept his seat in the street car."-Boston Journal.

Thieves Made Rich Haul.

The cathedral church of Santillana, in the province of Santander, Spain, which is one of the finest specimens of the Gothic-Hispano art existing, and dates back to the eleventh century, was recently robbed of treasures valued at \$500,000. Thieves broke in and stole gold and silver ornaments and plate weighing 450 pounds, the gifts of congregations of worshipers for centuries. The church is a veritable museum of national art, and some of the pieces stolen are priceless from the point of view of antiquity and workmanship. The robbers were seen to leave the church, and, entering the fast motor car with their booty, drive away before an alarm could be given. An examination of the building showed that the affair had been most skillfully planned.

A Child's Thought of God. They say that God lives very high; But if you look above the pines

You cannot see our God; and why? And if you dig down in the mines You never see Him in the gold, Though from Him all that's glory shines,

God is so good, He wears a fold Of heaven and earth across His face-Like secrets kept, for love, untold.

But still I feel that His embrace Slides down by thrills, through all things Through sight and sound of every place; As if my tender mother laid On my shut lips her kisses' pressure, Half-waking me at night, and said, "Who kissed you through the dark, dear

-Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

The Japanese Scidier.

Rice and fried fish form the food of the Japanese army in campaigning times. The rice is boiled until quite thick and glutinous, and then cut into squares. When possible fruit is sub-

stituted for fish. The Japanese soldier, according to M. Pichon, has muscles like whipcord, is a sure shot, has an eye for landmarks, and a memory for locality. He can do with three hours' sleep out of the twenty-four, here's the city hall. Shall I go in and is cleanly, attends to sanitary instruc-

The canaries of Germany excel all other canaries as singers. One has been known to continue a single trill for a minute and a quarter, with twenty changes of note in it.

In celebration of the centenary of Servia's liberation from Turkish rule. the Servian government is about to issue a special series of postage

Charles P. Taft of cincinnati has purchased Corot's "Le Soir" for \$75. 000 and Diaz's "Autumn Forest of Fontainbleau," for \$35,000 from a New York dealer.

According to a magazine devoted to engineering, the Yukon river, which is 2,400 miles in length, is navigable

A bowl of quicklime placed in a dam'p cupboard, and occasionally renewed, will abcorb the moisture and make the cupboard dry.

four deposits—now a dollar, now two about \$5,000,000 worth of foreign prod-

For the sustenance of its popula-

The records of the weather bureau

A Boy's Story.

Cross Roads, Warren Co., Tenn., May 2nd .- Orbra Young, the elevenyear-old son of Mr. Lester Young, of this place, has never been a strong boy for almost from his birth he has suffered more or less with a distressing Kidney Complaint. Recently, however, he has appeared to be growing stronger and better till, indeed, to-day he is a splendid looking hearty lad. He is a bright and very intelligent boy and speaks of his former illness

in this way: "I have been bothered with Kidney Trouble nearly all my life. I was gradually growing worse, and at last it got so bad that I had to get up three or four times every night. I commenced to use a medicine called Dodd's Kidney Pills and in a short time I was better. Now I can sleep all night without getting up and I feel well all the time. Dodd's Kidney Pills are a good remedy, and I can't help but speak a good word for them."

Miners in South Wales have reliamentary representation fund.

How to Keep House.

With all the luxuries and pleasures of this life, its big enjoyments and its smaller comforts, there is an offset or antithesis which we have to contend with in the form of aches and pains. in some way and by some means every one has a touch of them in some form at some time. Trifling as some of them may be, the risk is hat they will grow to something greater and rack the system with constant torture. There is nothing, therefore, of this kind that we have a right to trifle with. Taken in time, the worst-forms of pains and aches are easily subdued and cured by the free use of St. Jacobs Oil. No well ready to give her every advantage ex- regulated household ought to be without a bottle of this great remedy for pain. It is the specific virtue of penetration in St. Jacobs Oil that carries it right to the pain spot and effects a prompt cure even in the most painful cases of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica. You want it also in the house at all times for hurts, cuts and wounds, and the house that always has it keeps up a sort of insurance against pain.

> More men would have indigestion !! forced to eat their words.

> Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold

Borrowing is a disease that is conta gious rather than infectious.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz .- one full pound-while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in % pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Deflance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand. Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

The general depth of the Niagara river at the brink of the fails is four

Ask Your Dealer For Allen's Foot-Ease, A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Corns. Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. At all Druggists and Shoe stores, 25 cents. cept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

The importation of raisina, which formerly amounted to nearly 2,000,000 boxes a year has been reduced to almost nothing by the California crop,

************** Local Stems.

Uneeda biscuit at Billy Lewis

Graham crackers at Billy Lewis & Co's. Fishing tackle at Billy Lewis

Ribbon cane syrup at Billy Lewis & Co's.

Come and see Mrs. Bricker's new street bats.

If shirts are what you need call on King & Millar.

Have you seen those new shirts at King & Millar's?

Good hams and breakfast bacon at Billy Lewis & Co's.

Major J. C. Wootters is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Buy Royal baking powder, the best, at Billy Lewis & Co's.

The Big Store's millinery department is showing the latest.

Miss Lea Arrington visited at Groveton Saturday and Sunday.

> Monarch shirts are better. KING & MILLAR.

D. J. Jones & Co. are candidates for your lumber and shingle trade.

S. L. Murchison of Groveton

Rev. J. A. Howard and little daughter were at Galveston this

The Big Store sells you 20 lbs of fancy Y. C. sugar for one

What do you think of a parasol for 25c? You can get it at Henry

Miss Corry Goolsby returned from a visit to her sister at Alto from the Big Store. Sunday.

tackle of all kinds at the New is rather slim, go and have a talk Drug Store.

line in town.

Miss Jessie Jones returned to Kennard Sunday, accompanied by Mr. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Page were visitors to San Antonio Saturday

and this week. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harmon of Palestine spent several days

here this week. The Big Store can show you the prettiest dress goods, trimmings

and accessories. A. B. Mulligan reports heavy rains at Porter Springs Saturday

and Sunday nights. Potato buyers are here ready to niture store. Newton & Sims. handle the crop which is beginning to move this week.

Just Received.

A new lot of white kid belts, tf cheap at the Big Store.

line of barbed wire and hog fenc-The price is right.

A. H. Wootters and Jim Smith shipped the first car of potatoes, which went out last week.

The soda fountain at the New Drug Store is in full operation. All the new drinks served.

"Tell It."

You can get 35 lbs of good rice for one dollar at the Big Store.

John Dominic of Houton was the guest of his friend, F. P. Gandolph, Sunday and Monday.

Shades of all kinds and prices at the furniture store.

NEWTON & SIMS. Cleaning, pressing and repairing a specialty.

KING & MILLAR. Matting from fifteen cents to

the best at the furniture store. NEWTON & SIMS.

Miss Rena Spence of Grapeland, who has been visiting Mrs. J. F. Saxon, has returned home.

Snuitation

If you have never had any dealings with us, please consider this an invitation to give us a trial : : : :

B. 3. Chamberlain,

THE DRUGGIST.

An Ever Tidy Comb keeps up all stray back hair. The Big Store has them and they are

Minnow seins, trot lines, river hooks, jointed and Japanese bamboo fishing poles at the New Drug

Henry Bloch can fit you in any kind of wearing apparel, at prices spent the greater part of the week that will make you feel ten years younger.

> Go around to Henry Bloch's and ask him to show you those elegant shoes for men, women and

> Bargain day at Mrs. Bricker's will be Saturday, May 7. Big lot of hats to go at 50c. Don't fail to see them.

Buy you a pretty belt, wrist bag or purse, shirt waist set, pompadour or Ever Tidy comb

If you need a new sutit or a Base ball goods and fishing pair of trousers, and your purse with Henry Bloch.

stock food on earth.

Farmers!

Replant your cotton with King's New Improved seed. A few bushels for sale at the Big Store.

We have a new up-to-date line of lace curtains from seventy cents to five dollars a pair.

NEWTON & SIMS.

Have your suit made where you can get a fit and save from \$2.50 to \$5.00 on the price. KING & MILLAR.

Why be bothered with mosquitoes when you can buy mosquitobar from us so cheap, at the fur-

For Sale.

One pair thoroughbred Poland China pigs, 5 months old.

D. T. ADAIR.

We have nice robes for ladies, The Big Store is carrying a full men and children cheaper than you can buy the material. NEWTON & SIMS.

> Remember, we sell you a madeto-measure suit for \$7.50. Fit and workmanship guaranteed. KING & MILLAR.

Miss Kate Lively of Grapeland came down Sunday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. W. V. Berry, and returned Monday evening.

Coffins from five dollars to the best metalic casket. Calls promptly answered night or day. NEWTON & SIMS.

The city court has been full of business during the past two weeks. City Attorney Marvin Ellis is vigorously prosecuting all offenders of the law.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Starr have els out of here.

The Big Store is now showing some pretty silks that are strictly water and perspiration proof. They make beautiful waists or

Mrs. Bricker will have a beautiful selection of patterns this week. If you want something nobby and stylish call and see

For the freshest groceries, the best groceries, the cheapest groceries and the quickest delivery of same phone or call on the Big Store.

Misses Leila and Pearla Doyle of Henderson were passengers on the north-bound train Sunday afternoon. They had been visiting at Huntsville.

Well-boring in the prospective oil field at Driskill's is reported to be at a standstill. The president of the company is expected on the ground this week.

See D. J. Jones & Co. for prices

on all kinds of finished lumber. They make bevelled siding, match flooring, beeded ceiling and sawed shingles. Workmanship is firstclass.

to marry Miss Eula Moore. Both wishes to the Courier." weddings occurred Sunday. The Courier extends congratulations.

for fertilizer.

minute train from Houston to day to the same point. Crockett, making only two stops in the county-Crockett and Grapeland—stopping at Grapeland for water. This train going north passes Crockett at 1:28 in the af-

until the 200 acres of potatoes is exhausted

E. Winfree announces for county judge. Judge Winfree is no stranger to the office of county judge, having held the office for affable and capable and has many warm friends over the county.

Important Notice.

Dallas last week where he purchasalso brought back a hair tonic and dundruff cure that he guarantees. Give him a call. Customers who work done for \$1.00 per month.

Bank Notice.

The Farmers and Merchants National Bank, located at Crockett, Texas, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

ARCH BAKER, Pres. m10 2m Holly.

Miss Lizzie Jones of Trinity county has again contracted for a school in this county, and the people of Holly community have made a choice selection in securing her services to teach their school. It would be a credit to any school to secure the services of Miss Jones.

Missionary Rally.

There will be a Missionary Raltaken up their residence in Crock- at Pennington beginning Thursday bility of stating he will find much Geyer & Griswold have selectett and are stopping with Mr. and night before the 5th Sunday in more pleasant in the summer than ed their large company with the Mrs. Thos. Self. Mr. Starr trav- May and continuing through Sun- Joliet, which is near Chicago. greatest of care, employing only The children's exercises at the surely be present and other prom- comes such valuable acquisitions as Everybody in the country can Methodist church Sunday night inent Baptists are expected. It Mr. Fisher and his family and it afford to see Ten Nights in a Bar F. Saxon, has returned home. were of a high order and enjoya-ble. As an evidence of the appre-church is urged to send representa-tives. A program may be expect where the winters are short and sion which is only 25c for adults,

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Office Over J. E. Monk's Store.

Election of Trustees.

An election for school trustees will be held in Crockett Saturday. Three trustees are to be elected and the following have consented to let their names go on the ticket: Allen Newton, H. J. Phillips and Association will be held in the J. S. Cook.

letter to the editor, says in effect tend, and also requests that you that getting the COURIER "is like appoint not less than ten of the seeing kinfolks." He writes most enterprising real estate dealfrom Starks, La., where he is en- ers or owners in your county as gaged in saw milling. He closes delegates to represent the interest his letter as follows: "Hurrah of your section in this convention, for the man that comes out in the as matters of importance will lead in the primary, but I would come up which will be of interest Licenses were issued Saturday stop them at one primary. It to the whole state. to J. A. Berry to marry Miss Jes- makes me think of old times to see sie Rustin and to J. C. Lansford the list of announcements. Best

Messrs. Wetzel and Sweet ship-Nat Wetzel bought a four-horse wagon-load of seed peas Monday from a Leon county farmer.

ped for the Natalie plantation King, H. J. Arledge, John Lecompany Monday by express to Gory, J. R. Sheridan, J. W. Madden, A. A. Aldrich, Nat Wetzel, This was their second shipment, J. D. Freeman, A. H. Wootters, When his crops are gathered he fifty crates having been previously Joe Adams and J. W. Young, to will plant them on the same ground shipped, both shipments making represent the interest of Houston and turn them under in the fall 155 crates or 513 bushels. These county at the seventh annual beans were quoted on the St. Louis meeting of the Real Estate and market at a dollar a crate or three Industrial Association of Texas, to The I. & G. N. is now running dollars a bushel. This same coma three-hour and twenty eight- pany will ship 200 crates Thurs- 12th of May. This is a matter

going on in Crockett, as much as be selected from the above list you hear "dull times." Mr. Ed- that will attend this meeting, but dy will build a fine residence on trust that all who can will go. the property south of town which he bought from J. V. Collins, The managers of the Natalie three elegants homes are in the plantation are to begin digging course of construction in east Buy your slippers from the Big The New Drug Store has just day). They have three potato each other and a plate-glass front planatory:

"Supt. Walker King," Store. They have the prettiest received a big shipment of Inter- digging machines of the latest is being added to the east side of national Stock Food-the best pattern and will use a hundred the public square. Evidence of hands. The work will not stop public improvement and home pride are on every hand and the man who doesn't get out of the old rut is going to get run over.

Hail and Cloudburst.

E. E. Barlow was in town Monthree terms previous to his defeat day from Belott and reported a two years ago. While in office he terrific waterspout on Hickory proved himself to be at all times Creek Saturday night. Fences, water-gaps and all small bridges were washed away. Great rafts of brush and trash were washed from the creek bottom out into Barker Tunstall returned from the fields and left. Much land on Mr. Barlow's place was ruined by ed some of the best barber tools the great volume of water rushing that could be found in the city. He over it, cutting gulleys in some places and covering up his crops in others. Mr. Barlow says that after the rainfall had ceased the pay in advance can have their roar of the creek was deafening. A heavy hail storm preceded the waterspout. Nothing like it has which the present class has had. ever before been experienced on Hickory Creek, according to Mr. Barlow's recollection. Farmers if this work is again approved, the spent Sunday rebuilding their Latin course will be added to the fences and much of the crop will affiliated list of studies. No have to be replanted.

Will Build \$8,000 Residence. Mr. Fisher, one of the stockholders of the Natalie plantation company, left Joliet, Ill., Tuesday provided, so that our high school for Crockett and will arrive here can take its stand with the best of today (Thursday). Mr. Fisher the state. and his associates have bought the LeGory farm two miles from town pear and peach orchards. Mr. still there are few plays that pos-Fisher wilf build an \$8,000 residence in the beautiful grove on piece today. the hill where the Dunnam old the story is a popular one, and house stands, which he will use as the incidents of the play are faa winter residence and which the miliar to every man, woman and ly of the Neches River association Courier will take the responsi-child in the country. day. Dr. J. B. Gambrell, State We think we can speak for the first-class talent. Band concert at Superintendent of Missions, will county when we say that it wel- 7 o'clock nightly spring line of Monarch shirts, the wery newest patterns.

King & Millar.

having the entertainment in charge ed very soon in these columns. Pennington knows how to care for fruit and vegetable culture.

the summers tempered by the children under six years free. So the seating capacity of the church for fruit and vegetable culture.

Remember the date, May 7.

Delegates Appointed.

DALLAS, TEXAS, April 14. Judge Porter Newman,

Crockett, Texas. The seventh annual meeting of the Real Estate and Industrial city of Dallas, May 11 and 12. The executive committee extends Hon. J. H. Ratcliff, in a personal a cordial invitation for you to at-

Yours very truly, A. N. Evans, Sec. In compliance with the above request I appoint the following persons: D. A. Nunn, G. Q be held at Dallas on the 11th and that ought to be looked after by the people of this county, and I There is much improvement hope that at least a committee will

Respectfully, PORTER NEWMAN.

City School Affiliated. The following letter is self ex-

Crockett, Texas. I am glad to inform you that at the last meeting of the faculty, the Crockett High school was affiliated with the University of Texas in English, history and ma-

thematics. Congratulating you upon your success in securing affiliation, and trusting that this result will prove of great benefit to both the unirersity and your high school, I remain very sincerely yours, W. S. Surron

Chairman of Committee on Affiliated Schools.

March 31st, 1904." There are five departments of study in the high school, viz: Mathematics, history, Latin, English and science. No fault is found with the Latin work as done in the high school. But a four-years' course is required instead of three Next year's class will complete the required course of four years, and school without a laboratory can be affiliated in science, so our school can not ask for affiliation in that department at present. It is to be hoped that at an early day the necessary equipment will be W. KING, Supt.

Ten Nights in a Bar Room.

Although this play has been beon the Huntsville road, including fore the public for so many years, sess the drawing powers of this

The secret of its success is that

THE COURIER.

W. W. AIKEN, - Editor and Proprietor

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to make the following announcements, subject citizen of the county feels a pride Collins, Gandolph and others. The to the action of the democratic in the court house and grounds Veterans in happy frame of mind party:

For District Judge B. H. Gardner John Young Gooch J. M. Crook For District Attorney

Jo A. McDonald For State Senator C. C. Stokes John B. Peyton

For Representative L. A. Daniel Jas. Christian For County Judge Porter Newman

E. Winfree For Sheriff A. W. Phillips John C. Lacy Jim Barbee

S. M. Holcomb For County Treasurer T. C. Lively D. J. Cater M. M. Baker

E. B. Tims For County Clerk Nat E. Allbright James Owens Miss Freddie Luker

For Tax Collector J. W. Brightman J. R. Sheridan Ben H. Logan John A. McConnell

For District Clerk Nat Patton J. B. Stanton John A. Goolsby For County Attorney L. A. Sallas John Spence J. A. Ragland

For Tax Assessor Bailey Hatchell Tony Gossett John H. Ellis

H. B. (Jack) Clark For Commissioner Prec. No. 1 J. N. Tyer

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2 J. E. Bean Ross Murchison

J. B. (Berkley) Ellis For Commissioner Prec. No. 3 W. J. Peacock J. D. McCullar Ab Thomasson

I. L. Jeffus For Commissioner Prec. No. 4 H. W. McCelvey J. E. Smith E. D. Lockey J. C. Starling

For Justice Peace Prec. No. 1 J. W. Saxon For Justice Peace Prec. No. 3

W. R. Sneed For Constable Prec. No. 1 O. B. (Deb) Hale Bony Satterwhite N. S. Box

With good and wide streets and With good and wide streets and the same day, and possibly sidewalks capital will seek larger the same hour. The D. A. Nunn investment here and railroads will Chapter invited the Veterans of

All matter appearing in the celebration of Decoration and Courses in the interest of any Memorial day. local candidate for office, not At eleven o'clock the ladies, of an established rule in this office grand old Veterans. The hall and all other well-regulated offices was gay with Confederate colors, the interest of some particular gave the Veteraus a beautiful ad-candidate or candidates, who, be-dress of welcome, at the conclu-ready to ship. Berries are plenti-sion of which she told them of ful. bearing the expense of the publication, and usually they do not, the Confederacy, at Houston last visited her parents last week.

for the American office-seeker is December, to inaugurate measures Mrs. Pearl Burke of Bulah, vistored and the complete seeker is December, to inaugurate measures of the publication of th signed or credited, showing the in the State of Texas; read them her circular letter, and letter from will have a Sunday school rally that they do not emanate from the Hon. John H. Reagan, approving in way of a picnic at the Concord editoral room of the paper. No and endorsing the movement, and church, May 14th, 1904. Every editorial will be written or pub- called upon the Veterans for an body is invited to come and bring

move all hitching racks and chains President Davis, "the uncrowned to the rear alleys and streets, do- king, enthroned in the hearts of ing away with all posts around the his people," as Henry Grady so court yard. Then a brick curb eloquently described him. ing is to be put around the yard, An elegant dinner was served. the lawn raised and terraced and during which beautiful music was in other ways beautified. Every rendered by Messrs. Brightman, and their present unsightly and then repaired to the hall for the unsavory condition does not meet musical and literary feast that with public favor or approbation. followed. A continual stench emanates from the hitching racks, endangering President of the Chapter, Mrs. the public health and producing Wootters, so charmingly and graflies in swarms. If only one man clously bestowed the crosses of hitches at these racks, he rides as honor, was that we did not have near to one of the gates as possi- crosses for every Veteran present. ble and leaves his horse standing These Southern crosses of honor across the walk in front of the are said to be made from the first gate, to obstruct and befoul the guns fired at Fort Sumpter; so public thoroughfare. We believe dearly are they prized by the the officials will meet with the en Daughters and the Veterans, that couragement of a self-respecting it is impossible to get them until public in their undertaking which the blank certificates of eligibility the Courier does not hesitate to are filled out and certified to by say is a most laudable one. Let two witnesses and commander of this improvement be made and let the camp. These blank certificates others follow.

ly used in south central Texas in the destruction of the boll weevil. ceives the certificates. The method of using paris green is about the following, so as to be safe with the general farmer: Mix a heaping teaspoonful of paris green with a quart of low grade C. G. (Gershom) Lansford flour. It must be very thoroughly stirred and mixed, in fact it ought to be sifted in with the flour so as to mix it thoroughly. In this diluted form it can be put onto a plant without injury, and quite as effectively, as an insecticide, or the farmer can take four ounces of paris green or london purple and mix into a thick paste with water, then put it into twenty-five gallons of water, sweetened molasses, or twenty-five gallons of lime white-wash and spray the plants. The above is the most approved method of using the poison. A high authority on the be just as effective. If there is a little dew on the cotton, it will us heard for the first time. make a paste and stick to the plant, says this authority. Reports from where the experiment Violin accompaniment. has been tried so far state that quite a number of the weevils are killed in this way. Smoe reports state that paris green is being used in its pure form, but there is great danger in killing the cotton by using it this way. The plan is worth trying, for a few dollars in this way may mean the saving D. A. Nunn Chapter. of a bale of cotton.

II. D. C. DEPARTMENT.

Decoration and Memorial Day, 1904.

Never did the sun shine brighter-never was there a more perfect day than April 26th, 1904.

An ideal day for the observance of the beautiful memorial service that the United Daughters of the in which they had been entertain-Confederacy hold once a year in memory of the honored dead. Crockett Camp 141 to unite with Cor. Sec., D. A. Nunn Chapter, them and assist in their second

written by the editor, is published the reception committee, were in as paid matter. This has become place to receive and greet the and will be strictly adhered to. flags and flowers, artistic decoraeficiaries, should not object to her appointment as chairman of enerally very liberally inclined. to have the birthday of ex-Presi- ited Mr. J. W. Reynold's family All such articles must be properly dent Davis made a legal holiday last Sunday. lished at the instigation of any one except the editor.

We understand the matter of improving the court house yard is being agitated by both the city and county officials. A better move could not be made. Our information is that the plan is to the Southern Confederacy—eximal body is invited to come and bring a basket; also cold drinks to sell proceeds to go for the benefit of the church. Let everybody come and help to make it pleasant for the Sunday school children. Program for the children's service will be gram for th

are ordered from Nashville and the crosses of honor from the Paris green is being successful- custodian in Atlanta, Ga., who will not send them until she re-

EXERCISES FOR THE AFTERNOON. Prayer by the Chaplain of the Camp.

A beautiful soul-stirring address

of welcome, by Capt. Wall.
"The Old Kentucky Home"-Lind Harmonics, Mrs. Walker King, Miss Ethel Wootters, Mrs. Jno. LeGory, Mrs. Henry Baker. Confederate flag drill, by twen-

ty-four little girls, music pupils of the school, dressed in white with red sashes, and carrying wreaths of flowers and small Confederate flags. The figures they made in marching were beautiful and when they stood in line singing "The Bonnie Blue Flag," in their clear, childish voices, cheer MERCHANT TAILORS. after cheer greeted them, Veterans threw up their hats, some looking on with tears in their eyes and applied with the poison and will one of the Veterans gave the "Rebel Yell," which the most of

> "Ben Bolt"—Mrs. Hail. Recitation, "Music in Camp."

> Kathleen Hail. Violin, Messrs Brightman and Collins. "Annie Laurie"-Miss Ethel

> Wootters. "Tenting To-night on the Old Camp Ground"-Lind Harmonics. Presentation of Crosses of Honor-Mrs. J. H. Wootters, Pres.

"Last Rose of Summer"-Mrs.

Walker King. Reading-Soldiers of the War-Mr. Payne.

"Dixie," sung by all standing. After last number, Commander Barbee, on motion from Mr. Martin, thanked the Daughters of the Confederacy in behalf of the Veterans for the bountiful dinner, beautiful exercises and manner, ed. Then all fell in line and marched to the cemetery to place Throughout the entire South fresh flowers on the graves of these services were being held on those who, though called to the "Great Beyond," are still, and will always be, with us in memory. MRS. CORINNE N. CORRY,

Texas Division, U. D. C.

From Daniel.

EDITOR COURIER:

Seeing nothing from Daniel in sometime, thought I would write the news of the community.

Health is very good at present, This rule is not adopted as a source tion making a lovely back-ground every body busy at work. Crops of deriving revenue, but to protect for the bright, young faces who are looking very well, some cotton our columns from long articles were to come in later for their being chopped and others waitthat are sent in to be published in part in the program. Mrs. Nunn ing for the weather to get warm-

Miss Emmie Glenn, who has



A Heart to Heart Talk

With sensible people on the subject of Dress shows that we are growing wiser. It used to be considered quite the proper thing for a man to pay his tailor forty dollars for a suit of clothes. In this enlightened age we would call it foolishness. The average man likes to be well-dressed but he has no burning desire to waste his money. More than 250,000 men are wearing Royal Tailoring to-day; the garments they have on were made to their measure by The Royal Tailors, of Chicago, and while they represent high-class individual

tailoring service, the men who wear them have the satisfaction of knowing that the cost was away below the usual charge for the same quality of goods and workmanship. Over 400 beautiful patterns in Spring and Summer novelty suitings just received from this

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20 " A. & H. Sod	a		 1.00
Magnolia Condensed M	ilk, can		 10
Allspice per pound			 15
Arbuckle's Coffee, 2 pa	ckages		 25
2-pound can Tomatoes,	each		 7
Big Bale Smoking Tob	acco, pound	l	 20
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Bluing, boxes, each			
Nugget Soap, cake			 2

The above figures are not confined to Groceries alone, but to all Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes and Hard-Yours truly,

C. L. Shivers,

Coltharp, Texas



Public Service.



For sixty days my Stallion will be at the service of the public, at Smith's Livery Stable in Crockett. Terms reasonable.

H. M. BARBEE