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NO. 1.

First Meeting of the D. A. Nunn Chapter, 1905.

The Daughters of the Confederacy held their first meeting of the year 1905 with Mrs. Jno. H. Wootters, Saturday afternoon, 3 p. m.

Officers elected: President, Mrs. Jno. Wootters; first vice-president, Mrs. Earle Adams, Sr.; second vice-president, Mrs. Hardin Bayne; third vice-president, Mrs. James W. Hall; fourth vice-president, Mrs. Frank Craddock; honorary presidents, Mrs. I. A. Taylor and Mrs. W. E. Mayes; recording secretary, Mrs. John LeGory; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Corinne N. Corry; treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Valentine; historian, Mrs. D. A. Nunn; chairman of program committee, Miss Ethel Wootters.

The president, Mrs. Wootters, read her annual address, giving account of the year's work, showing progress made and status of the Chapter. After this Mrs. Nunn presented a beautiful hand painted picture of Texas flags and a gavel, new year presents to the Chapter, sent Mrs. Nunn with request that she present them.

The picture shows the flags to which Texas has, in her history, owed allegiance: The Spanish, French, Mexico, the Lone Star of the Republic, the staff of which is crossed with the Confederate flag, in center of picture, and the Star Spangled Banner, to which she now owes allegiance. This beautiful picture is a work of art, and a gift from our esteemed friend, Mrs. A. R. Spence. The gavel came from two honorary members, Mrs. A. R. Howard of Palestine and Mrs. Ezell of Mississippi. This gavel was made by a Confederate veteran at Beauvoir, home of our president of the Confederacy, and of cedar found at that place.

After Mrs. Nunn's address of presentation, the Chapter gave a rising vote of thanks to Mrs. Spence, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Ezell for their lovely gifts.

Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Corry were appointed a committee to write these ladies in acknowledgment.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jas. W. Hall, exercises in honor of General Robert E. Lee.

Mrs. Corinne N. Corry, Cor. Sec.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting: You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Houston if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper pub-

lished in the third judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said third judicial district, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, to appear before the honorable district court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the county of Houston at the court house thereof, in Crockett on the second Monday in March, same being the 13th day of March, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1905, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4945, wherein H. H. Larue is plaintiff and S. J. S. Wood is defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit: That on the 12th day of January, 1901, plaintiff sold to defendant the following described tract of land: Situated in Houston county, Texas, south of the town of Crockett, adjoining the right of way of the International & Great Northern railroad, and beginning at a stake and rock on the east line of said right of way 114-5 vrs. south 17 degrees west from the south-west corner of the Breeding survey. Thence south 17 degrees west 223 vrs. corner on right of way and Jim Bynum's line. Thence north 35 degrees east with Hefflin's line 208 vrs. a stake for corner, from which a black jack 4 in. brs north 88 degrees west 4 vrs. Thence in a westerly direction 165 vrs. to the place of beginning and containing three acres of land.

That defendant executed his three certain promissory notes aggregating \$400.00 as part of the purchase money for said land, each retaining the vendor's lien thereon.

That in consideration of the premises plaintiff executed and delivered to the defendant a deed to the above described land retaining a vendor's lien on the above described land to secure the payment of the above mentioned notes, which deed the defendant had filed and recorded in the deed records of Houston county, Texas.

That upon the maturity of the said notes the defendant being desirous of canceling said sale, surrendered the said property to plaintiff and wrote across the face of his deed the word "Canceled" and delivered same to plaintiff. Thereafter the defendant executed and delivered to plaintiff his deed to the foresaid property, re-conveying said land in consideration of the cancellation of the said notes, but neither acknowledged the same nor is said deed witnessed in such manner as same could be proven for record.

Wherefore, plaintiff sues and prays that said deed from plaintiff to defendant be canceled and held for naught, and judgment removing cloud from title, for cost of suit and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, and have you before said court, on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Crockett this, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1905.

J. B. STANTON,

Clerk, Dist. Court, Houston Co., Texas.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by C. H. Douglass and estrayed before J. W. Saxon, justice of peace, precinct No. 1, Houston county, Texas, one bay mare pony, branded it s on left shoulder, 10 or 12 years old, about 14 1/2 hands high, scar on left shoulder. Appraised at fifteen dollars.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 19th day of January, 1905.

N. E. ALLRIGHT,
Co. Clerk, Houston Co., Texas.

Fertilizers

We have just received several cars of fertilizer ingredients which we are mixing with our cotton seed meal to produce one of the best, high grade, well balanced fertilizers for potatoes and other vegetables. We also mix a cotton and corn brand, hard to beat.

We are making nothing but the **very best goods, do not adulterate or use low grade ingredients.** Every one who has tried cotton seed meal, alone, knows its value as a fertilizer and when we add to this the other valuable ingredients bought, in just the right proportions, we know that we have something good.

The state chemist, Mr. H. H. Harrington, says, in a letter to us: "The analysis, in my opinion, makes an excellent showing and you have two excellent brands of fertilizers. Mr. Harrington makes analysis of every fertilizer legally sold in the state and places a value on every ton and it is a good idea in selecting a fertilizer to compare the tags found on the sacks of each brand, and it will pay you to see us at our office or some one who handles our brands before placing your order. **Ask for the Davy Crockett brand** put up by

THE HOUSTON COUNTY OIL MILL AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

Ask Your Merchants for Our Fertilizer.

Big Sale Now On

Our entire stock in Racket Store is being sold at actual cost. The time on the building will have expired March 1st and we are going to reduce the stock.

We Mean Business. Everthing at Actual Cost.

Come one, come all, and be made to realize the old addage,

"MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE"

This stock consists of Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Tinware, Glassware, Crockery and Novelties of all kinds, all of which was bought cheap and will be sold at cost.

Respectfully,

Dan J. Kennedy.

P. S.—Absolutely Nothing Charged.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon N. J. Bowdoin by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the third judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said third judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett on the second Monday in March, 1905, the same being the 13th day of March, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 23rd day of November, 1904, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4931, wherein Mrs. Eliza Kempner, a feme sole, and the duly qualified and appointed survivor in community of H. Kempner, deceased, and engaged in business in the name and firm style of H. Kempner, is plaintiff, and N. J. Bowdoin is defendant, and said petition alleging that defendant about Dec. 19, 1899, executed to J. E. Hollingsworth his five certain promissory notes, each dated Dec. 19, 1899, due Nov. 1, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904 respectively, each for \$300.00 with ten per cent per annum interest from maturity and providing that all past due interest on each note should bear interest after maturity at 10 per cent per annum, and providing for collection or if collected by legal proceedings; each of said notes payable to J. E. Hollingsworth, or order, and that same were given for the purchase money of 346 acres of land situated in Houston county, Texas, about 17 miles N. W. from the town of Crockett, and being part of the John Edens league, it being lot No. 9 in the partition of said league by the heirs of said John Edens. Beginning at a stake in the north boundary line of M. C. Dukes 500 acre tract and the S. W. corner of lot No. 2 from which a black-jack 14 inches in diameter brs. N. 14 1/2 W. 15 vrs. Thence N. 60 W. with said boundary line 1687 vrs. to a stake in the west boundary line of said league, from which a black jack 12 inches in diameter brs. S. 3 E. 9 vrs. and a hickory 14 inches in diameter brs. N. 58 west 12 vrs. Thence N. 30 E. with said boundary line 1158 vrs. to a stake from which a black jack 8 inches in diameter brs. N. 7 1/2 E. 3 vrs. and a hickory 4 inches in diameter brs. S. 18 W. 3 vrs. Thence S. 60 E. 1687 vrs. to a stake in the west boundary line of lot No. 7 from which a hickory 10 inches in diameter brs. N. 60 W. 3 and seven tenths vrs. Thence S. 30 W. 1158 vrs. to the place of beginning. That the vendor's lien was retained in said notes on said land to secure the payment of said money, interest and collection fees. That said J. E. Hollingsworth for a valuable consideration to him paid by plaintiff sold and delivered said notes to plaintiff before the maturity of the same, and plaintiff is the owner of them and of said lien. That said notes are due and plaintiff has demanded payment from defendant who has failed and refused to pay same except as follows: Jan. 24, 1901, \$79.36, Feb. 2, 1901, \$120.46, and April 21, 1901, \$19.08, which amounts are credited on said notes which matured first. That plaintiff has placed said notes in the hands of her attorneys for collection and suit, and prays judgment for the amount due on said notes, principal, interest and collection fees, for foreclosure of the vendor's lien on above described premises, for order of sale of same and writ of possession, costs of suit and general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

county.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 23rd day of Nov., 1904.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk Dist. Court, Houston Co.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 3rd judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett on the second Monday in March, 1905, the same being the 13th day of March, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of January, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4940, wherein A. H. Wooters and R. H. Wooters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wooters, are plaintiffs, and Lee Warren, Bruno Durst and the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple, claiming the same by chain of title from the sovereignty of the soil, of the following described tract of land: Situated in Houston county, Texas, being a part of the John Durst three leagues and eighteen labors on the Trinity river, containing 8618 1/2 acres and beginning at the N. W. corner of said grant on the N. E. bank of Trinity river in the southern line of the J. Musquez survey at a stake from which an ash 18 inches marked BX X brs. N. 83 W. 12 vrs. and a cotton-wood 6 ft. marked X brs. S. 88 W. 15 vrs. and a box elder 12 in. marked X brs. N. 52 W. 8 vrs. Thence N. 55 E. with the southern boundary of said Musquez survey 11790 vrs. to the most northern corner of said John Durst grant, and the N. W. corner of the Jose Estrado league, corner on an over-cup 24 in. from which do. 20 in. brs. S. 77 E. 5 vrs. and do. marked X 24 in. brs. N. 15 W. 3 vrs. Thence down Rucaes Creek with its meanders to the corner of said Durst grant, corner on an over-cup 6 in. from which do. marked X 13 in. brs. S. 69 W. 9 vrs., do. marked X brs. N. 80 W. 8 vrs. Thence S. 6 E. 1350 vrs. to another corner of said Durst grant, a B. J. 3 in. for corner from which a B. J. 13 in. marked J. D. brs. N. 22 E. 13 vrs. and a hickory marked JD 18 in. brs. N. 66 E. 21 vrs. Thence S. 70 1/2 E. with the N. E. line of said grant 400 vrs. Bozeman Ferry road, 1280 vrs. to San Antonio road, 1629 vrs. to stake 8 in. from which a P. O. 16 in. marked D brs. N. 6 and four tenths vrs., do. marked D 30 in. brs. S. 51 W. 17 and four tenths vrs. Thence S. 55 W. 4100 vrs. to a stake from which a P. O. marked D brs. N. 13 W. 4 vrs. Thence N. 35 W. 100 vrs. to a stake from which a P. O. 12 in marked D brs. S. 42 W. 14 vrs., do. marked D. brs. S. 2 E. 22 vrs. Thence S. 55 W. 2260 vrs. to stake from which a spanish oak 12 in. marked D brs. N. 24 W. 146 vrs. Thence N. 35 W. 570 vrs. to Bozeman Ferry road, 600 vrs. a persimmon 4 in. for corner, from which a sweet gum 12 in. marked D D brs. N. 56 E. 32 vrs. Thence S. 55 W. 200 vrs. a stake in bottom prairie from which a sweet gum 14 in. marked WD brs. S. 72 1/2 W. 150 vrs. Thence S. 35 E. 500 vrs. to Bozeman Ferry road, 1413 vrs. corner on the N. bank of Patterson lake on a burr oak 15 in. from which a cotton-wood 4 ft. marked D brs. N. 33 E. 5 vrs., a persimmon 12 in. marked WD brs. S. 30 W. 5 1/2-10 vrs., a burr oak 10 in. marked H. Thence S. 55 W. 40 vrs. to Patterson lake, 270 vrs. pass said lake, 1000 vrs. to stake, 2320 vrs. to the bank of said Trinity river at Bozeman Ferry, a stake from which an elm 15 in. marked XD brs. N. 64 E. 23 vrs. and a hickory 15 in. marked D brs. N. 76

E. 22 vrs., do. marked H brs. S. 81 1/2 E. 22 vrs. Thence up the E. bank of said Trinity river with its meanderings to the place of beginning.

That plaintiffs also claim title to said land by the three, five and ten years' statutes of limitation, and allege that the claims of defendants cast a cloud on their title, and pray judgment for said land and quieting their title to the same.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett this the 6th day of January, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, Dist. Court, Houston Co.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Richard Douglass, L. W. Rook, Richard Rook, Rush Aldrich, the unknown heirs of Mary Moore, deceased, the unknown heirs of Phillip Lively, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. N. Read, deceased, the unknown heirs of Adeline Atkinson, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 3rd judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett on the second Monday in March, 1905, the same being the 13th day of March, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4943, wherein Arch Baker is plaintiff, and Silas Douglass, Albert Douglass, Everett Douglass, Richard Douglass, R. S. Willis and wife, ——— Willis, L. W. Rook, S. H. Rook, Richard Rook, H. A. Rice, Joe Rice, Willis Dawson, A. E. Monk, John Gossett, Dozier Gossett, Buck Jeter and wife, Jennie Jeter, A. A. Aldrich, Rush Aldrich, C. I. Aldrich, R. L. Aldrich, C. M. Newton and wife, Elizabeth Newton, the unknown heirs of Mary Moore, deceased, the unknown heirs of Jacob Masters, Sr., deceased, and the International & Great Northern railroad company, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, to-wit: 458 acres of land lying and being situated in Houston county, Texas, about 6 miles N. E. from the town of Crockett, and being a part of the Jacob Masters, Sr., league. Beginning at the north-west corner of block No. 1 of partition of said league on the north-west B. line of same, 684 vrs. from the south-west corner of same, a B. J. marked X for corner. Thence S. 44 E. 3750 vrs. with division line between lots No. 1 and 2 of said division to corner on south-east B. line of said league, stake in field near San Antonio road. Thence north 46 east with said south-east B. line 684 vrs. to south-east corner of lot No. 3 of said division, a hickory 3 in. marked X brs. south 55 east 1 and two tenths vrs. and a P. O. 3 in marked X brs. south 67 east 2 vrs. Thence north 44 west with the division line between said lots No. 2 and 3 3750 vrs. to the north-west B. line of said league, two P. O. marked X. Thence S. 46 west with said north-west B. line 684 vrs. to the place of beginning. That said Jacob Masters, Sr., league was divided between the heirs of said Jacob Masters, Sr., and said 458 acres was set apart to Elizabeth Shaver, a daughter of said Jacob Masters, Sr. That there is no record of said partition in the deed records of said county. That plaintiff claims said land by deeds from the heirs of said Elizabeth Shaver. That defendant's

claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays for judgment establishing said partition and for judgment for said land, quieting his title thereto, and for such other and further decrees as plaintiff may be entitled to in law and equity.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 10th day of January, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, Dist. Court, Houston Co.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Moore, deceased, the unknown heirs of Telithia C. Barnett, deceased, the unknown heirs of S. S. Barnett, deceased, the unknown heirs of W. W. Wingfield, deceased, the unknown heirs of Phillip Lively, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. N. Read, deceased, the unknown heirs of Adeline Atkinson, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 3rd judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett on the second Monday in March, 1905, the same being the 13th day of March, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 9th day of January, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4942 wherein George Nicolson is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of John Moore, deceased, the unknown heirs of Telithia C. Barnett, deceased, the unknown heirs of S. S. Barnett, deceased, the unknown heirs of W. W. Wingfield, deceased, the unknown heirs of Phillip Lively, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. N. Read, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Adeline Atkinson, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, by the three, five and ten years' statutes of limitation, of the following described tract of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, about 5 1/2 miles S. W. from the town of Crockett, and being a part of the John Moore league, containing 100 acres of land and beginning at the S. W. corner of the Lewis Atkinson 200 acre survey, whence a hickory 12 in. marked X brs. S. 20 W. 8 vrs. Thence N. 35 W. with Atkinson S. W. B. line at 1172 vrs. a stake in the Huntsville old road from which a B. J. 12 in. marked X brs. N. 56 W. 9 vrs. and a B. J. 12 in. marked X brs. N. 32 W. 10 1/2 vrs. Thence N. 32 E. with Taylor Rasher's line at 442 vrs. to his Ell corner, a rock from which a P. O. 20 in marked X brs. S. 72 E. 6 vrs. Thence S. 35 E. with said Rasher's line 265 vrs. to a rock in old field. Thence N. 55 E. 55 vrs. to F. G. Edmiston's N. E. corner, a rock in old field. Thence S. 35 E. with Edmiston's line at 1080 1/2 vrs. to his S. W. corner a hickory 12 in marked X brs. S. 48 W. 7 vrs. and a hickory marked X brs. N. 54 W. 1 1/2 vrs. Thence S. 55 W. with Atkinson S. E. B. line at 470 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett this, the 9th day of January, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, Dist. Court Houston Co.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon N. J. Bowdoin by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the third judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said third judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the county court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the first Monday in February, 1905, the same being the 6th day of February, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 23rd day of November, 1904, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1069 wherein Mrs. Eliza Kempner, the duly qualified and appointed survivor in community of H. Kempner, and engaged in business under the name and firm style of H. Kempner is plaintiff, and N. J. Bowdoin and J. E. Hollingsworth are defendants, and said petition alleging that about Dec. 10, 1903, defendants, for a valuable consideration, executed their joint and several promissory note to plaintiff, dated Dec. 10, 1903, due Nov. 15, 1904, for \$355.47 with 8 per cent per annum interest from maturity and providing for ten per cent additional as collection fees if suit should be brought on same; that defendant, N. J. Bowdoin, to secure the payment of said note about Dec. 10, 1903, executed to plaintiff a certain chattel mortgage in writing on two mouse colored mare mules, about five years old, medium size, two black horse mules, about 10 years old, about 15 1/2 hands high, one 3 inch Bois D'Arc Star State wagon, twenty head of stock cattle, consisting of 12 cows and 8 head of bull, steer and heifer yearlings, most of them branded B on left hip. That defendants have failed and refused to pay said note though payment thereof has been demanded of them, and plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of her attorneys for collection and suit, and prays judgment against defendants, jointly and severally, for the amount due on said note, principal, interest and attorney's fees, for foreclosure of her said mortgage lien, for order of sale of said described personal property, costs of suit and general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, N. E. Allbright, clerk of the county court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 23rd day of November, 1904.

NAT E. ALLBRIGHT,
Clerk, Co. Court, Houston Co.

San Toy.

A most picturesque story of the Orient, set to charming music, will be the attraction at the Houston Theater, Wednesday and Thursday and Thursday Matinee, Jan. 25th and 26th.

The engagement is of much importance for several reasons.

Local playgoers have heard much of Mr. Powers' success since he made his debut as the principal comedian of the Augustin Daly Musical Company some years ago, and in the production of "San Toy" will see him in what has been conceded to be his best role. He plays the part of an up-to-date and not altogether too honest Chinaman, and the part gives free rein to his natural ability and inventive faculties.

There is a chorus of fifty six that is said to one of the best voiced auxiliary forces on the road this season, and in addition Mr. Fisher has provided a special orchestra and an equipment of scenery and costumes that will transform the stage into a veritable corner of China. The costumes were all imported direct from Shanghai and Peking through the firm of Sun Kim Lung & Co., of New York city.

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Of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.



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No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement.

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It will entirely cure the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian Troubles, Inflammation and Ulceration, Falling and Displacement of the Womb, and consequent Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

It has cured more cases of Backache and Leucorrhoea than any other remedy the world has ever known. It is almost infallible in such cases. It dissolves and expels tumors from the Uterus in an early stage of development.

Irregular, Suppressed or Painful Menstruation, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Flooding, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility quickly yield to it. Womb troubles, causing pain, weight and backache, instantly relieved and permanently cured by its use. Under all circumstances it invigorates the female system, and is as harmless as water.

It quickly removes that Bearing-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't care" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feeling, excitability, irritability, nervousness, Dizziness, faintness, sleeplessness, flatulency, melancholy or the "blues" and headache. These are sure indications of Female Weakness, or some derangement of the Uterus, which this medicine always cures. Kidney Complaints and Backache, of either sex, the Vegetable Compound always cures.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. Sold by Druggists everywhere. Refuse all substitutes.

But few men have the ability to combine business with pleasure.

McKANE'S DETECTIVE AGENCY, Houston, Texas, operates the largest force of competent detectives in the South since their call.

The best way to be grateful is to give another occasion for gratitude.

They sure do knock colds out—Cheatham's Laxative Tablets, guaranteed.

There is nothing on earth so full of mischief as a mischievous woman.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, always cures whooping cough. See a bottle.

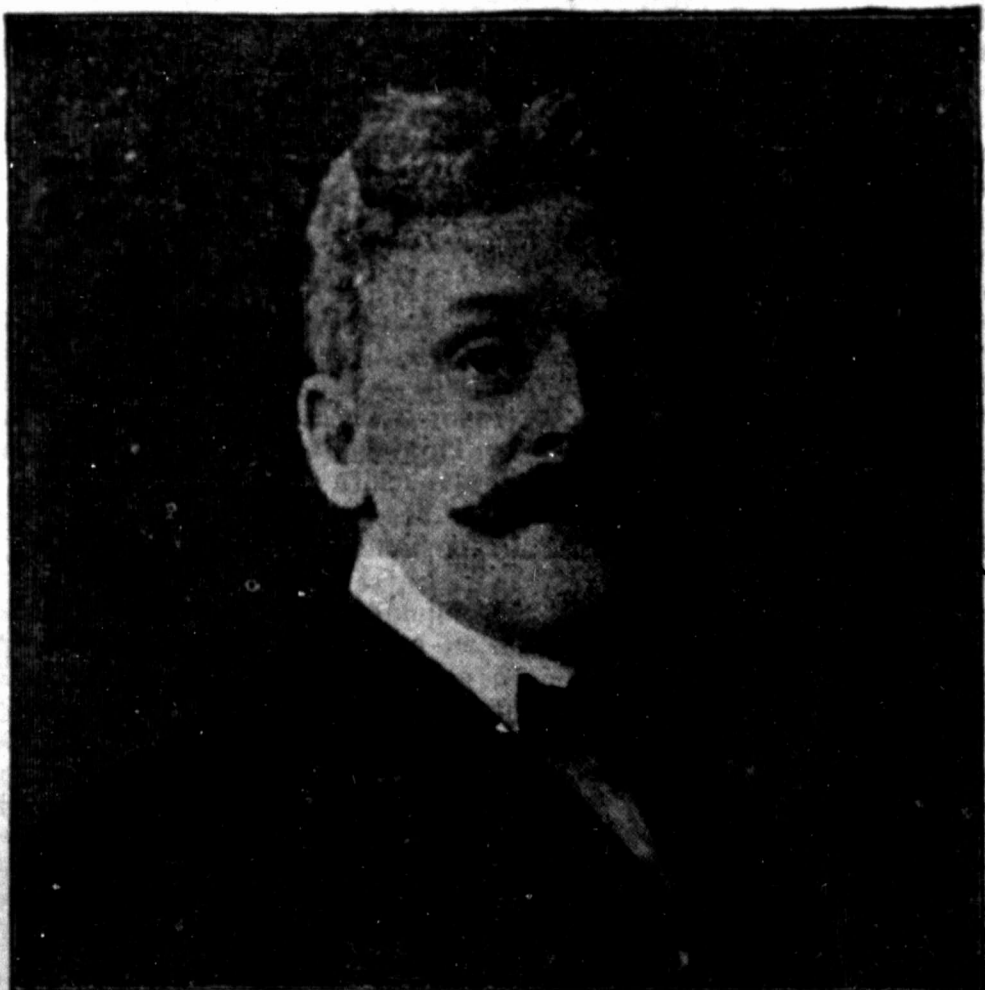
The great thing is not so much to fill the pews as to fill the people.

Wives of Siamese noblemen cut their hair so that it sticks straight up from their heads. The average length of it is about one and a half inches.

Dr. Hunter, Specialist. In ailments of the eye, ear, nose, throat, lungs, catarrh, consumption and their treatment by new methods of curative treatment. A list of questions and a book containing one thousand testimonials principally from residents of Texas will be sent to any address. A friendly talk or letter and full diagnosis cost you nothing. Address, Dr. J. B. Hunter, 310 Main Street, Houston, Texas.

Out of the abundance of your harvest let the Lord and the editor have their tithe.

It has been discovered that San Francisco high school boys have been systematically "playing the races."



Alexander Hilton.

Alexander Hilton, formerly general passenger agent of the Frisco system, and prior to that, assistant general passenger agent of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis railway (now absorbed by the Frisco), has been advanced to the position of passenger traffic manager for both the Frisco and the Eastern Illinois systems, with headquarters in St. Louis. Mr. Hilton, besides being a broad, intellectual

and well-endowed gentleman, is also widely known as a successful and master railroader, respected in business for sagacity and fairness. As a passenger traffic man he has been widely known and justly popular. During the late world's fair he made a most enviable record, and is now president of the St. Louis association of general passenger agents. Mr. Hilton succeeds Bryan Snyder.

PALM TO CROMWELL

WRITER PLACES HIM ABOVE THE FIRST NAPOLEON.

Farmer Won Success Against Greater Obstacles and With Poorer Material to His Command—Great Both as Statesman and Soldier.

Napoleon was a soldier by education; Cromwell was a farmer, says Alfred Henry Lewis in Success Magazine. Napoleon found trained soldiers at ready hand when his career began; Cromwell must make his peasants into soldiers under fire. In the blaze of battle he forged himself and them; and later, at odds of a brigade against a roundhead regiment, the latter mowed down the flower of Europe.

Cromwell, in his cold, sullen English, had a more difficult metal to deal with than did Napoleon. It asks no mighty fire to melt a Frenchman—at all times half-solved in the heat of his innate hysteria. Napoleon coaxed, bribed and dazzled, as well as fought his way. The somber Cromwell merely lied and fought.

Napoleon made terms with the church; Cromwell conquered church and nation. Napoleon would lose courage and presence of mind; Cromwell's heart, whatever the occasion and whether of peril or safety, beat as steady and measured as a clock.

Cromwell was whatever the moment asked. He could dissemble like a Talleyrand, or he could be as bluff as Harry the Eighth. He wedded caution to daring; he could follow policy and intrigue like Louis XI, or he could charge as recklessly as any Charles of Burgundy—think in the saddle, and carry decision on the point of his sword. Cromwell knew humanity in the herd, and was great in that knowledge. When thousands greeted his return from Ireland, one at his elbow—a courtier, of course—congratulated him on his popularity and the fervor of his welcome home.

"More would come to see me hanged," quoth the cloudy Cromwell, who never forgot that it is curiosity rather than love or loyalty that makes the reason of every popular demonstration.

Cromwell was an expert of the mask; he could feign a feeling or pretend a thought. He calculated coldly, and never permitted feud or the knowledge of another's treason, in esse or accomplished, to prevent use of that man. He would plow with the heifer of his foe—even with the foe himself, while the plowing plowed advantage. He would meet folks known to be false, he would seem to give them his confidence, he would let the nose of venal expectation sniff reward, and he would be the picture of unconscious innocence. Those false ones had been deluded; they were in invisible irons, and always in sight.

Cromwell, better than Napoleon knew men; better than Napoleon he matched each new hour and dovetailed with events as they befell. In seeming ever frank, he was as close locked as the grave; apparently pliant, he was as bendless as the oak; never hearing, he was all ears; never seeing, he had the eyes of Argus; innocent, he was a fox for policy; peaceful, he was as swift to smite as a bolt from above; hesitating, he was as prompt as a flashlight; careless, he was as accurate as a rapier; of things, for things and by things political, he was never wrong nor when nor what his enemies anticipated. Military in his genius, he was always pushing for the high ground; being as selfish as military, he held, with Thrasymachus, that "justice is the interest of the stronger."

The Ambitious Crow.
A crow who had chanced by a school one day
And listened a bit too long,
Unburdened his soul to an oriole
Who advertised lessons in song:
"They say," he stormed, "that the lark
is king,
And all because he assumes to sing!"
She started him in with a violin,
And off his ambition stirred
By a little praise in the well-known
phrase
"You certainly are a bird!"
In a month she said, with a fine decision,
There never was music equal to his'n.
The crow contentedly paid the bill,
And flew on his homeward way;
And he called the court to his pine resort—
They gathered and heard him play,
With timber rare, a popular air,
And a bit of Grieg and "The Maiden's Prayer."

The hulla-balloo ere he'd gotten through
Was a truly deafening thing:
"Oh, what is the sense of instruments,"
They cried, "if one can but sing?
And everyone knows the song of a crow's
The best of music as music goes!"
They broke the fiddle in bits, to teach
The moral each child should know
That discontent with one's lot is not
Becoming a decent crow;
And if you would thwart its growth, you
ought
To mingle only with your own sort.
—Burgess Johnson in Harper's Magazine.

Getting Rid of Money.
Oscar Gerle, who made a fortune in the Klondike, has been distinguishing himself in Tacoma by spending \$20,000 in a six weeks' carousal. He left for Paris, saying that he intended to "give the Parisians the time of their lives." He carries with him a negro valet, attired in a gorgeous costume that cost several hundred dollars.

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In 1731 the first fire engine was taken from England to New York.

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Few escape those miseries of winter—a bad cold, a distressing cough. Many remedies are recommended, but the one quickest and best of all is Simmon's Cough Syrup. Soothing and healing to the lungs and bronchial passages, it stops the cough at once and gives you welcome rest and peaceful sleep.

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EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Two men and a woman, Italian rag pickers, were burned to death in New York Friday in a fire which destroyed a hotel.

The school at Oak Valley, Navarro County, has been closed temporarily on account of some pupils having been exposed to smallpox.

Bud Carroll a negro at Marlin played with a supposedly empty pistol. The wound is a rather serious one in the region of the knees.

President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton College is recovering from a dangerous operation performed at the Presbyterian Hospital in New York.

Thousands of operatives, at Fall River, Mass., who have been idle for nearly six months as a result of the great textile strike returned to work Thursday.

John Clark, commonly known as Diavolo, a trick bicycle rider, while performing an act at Cienfuegos, Cuba, Sunday, was probably fatally injured by his wheel breaking.

The Arizona Legislature passed unanimously a joint resolution protesting against statehood and New Mexico in any form, and preferring Territorial government forever.

W. R. Hearst has captured the Greater New York Democracy, and will use that organization, or, rather, its name, in fighting Tammany in the municipal campaign next fall.

F. M. Baker was run over by a Texas and Pacific engine in the Western part of the yard, at Fort Worth, Tuesday night and his left leg was so badly mangled that amputation between

In 1903 the Hel-Ti sank near the Elliott Islands, while carrying to Japan \$115,000,000 in treasure, which was a portion of China's war indemnity. The Swedish Salvage Co. has just recovered eight chests of gold, and expects to recover the remainder.

There are ten degrees of proficiency in Jiu-jitsu in Japan, few attaining to even the second. Recently, when an officer, who had shown great proficiency in the art, died heroically at Port Arthur, his name was advanced a degree in Jiu-jitsu, as that was deemed the highest possible honor to his memory.

The real Russian never comes to the United States, except an occasional student of business man. The czar's policy is to encourage those racial elements who do not accept the national religion and customs to leave and keep the others at home. There are at least fifty well defined races in Russia, each with a different language.

The Italian emigrants come here to work, and they do work, and their potentiality for improvement and progress is remarkable. The objection to this race lies in its adherence to the idea that they are colonists of the mother land, and while here, subject to her authority. The "La Colona" idea makes the assimilation of the Italian very difficult.

A committee has been named for the employment by the House of Illinois of 10 policemen at \$3 per diem, 17 pages at \$1.50, 15 janitors at \$2, a superintendent of ventilation at \$3, and 2 assistants at \$2.50. In Texas \$5 a day seems to be a minimum limit for any service.

A man named Henry Mardus has been arrested at Byron, a small village in Ellis County, on a charge of violating the revenue law in Alabama. The arrest was made by deputy United States marshals.

A happy, smiling, cheery face pays much of the fare in the journey of life.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is in Shawnee, Ok., and will deliver two lectures at the opera house Sunday. On February 7 Mrs. Nation will edit an edition of the Shawnee Daily News.

A company is being organized at Durant, T. T., for the purpose of establishing a canning factory at that place. It is the intention to have the plant erected and ready for the coming crop of fruit and vegetables.

The price of news print paper has gone down 10 per cent in six months. The cost of paper to the publishers of the United States for the year 1905 is expected to be \$6,000,000 less than it has been had not the trend

IT IS REVOLUTION IN RUSSIAN.

Strikers, Backed by Troops, Marching on the Capital--Dowager Empress Has Fled.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The revolution has begun in earnest. As I write the capital is literally a city of dreadful night. All lights have been extinguished and the streets are in complete darkness.

The tramp and clatter of soldiers, armed to the teeth, who patrol the streets, mingle with the sounds of occasional shots and the detonation of deeper and more sinister explosion for revolution charged with massacre has replied with dynamite. Everywhere in the suburbs, where there are soldiers or public buildings, bombs are being thrown.

A state of siege prevails, and orders have been issued that the people who leave their houses do so at their own risk of being shot. Many frightened inhabitants are flying from the city or barricading themselves in their homes. Others are rooming in hotels but the strikers, or revolutionists, as they now may be called, are gathering in the streets, and the wildest rumors are circulated.

Armed men are reported to be marching to their aid from various quarters. Twelve thousand strikers from the Capiloffs works, sixteen miles away, are stated to have been backed by a detachment of troops and

to be advancing on St. Petersburg. A bomb has been thrown among a regiment of Cossacks near the Winter palace, and the revolutionists are hourly growing bolder.

There seems every prospect of a great revolution, and this unhappy city is threatened with a reign of terror that may equal that of the French revolution.

The Dowager Empress, that relentless opponent of reform, who might parallel Louis XVI, has fled, and the dynasty's one hope is that the troops are still staunch.

It is hell in rebellion, with satan trying to extinguish the fire with his hoofs.

Populace Frenzied.

St. Petersburg: Among the unauthenticated horrors of Sunday is the case of an aged general, whose sled was stopped by the infuriated people as he was driving in the direction of the troops: "Are you going to order them to fire on us" yelled the crowd. The general ordered his coachman to drive on when he was struck on the head by a well dressed individual several furious blows. The general was thrown out of the sled, beaten and trampled to death.

Killed by a Mule.

Clarksville, Texas: The small son of Mr. Richardson, who lives about three miles north of town, was killed by a mule Saturday afternoon. The little boy had led the animal into the lot and had started to take the bridle from its head when the mule whirled around, entangling the bridle reins about the boy's feet. The animal dragged him about the lot, trampling upon and kicking him until he became unconscious, inflicting injuries from which he died early Sunday morning.

Temple Revolutionary Daughters.

Temple, Texas: Betty Martin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. Huling P. Robertson, regent; Mrs. A. C. Buchanan, recording secretary; Mrs. C. W. Boyton, corresponding secretary.

Texas Legislators There.

Austin, Texas: Representative H. A. O'Neal, of Cass county, as a delegate from Northeastern Texas, and Representative E. B. Blalock, of Harrison county, left for New Orleans yesterday afternoon to attend the cotton convention.

Texans at Cotton Convention.

New Orleans, La.: Additional prominent Texans arriving for the cotton convention are: Julius Runge of Galveston, Thomas Taylor of Waco, John Spurlin of Hamilton, Joseph Bardwell and Mr. Winn of Coleman City and R. E. Smith of Sherman.

No Change in Deadlock.

Jefferson City, Mo.: The fifth day's vote for senator to succeed Francis M. Cockrell, the first ballot today in joint session resulted in no change in the deadlock and was as follows: Niedringhaus 80, Cockrell 79, Kerens 9, Pettijohn 1.

Orange Company to Make Plans.

Orange, Texas: The Orange Piano and Manufacturing Company was organized here yesterday and application for a charter went to Austin. The capital is \$50,000, with William Stark E. W. Brown, C. M. Rein, L. Miller and W. W. Reid directors. The company will later amend its charter to \$200,000 capital and construct shops near town, work on buildings to commence as soon as architects perfect plans.

Going into Fish Trade.

Orange, Texas: Two gentlemen arrived here from Naples, Ill., yesterday looking for a place to establish a fish market. They promise to supply local trade and to ship fresh fish on ice to other points in Texas and Northern Louisiana.

Strike in Moscow.

St. Petersburg: The general strike in Moscow is proceeding on exactly the same lines as the St. Petersburg strike. The proclamation and methods are identical.

THE FLOOD OF BILLS.

In All 409 Measures Have Been Put Before the Legislature.

Austin, Texas: The flood of bills still continues in both branches of the legislature. More of them than usual are very lengthy. No man on earth, save the authors, the typewriters and the printers know the contents of many of them. At the close of business last night 117 bills had been introduced in the senate, as against 100 at the same date two years ago. In the house 292 bills have been introduced, as against 192 at the same time in the life of the Twenty-eighth legislature, and the Twenty-eighth wasn't rated as slow in the matter of introductions. Committee work is being pushed with vigor, the meetings running through fifteen hours out of the twenty-four. Up to this time the number of killings in committee has been comparatively small, and it begins to look like a tremendous grist would be dumped into the legislative hopper. In the senate committees many bills which really are not in favor are being reported favorably in order "to give every man a showing for his white alley."

Unknown Mississippi Assassins.

Jackson, Miss.: Ralph Rogers, a prominent young planter of Bay Springs, Jasper county, Miss., was assassinated Sunday night by unknown parties. Bloodhounds have been placed on the trail. There is much excitement over the murder.

Old-Time Case on Trial.

Marlin, Texas: District court reconvened at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and the case in which Angelina Hall, colored, sues the International and Great Northern Railroad Company for killing her husband is on trial. This case has been in the court several years.

Vardaman's Capture.

Jackson, Miss.: While Governor Vardaman was returning home last night on a Yazoo and Mississippi Valley train he arrested Jim Hannah, colored, charged with killing two men in Holmes county. The governor learned that Hannah was on the train and borrowing a pistol from the conductor, went to the forward coach and compelled the negro to surrender. He then turned him over to the sheriff at Yazoo City. The accused was identified.

Touchy Acquitted.

Lake Charles, La.: L. V. Touchy who was accused by S. P. Tate of obtaining money upon false pretenses was acquitted yesterday. Tate was formerly a prisoner in Touchy's charge when the latter was superintendent of the parish farm.

A Rumored Manifesto.

St. Petersburg: It is rumored that Emperor Nicholas will issue a manifesto today declaring St. Petersburg in a state of siege.

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REVOLT OR REVOLUTION?

Streets of St. Petersburg Are Crimsoned with the Blood of Men, Women and Children.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—Sunday was a day of unspeakable horror in St. Petersburg. The strikers of Saturday, goaded to desperation by a day of violence, fury and bloodshed, are in a state of open insurrection against the Government. A condition almost bordering on civil war exists in the terror-stricken Russian capital. The city is under martial law, with Prince Vasilchikoff as commander of over 50,000 of the Emperor's crack guards. Troops are bivouacking in the streets at various places on the Nevsky Prospect, a main thoroughfare of the city. On the island of Vassilostrov and in the industrial sections infuriated men have thrown up barricades which they are holding. The Empress Dowager has hastily sought safety at Tsarakoe-Solo, where Emperor Nicholas is living.

Minister of the Interior Sviatopolk Mirsky presented to his majesty Saturday night the invitation of the workmen to appear at the Winter Palace Sunday afternoon and receive their petition, but the emperor's advisers already had taken a decision to show a firm and resolute front, and the emperor's answer to 100,000 workmen trying to make their way to the palace square was a solid array of troops who met them with rifle, bayonet and saber. Priest Gopon, the leader and idol of the men, in his golden vestments, holding aloft the cross and marching at the head of thousands of workmen through the Neva gate, miraculously escaped a volley which laid low half a hundred men. The figures of the total number killed wounded here, at the Moscow gate, at various bridges and islands and at the Winter Palace vary. The best estimate is 500, although some place the number as high as 5,000. Many men were accompanied by their wives and children and in the confusion, which left no time for discrimination, the latter shared the fate of the men. The troops, with the exception of a single regiment, which is reported to have thrown down its arms, remained loyal and obeyed orders. But the blood which crimsoned the snow has fired the brains and passions of the strikers and turned women as well as men into wild beasts and the cry of the infuriated populace is for revenge.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23, 4:45 a. m.—St. Petersburg is sleeping quietly at this hour, worn out by the excitement of a long day. Laborers and spectators have long since left the streets and the military police have had little to do for hours beyond driving off occasional riotous bands of irresponsible young ruffians bent on window-breaking and marauding, and dispersing groups of too demonstrative people returning from protracted meetings.

A revival of rioting is not expected until late in the morning, if at all to day, as the strikers are thoroughly wearied by yesterday's events and will be inclined to await until military precautions have somewhat relaxed.

It is impossible even now to estimate at all closely the casualties of the day. The exact number of deaths probably never will be known. No Americans were injured.

A member of the Emperor's household is quoted as saying to-day that this conflict will end the war with Japan, and that Russia will have a constitution or Emperor Nicholas will lose his head.

McKinney and Bonham Interurban.
McKinney: At a special meeting of the City Council for the purpose of receiving a petition from the Bonham-McKinney Interurban Company for a franchise to operate their proposed line through the streets of McKinney, the franchise was granted for a term of thirty-five years. President Potter, of the road, states that he expects Bonham to report ready to guarantee her part of the bonus and right of way this week.

Seeking for Oil in Cherokee.
Rusk: The much talked of work of boring for oil in Cherokee county is at last in a fair way of being carried out. Samuel A. Greshaw of Houston has arrived accompanied by an oil expert and at once drove to the supposed oil field. Under the terms of their contract work must be commenced not later than March 12, and one year is allowed them in which to find oil, and in case of failure to do so the contract terminates.

Gorky, the Russian novelist, expressed the opinion that to-day's work will break the faith of the people in the Emperor. He said this evening to the Associated Press:

"To-day inaugurated revolution in Russia. The Emperor's prestige will be irrevocably shattered by the shedding of innocent blood. He has alienated himself forever from his people. Gopon taught the workmen to believe that an appeal direct to the 'Little Father' would be heeded. They have been undecieved. Gopon is now convinced that peaceful means have failed and now the only remedy is force. The first blood has been shed, but more will follow. It is now the people against the oppressors, and the battle will be fought to the bitter end."

Tobacco Interest in Anderson.

Palestine: G. T. McNess, chief tobacco expert of the United States Department of Agriculture, and W. M. Hinson, expert in charge of the work in Texas, came before a meeting of the business men of Palestine setting forth the advantages to this county of tobacco culture. These gentlemen assert that the government soil surveys show the soil around Palestine to be equal to the best for raising high-grade tobacco. They propose to help the farmers to learn its scientific cultivation. A call to the farmers from the business men of Palestine was made for a public meeting on Thursday, the 26th inst., at which time the number of acres that can be pledged to tobacco and the establishment of a government station will be determined. The management of the I. & G. N. railroad is lending aid to the enterprise in every way.

Vote to Hold Cotton.

Cameron: At a mass meeting of citizens a resolution was passed authorizing the delegates to New Orleans to vote for any measure by which 20 per cent of the cotton crop of 1904 now being held by Millam people may be placed in the hands of trustees to be selected by the association, to be held for such time and under such regulations as said board may adopt. It is estimated that there are 6000 bales in this county.

Marshall Truck Growers.

Marshall: The Marshall Fruit and Truck Growers' Association met Saturday. One car load of seed Irish potatoes were purchased. Many members raised their own seed the last year. Dr. John H. Pope, a member of the association, will build a creamery here and purchase all the tomatoes in this country at 25c per bushel. A large acreage will be planted the coming season in tomatoes, potatoes and watermelons.

Hopkins Going After Cotton Factory.

Sulphur Springs: The Business League and the Cotton Growers' Association held a joint session Saturday to take action on the cotton factory proposition. After hearing the details and scope of the plan, a resolution, adopted by a unanimous vote, prevailed pledging the moral and financial support of the members of the association, and of the Farmers' Union to the cotton factory undertaking. Subscriptions are pouring in from all over the county.

President to be Dubbed L. L. D.

Troy, N. Y.: President Roosevelt is stated to have accepted the invitation of Williams college to attend the commencement in June, will receive degree of L. L. D. The president will reach Williamstown on June 20 or 21, and remain a day or so the guest of President Henry Hopkins. He will then go to Cambridge to attend commencement at Harvard and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the graduation of his class.

The one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson of Victoria was killed by a wagon wheel passing over and crushing its head. The horses became unmanageable, the mother and child falling out of the wagon.

Dr. S. R. Beckwith, who was President Garfield's family physician at the time of his assassination, is dead at his cottage in Atlantic City, after a long illness. He practiced some years ago in Cleveland and Cincinnati.

SPIRIT OF THE RED FLAG.

Hangs Like a Midnight Pall Over Russian Capital.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 21, 2 a. m.—With the Russian capital seemingly on the verge of an incipient revolution, thousands of workmen parading the streets, agitators and fanatics sowing the seeds of disorder, half the city in darkness and without fire protection owing to walkouts, the situation was hourly growing more tense when the authorities decided tonight to adopt energetic measures to preserve order, prevent rioting and overawe the violent-minded, at the same time seeking to placate the striking workmen by offering satisfaction of their demands in so far as they are just and reasonable, thus acting with combined firmness and moderation. The government tonight augmented the garrison of the city with 2,000 cavalry and 1000 infantry from Tsarsko Selo, and filled the streets, esplanades, and especially the disaffected quarter, with heavy patrols of soldiers.

The refusal to permit a delegation of workmen to present a petition to Emperor Nicholas at Tsarsko Selo has made it known that the great demonstration planned for Sunday, with its unlimited possibilities for an outbreak will not be permitted to take place. At the same time, acting in conjunction with the conference of employers, it has been determined to offer concessions in the terms of employment, which the employers declared the great majority of the workmen would be inclined to accept if they were guaranteed protection from the more violent faction.

Late tonight it was reported that Father Gopin, the leader of the workmen, had been quietly spirited away from his bodyguard and taken into custody, in furtherance of the plan to disorganize the elements that are threatening the peace of the city.

The authorities believe that by these steps they have the situation well in hand and announce that they expect a peaceful solution of the problem.

The situation had entered an acute stage today, and the strike had assumed an open political basis. The day was one of intense excitement. Mill after mill and factory after factory closed. The workmen paraded the streets, and when their colleagues refused to join broke down gates and forced out the men. The whole industrial center of the city is idle. All the textile mills and every printing office in St. Petersburg are closed. One electric light plant and one water plant have shut down and over 100,000 men are out.

Throughout the day workmen's meetings were held, the wildest threats being uttered as to what would come in the event of the authorities and employers failing to meet their demands. The dread and nervousness of what the next few days might bring forth was increased by reports that the workmen of Moscow, Kieff, Kharkoff, Kishineff and other large cities in the interior might join the movement. While the government and employers temporized, the telegraphers and railroad employes threatened to join the walkout, paralyzing the communication of the country. Many foreigners are preparing to send their families abroad. Every newspaper in St. Petersburg has been forced to suspend publication owing to the strike.

The editor would sometimes like to be a barber. He might then get in all the cuts he wanted.

Often a man's wealth is not worth the littleness he used to acquire it.

New Oil Development.

Texarkana: F. A. Symonds, secretary and treasurer of the Louisiana Texas Oil and Pipe Line Company at Caddo City, fifty miles south of here on the Kansas City Southern, came in from that point. He reports that a good flow of oil was struck in well No. 1 Thursday at a depth of 1100 feet, but the owners were not satisfied with it and are driving the well still deeper. They are hopeful that another 100 feet may make it a gusher.

For the Alamo Purchase.

Austin: After an effort to postpone consideration for a week had been defeated, the bill to appropriate \$65,000, for the purchase of the Alamo Mission property in San Antonio, adjoining the Alamo Chapel, which is already owned by the State, was advanced to third reading, and but for light attendances would have passed finally. That the measure will pass both branches of the Legislature is now practically certain.

AMONG THE LAW MAKERS.

Senator to Be Elected on the 24th and 25th Insts.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 21.—The House met yesterday at 2 o'clock. Mr. Cobb's bill to punish officers who fail to make arrests when they witness the violation of a law; Mr. O'Quinn's bill to amend the law relating to the taking of depositions in criminal cases, and Mr. Hudspeth's bill which makes a felony to steal sheep, hogs or goats, were finally passed.

The bill to provide for the purchase of the Alamo Mission property was advanced to the third reading after considerable debate.

The Cherokee County road law was finally passed and the Johnson County road law advanced to third reading. The Galveston charter bill was amended and advanced to the third reading.

On motion of Mr. Love of Dallas the report of the joint committee providing that the Senate and House shall, on Jan. 24, ballot separately for a United States Senator and upon the following day ballot jointly upon the same proposition was adopted.

Among new bills of importance introduced was one declaring it to be a misdemeanor for any person to employ the servant of another, having knowledge of the previous employment. Also one providing for punishment of persons who disturb public worship or assemblages of persons who have gathered for amusement.

In the Senate many bills were reported by various committees. Among the other bills introduced that are of general interest was one throwing restrictions around District Judges in granting injunctions in matters out of their districts, so as to prevent the numerous injunctions in local option contests.

Fire Visits Whitney.

Whitney: Another fire broke out in Whitney Thursday morning at 2 o'clock in J. B. Randle's grocery store. The following are the losses and amounts of insurance: J. Harris & Co., stock \$6,000, fixtures \$1,000; about two-thirds of stock removed from building. Insurance \$4,400. Building occupied by J. Harris & Co., totally destroyed, property of Lasker Real Estate Association. Amount of insurance unknown. W. K. Byrom occupied property owned by A. G. McMahon, insurance on building \$2,000. W. K. Byrom's stock of dry goods and groceries amounted to about \$10,000. Stock total loss. Insurance \$6,500. J. B. Randle, stock groceries \$1,500; total loss, insurance \$500. House owned by C. M. Carver. Insurance \$1,400. Mat McGown's stock, confectionery and jewelry, damaged some by water and removal.

Bonham-McKinney Interurban.

Bonham: F. W. Potter of Chicago, president of the Bonham-McKinney Interurban Railway, was in consultation with a committee of business men Friday afternoon. President Potter states that his company is ready to begin work on the line when the right of way and bonus are guaranteed. This was accomplished here at one time, but the survey was changed and now quite a good deal of the right of way which was formerly donated by landowners will have to be purchased by Bonham citizens. It is figured that \$5000 additional bonus will have to be raised here. A committee will go among the citizens at once and it is reasonably certain the money will be subscribed.

West Mill Running Double Time.

Waco: The West cotton mills, at West, are running day and night again having put on a double shift. The change to day and night shifts has just been put in good running order and the institution is turning out much stuff of the coarser grades for export. The mill was rehabilitated a few months ago, new brain and capital secured and everything seems to be moving off well.

Crushed to Death.

San Marcos: Friday afternoon while a Katy freight train was placing cars in the gravel pit here D. A. Collins, a brakeman living in San Antonio, was almost instantly killed. He was standing on top of a ballast car as it passed under the trap used in loading gravel and was knocked down, his body being pushed through a small space beneath the trap. He spoke only two words: "I thought." Collins leaves a widow and four children.

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The clergyman who recently bought more than \$4,000,000 worth of New York real estate appears to have a shrewd suspicion that it is not so difficult for a camel to go through the eye of a needle as it is cracked up to be.

New York has an employer in court charged with working children 68 hours in a six-day week, paying them \$3 for the week, and docking them 10 cents for talking and 2 cents for being five minutes late. Is there any shame left in New York?

Perhaps the New Jersey man who swapped horses "unsight and unseen" and led his living bag of bones to the other man's stable, to find a rocking-horse in his own stable on his return, got the best of the bargain, after all. He won't have to feed the rocking-horse.

A story is going the rounds that a Nashville hotel clerk recently inherited \$10,000 from a stranger guest to whom he had been polite and attentive. What clever things the T. P. A. does put in circulation!

Four officers' wives at Fort Meade presented their husbands with babies. If Corbin commanded there he would have the officers court-martialed for accepting Christmas gifts of this sort.

That Spanish hero, Gen. Linares, is writing an account of the surrender of Santiago during the Spanish-American war. Even manana sometimes comes.

The latest innovation in New York city is tipping the salesmen in the big retail stores in order to secure prompt attention. Whither are we drifting?

The Japanese captured the British steamer Oakley in Tsushima straits Wednesday afternoon. The vessel left Cardiff Nov. 17, carrying 5,900 tons of coal for Vladivostok. She was brought to Saebou.

The man who says he only wants justice is often sorry when he gets it.

Roy Rose, a young man about 20 years old, was accidentally shot in the calf of both legs by his companion, Earl Wetsel, while out rabbit hunting near Plano.

Mrs. Ann Moore, an old resident of the Broadway community, Lamar County, 78 years of age, died at the home of her son as the result of a fall sustained three weeks ago, in which she sustained a broken hip.

CONSTANT ACHING.

Back aches all the time. Spoils your appetite, weakens the body, worries the mind. Kidneys cause it all and Doan's Kidney Pills relieve and cure it.

H. B. McCarver, of 201 Cherry St., Portland, Ore., inspector of freight for the Trans-Continental Co., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills for back aches and other symptoms of kidney trouble which had annoyed me for months. I think a cold was responsible for the whole trouble. It seemed to settle in my kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills rooted it out. It is several months since I used them, and up to date there has been no recurrence of the trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Elephant Memory Good.

Elephants never seem to forget the lessons they learn in captivity. A traveler tells of one which had been trained to carry baggage and which escaped from its keeper and ran wild. Eighteen months afterward it was recognized in a herd of wild elephants. It seemed at first as savage as any of the herd, but when its old keeper boldly seized it by the ear and told it to lie down it obeyed.

Underground in a Gold Mine.

Few people realize the extent of the underground workings of a gold mine. One mine in the Colorado Cripple Creek district, Colorado, has over twenty-six miles of development underground, and is adding to this territory about four miles a year. It would require a week of walking, riding and climbing to inspect even half of this mine.

In Lapland the crime which is punished most severely, next to murder, is the marrying of a girl against the express wish of her parents.

Rats have eaten \$25,000 worth of beaver bonds belonging to a Paris couple. The bonds were kept in an old hat box.

HIS EXPERIENCE TEACHES THEM

That Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Bright's Disease. Remarkable case of George J. Barber—Quick recovery after years of suffering.

Estherville, Iowa, Jan. 23d.—(Special)—The experience of Mr. George J. Barber, a well known citizen of this place, justifies his friends in making the announcement to the world "Bright's Disease can be cured." Mr. Barber had kidney trouble and it developed into Bright's Disease. He treated it with Dodd's Kidney Pills and to-day he is a well man. In an interview he says:

"I can't say too much for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had kidney disease for fifteen years and though I doctor-ed for it with the best doctors here and in Chicago, it developed into Bright's Disease. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and two boxes cured me completely. I think Dodd's Kidney Pills are the best in the world."

A remedy that will cure Bright's Disease will cure any other form of kidney disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure Bright's Disease.

A gallon of water a day is drunk by every Japanese who practices, as nearly all do, the gymnastics known as *ju-jitsu*.

Strike Oil.

Much oil has been discovered in Texas within the past few years, but none to equal Hunt's Lightning Oil. Others gush for a little while and then go away. It goes on and on forever, curing aches, pains, burns, bruises, cuts and wounds. In fact, a sore spot Hunt's Lightning Oil will not make happy can't be found.

One of the best tests of a sound man is that he possesses great wealth and is not arrogant.

All Up-to-Date Housekeepers use Defiance Cold Water Starch, because it is better, and 4 oz. more of it for same money.

A French professor is the owner of a collection of 920 human heads, representing every known race of people.

Many Children Are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, Break up Colds and Destroy Worms. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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Send me fully where you

FALL OF FRENCH CABINET.

End of Combes' Regime Brought About by Natural Means.

The developments of the last three months have prepared intelligent observers for the announced resignation of the Combes cabinet. At the outset it had a majority of eighty, and it could count absolutely on one of forty or fifty—a margin deemed sufficient in the group-ridden parliament of France. Four distinct and coherent groups were behind Combes originally,



M. Rouvier, who was minister of finance in the French cabinet which has just resigned, is looked upon as the most likely man for the head of the new cabinet. He has long been a distinguished figure in French politics, and has been highly successful as minister of finance, receiving much praise for his work in converting government rentes from a 2 1/2 to the present 2 per cent basis.

as they had been behind Waldeck-Rousseau, and not the least influential of them was the socialist group. Rouvier was unable to organize a purely republican ministry, as the moderates under Melline were bitterly opposed to the reopening of the Dreyfus case, and he was obliged to invoke socialist aid. Socialist votes kept him in power for the extraordinary term of three years, from June, 1899, to June, 1902, and the same votes have enabled the obscure Combes to weather many storms and retain office in a country of short-lived cabinets, for thirty months.

Combes' programme included the rigorous application of the anti-clerical associations law passed under Rouvier, old-age pensions for workmen, the reduction of the term of military service to two years and an income tax. His conflict with the Vatican and his gradual conversion to disestablishment (the repeal of the century old concordat) will be regarded as the feature of his career as premier. Separation projects approved by him are now pending in the chamber of deputies.

Whether the retirement of Combes spells a decided change of legislative policy time will show. Much will depend on the fate of the "blois." If it remains fairly intact the next ministry will continue the work of the retiring one. If it dissolves and the socialists



Henri Brisson, who is said to be favored by Premier Combes as his successor in the French cabinet, has been for many years a prominent figure in French politics. Three years ago, at the time that Combes succeeded to the government, Brisson was first offered the task of forming a cabinet, but he declined. At the present time France thinks that M. Rouvier is the man to straighten out the cabinet tangle, but it is the custom when the premier retires voluntarily for him to have a strong voice in the naming of his successor.

are excluded from the government majority, as many republicans wish, there is likely to be a new policy.

Chinese Cooks and Cooking.

A German epicure comes to the rescue of the Chinese in regard to their alleged habit of eating rotten eggs. The eggs, he says, are simply preserved in lime until they get a consistency like that of hard butter and they taste somewhat like lobster. He declares them one of the choicest delicacies he has ever eaten. He thinks there are no better cooks in the world than the Chinese. When he went to live among them his friends predicted he would starve, but he had a good time and gained weight—more than he wanted to.

A GREAT SUFFERER

LAY HELPLESS AND SPEECHLESS FOR HOURS AT A TIME.

Sinking Spells, Headaches, Rheumatism, All Caused by Poor Blood—Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

When Mrs. Williams was asked for some details of the fearful illness from which she had so long suffered, she spoke as follows:

"Ever since I had nervous prostration, about thirteen years ago, I have had periodical spells of complete exhaustion. Any excitement or unusual activity would throw me into a state of lifelessness. At the beginning my strength would come back in a moderate time, but the period of weakness kept lengthening until at last I would lie helpless as many as three hours at a stretch."

"You were under medical treatment, of course?"

"Yes, when I became so bad that I had to give up my housework, in May of 1903, I was being treated for kidney trouble, and later the doctor thought my difficulties came from change of life. I was not only weak, but I had dizzy feelings, palpitation of the heart, misery after eating, hot flashes, nervous headaches, rheumatic pains in the back and hips. The doctor did me so little good that I gave up his treatment, and really feared that my case was incurable."

"What saved you from your state of hopelessness?"

"In July of 1903 I had a very bad spell, and my husband came in one day with a little book which told of remarkable cures effected by a remedy for the blood and the nerves, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He bought a box for me, and that was the beginning of my return to health. My appetite grew keen, my food no longer distressed me, my nerves were quieted, and my strength began to revive."

"How long did you take this remedy?"

"For two months only. At the end of that time I had regained my health and cheerfulness, and my friends say that I am looking better than I have done for the past fifteen years."

Mrs. Lizzie Williams is now living at No. 416 Cedar street, Quincy, Illinois. The pills which she praises so highly, cure all diseases that come from impoverished blood. If your system is all run down, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the very best remedy to take. Any druggist can supply them.

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15 YEARS OF TORTURE.

Itching and Painful Sores Covered Head and Body—Cured in Week By Cuticura.

"For fifteen years my scalp and forehead was one mass of scabs, and my body was covered with sores. Words cannot express how I suffered from the itching and pain. I had given up hope when a friend told me to get Cuticura. After bathing with Cuticura Soap and applying Cuticura Ointment for three days, my head was as clear as ever, and to my surprise and joy, one cake of soap and one box of ointment made a complete cure in one week. (signed) H. B. Franklin, 717 Washington St., Allegheny, Pa."

Gallithie, or "milk stone," is being much used for decorating, and promises to take the place of marble.

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Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money. Do you want 16 oz. instead of 12 oz. for same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a humming sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

It's a wise industrial stock that knows its own par.

A Rare Good Thing.

"Am using ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, and can truly say I would not have been without it so long, had I known the relief it would give my aching feet. I think it a rare good thing for anyone having sore or tired feet.—Mrs. Matilda, Holtwert, Providence, R. I." Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Ask to-day.

The favorite pastime of a lynching party is looping the loop.

That you may rest well you must work hard to get sufficiently tired and must also work hard to be able to afford it.

Insomnia is seldom caused by the things a man doesn't say.

The new member of congress arrives at Washington with a speech up his sleeve, and the old member gets there with a laugh stowed away in the same place.

Interesting News.

It will interest all readers of this paper to hear that at last a genuine cure for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver Complaint, Headache and Biliousness has been found in Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It is a pleasant, tonic purifying syrup, with a mild action and no bad after-effects. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

An engineer declares that 50,000 people now do the work with the aid of machinery which needed 16,000,000 persons to do a few years ago.

The Effect of Sleeping in Cars

Is the contracting of cold, which often results seriously to the lungs. Never neglect a cold, but take in time Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein—nature's great cough medicine. At druggists, 25c, 50c. and \$1.00 a bottle.

When a woman can't find anything else to worry about she can do it about whether the baby is going to wear side burn whiskers when he grows up.

Don't Scratch.

Some people dislike to call it the Itch, but candor compels me to admit I had it, and had it badly. Your Hunt's Cure, however, cured me after many other remedies totally failed. One box completed the cure—the first application afforded wonderful relief. My advice to those who have to scratch is: "Use Hunt's Cure." H. C. Baltimore, Medford, O. T.

Said a man who had been detected cheating at cards: "They threaten to kick me downstairs. What am I to do?" The friend appealed to offered this timely counsel: "Play on the ground floor."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it is

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should be in every household, none so good, besides 4 oz. more for 10 cents than any other brand of cold water starch.

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This is a remarkable offer the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., makes.



Salzer Seeds have a national reputation as the earliest, finest, choicest the earth produces. They will send you their big plant and seed catalog, together with enough seed to grow: 1,000 fine, solid Cabbages, 2,000 rich, juicy Turnips, 2,000 blanching, nutty Celery, 2,000 rich, buttery Lettuce, 1,000 splendid Onions, 1,000 rare, luscious Radishes, 1,000 gloriously brilliant Flowers. This great offer is made in order to induce you to try their warranted seeds—for when you once plant them you will grow no others, and

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providing you will return this notice, and if you will send them 26¢ in postage, they will add to the above a big package of the earliest Sweet Corn on earth—Salzer's Fourth of July—fully 10 days earlier than Cory, Peep 'o' Day, etc., etc. [W. N. U.]

A good reputation is like good health; it is not fully fully appreciated until it is lost.

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 ½ pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance 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 Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 oz." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

notice that the average man's eyelids open and shut 4,000,000 times during the year.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure—J. W. O'BRIEN, 322 Third Ave. N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

Modesty is a great ornament, but sometimes it is more ornamental than useful.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Lots of people pray for the poor—and let it go at that.

The Russian government has established half a dozen model farms for the cultivation of cotton in different parts of Turkestan.

THERE IS NOTHING more painful than Rheumatism and Neuralgia but there is nothing surer to cure than St. Jacobs Oil

The old monk cure. It is penetrating, prompt and unfailing. Price 25c. and 50c.

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Local Items.

J. R. Monk of Augusta was here Tuesday.

You can get seed Irish potatoes at Billy Lewis & Co's.

Green gage plums, apricots and pears at Billy Lewis & Co's.

You had better wait for the Big Store's big embroidery sale.

Buy your fresh garden seed in bulk from Arledge & Deupree.

Order your oats, bran, hay and chops from J. W. Shivers & Co.

Clipper brand string beans 4 for 25 cts. at BILLY LEWIS & Co's.

High grade groceries at low grade prices at J. W. Shivers & Co's.

Seed Irish potatoes, the Minnesota Triumph, at Daniel & Burton's.

The Big Store sells the best plow shoes on earth, get you a pair they are cheap.

Now is the time for plow tools. Daniel & Burton have the best and the cheapest.

When you want something good to eat call up Arledge & Deupree. They have it.

A little cash goes further at Daniel & Burton's than it does at any other store.

Feed Stuffs.

Bran, hay, oats and corn at Billy Lewis & Co's.

Daniel & Burton have the best shoe on earth—the Star brand. They save your feet.

Fresh country-ground meal made from selected white corn at Billy Lewis & Co's.

Buy a sack of that White Wave flour from Daniel & Burton and your wife will have no other.

The COURIER job department can supply your visiting and business cards in the latest styles.

Try some of that mince meat, apple butter and preserves of all kinds at Arledge & Deupree's.

The Big Store carries the heaviest and best barbed and hog fencing wire. Go there for prices.

Pritchard Millar has all the time a full supply of fresh meats. Let him supply your wants in that line.

Ross Bennett was exhibiting a watermelon Monday of his own raising and fresh from the vine.

Fresh Garden Seeds in Bulk.

Cabbage, tomato, beet, bean, corn, etc., at Billy Lewis & Co's.

B. W. Leatherock, supervisor of rural mail delivery, is here to pass on five new routes for Crockett.

Pritchard Millar is now running the City Meat market. Let him supply you with your fresh meat.

You can buy more dry goods for the dollar from Daniel & Burton right now than ever before or again.

The Oliver is the plow—the Big Store is the place to get them. Go to the Big Store—get an Oliver plow.

Keep your eye on the Novelty Store. Wonderful bargains will be found there throughout the entire year.

Buy your seed Irish potatoes from Daniel & Burton and get the best. They handle the Minnesota Triumph.

Every pair of Star brand shoes, sold by Daniel & Burton, is sold under a guarantee. Have them fit your feet.

A man can take a little cash and buy more with it at Daniel & Burton's than he can at any other place in town.

The Big Store, the recognized leader in low prices, is offering some great values in dress goods and trimmings.

Just try a pair of those celebrated Walk Easy shoes at the Big Store. They hurt neither feet or pocketbook.

We Aim

To always give you a little more for your money than you can secure elsewhere. If we please you, tell others; if not, tell us.

SMITH & FRENCH DRUG CO.

Daniel & Burton have a car of White Wave flour, the best on earth and the cheapest for the money—only \$1.50 a sack.

The COURIER has a full stock of mortgages, mortgage notes, vendor's lien and promissory notes printed and for sale cheap.

Theo. Fallen of La Fayette, Ind., and Owen Fallen, Jr. of Logansport, Ind., were here last week with the view of buying land.

Wm. Numsen & Son's Clipper brand tomatoes, cream corn, okra and tomatoes, peas, pineapple and peaches at Billy Lewis & Co's.

The Standard

Is the lightest running, best sewing machine made. You can get one cheap at the Big Store.

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For Rent.

A four room cottage with good water and other conveniences. Apply to Mrs. Mary E. Lipscomb.

J. A. Blohm of Wilhs, the tobacco grower and manufacturer, was here last week looking out a new location and spoke favorably of Crockett.

Scholarships for Sale.

The COURIER has scholarships in two of the best business colleges in the South for sale. Apply in person or address this office.

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No order too small for our prompt attention. None too large for our capacity.

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The COURIER will soon begin a revision of its subscription lists when all in arrears will have their names dropped and their accounts placed in the hands of a collector.

Daniel & Burton are determined to undersell their competitors. Try them on Triumph potatoes, White Wave flour, plow tools, dry goods and Star Brand shoes, guaranteed.

The Revillo Concert Company of Houston will give a recital at the court house Friday, Feb. 3rd, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. Prices 75c, 50c and 25c.

The Revillo Concert Company comes highly recommended. They represent some of the best musical talent of the south. The program consists of piano, violin and vocal solos. In Crockett Feb. 3. Prices 75c, 50c and 25c.

Wanted.

I want renters and hands for wages for the year 1905. Have lumber and corn for sale. Also want goobers. For further information apply to J. G. Matlock, Crockett, Texas. 4t

Ladies.

Mrs. J. A. McConnell represents Levy Bros. of Houston on muslin underwear and has the largest, best selected and cheapest line ever brought to Crockett. We meet Houston prices. Call at the Novelty Store.

W. E. Jameson, T. A. Boulware, E. N. Tuttle, J. L. Maughs, W. S. Geremont, all of Fulton, Mo., and R. M. White of Mexico, Mo., comprised a party of land buyers in Crockett last week.

Notice, City Tax Payers.

After January 31, 1905, there will be a ten per cent penalty added to taxes for 1904. You can pay at the saddle shop.

G. M. WALLER,
City Marshal.

The COURIER's premium offer will be kept open during February on account of slow collections and in order to give those who have not sold their cotton a chance at the premium. We want every one of our subscribers to have a chance at the organ.

A young man named Kroll, a book-keeper at the Kennard mill, was held up Sunday night at the point of a brace of revolvers in the hands of two negroes near the planer sheds. As soon as they discovered who they had they let him go. No arrests have been made.

J. M. Satterwhite of Whitesville, T. L. Glenn of Daniel, J. C. Starling of Pennington, R. D. Wherry of Crockett, R. S. Hooks of Pennington, Henry Holcomb of Augusta, N. J. Salmon of Antioch and M. W. Satterwhite are some of those who have remembered the COURIER since last issue.

Cannon & Davis' store was burglarized at Lovelady Sunday night. The safe was broken into and valuable papers and some money taken. It is reported that some of the papers have been found down the railroad track below Lovelady, but the burglars have not been apprehended by the officers.

A. J. Henley of Weches, Henry Rice, S. J. Allbright of Lovelady, W. H. Hall of Belott, W. R. Petty of Coltharp, W. R. Wherry of Crockett, B. T. Satterwhite of Whitesville, Asa Speer of Lovelady, Sloan Brown of Belott and J. R. Turner are some of those who have remembered the COURIER since last issue.

Another Hotel Marriage.

The Howard Hotel of this city has come to be a popular place for the consummation of connubial felicity. Another such event was celebrated there Thursday afternoon of last week after the arrival of the south bound afternoon train when Whitman B. Smart of Waukesha, Wis., was married to Annie S. Cunningham of Padukah, Ky. As heretofore, Rev. J. A. Howard was the officiating minister. Mr. and Mrs. Smart left on the night train for Groveton.

In Bed Four Weeks With La Grippe.

We have received the following letter from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, Ind. "I was in bed four weeks with la grippe and I tried many remedies and spent considerable for treatment with physicians, but I received no relief until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar. Two small bottles of this medicine cured me and now I use it exclusively in my family." Take no substitutes. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

Cured Lumbago.

A. B. Cannon, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

Rev. Carlisle S. B. Martin, L. L. D.

Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

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WARFIELD BROTHERS,

Office Over J. E. Monk's Store.

The COURIER is sending out statements to all in arrears for subscription and all who do not respond will have their names dropped from our lists and their accounts placed in the hands of a collector.

Mr. O. C. Payne of Lovelady will deliver a lecture at the Baptist church next Sunday morning on the subject: "A Gospel of Love," to which all are cordially invited. Special music.
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Plums, assorted " " "	1.00
Apples " " " "	1.00
Peaches " " 20 "	1.00
Prunes, Quince, Apricots, Figs, Mulberries, Grapes,	
Almonds, nice stock, each	25c
Cherries, Japanese Persimmons, Oranges, each	50c
Pecans, budded, Japanese Walnuts, budded	1.00
Pecans, seedlings, Japanese Walnuts, seedlings, each	50c
Roses, 2 yr. field-grown, assorted, each	25c
Cape Jasmines, Pomgranate, each 25c and	50c
Magnolia Grandiflora, each 75c and	1.00
Arborvita, assorted, each 75c and	1.00
Cypress, pyramidal, each 75c and	1.00

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THE COURIER.

W. W. AIKEN, - Editor and Proprietor

Publisher's Notice.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks or other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5 cents per line.
Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bill.

Next Tuesday is the limit.

You cannot pay your poll tax after next Tuesday, and be able to vote.

Poll tax can be worked out on the road after next Tuesday but you lose your vote.

Your poll tax can be collected by law after next Tuesday, but you lose your vote.

The most ignorant people in Houston county are those who do not read their county papers.

If you haven't enough money to pay all your taxes, you can pay your poll tax now and the balance later, with 10 per cent added.

Let everybody who feels an interest in making tobacco growing a success attend the meeting at the court house next Saturday.

The COURIER has the resolutions adopted by the Augusta lodge on the death of Wm. McLean in hand and will publish same in next issue.

The COURIER has lost so much on credit subscriptions during the past few years that it's more determined than ever to put its subscription on a cash basis.

If the farmers and merchants wish to see tobacco growing an established industry in this county, they should come out to the meeting at court house next Saturday.

All desiring to grow tobacco are requested to meet at the court house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Messrs. McNess, Hinson and Wood will be there to explain things.

PUBLIC MEETING.

All persons interested in the further success of tobacco growing are requested to meet at the court house Saturday, Jan. 28, at 2 o'clock.

Farmers and merchants and business men generally should attend the meeting at the court house next Saturday. The success of tobacco growing all depends on what is done at the meeting next Saturday.

A county newspaper at a dollar a year is the cheapest thing on the market. It costs you less than a 2 cent postage stamp each week, and if it contains a single paragraph of interest to you, you get your money's worth. If you are not satisfied, what do you want for 2 cents?

The meeting at the court house next Saturday will decide the success or failure of the tobacco growing industry in Houston county. All depends on what is done at the meeting. If you feel an interest in the success of the enterprise come out and join in the meeting. The I. & G. N. officials have been invited to attend and the government officials will also be on hand. Besides these, there will be parties from a distance present interested in establishing cigar factories here.

Why Drawing is Postponed.

The following is a sample of the letters received by the COURIER which are the cause of its keeping its premium offer open during February. The COURIER hopes none will postpone renewal longer than February. All subscriptions paid during February to January 1906 will be entitled to chance in premium drawing:

"Dear Sir—I am not prepared to settle my account at the present as I have not sold any cotton yet and don't wish to sell until it advances in price. If you can wait until I sell my cotton you will oblige yours truly, etc."

It is on the solicitation of its subscribers that the Courier keeps its

Letter from Austin.

Special to the COURIER:

After much wrangling over the election of different officers, the legislature has at last got down to work.

There was an attempt to reduce the number of officers and also their salary from five to four dollars per day, but it failed to carry, which I think should have been done, as they have too many and the compensation is too great for the amount of work they do in a great many instances. But there are a number of members who do not study the economy of the state, and are always ready to vote to make places for their friends and pets. I have endeavored to cast my vote for the economy of the state's money as I would if it were my own private business.

There have been a number of bills introduced, but they have not come before the house yet as they are still in the hands of the committees. The most important of these are the "Intangible Tax Bill" and the "State Banking Law."

I was put on five important committees, which was somewhat flattering as the older members are usually given precedence over the new ones.

I have always contended that we needed conservative business men in the Legislature and now I am more convinced than ever of the importance of such men to represent us as a great deal of time is lost in speech making and wind jamming by politicians who are trying to make for themselves a reputation by making big speeches at the expense of the state which seldom results in any good.

I would be glad to give you the full particulars of the workings of the House but it would be impossible to give you all that is done, and how I vote on all questions that come before the House; however, I will have the journal which will give the full particulars and how I vote on all questions and will be glad to show at all times to any one how I stood on all important bills.

Wishing you all a successful year, I remain yours respectfully,
I. A. DANIEL.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate.)
By virtue of an execution issued out of the honorable county court of Houston county, on the 5th day of Jan., A. D. 1905, in the case of G. W. Mobley versus J. M. Long No. 1062 and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in February, A. D. 1905, it being the 7th day of said month, at the court house door of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which J. M. Long had on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1904, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, being a part of a 200 acre tract purchased by H. R. Jordan from Chas. Beazley out of lot No. 20 of the Ramon De La Garza 11 league grant; about 11 miles north 40 west from Crockett, on Elkhart creek. Beginning on the north-west B line of lot No. 20 at P. S. Haynes' north-west corner, a pine 16 in. marked X brs. north 61 west 8 vrs. Thence south 35 east with said Haynes line at 1180 vrs. his south-west corner on Collins & Douglass north-west B. line a P. O. 14 in. marked X brs. south 40 west 2 1-2 vrs., a pine 8 in. marked X brs. south 70 east — vrs. Thence south 55 west with Collins & Douglass line at 333 vrs. to M. F. Singleton's south-east corner on Collins & Douglass north-west B. line a P. O. 16 in. marked X brs. S. 2 east 7 and four tenths vrs., a pine 12 in. marked X brs. south 85 east 5 vrs. Thence south 35 west with the north-east B. line of lot No. 19 to the north-west corner of said 200 acre tract. Thence north 35 east with the north-west B. line of lot No. 20 at 333 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 69 1-2 acres of land, said property being levied on as the property of J. M. Long, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$265.23, in favor of G. W. Mobley, and costs of suit.
Given under my hand this 5th day of January, A. D. 1905.
A. W. PHILLIPS,
Sheriff, Houston County, Texas.

The prevention of consumption is entirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

PREMIUM OFFER

Will be Kept Open

During February

Owing to the stringency of money matters and the general depression resulting from the low price of cotton as well as from the shortness of that crop, the COURIER, partly on the solicitation of its patrons who have not been able to settle, but largely on its own account because of slow collections, will keep its premium offer open during the month of February. Some have advised us to do this and others have even urged us to, for the reason that it is only fair to the subscriber who has not yet sold his cotton. So during the month of February all paying their subscription to

January, 1906,

will be entitled to a chance in the COURIER's premium drawing. We hope none of our subscribers will fail to take advantage of the offer, which is a liberal one and shows on the part of the paper at least a desire to be progressive. For a dollar you get the paper for a year and we give you free a chance at an \$85.00 organ, made by the Kimball people of Chicago.

The Courier, Crockett, Texas



Just received a large line of MATTING and LINOLEUM

of the most beautiful patterns, which I will sell cheaper than any Matting ever brought to Crockett, and will put on your floor free of charge.

R. L. ALDRICH.

Hot and Cold Baths AT THE Hotel Barber Shop

J. D. FRIEND, Prop.

AN OFFICER SHOT.

Is Fatally Wounded by a Negro at the Kennard Mill.

Saturday night the negroes had a festival at the Kennard mill, and to complete the festivities a row was precipitated. Deputy Sheriff J. F. Hamner went to the scene to quell the disturbance. He found a general row on hand and attempted to arrest and hand cuff the leader, Felix Jones. The negro got away from the officer and ran off. Another negro, Jake Bloodsaw, left also. Hamner succeeded in quieting the disturbance in the house and went out into the yard, where he was fired on from around the corner of the house and mortally wounded, the bullet entering from behind and passing through the thigh and groin. Sheriff Phillips was telephoned for, who went down Sunday and arrested Felix Jones and Jake Bloodsaw, both of whom are now in jail. They are both bad negroes, but the strongest evidence is against Felix, although Jake is strongly implicated. The last account of Hamner's condition was that he was still alive with chances for recovery against him. He shot and killed a negro whom he was endeavoring to arrest at the mill last fall.

Pneumonia and La Grippe.

Coughs cured quickly by Foley's Honey and Tar. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

Attention to Those Who Are Interested in Good Horses.

He is a genuine registered horse, foaled at Highland, O., in the spring of 1899. He is a large handsome, dark bay horse, with left hind foot white; stands 16 hands 1 inch, weighs 1200 pounds. In conformation he is a grand, big horse, with a beautiful head and neck, and the very best of feet and legs; short back, deep body and very fine knee and hock action. His blood lines are the very best of northern horses. That he will beget speed and grand road qualities there is no doubt, as he not only inherits, but possesses, those qualities. Even common mares bred to a horse of this class can not fail to produce foals that will find a ready market as carriage horses or roadsters as well as general all-purpose horses. He can be found at my barn just north of the residence of John Monk. Mares from a distance will be taken care of without charge except for feed. Will not be responsible for any accidents while in my care.



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