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AN EQUITABLE SHAKEUP.

NERVY BANDIT.

and Escaped With the 'Swag'.

Recommendations of Frick Investi- Held Up an Arizona Gambling House Three Legislators Arrested oating Committee Are Most Sweeping in Scope:

New York, June 1.-Details of the recommendations made in the report of the committee headed by Henry C. Frick, which has been investigating the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, became known today, although the officers and directors of the society still decline officially to discuss it.

Many of those recommendations are sweeping in their scope and if eventually adopted it will result in marked changes in the conduct of the society. Officers of the society are sharply criticised in the report at Mr. Brick's office today where the members of the investigation committee were again in session. Gage E. Tarbell, second vice president of the society, was an early caller and it was said he had demanded and received a complete copy of the report.

State Superintendent of Insurance Hendricks resumed his investigations of the Equitable affairs in this city today.

While no authoritative statement was given out today as to the nature of the Frick report, it be-

El Paso, Texas, June 1.-A lone bandit held up two dozen men this Douglas (Ariz.) gambling house, ture were arrested today on bench man at the oil mill. He thought college, that ought to appeal to and escaped. A posse is after returned by the Pulaski County journal-box or from the friction county. Beginning May 1 and to be wounded it is expected he will tor H. K. Loney was arrested in alarm was given and the equip- 30 any and every one paying to reach the mountain fastness of a bribe of \$600 in connection with was ordered into use. The mill COURIER will be entitled to cast a

outlaws ever return until they are phone companies. He immedi- day and was in the act of shut- young man or young woman to speculation as to the identity of \$3,000 and was released. Rep- being low, some trouble was ex- free. Each cent paid in will repthe bandit, but from his boldness resentative George F. Chaplin of perienced in getting the fire pump resent a vote and money paid on it is believed to be Billie Stiles, Monroe County was arrested in started, and the fire spread rapid- back subscriptions will count the the outlaw who escaped from the Little Rock on a charge of con- ly through the seed and hull house same as that paid on new sub-Tombstone jail a few months ago. spiring with others to secure and into the office building, all of scriptions, except where accounts armed heavily, entered the Bruns- creating the Cache River levee which were soon consumed. At- collectors. Those paying back wick saloon and gambling house district. He was released on tention was directed toward, sav- dues to collectors will not be enin Douglas this morning while all \$3,000 bond. Representative ing the oil mill proper, which is a titled to votes, for the reason that the games were in progress and Ch plin was arrested a few weeks brick structure, and by heroic a large per cent thus collected quick as a flash had taken the ago on a charge of 'offering a efforts this was accomplished, the goes to the collector. With this players unawares and commanded bribe, and was out on a bond of brick building remaining intact. exception, every dollar paid to the

of them were Westerners and men. day on the second indictment.

with the society entering into un- place, opened fire and this "broke released on bond. derwriting syndicates where those the light." Others followed and and rode away with his spoils in the midst of a shower of hullets when the posse formed later they ican line in this manner.

Charge of Railroading Legislation With Money.

LAW IN ARKANSAS.

of a hold-up, but he had the drop of Nevada County was arrested at building and scales; this also in- past or in advance will entitle the and it was a cinch that somebody his home in Prescott today on a cluded some machinery, such as payer to cast 100 votes for any would die if resistance was offered. charge of offering a bribe of elevators and conveyors. The young man or young woman he Accordingly all hands went up and \$125 in connection with a bill for books in the office safe were in- may desire. Fifty cents will get came known that the report criti- the bandit proceeded to take the the reorganization of the St. Fran- jured, but not totally destroyed. 50 votes and 25 cents 25 votes. cised the administration of the compiled on the roulette game of cis levee district. This is the The loss has not been fully de- Single copies of the COURIER will president and first and second vice- Kennedy and Kilpatrick. As he same charge on which he was termined, or had not on Monday, be sold for 5 cents and will enpresidents and condemned the turned to the next table Jack arrested three weeks ago before but was in the hands of the insur- title the buyer to 5 votes. At the practice of individuals connected Kniackieweiz, proprietor of the the grand jury acted. He was ance adjusters. Mr. Self, the oil end of the two months the young Prosecuting Attorney Louis broken out in the same place and the highest number of votes will Rhoton today made the following manner before, but they had be entitled to choice of the two statement: "I intend to try all the cases heretofore. He said the loss was the second highest will be entitled this term of court, or every one considerable, but would not state to the remaining scholarship. ready for trial. The trials will the amount until the matter could These scholarships are good for of the balls had taken effect, and doubtless begin this month. The be adjusted with the insurance full and unlimited courses in either time will likely be left very companies. Two I. & G. N. short-hand or book keeping in two largely to the parties indicted. I box cars on the oil mill track of the best business colleges of am anxious to get through with were burned down to the trucks the state and should be taken ad-

On Seed and Hull House and Office at The Courier Makes Another Liberal Oil Mill Destroyad.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S FIRE.

Friday night between 8:30 and

Little Rock, Ark., June 1- 9 o'clock fire was discoved in the

not easily frightened by prospects Representative C. B. Andrews seed and hulls, and the office of a subscription whether for time

A SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST.

Offer to the Industrious Boys and Girls of the County.

The COURIER is offering two morning just before daylight in a Three members of the Legisla- seed house by the night watch- scholarships, each in a different 'scooped the swag" on the tables warrants issued upon indictments that it originated from a hot every man and woman in Houston him, however, and as he is known grand jury in Little Rock. Sena- of the running machinery. An continuing to and including June be captured soon unless he is able Pine Bluff on a charge of soliciting ment at the mill for fighting fire money on subscription to the Sonora, whence few bandits and a bill regulating long distance tele- had been grinding cake during the certain number of votes for some ready to come out. There is much ately gave bail in the sum of ting down for the night. Steam receive one of the two scholarships The highwayman, masked and \$1,500 in connection with a bill which were frame buildings and have been placed in the hands of them to put up their hands. Most \$4,000 when he was arrested to- Included in the loss were the seed COURIER or to any one for the house, the hull house, containing COURIER to be placed to the credit

syndicates had transactions with it is a mystery how the robber esthe society. The report also caped, but he mounted his horse charged laxity and negligence of management, disapproved certain high salaries paid and declared Blood on the ground told that some that the entire business of life insurance should be thoroughly reorganized in the interests of poli- could easily trail him to the Mexcyholders. The report further sets forth that extravagance has existed in practically every department of the society.

Extravagance in expense accounts also is condemned. One feature of the report of far-reaching importance is a recommendation that the Equitable abandon the various forms of preferred dividend paying policies and confine itself to the old forms of straight life insurance.

The latter recommendation created considerable excitement today, not only in Equitable circles, but in the offices of all the insurance companies in this city.

Just What Everyone Should Do. Mr. J. T. Barber of Irwinville, Ga., always keeps a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand ready for instant use. Attacks of colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea Texas with the exception of I. W. now sound and well." Smith & come on so suddenly that there is, Sweet, who wants all whom he has no time to hunt a doctor or go to the store for medicine. Mr. Barber says: "I have tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which is one of the best medicines I ever saw. I keep a bottle of it in my room as I have had several attacks of colic and it has proved to be the best medicine I ever used. Sold by S. L. Murchison.

regularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being over- bad I could not bend over. One Cure. Smith & French Drug Co. by Smith & French.

Potatoes.

Twenty-five car loads of potatoes have been shipped from Houston county along the I. & G. N. since shipping started. Crockett has loaded 21 cars, Grapeland 2 and Lovelady 2. While the crop is not more than half gathered, digging has about stopped for the present on account of the low

market. Potatoes were worth 30 week." cents a bushel here this week. They will keep better in the ground than out, and farmers who do not want to sell now are leaving their potatoes in the to 300 cars.

The buyers who were here last week have all gone to North furnished seed to bring their potatoes in.

Acute Rheumatism-

through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in

"A year ago I was troubled with

the business as soon as possible, and rods. and I can assure all interested that there will be no delay on the part of the State.

"I expect to devote the greater part of the time from now until June 19, when the grand jury reconvenes, getting evidence in shape to continue the investigation. I believe we will be able to finish the grand jury work in a

Was Wasting Away.

The following letter from Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the ground. Under ordinary crop last five years. I lost flesh and conditions with good prices Crock never felt well and doctored with ett would have shipped from 200 leading physicians and tried all Cure and less than two bottles on you side. completely. cured me and 1 am French Drug Co.

Cures Old Sores.

Westmoreland Kans., May 5, 31

1902. Ballard Snow Liniment Co .: Deep tearing or wrenching Your Snow Liniment cured an old pains, occasioned by getting wet sore on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The ever used. Sold by S. L. Mur-hison. During the summer kidney ir-kidney ir-kidney ir-bison. During the summer kidney ir-bison in the summer kidney is the summer kidney is the summer kidney is the sum in the sum in the sum is the sum in the sum is the sum in the sum in the sum is the sum Mrs. Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Miffin Co., Pa., has a sore | and heated. Attend to the kidneys at bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment mistrusts that it is a cancer. by Smith & French.

Letter to S. L. Murchison, Crockett, Texas.

Devoe lead-and-zinc for your town and country.

The whole doctrine of it turns on these three points:

(1) It is all paint and true paint (2) It is the strongest paint; (3) It is full measure.

Because it is all paint, true paint, proportioned for strength and full-measure,

(1) It takes least for a job; (2) Looks best all the time;

(3) Lasts longest;

(4) Gathers the trade and holds ustomers.

There is no such argument for any other paint; there is no other such paint; there is nothing but remedies suggested without relief. talk for any other paint. Devoe Finally 1 tried Foley's Kidney is the paint, if you want the facts day of this week:

The country is full of experiences; we bring these experiences to bear on your trade.

Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & Co., New York.

S. L. Murchison sells our paints.

Ten Years in Bed.

R. A. Gray, J. P., Oakville, Ind., writes, For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys. It was so severe that I could not move part of the I have never had any suffering time. I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could get no relief until Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me. It once by using Foley's Kidney cured me." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold Please send her a 50c bottle. Sold has been a Godsend-to me." Smith & French Drug Co.

mill manager, said that fire had man or young woman receiving always been able to control it scholarships and the one receiving

vantage of. They can be used at any time, are transferable, and are valued at \$40 each. This contest will be one of merit, and Dear Sir: You are agent for will afford the boys and girls of the county a chance to help themselves as well as the COURIER by doing a little soliciting among their friends and neighbors. Every cent sent in by them on any subscription, whether new or old, will be placed to their credit. The votes will be counted and published each week. The COURIER expects to see interest manifested from the beginning and the result eagerly watched.

Scholarship Contest.

The COURIER's scholarship contest stood as follows on Wednes-

J. R. Connor 400

Found a Cure for Dyspepsia.

Mrs. S. Lindsay, of Fort William, Ontario, Canada, who has suffered quite a number of years from dyspepsia and great pains in the stomach, was advised by her druggist to take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. She did so and says, "I find that they have done me a great deal of good. since I began using them." If troubled with dyspepsia or indigestion why not take these Tablets, get well and stay wellt For ale by S. L. Murchison.



Trying to Keep Up.

this town making themselves and their families miserable now and for time to come, just trying to keep up with other folks. The town is going to an extreme on "society," and it seems to have go not a spear of vegetation is of June, A. D. 1905, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock hit both the old and the young. There are club meetings and receptions until it makes one dizzy to keep up with them, and if you the slough have decided to wage a bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, do not try, you risk being regard- war of exterminatian against title and interest which R. B. Rich had ed as pobody. All these things them. Frank Merrill, of Merrill, at any time thereafter, of, in and to the cost money, and more money than reports that men and small boys following described property to wit: succeed in killing many fish with Three-fourths of an acre of land, a part of most of the people are able to afford. Of course if you feel that get a taste of the grass that they you are financially able to indulge in these luxuries, and you really enjoy spending your time in that way, that is your own affair and you are entitled to all the enjoyment you get out of it, but this article is written to urge those who feel that they can not afford such things, either from a standpoint of finance or time, not to attempt it, and thus cause heartaches in the home which time will never cure. Do not allow the idea to enter your mind that you have to fly as high as any one else to have as good a time, and be sure while you are soaring that you have due regard to the manner in which you may have to light. There are some families in this town who need to talk over this matter in the home, wives with their husbands, daughters with their parents, before those homes are wrecked in the vain offort of trying to keep up.-Brownwood Bulletin.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale. (Real Estate.)

By virtue of an order of sale 1s- Dead Sea in Palestine-are but a noyed with disorders of the kidsued out of the honorable district few features of Salt Lake City's ney secretions, particularly frecourt of Houston county, on the countless attractions. There are quent or irregular passages can

picking for the stock during the There are hundreds of people in remaining summer months. The fish approach as near to the

shore as possible and crop the grass off close to the ground. It is stated that sheep could not do a left.

and so thorough has been their declubs. So greedy are the carp to the food. When a school is bunched in this manner it is easy to dispatch the fish with a club.

and 7c a pound for them.

Continent.

The trip to Salt Lake City or to June, A. D. 1905. the Pacific Coast via that point over the Denver & Rio Grande System, "The Scenic Line of the World," is the most beautiful in America. No European trip of equal length can compare with it in grandeur of scenery or wealth of novel interest. Then Salt Lake City itself is a most quaint and picturesque place and well worth to every backache sufferer; but to the journey. Its Mormon temple, cure a lame, weak or aching back tabernacle, tithing office and is what's wanted. Cure it so it church institutions; its hot sulphur springs within the city limits; its delightful temperature,

Notice of Sheriff's Sale-(Real Estate.)

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the honorable district court of Houston county, on the 6th day of June. A. D. 1905, in the case of the City of Crockett versus R. B. Rich, No. 4910, and to me, as sheriff, directed and dehetter job. Wherever the carp livered, I have levied upon this 6th day P. M. on the first Tuesday in July, A. D.

So numerous have they become 1905, it being the 4th day of said month, at the court house door of said Houston county, in the city of Crockett, proceed vastation that the farmers along to sell at public auction to the highest the A. E. Gossett league, located east of the city of Crockett about 400 yards, and described as follows: Bounded on venture in great schools near the north by James Langston's homeshore and shove and fight to get stead place; on the west by a street running north and south and connecting the Pennington with the Coltharp road; on the south by a strip of land belonging to M. Bromberg, the same not being isfy a judgment amounting to \$34.22 with interest thereon from the 14th day of March, 1905, at 6 per cent per annum, A Summer Trip Unsurpassed on the in favor of the City of Crockett and costs

Given under my hand this 6th day of

of suit.

W. PHILLIPS, Sheriff, Houston Co., Texas.

A LASTING EFFECT.

This Evidence Should Prove Every Claim Made for Doan's Kidney Pills.

Relief from the pains and aches of a bad back is always welcome will stay cured. It can be done. Here's the strongest evidence to prove it.

Judge James Moreland, of 1018 sunny climate and its great Salt West Woodard street, Denison, Lake-deader and denser than the Texas, says: "Anyone who is an-30th day of May, A. D. 1905, in parks, drives, canons and beauti-the case of the City of Crockett ful outlying mountain and lake re-vs. J. L. Mosely, No. 4924, and to sorts. Imagine, if you can, a When this condition fails to reme, as sheriff, directed and deliv- bath in salt water a mile above sea spond to the use of ordinary medered, I have levied upon this 30th level, and in water in which the icines of a diuretic nature, or those day of May, A. D. 1905, and will, human body cannot sink. In- which act directly on the kidneys, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. quire of your nearest ticket agent he can be certain that it is high M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first for low tourist rates to Salt Lake [time to at least check the cause or Tuesday in July, A. D. 1905, it be- City, or write for information and graver results will ensue. Some ing the 4th day of said month, at copy of "Salt Lake City, the City time ago my kidneys and the renal the court house door of said Hous- of the Saints," to S. K. Hooper, acre required a medicine and I seton county, in the city of Crock- general passenger agent, Denver, lected Doan's Kidney Pills, after reading considerable about the claims made for them. One box produced such marked results that I bought a second and a third. The continued treatment brought such results that I unbesitatingly recommend the remedy to my friends and fellow citizens. When a medicine acts just as represented, it should be made known to every one so that they may know how For sale by S. L. Murchison. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole

Vacation Time in the Rockies

" No Colorado visit is complete without a trip to the mountains.

¶ The best hunting, camping and fishing places are found along the Colorado Midland Railway.

" Cripple Creek, Leadville, Glenwood Springs and Salt Lake City are best reached by the Midland. Latest design of observation cars.

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¶ Send for booklets and illustrated literature for 1905 convention visitors.

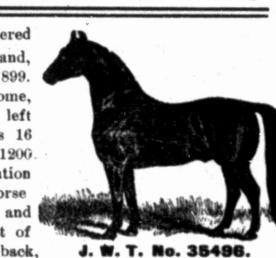
> C. H. SPEERS, G. P. A., Denver, Colo.

MORELL LAW, T. P. A., 202 Boston Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

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.

ett, proceed to sell at public auc- Colo. tion to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which J. L. Mosely had on the 14th day of March, A. in Cuba during the Spanish war D. 1905, or at any time thereafter, know what this disease is, and of, in and to the following de-scribed property to-wit: One-half acre, part of the A. E. Gos-Cuban diarrhoea is almost as sesett league, and occupied by de-fendant as a homestead, and de-tack of cholera. There is one scribed as follows: Bounded on remedy, however that can always and when to use it. the north by the Pennington road; be depended upon as will be seen on the east by a place owned by by the following certificate from Rena Graves; on the west by a Mrs. Minnie Jacobs of Houston, place owned by Charles Long and Texas: "I hereby certify that agents for the United States. on the south by a piece of land Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and owned by Mrs. Berta Wootters. Diarrhoea Remedy cured my hus-Also one fourth of an acre bound- band of a severe attack of Cuban ed as follows: On the west by a duarrhoea, which he brought home street running from Crockett to from Cuba. We had several docthe East Texas Gin and Milling tors but they did him no good. Iowa, writes, "I have had asthma Company's gin; on the north by a One bottle of this remedy cured for three or four years and have street running in tront of the col- him, as our neighbors will testify. tried about all the cough and asthored Methodist and Baptist church- I thank God for so valuable a es: on the east by a vacant lot medicine." For sale by S. L. owned by some secret order and Murchison. on the south by a lot owned by John McConnell; said property being levied on as the property of the science of advertising recog-J. L. Mosely to satisfy a judglars and sixty cents, in favor of advertising medium between a ment amounting to forty-two dolthe City of Crockett, with inter- handbill distributed throughout my house. I sincerely recommend est thereon from the 14th day of the city and thrown into every- it to all. Smith & French Drug March, 1905, at six per cent per one's yard and a newspaper which Co. annum and costs of suit. Given under my hand this 5th

day of June, A. D. 1905. A. W. PHILLIPS,

Sheriff, Houston Co., Tex. By S. H. Platt, Deputy.

Carp Devastate Rich Lands.

along the Columbia slough. It is said that the fish are in greater schools this year than usual, between these and lots of sub-ity of sound and perfect health. J. J. Hubbard, Temple, Texas, writes, March 22, 1902: "I have schools this year than usual. When the water from the Colum- Beaumont Journal. bia reaches a sufficient height and extent that there will be poor Drug Co.

Uuban Diarrnoea.

U. S. soldiers who served in

nize the difference in value as an is delivered to those who read it. and who read it because they want it and like it. The same principle is recognized between the news paper which carries a list of live, cates that your liver is out of orpaying subscribers and the news- der. Herbine will assist nature to paper which is distributed gratui- throw off headaches, rheumatism tously throughout the country and Portland, Ore .-- Carpare brows- thrust into the yards of people who ing off all the best pasture land rarely pick it up, and then only to and restore the energies and vital-

sribers there is a vast difference.-

Remember the name-Doan'sand take no other.

Interesting to Asthma Sufferers. Daniel Bante of Otterville, ma cures in the market and have received treatment from physi-

cians in New York and other cit-Business men who understand ies, but got very little benefit until I tried Foley's Honey and Tar which gave me immediate relief and I will never be without it in

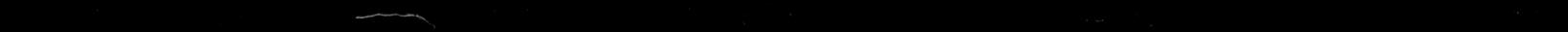
That Tired Feeling!

If you are languid, depressed and incapable for work, it indiand ailments akin to nervousness. used Herbine for the past two years. It has done more good than all the doctors. When I feel Chronic bronchial troubles and bad and have that tired feeling, I ney Cure, you will have only your-Sold by Smith & French. & French Drug Co.

J. C. HIPPEL, Crockett,



ers fear that the ravenous carp will destroy the grass to such an Honey and Tar. Smith & French and fever. "50ctc. a bottle. Sold by Soley's Kidney Cure. Smith & French and fever." 50ctc. a bottle. French Drug Co.



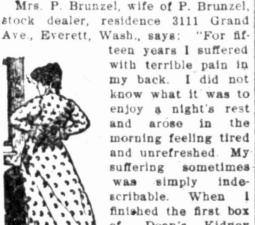


THE ALL PROPERTY

Seize Iron From Sea. After five years' work and at a cost of \$2,500,000 170 acres of the richest iron deposits in England have been claimed from the sea on the Cumberland coast, by means of a semi-circular sea barrier almost 7,000 feet long, 210 feet wide at the base, 83 feet on top, and 40 feet high. An old .:-a wall, constructed in 1890, 600. yards farther inland, made 5,000;000 tons of ore available, but eight years later a bed of quicksand established connections between the underground workings and the sea, and the occurrence indicated the importance of a larger area being proclosed if the work in the mines was to be carried on in safety. The first outer bank of the new wall is of rubble limestone, protected on the seaward side by twentyfive ton concrete blocks distributed irregularly, so as to break the force of the waves, and carried ten feet above high water of the ordinary spring tides. The inner bank is also of limestone of less dimensions, while the center is of clay filling with a puddle core, into which is housed the top saws." of the piling under the bank, forming a submarine cutoff from further trouble by quicksand:

Indicator on the Gun.

For military warfare the singleloading rifle will soon be as obsolete the old-time muzzle-loader of our grandfather's day. The magazine rifle presents so many advantages that its general introduction is inevitable. A recent invention, which renders the magazine rifle more convenient and certain of operation, is an indicator to show the number of shells unexploded within the magazine. If this device were applied to all rifles, and, perhaps," to revolvers, in some modified form, it would do away to a great not rather a compliment than otherextent with that most shocking and wise? frequent "didn't know it was loaded" class of accidents. The indicator consists of a number of projecting studs within the wall of the magazine chamber, which are displaced by the individual cartridges. As successive cartridges are discharged corresponding studs are retracted by individual spring, so as to disappear below the normal surface of the magazine chamber. This enables the person handling the rifle to tell at a glance the number of cartridges still unexploded within



Pills I felt like & Seabrook. different woman. I continued until I had taken five boxes.

COMPLETELY RESTORED.

Doan's Kidney Pills act very effectively, very promptly, relieve the aching pains and all other annoying difficulties.

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents per box.

ited information regarding circular was set on fire.

Never Disappoints.

"Many extensively advertised remedies are failures when put to the test. Hunt's Lightning Oil is an exception. Confidence in it is never misplaceddisappointment never follows its use. It is surely the grandest emergency remedy now obtainable. For cuts. burns, sprains aches and pains I know

no equal."

Geo. E. Paddock, Doniphan, Mo.

Counsel for the Defendant-True. key, but at the present high market rate of those valuable animals, is this

The Busy Season.

In the spring a woman's fancy turns to thoughts of Easter hats, while her weary careworn husband thinks a .ot and murmur "Rats!" In the spring the baseball rooter giveth up his 50 cents, and the small boy sees the battle through a kngthole in the fence. In the spring a tuinner shadow haunts upon each nickel a lean and hungry In the spring a brighter yellow ook

blush is on the butterine, and board-

The United States has 75,000 postoffices and 500,000 miles of postal routes, with a yearly trayel over them amounting to 500,000,000 miles. The service costs over \$150,000,000 year. The receipts now almost equal the expenditures, and have doubled in the last ten years.

Hotel Rugers at Seabrook-on-the-Bay enjoy a night's rest is now open for the summer season. and arose in the Seabrook is located on the Southern morning feeling tired Pacific (G. H. & N. Ry.) between Houston and Galveston and is an ideal place to spend a summer vacation. Fine boating, bathing, sailing, fishing. For schedules, rates, and any other information, write T. J. Anderson, Gen. finished the first box Pass. Agt., Jos. Hellen, Asst. Gen. Pass of Doan's Kidney Agt., Houston, Texas, or Hotel Rugers,

> Moscow is situated almost in the center of European Russia.

Try One Package.

If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does you get one-third more for the same money. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

A bolt of lightning which struck the barn of Joseph Jaggard at Almon-A man was killed by a circular saw, esson one afternoon, tore a hole and in his obituary it was stated that through the roof, passed through the the was "a good citizen, an upright haymow and out the side of the buildman and an ardent patriot, but of lim- ing. Neither the building nor the hay

DETECTIVE WORK-Established 15 years. 8.000 Secret Service Men-more being added every day. Send us your case. Advice by mail free. Address American Detective Association, Indianapolis, Ind.

The little village of Llanymynech, on the borders of Wales, boasts an inn which is partly in England, and partly in Wales. Thus one-half of the building is subject to the Welsh Sunday closing act, while the other half is amenable to English law.

Bad Odor.

A bad odor from a person's breath may be caused by many different forms of dyspepsia. It may be due to stomach catarrh, biliousness, conmy client did call the plaintiff a don-stipation, or a case of ordinary indigestion. Whatever may be the cause, there is just one reliable cure, and that is Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It clears all the impurities out of your body and makes your breath as sweet as the June morning. Safe, pleasant and effective. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The object of the duel is said to be the healing of wounded honor. To try to cure a wound of the spirit, or rather the temper, by a scratch on the skin savors of homeopathy, but may perhaps be justified by the surgical printhe poet's pocketbook, and he casts ciple of relieving tension by incision.



the magazine, which is plainly indicat-



ed by the number of studs that are visible. The inventor of this simple, though effective device hails from ald. Austro-Hungary.

Wireless Tests on Trains.

Train dispatchers may soon be relieved in part of the responsibility now of this place, came very near losing attaching to their post when once a his wife and now that she is cured and train has passed their station without receiving forgotten orders, if the experiments about to be undertaken at Purdue university result in determinwireless telegraphy instruments so they may be successfully used in moving trains. The intention of the professors is to conduct a series of tests. to the end that a receiver may be placed in the cab in reach of the engineer, from which he may take his running orders from the dispatcher without stopping his train. Prof. Kelsey of Purdue has already conducted a series of experiments which lead him all over her body and this is all gone to believe the difficulties hitherto encountered in working with trains have been overcome, and the university at Lafayette, Inć, is exceptionally well They are all that saved her. We can't situated to put to a practical test his theories, since the electrical engineering building of the institution commands a view of long stretches of four means a heav weight, was seen going railroads, and instruments will be placed on various trains for testing purposes.

Victoria Bridge Finished.

That famous railway bridge across the Zambesi river at Victoria falls. in Africa, has been finished. Owing to its tremendous height above the raging torrent certain innovations were used in the crection. One of these was a strange looking rope. mesh and canvas cradle that swung beneath the bridge to catch any work men or tools that might fall.

ers are suspicious of the azure-tinted a safe and sure remody for infants and children cream. In the spring the festive and see that it angler from the ground extracts a worm, and with fiendish glee impales it on a hook that makes it squirm. In the spring the jolly farmer with In Use For Over SO Years. a chuckle doth begin painting letters on a shingle: "Summer Boarders Taken In." The bunko man gets busy -the kite is on the string-thus we realize there's always something doin' in the spring .-- Cincinnati Inquirer,

Sermons in Erse.

The sermon in the Westminster cathedral, London, on St, Patrick's day was delivered in Erse, and all the pler will be that without. hymns and responses were in the same language. Dr. O'Donnell, bishop of Raphoe, was the preacher.

Answered Without Hesitation. "My boy," asked the school-teacher,

"what is the chief end of man?" "Why, the end his head's on," re-

plied the youngster."-Baltimore Her-

Thought She Couldn't Live.

Moravia, N. Y., June 5 .- Mr. Benjamin Wilson, a highly respected resident restored to good health his gratitude knows no bounds. He says:

"My wife has suffered everything with Sugar Diabetes. She has been not live. She failed from 200 pounds and one box cured me." down to 130 pounds. This was her weight when she began to use Dodd's form of itching known to mankind." Kidney Pills, and now she weighs 190. is well and feeling stronger every day

"She used to have rheumatism so bad that it would raise great bumps too

praise them enough."

An Emporia woman, who is by no about the neighborhood on a recent FITS heret day windy day carrying a flat iron in each or. Send for FREE 33.00 hand. Although she didn't have the irons labeled "ballast," no one asked any questions.

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An English schoolbay recently wrote the following essay on "Friendship:" "A friend is one who knows all about you and likes you all the sama." If there is anything more to) be said on the subject, we cant imagine what it may be.

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Clifton Lawrence, Helena, O. T.

No. Alonzo, it isn't proper to ask a girl for a kiss until you have taken it.

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EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

The contract for a new dormitory and dining room for the I. I. O. F. Widows' and Orphans' Home at Corsicana, has been let, the consideration being \$34,291.

Worley's new directory of Dallas gives that city a population of 82,865, with 52 miles of street railway and a jobbing trade of \$67,000,000 for last year.

"Grandpa" Griffin, aged eighty-twc years, died near Elm, in Wilson Coun ty, of paralysis. Deceased moved from Virginia in 1855. He served in the Civil War.

There is a movement on foot among the Dallas physicians and some members of the city council to have a food ers Inspector appointed as is done in many large cities.

The first solid car of tomatoes left Tyler Thursday. They were sold for \$1.25 per crate and the car of toma toes is worth in round figures \$1,20(to the producers.

While a brakeman named E. L Honnicutt was making a coupling in the Cotton Belt yards at Tyler his right arm was caught by the draw heads and crushed.

A meeting of the horse men of the State will be held in Dallas June 15 tc perfect a State circuit to include Dal las, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston and possibly Beaumont.

The National Editorial Association some 500 strong, will spend a day in Dallas about June 16, while en route from the annual meeting at Guthrie Ok., to Portland, Oregon.

The case against Will Kemp of Grayson county, charged by indict ment with homicide of his father, was dismissed in the district court upoy motion of the county attorney.

An ordinance has been introduced in

CROCKETT, - - - TEXAS. Russian Comment on President's Tender of Good Offices for Peace.

St. Petersburg, June 5 .- President, better terms to the Russian people Roosevelt's tender of his good offices than to the bureaucrats who began to bring about peace is received with the war. This paper reiterates the general favor in the press and by the demand for a Zemsky Sabor to settle public, and a desire that some steps the question. Even the Grazzsdanin should be taken toward securing an declares peremptorily for peace, the honorable peace is increasingly mani- Novoe Vromya alone dissenting from fest. the general chorus by saying that

The Russ declares that the presi- peace is not so essential as foreign dent's offer should be commended as and international enemies imagine and an act of friendship tending to bring picturing Great Britain, the United out Japan's terms of peace, and Rus- States and the continental powers besia's acceptance of an offer which ginning to tremble in the face of the would not mean surrender on humil- "yellow peril."

the same time that negotiations, if be- Sunday expressed their pleasure that gun, must be direct, and that there President Roosevelt had taken the must be no intervention by other pow- lead in urging Russia to give up the

must make the best possible use of dent's efforts would be fruitless. the friendly office of the United States| Baron Rosen, the new Ambassador

lating terms. The paper maintains at Members of the diplomatic corps

prosecution of the war, but they said

The Bourse Gazette says that Russia they were apprehensive that the presi-

and Great Britain. This paper, as to Washington, does not seem to be well as the Synotchesva and the Nash- accelerating his departure on account ashism and others advance the idea of developments in the United States that Japan will be disposed to grant He will sail on July 27.

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SURE OF VICTORY.

Member of Russian Staff Says That Is Why They Took the Risk.

Tokio, June 5. A telegram from Sasebo says: A member of the Russian staff, be the risk of essaying of Tsy Straits

said: "We were confident of victory. Reaching Vladivostok was not the only object. The Emperor commanded us on leaving the Baltic to fight and de-Our mission is ended."

the battleship Nicholai is the most his summer vacation.

Vladivostok Fortified. Vladivostok: It is expected here that a Japanese attack on the fortress will not be long delayed. There is, however, a calm and determined spirit manifested by the population ip the face of the forthcoming crisis. ing asked why the Russian ships took The defense of Vladivostok, on which steady work has been in progress since the beginning of the war, are now considered as having been completed.

Danes Honor Americans.

Copenhagen: Crown Prince Freilfeat our enemy, and we were anxious erick has honored Mr. L. F. Swenson, to obey his orders. We were confi- the retiring Amorican minister, and dent and ready to fight from the start. Mrs. Swenson with a long visit, as they will leave for the United States be Of the captives brought to Sasebo fore his royal highness returns from

seriously damaged. There are many Former Financo Minister Hage has holos in her port side over three teet reutrned from his trip to the United in diameter, and the majority of her States and is highly enthusiastic over quick-firing guns on the port side what he calls the treatendous energy

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the City Council of El Paso for the appointment of a city inspector for water, milk and foodstuff. It is recommended by the health department.

The Confederate Park Association of Fort Worth is making improvements | feet. in the grounds for the annual reuniou A number of boats are to be placed on the artificial lake built on the grounds

The Hudson and Badger flouring mill mill at Pawnee has burned, the fire originating from some unknown source. Incendiarism is suspected. The plant was insured for only \$500

James Britt has signed with the Hays Valley Club, to fight the winner of the Hanlon-Corbett battle. The match is to come off in July. Details of the match have not been arranged

The cotton crop bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture Friday shows that the acreage for the entire belt has been decreased 11.4 per cent. The average condition is given as 77.2.

Mrs. Charles Haynie had killed herself by shooting at Bastrop, Friday morning. Her husband, Charles Haynie, was one of the clerks in the House of Representatives during the last Legislature.

Amarillo of persons charged with passing counterfeit money. The Federal Corinth. authorities now have charge of the parties, whose names could not be obtained.

A great storm has swept over Pinetown, the center of the tea and sugar plantations of Natal, which caused the reservoir to overflow, resulting, it is reported, in the drowning of 200 persons. The storm resulted in numerous casualties.

John Stegall, living four miles south fearful wound. of Ladonia met with a peculiar accident. The spiral spring of a cultivator broke, throwing a bolt with such forca as to crush the temple bone about one inch from the right eye.

Fruit and vegetable growers have formed an association under the name of the Hopkins County Fruit and Vegetable Exchange, the object of the organization being to co-operate with the Texas Fruit and Vegetable Exchange.

Two attempts have been made near Quinian, Ok., during the past week to wreck the midnight Santa Fe passenger train on the Panhandle division On both occasions ties and other obfructions were placed on the gradel

were destroyed. Her forward funnel of the American nation. was shot partly away and one hole

along the wator line measures ten A dispatch from Mazairua says the Japanese battleship Asashi was largely engaged with the Russian ship Borodino. After the Borodino took fire and was sinking the Asashi sus. pended firing, but the Borodina construck the Asashi astern on the larboard side, killing Lieut, Morishita and seven others. Morishita's leg was shot off, but using his sword as a crutch,

he managed to reach dock, where he died. A dying sailor asked for paper on which to write a farewell message to the Japanese navy. He wrote: "Bainzai! I die a glorious death."

Ross Statue Accepted.

Waco, Texas: The committee appointed with authority to do so, accepted the model of the bronze equestrian statue of Gen. Lawrence Sullivan Ross, offered by Pompeo Coppini of San Antonio, and the action of the committee will be ratified by the Sul Ross Memorial Association. The statue represents Five arrests have been made at Gen. Ross on a plunging steed in the act of sabering a foe at the battle of

Tried to Ride a Wild Horse.

Temple, Texas: John Franklin, a colored porter employed at the drug store of Willis & Orgain, attempted to ride a wild, unbroken horse yesterday and was scrouged off his mount by being scraped against a tree, throwing him to the ground and breaking his ing through the flesh and making a

Daughter Killed Father. Peoria: Wenoa Gilham, 16 years of age, shot and fatally wounded her father yesterday, eighteen miles from this city. Gilham was abusing his daughter when his wife interfered. He dealt her a blow over the head with a club, knocking her senseless. The both barrels at her father, inflicting a mortal wound.

New Lights for Flatonia. Fiatonia, Texas: The management of the electric light plant received the .000-candle arc lights yesterday, and ad them placed last night. When legant program.

Cumbie Fatally Injured.

San Angelo, Texas: R. F. Cumbie, a prominent young stockman, while riding a vicious horse on the range near Bronte, Coke county, was thrown and fatally injured. His jaw was broken and head injured. A searching party found him unconscious twentytined to fire. Fractically her last shot four hours after the accident. He has not regained consciousness. He is a son of Rev. R. M. Cumbie of Bronte,

Buffalo Drug Stock Sold.

Buffalo, Texas: The stock of drugs fixtures, notes and accounts of the H C. McMichael drug store was sold Saturday, the drugs and fixtures to J. Q. Ganss of the Somantoma Drug Co.; \$135 notes and accounts to E. L. Lenson, of Buffalo, for \$35.

Beaumont Church Dedicated.

Beaumont, Texas: The new Christian church was dedicated in Beaumont yesterday by Rev. M. L. Scoville, who was assisted by Rev. J. B. Holmes, the local pastor, and an excellent choir,

Fourteen Births, One Death.

Bryan, Texas: The vital statistic records in the office of the Brazos county clerk show a record of fourteen births and one death for the month of May.

St. Louis Terro Cotta Works.

St. Louis, Mo .: The Winkle Terra Cotta Works, just west of the city limits, were practically destroyed by fire early yesterday. At 2 a. m. six leg near the ankle, the bone protrud- buildings were completely burned and the loss was estimated at \$400,000. At that hour the fire was considered under control.

Thirty Beef Trust Cases.

Washington: The United States District Attorney and special attorneys from Chicago, who are to confer with the president in the beef trust investigation, believe they can make thirty. cases out of the matter. The packers daughter secured a shotgun and fired are complaining of the government's methods of getting evidence.

Torpedo Boat Showed Up.

Shanghai: A Russian torpedo boat which was towed in here yesterday reports that she had been drifting for six days with 180 men on board and a water supply short. The vessel was the current was turned on the brass damaged forward and her crew has alnd was on hand and rendered an ready been transferred to the Russian transport interned at Woosding.



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SPAIN'S MONARCH WELCOMED ON ALBION'S ISLE.

HAD REAL LONDON WEATHER.

Downpour of Rain Bedraggled the Gay Decorations in Spanish Colors-Precautions for Safety.

London, June 6 .- Alfonse the young King of Spain, was welc. ned to England yesterday with the most elaborate of ceremonies, every detail of which was supervised by King Edward himself.

Never in the case of a reception of a national visitor has greater at tention been paid to detail or more careful preparation made for a magnificent display. If only the weather had been propitious the reception probably would have been the most brilliant ever accorded a foreign visttor to England. A deluge of rain at Portsmouth and at London, however, marred all the spectacular effects.

The day, which broke drearily in France increased in gloom as the British royal yacht Victoria and Albert crossed the channel from Cherbourg, accompanied by a strong escort of British cruisors and torpedo boat dostroyers. Approaching the mouth of the harbor, the royal yacht Prison, Mexico, May 30, received by passed through line after line of gun his cousin, Gus Atkinson, of Sherman boats and great fighting vessels, be is in a very hopeful strain. The prisdecked with flags and flying the Span- oner speaks of his plans, which, in a ish ensign and a score of which fired general way, are a rest up of a few the royal salute.

These war vessels resembled phan- to relatives in Hill and Hardeman tom ships ast he Victoria and Albert, counties and Sherman. He writes emerging from the haze, passed the that he has scores of invitations from saluting ranks. The young King, who Texans to come to their homes and wore the uniform of a British Gener- stay just as long as he feels like it. al witht he ribbon of the Order of the Garter, stood on deck, evidently kcenly enjoying the spectacle in spite of the pouring rain.

The Prince of Wales, representing King Edward, awaited with a guard Inlet, near Freeport, L. I. of honor, and after the gangway was the Spanish ruler while at the same

Will Manning, to Hang for Murder, Captured Before He Got Away. Greenville, Texas, June 6.- A despersto but unsuccessful attempt to break out of jail was made last night by Will T. Manning, who is under sentonce to be hanged on July 7 for the murder of his wife near Celeste. When Assistant Jailer Lee McKin-

TRIED TO BREAK JAIL

ney went upstairs to sprinkle the floor of the jail with a disinfectant to keep off the mosquitoes, Manning ask-

ed him to sprinkle the inside of his Cowpeas are a most valuable crop cell and under his cot. McKinney for the Southern farmer. What the opened the door and wont inside, and clover is to the Northern farmer the while sprinkling under the cot the prisoner grabbed him and knocked him to the rear end of the cell, Southern farm either large or no jumped through the door and locked small, should be without a liberal the assistant jailer up. Manning then patch of cowpeas during the summer ran downstairs to the office of the and fall months. It is usually supjail. He was followed by Watchman posed that cowpeas, in order to enrich Darby, who caught the prisoner around the soil much be turned under while the waist and held on to him until still green; this is, however. Jailer Wiley E. Smith could come from erroneous; it is true that the anc.her portion of the building to the cowpeas turned under while green outside of the door to the office. Mansupply a humus to the soil which unning was trying to unlock the office doubtedly is beneficial, yet it is not door and Jailer Smith caught his arm necessary as the roots of the peas conand pulled it through the bars of the door and held him tratil a great crowd of people had been alarmed by

the noise and gathered at the jail. Manning, sceing that he could not escape, consented to go back to his coll.

Mac Stewart's Plans.

Sherman, Texas: A letter from Mac Stewart, under date of Chihuahua days at El Paso, then a long visit

A Liner Ashore.

New York: A big incoming steamer went ashore late last night off Point Lookout, to the east of Jones

The steamship is supposed to be a was impossible to learn her name. sea is running extremely high and the people of Freeport dared not venture far ecough out in boats to learn anything about the stranded ves-

⊸For the Truckers **~**

COW PEAS FOR PROFIT

(Houston Shippers Guide.)

Cowpeas, as far as their habits and excellent food for stock and poultry, cultivation is concerned, are really a and find a ready market always at hand for the threshed peas. bean rather than a pea.

Soil.

The cowpea will grow on any land not too wet, and even make a fair cowpea is to the Southern, as a source crop on worn land they will make the of forage and enriching the soil, and best growth on medium rich land.

Planting.

The planting of cowpeas can be done in drills or broadcast; if planted in drills they can be cultivated, which is very beneficial and the peas are more easily gathered. Most farmers broadcast the peas by plowing or harrowing them in, which is a very satisfactory method. From 11 to 3 bushels of seed should be sown to the acre.

Varieties.

There are many good varieties of tain a large percentage of nitrogen, which is of the most value for further cowpeas, the most favorite kinds are crops and any piece of land where cow. the Whipporwill pea, which is a bunch peas have been grown is richer in variety, very productive and hardy. nitrogen, which is of the most value The Clay pea is also one of the best for further crops, even if the vines and kind for Southern growers; is is of large foliage, long roots and abundant

fruit have been removed. The planting of cowpeas should be bearer. The Lady pea is a great favorencouraged, especially by fruit and ite, as it is a delicate small pea, very truckgrowers, for both orchard and acceptable for table use, and much in truck lands, as the peas will keep the demand at fair prices. The large ground shaded, loose and sweet for blackeyed peas are probably the best future crops, and destroy noxious money makers, for picking dry for weeds. Both the vines and peas are market

HOW BERMUDA ONIINS ARE GROWN IN BERMUDA.

The ground in which the seed are are made necessary for the purposes planted is specially prepared and of cultivating the onions, removing thoroughly manured, and worked as weeds, etc., during the first six or anely as possible. This is done about, eight weeks of their growth after being say, two or three weeks before receiv- transplanted. As already stated, they need surface ing the seed. Then when the seed are received and the season is ready cultivation, and after about four weeks' for planting, which is generally in Ber- growth and the weeds begin to show,

muda after a god steady rain, and they scatter commercial fertilizer, run up went on board and welcomed liner, but until long after midnight it the soil is well moistened, the ground which is generally in a powdered state, for seed is turned ever and prepared through the young onions. Then they



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"I'm not so sure," said Aust Ann, 'that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach.. I'm inclined to think it's the other way, 'Mandy. The way to his stomach is through his heart. So long as he loves you he'll eat anything you cook."

time the Prince's standard broke out alongsile that of the august visitor. Their respective suites were then introduced and subsequently the mayor of the corporation of the port of Plymouthp resented His Majesty with an address of welcome, in response to which the King said:

"I wish to all in this great Empire under your King's scepter every prosperity, and as you are among the first to welcome my arrival. I request that you also he the first to convey my gratitude to those whom you represent. Assure them that the remembrance of thece happy moments will always be cherished in my heart." King Alfonso, who was the first King of Spain who ever landed in England, disembarked at 2:20 p. m. Accompanied by the Prince of Wales, His Majesty inspected the guard of Sasebo Naval Hospital at 2:30 p. m. honor in a drizzling rain, and subse- reports that Admiral Rojestvensky's quently took a train for London amid condition is favorable. His pulse and the firing of another royal salute.

Killed on Waabsh.

Detroit, Mich.: In a collision yesterday between a Wabash and a Grand hand and also a wound in the left Trunk freight training near Chatham, Ont, Clear the Arena, a racing mare valued at \$3,000, was killed, and Foxy Kane, valued at \$3,000 severely injured. Both horses were owned by took place at Duplessis Connor's house F. J. Kettleman of this city. The Nug- near Lake Arthur early Sunday moraget and another runner were also ing Sosthene Guidry had his jugular injured. Those norses were being ship- vein severed and was also stabbed ped to this city from the Woodbine in the arm. He lived only ten min. track at Toronto.

Germans Suffer Defeat.

London: A dispatch from a news in custody. Accounts of witnesses agency from Cape Town says native vary as to which was the aggressor. reports have been received in official quarters to the effect that Warmbada the German headquarters in Southwest Africa, has fallen and that the Association shipped a carload of cugarrison has perished.

native sources.

House of Capulets for Sale.

Verona: The house of the Capulets where Juliet lived, has been offered for sale under a decree of the courts to satisfy creditors. Its value is estimated at \$2,000, and the municipality intends to buy it and convert it into museum.

Enormous Crop at Henrietta. Henrietta, Texas: Harvest is in full blast, regardless of Sundays and night darkness. The crop is enormous and hands are in great demand. stock

Health at Honduras.

sel.

New Orleans, La.: A conference of health officers from Louisiana and the Mobile Bay board met here yesterday to consider the yellow fever situation in Honduras ports. Dr. Tabor of Texas was to have

accounted, but could not come.

later date, when all can attend,

Rojestvensky's Condition.

weeds.

onions.

the main fields.

Tokio: The chief surgeon of the temperature continue normal. There is no sign of brain complications. On the inside of the right thigh there is a bruise as large as the palm of the foot.

Jugular Vein Severed.

Lake Charles, La .: In a fight that utes. His brother-in-law, Onezeme Frahan, was held responsible for the killing by the coroner's jury and is

Carload of Orange Cukes.

Orange, Texas: The Truck Growers' cumbers to Kansas City yesterday. No news is obtainable except from This is the first carload of vegetables ever sent from this station.

Uplifting of Spain.

London: The visit of King Alfonso to Premier Lansdowne is taken by diplomuats to indicate the forging of an important link ina n ewa lliance. which will raise Spain to a higher position, and assist her in the building of a new navy.

Cleared Up \$30,000,000. New York: The statement is made

here that James J. Hill and his asso clates clean up thirty millions of dol lars in the rise of Northern Securities

for the reception of the seed and the go through them by hand with little ground is laid off in beds of about three-tined hand forks, about three four feet wide with a walk about 10 inches long, and rake this fertilizer in

inches between each bed. After the and around the young onions, removbeds are walked off, as noted, and care- ing the weeds at the same time. If fully haked over and made as smooth as the weeds show themselves again later possible, the seed are then planted, on, they give them another weeding either by drill or hand. If by the for- about three or four weeks later. By mer method, that is, the drill, the that time the onions, being transplantdrills are set so that the seed will ed about six or eight weeks, will very not come out too fast, and will not likely have gotten quite large leaves, come out too thick. If by hand, they and be about an inch in diameter at generally make the small furrows stalk and will not need much further After carefully considering the sit- crossways of the beds, about one inch attention, and they will then go foruation, it was decided there was no or so deep, and the seed are strewn' ward to maturity, which generally ooeccasion for immediate action and in by hand, and the small furrows curs three to four months after transthe conference adjourned to some are about nine or ten inches apart. planting. This allows for getting around the seed To sum up regarding Bermuda onion

after they come up, and removing all culture, we would say that the seed is generally planted about the middle of

a cheaper and safer supply, and steps September on to about the middle of This used to be the old and original October; the transplanting of the onway of planting onion seed in Ber- ion commences about the 1st of Demuda, but in later years they have cember, on and through to about the planted them in drills, longitudinal4 middle of January; that is, depending ly with the walks, say about six or upon the time when the seed is plantseven drills in a bed, about nine inches ed to its being sufficiently large to apart, so as to allow space enough to transplant, as they raise all their onkeep the weeds away from the young ions in Bermuda on this plan; that is, transplanting entirety every onion

The seed, if planted in good season, of March, the earlier transplanted onthat is, when the ground is well mois- ions begin to mature, and the tops fall tened by rain, will begin to germinate down and the bulb increases in size in about five or six days, sometimes until it gets, say from two to four three or four days longer, and in the inches in diameter, and when the tops course of three or four weeks they will are well dried they have attained their begin to get about four or five inches and the growing of the onions continue high, and when the onion plans have in like ratio from time of transplanting during the months of April and gotten to be about the size of a goose May. egg quill, or say, a small lead pencil,

When the onions are ready to be they will be large enough to set out in reaped they are pulled from the ground

and left to dry in the sun for a short while so as to get all the moisture Now, for the field planting of the from them, then they are taken to young onions. In Bermuda, where they barns or the grassy fields and the tops have to depend entirely on the rain are cut off, about half an inch from for irrigation, they prepare the ground the bulb, and the roots are also trimmed off. This gives the onion a clean two or three weeks before the onions and neat appearance.

are ready for transplanting, by plough-After being dried and cooled for ing the same pretty thoroughly, using about twenty-four hours, they are stable and barn yard manure, about ready to be shipped to market in such pretty nearly as much as if they were packages as may be most appropriate. Those used in Bermuda hold about going to plant potatoes, and when the fifty pounds each; of crates of 17x8x24 onions are ready to be transplanted inches, in two compartments. The they make up the beds in the main three ends or cross pieces being about fields about four feet wide, with walks three-fourths of an inch thick, and the slats of 2 12 inches wide by 3-8 inch about 10 inches between them the thick, 24 inches long, about five on each whole length of the field, or as long side, and two on the tops and bottoms, as they think best. The beds are then leaving about half an inch or so be made reasonably smooth, and the onion tween the slats for ventilation. They plants are planted in these beds, about nine inches apart each way, in rows about six or eight to a bed. The walks Kingsville Spokesman.

With the paradeless circus, will it be worth while to be a boy?

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When women are troubled with irregucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, back-sche, flatulence, general debility, indiestion and nervous prostration, they hould remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E Pinkham's Veg-stable Compound at once removes such

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Health is too valuable to risk in exeriments with unknown and untried adicines or methods of treatment. temember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vagetable Compound that is curing women, and don't allow any druggist to sell you anything else in its place.

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It is unlaw ful in Norway for women

Ordinary black ink has been discov. cred to be a sovereign remedy for scaids. It bids fair to become a cureall, as it has long'been known both as a powerful irritant, a first class sedative for the removal of freckles from reputations, while as a boosting tonic it stands unrivaled.

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The following When the medicinal properties of Saw Palmetto Borries were discovered the of 1628 Lincoln Liver, Kidneys and Fladder troubles was Ave., Denver, settled. Vernal Palmettona (Palmetto olo., to Mrs. Pink- Berry Wine) is recommended by thousands ham, Lypn, Mass.: of former sufferers. It relieves the inflam-Dear Mrs. Pinkham: mation and cures the disease. Don't suffer mation and cures the disease. Don't suffer from Dyspepsia, constipation, backache headache, Vernal Palmettona will cure you. Write for free trial bottle to Vernal Remedy Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Sold by druggists.

> When a young man begins to call on a girl twice a week his mother fears the worst.

Mrs. Winslow's Goothing Syrup. For child, en teching, softcas the gurus, reduces fammacion, allays pain, cures wind collu. 25c a box

If they are opened to tranquility and peace there is no quarter for discontent.

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Ought we to hold the human race responsible for the multitude of book makers?

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The small boy who plays marbles for keeps may be giving away public libraries in after years.

How's This?

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Catarrà Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known Y. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly hon-orable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. WaldDING, KINXAX & MANNIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hail's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free Price 15 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hail's Family Pills for constipation.

The cotton factories in Lancasnire spin enough thread in six seconds to go around the world.

Edna: "I dreamed last night that]

The eminent French astronomer, Lalande, either really possessed, or else affected, an excessive fondness for spiders and caterpillars as articles of diet, and would eat them with apparent relish. He always carried a supply of these insects about with him in bonbonniere.

MILK CRUST ON BABY,

Lost All His Hair-Scratched Till Blood Ran-Grateful Mother Tells of His Cure by Cuticura for 75c.

"When our baby boy was three months old he had the milk crust very badly on his head, so that all the hair came out, and it itched so bad he would scratch until the blood ran. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I applied the Cuticura and put a thin cap on his head, and before I had used half of the boy it was entirely cured, his hair commenced to grow out nicely again, and he has had no return of the trouble. (Signed) Mrs. H. P. Holmes, Ashland, Or."

Sensible Housekeepers

will have Deflance Starch, not alone because they get one-third more for the same money, but also because of superior quality.

He who doesn't think he could im prove on the most of nature's handl work will never set the world on fire

Afraid of Kansas Politicians.

A man from a Kansas town walked up to the cashier's desk at one of the large hotels in Kansas City Saturday and, tossing a check for \$100, said: "Cash that, please."

"You'll have to be identified, sir," replied the young woman, pleasantly. "Why, I am a director in the bank on which that check's drawn, and I'm quite well known in politics over my way," he said.

"Did you say you are a politician?" asked the cashier. "Oh, a sort of a one," replied the man smiling. "That." came from the cashier, "makes positive identification all the more necessary." The man did not ask why, but hunted up a friend and was identified. -Kansas City Times.

What is a Week?

The question seems simple enough to answer in two seconds, yet it has occupied the Supreme Court of Victoria for two days. The Factories Act provides that no girl shall be employed for more than forty-eight hours 'in any one week." A manufacturer was summoned for violating this provision; but he contended that the week should be reckoned not by the calendar, but from pay-day to pay-day -that is, from Friday to Thursday inclusive. The magistrates decided that it was the correct interpretation, and the Supreme Court has indorsed their view.

HER WEAKNESS GONE HOT FLASHES AND SINKING SPELLS

CONQUERED AT LAST.

Mrs. Murphy Tells Her Fellow-Sufferers How She Got Rid of Serious Troubles by Simple Home Treatment.

"I had been bothered for several years," said Mrs. Murphy, "by stomach disorder, and finally I became very weak and nervous. Flashes of heat would pass over me, and I would feel as if I was sinking down. At such times I could not do any household work, but would have to lie down, and afterwards I would have very trying nervous spells." "Didn't you have a doctor ?" she was

asked.

"Yes, I consulted several doctors but my health did not improve. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She assured me that they had proved of the greatest benefit in the case of her daughter. In fact, she praised them so enthusiastically that my husband got me a box."

"And what was the result?"

"Before I had taken half of the first box my condition was greatly improved. The quickness with which they reached and relieved all my troubles was really surprising. After I had used only three boxes I had no more heat-flashes or weak spells. Thanks to them, I have become a well woman."

Mrs. Mary D. Murphy lives at No, 1903 Force street, Fort Wayne, Indiana. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the remedy which she found so satisfactory, furnish directly to the blood the elements that give vigor to every tissue of the body. They can be depended on to revive failing strength, and to banish nervousness. Their tonic properties are absolutely unsurpassed.

As soon as there is drag, or dizziness, or pallor, or poor circulation, or disordered digestion, or restlessness, or pains, or irregularities of any kind these famous pills should be used. They have cured the most obstinate cases of anæmia, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous prostration and even partial paralysis.

If you desire information specially suited to your own case write directly to the Dr. Williams Medicine Company. Schenectady, N.Y. Every woman should have a copy of Dr. Williams' " Plain Talks to Women."which will be mailed free to any address on request. Any druggist can supply the pills.

The practical man is he who turns life to the best account for himself; the good man, he who teaches others how to do so.

Wist Judge.

"I've sailed all over the world, your honor, a said the drunk at the bar. "Indeed," said the magistrate, with polite interest. "Ever been to Hongkong?"

"Sure, your honor."

"Is the city on the port or starboard side as you sail in?" queried the magistrate.

"Starb'rd," sang out the self-labeled sailor.

"You're wrong," finished the shrewd cadi. "It's on the port side. I've sailed a bit myself. Three dollars fine."-New York Sun.

FREE TO OUR READERS.

Botanic Blood Balm for the Blood.

If you suffer from ulcers, eczema, scrofuia, blood poison, cancer, eating sores, itching (skin, pimples, boils, bone pains, swellings, theumatism, catarrh, or any blood or skin tiscase, we advise you to take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Es-pecially recommended for old, obstinate, deep-seated cases, cures where all else fails, heals every sore, makes the blood glow of health. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle. Sample sent free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. Medicine sent at once propaid; 3 for \$2.50, 6 for \$5, 12 for \$10.

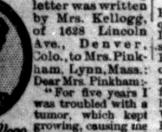
A Novel Suggestion.

An ingenious lady has devised a plan for the transportation of impecunious invalids by rail. Henceforth she suggests that those who cannot afford to pay for an invalid carriage should travel in a hammock slung in an ordinary compartment. This sounds something less than cheerful for the invalid. The carriages of most railways are not designed for hammocks. And what would happen to the invalid if the hammock swung?

Salaries of English Judges.

It is considered an essential condition of the English court system that the judges shall be absolutely independent financially, that their salaries shall be so large and provision for their future shall upon their retirement be so ample that they need have no monetary anxiety. Since the granting of an annuity of \$17,032.75 a year to Sir Francis Jeune there are now eight ex-judges in England who are in receipt of total pensions amounting to \$121,662.50 a year.

Just Discrimination in Railway Rates. All railroad men qualified to speak on the subject in a responsible way are likely to agree with President Samuel Spencer of the Southern Rall way when he says: "There is no division of opinion as to the desirability of stopping all secret or unjustly discriminatory devices and practises of whatsoever character." Mr. Spencer, in speaking of "unjustly discriminatory" rates and devices, makes a distinction which is at once apparent to common sense. There may be discrimination in freight rates which is just, reasonable and imperatively required by the complex commercial and geographical conditions with which expert rate makers have to deal. To sholleh such open and honest discrimination might paralyze the industries of cities, states and whole sections of our national territory. This distinction between just and unjust discrimination is clearly recognized in the conclusions of the international Railway Congress, published yesterday: "Tariffs should be based on commer-cial principles, taking into account the special conditions which bear upon the commercial value of the services ren-dered. With the reservation that rates shall be charged without arbitrary dis-crimination to all shippers alike under like conditions, the making of rates should as far as possible have all the elasticity necessary to permit the devel-opment of the traffic and to produce the greatest results to the public and to the railroads themselves." "Tariffs should be based on commer-The present proposal is, as Mr. Walker D. Hines of Louisville showed in his remarkable testimony the other day before the Senate Committee at Washington, to crystallize flexible and justly discriminatory rates into fixed government rates which cannot be changed except by the intervention of some government tribunal, and by this very process to increase "the templation to depart from the published rate and the lawful rate in order to meet some overpowering and urgent commercial condition."-New York Sun.



or girls to serve in public houses.

was fishing and landed a whopper."

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Deflance Starch Company, Omaha, Nebraska.

One of the newest curiosities in biblical publicans is an edition of the New Testament in Scotch dialect. Here is a sample of the text: "Than sal the Kingdom o' Heaven be like to ten maidens, taken ilk ane her ain crusie, and gaun oot to meet the bridegroom."

When you go into mixed company the air you should carry with you there is that of fearing no one and wishing to offend no one.

A 10-year-old Topeka boy ate six dishes of ice cream and finished up on four bowls of Chili soup. The doctors thought he had appendicitis and operated on him. But he didn't have it.

FEED YOU MONEY.

Feed Your Brain, and It Will Feed You Money and Fame.

"Ever since boyhood I have been especially fond of meats, and I am convinced I ate too rapidly, and failed to masticate my food properly.

"The result was that I found myself, a few years ago, afflicted with ailments of the stomach and kidneys, which interfered seriously with my business.

"At last I took the advice of friends and began to eat Grape-Nuts instead of the heavy meats, etc., that had constituted my former diet.

"I found that I was at once benefited by the change, that I was soon relieved from the heart-burn and the indigestion that used to follow my meals, that the pains in my back from my kidney affection had ceased, showing that those organs had been healed, and that my nerves, which used to be unsteady, and my brain, which was slow and lethargic from a heavy diet of meats and greasy foods, had, not in a moment, but gradually, and none the less surely, been restored to normal efficiency. Now every nerve is steady and my brain and thinking faculties are quicker and more acute than for years past.

"After my old style breakfasts I used to suffer during the forenoon from a feeling of weakness which hindered me seriously in my work, but since I have begun to uso Grape-Nuts food I can work till dinner time with all ease and comfort." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

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 3-4-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again, because Deflance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Once upon a time there was an automobile-which ran slowly and carefully through the streets of the city.

"Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy eured me of Bright's Disease and Gravel. Able physician's failed." Mrs. E. P. Minner, Burghill, O. \$1.00 a bottle.

A Carlsruhe engineer is said to have invented a contrivance by means of which, in the event of fire, the auditorium of a theater can be detached by hydraulic power from the stage and pushed, audience and all, into the street.

A distinguished German expert in school hygiene, Dr. Schmidt-Monnard, of Halle, has found the number of sick among the children attending morning and afternoon sessions by one-half greater than among children who attend sessions in the forenoon only.

The firebug has wings and gall, but they'll get him just the same.

An "earliest green eating onion" is one of the new things of 1905.

Even the most ardent temperate man does not want to see Niagara Falls become a dry town.

If a pupil is backward it is up to the teacher to bring him forward.

Somewhere there's a sin back of every sorrow.

Most women are generous to a fault -if it isn't one of their husband's.

The principle products of some fac tories are strikes and lockouts.

One grain of magnesia will color 50,-000,000 grains of water.

A friend who knows your secret holds a mortgage on your peace of mind.

Soul possessions are the only assets that count in beaven.

Another sign of spring; Chili and Peru are at it again.

Piso & Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs .-- WM. O ENDSLEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

What becomes of flies in winter and chorus girls in summer?

When You Buy Starch buy Defiance and get the best, 16 oz. for 10 cents. Once used, always used.

Always taking out of the meal tub and never putting in, soon comes to the bottom.

Defiance Starch is put up 16 ounces in a package, 10 cents. One-third more starch for the same money.

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Petrified people, like petrified trees, take the finish polish.

\$21.00 PRICE EXPLAINED FOR \$21.00 TO \$23.00 \$14.00 te \$17.00 TOP BUGGIES, similar to one Illus. \$34.00 to \$38.00



Do You 🥥 Use Soap 🏅

Nice line of Toilet Soap just receiv'd and fresh; right prices

SMITH & FRENCH

DRUG CO.



Try Murchison's soda. Dr. B. F. Brown is quite ill. Arch Baker visited at Palestine Sunday.

Read the COURIER's scholarship offer.

Fishing tackle-buy it at Murchison's drug store.

Try that excellent ice cream at Crysup's drug store.

Eastman's talcum powder, sold by S. L. Murchison.

Miss Amelia Miller is visiting her sister at Bastrop.

Clifford Kennedy is at home trom school at Waco.

Have you seen those dainty 5c lawns at the Big Store?

Arthur Collins has gone to El Paso to recuperate his health.

W. V. Clark of Mineral Wells is here looking after his business interests.

complete stock at Murchison's drug store. Miss Mary Normington of Pales-

tine is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Shivers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wootters have moved into their new home in East Crockett.

W. A. Atteberry and Fount Kelley were here from the big mill last week attending court.

been teaching in the city schools.

Miss Jessie Turner and mother of Arkansas were the guests of as pastor of the Methodist church sick from the effects of grease Mrs. R. E. McConnell last week.

Miss Emma Fulghum of Palestine was visiting her sister, Mrs. Sue Smith, Saturday and Sunday.

Corn for Sale.

Mayes & Moore have slip-shuck corn for sale at 50 cents a bushel. Apply at First National bank. "Button! button! Who's got

the button?" The Big Store has a line to suit the most exacting purchaser.

Mrs. W. H. Denny gave a reception Friday afternoon, complimentary to her visitor, Mrs. Davis of Waco.

W. H. Duren, S. H. S. Story and E. G. Pennington were among the veterans calling at the Cov-RIER office Saturday.

John C. Lacy began the shipment of peaches by express to Houston Wednesday. He will also ship some plums.

"Morning, Mars Henry! how by soliciting new subscriptions.

you come on? Please len' me fo' bits to buy one of dem good para-

The Dorcas society of the Baptist church will give an ice cream supper Friday evening from 5 to Base ball supplies-a full and 11 o'clock on the Baptist church lawn. Patronage of the public invited.

> Subscibers, old and new, knowing of some deserving boy or girl, can assist them materially by paying subscriptions to the COURIER and casting their votes for them in the scholarship contest.

There are young men and young women reading this issue of COUR-IER who will regret letting its free by telephone Friday to the house scholarship offer pass. These two of Tom Taylor, a negro farmer Miss Lee Arrington is at home scholarships cost the COURIER \$80 living beyond Mary Allen semifrom Brownwood, where she has and are given as a reward for nary. It was reported to the merit.

> and announced to his congregamissionary work among the colored people.

If you want a business education, don't let the COURIER's scholarship contest close without offered free. Remember there are two of them.

Any bright boy or girl can enter the COURIER's scholarship contest. Remember the time closes June 30 and there are only three weeks more in which to work. The scholarships are transferable and are worth \$40 each.

young friends to secure a business education by paying subscriptions and casting the number of votes to which they are entitled. Their young friends can help themselves

Rev. E. H. J. Andrews, rector

of St. Phillip's Episcopal church

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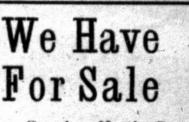
WARFIELD BROTHERS, Office Over J. E. Monk's Store

Dr. J. S. Wootters was called doctor that Tom had taken arsenic Rev. H. A. Hodges has resigned and the doctor found him very poured into him by the other netion Sunday morning that he groes. He was soon brought would devote the rest of his life to around and denied having taken the poison, but said he was suffering from the effects of something he drank.

Fine Stationery.

The COURIER job department Mrs. M. C. Graybill died Sat-

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McConnell entertained a few friends Saturday evening complimentary to her visitors, Mrs. Turner and Miss Jessie Turner of Arkansas. Fortytwo was played, followed by refreshments. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. McConnell's hospitality were: Mrs. Turner and Miss Episcopalians hope to soon have a Turner of Arkansas, Mrs. Monday, Miss Monday and Miss Adams of Lovelady, Misses Ethel and Frances Wootters and Mrs. J. Miss Ella Goodwin, a daughter of H. Wootters; Messrs. D. A. Nunn, J. W. Goodwin, is far in the lead Jr., M. Bromberg, Jr., W. J. Wood, J. W. Young, W. Q. Lundy and W. W. Alban



Genuine North Carolina King's Improved Cotton Seed at 60 cents per bushel. These held over from last year.

Edmiston Bros.

A Sad Parting.

making an effort to secure one of now has the largest and most urday night and was buried Sunthe two scholarships, which are complete stock of commercial day afternoon at 4 o'clock in stationery for both hand and Glenwood cemetery. Before type writing ever carried in East her marriage to Mr. Graybill less Texas north of Houston. We than a year ago, she was Miss have both the ruled and unruled Winnie Johnson, a daughter of E. linen and bond paper for letter T. Johnson, living east of Crockheads, note heads, bill heads, etc., ett, and is remembered as a young in white and colors. We also lady of rare traits of mind and have the organdy finish for fine heart and as the embodiment of printed stationery with envelopes, culture and refinement. There is regular commercial size, to match. nothing sadder than the separation Subscribers can help their We are making a specialty of high of a young couple whose honeyclass work without increasing the moon has scarcely been spent. Less than a year ago Mr. and Mrs.

Graybill linked their lives together under happy auspices, both having a fair promise of health and strength. Today the wife hes forever sleeping under the sod and the husband's grief is in

Buy Eastman's talcum powder at Murchison's drug store.

Miss Agnes Sears has returned from school at Sherman.

Fresh cheese on ice at F. P. Parker's New Grocery Store.

Stop sweating; buy a fan from the Big Store and keep cool.

Look over our line of station ery-Murchison's drug store.

Walker's red hot chile and tamales at Arledge & Deupree's.

Mrs. S. T. Anthony of Grapeland is reported to be very sick.

Only the best and purest soda water at Murchison's drug store.

Compare our ice cream with other kinds-Crysup's drug store.

I have sveral ice cream freezers left-they go cheap. F. P. Parker.

Toilet articles-a full and com plete line at Murchison's drug

store.

Some ice cream is superior to groceries, fruits, nuts and confecothers. store.

Fishing poles, minnow seins, buckets-Murchison's mnnow drug store.

lee cream soda, crushed fruit, grape juice-healthful and refreshing-Crysup's.

J. L. Hazlett, living on rural route No. 4, was exhibiting a ripe pear Saturday.

Eastman's antiseptic talcum powder can be bought at Murchison's drug store.

I will please you. Try me. F P. Parker's New Grocery Store sells fresh groceries. neral.

Dou't have fits, but get a good fit-that Walk Easy shoe at the Big Store fits you perfectly.

In your next order for good all concerned. The COURIER's flour call for Gold Com, handled reputation for honesty is pledged estine officers last year and put Bayne, Essie Kennedy, by Arledge & Deupree exclusively. 'to the fairness of the contest.

sols at the Big Store." Delicious! Refreshing! The soda

> water drawn from the 20th Century fountain at SMITH & FRENCH DRUG Co's.

Any boy or girl desiring a business education stands a good chance of getting it by doing a

little work for the COURIER. **Hogs Wanted**.

I want to buy some hogs to be paid for in dental work.

31 C. W. KLINE, Dentist.

Mrs. J. O. Monday and daughter, Verne, and Miss Blanche Adams, all of Lovelady, were the guests of Mrs. J. H. Wootters Friday and Saturday.

If you have money, you need a purse to put it in; if you have none, you need a purse to fool the people. Go look at those nice

ones at the Big Store.

Mike Younas always has fancy Why? Crysup's drug tions. Home-made candy. Phone No. 50.

> Mrs. Geo. Caton and daughters, the Misses Nelms, have returned to Lovelady from Sherman, where the young ladies bave been in

school. The sun is brightly shining And its rays are hot just now; Better buy yourself a parasol

To keep the freckles off your brow. See the Big Store's line. Miss Thula Worthington, a

daughter of J. M. Worthington of Lovelady, died Sunday evening and was buried Monday afternoon. Mrs. John LeGory went to Lovelady to attend the fu-

All votes cast in the COURIER's scholarship contest are filed in this office for the inspection of any and

at Palestine, will conduct relig-10us services in one of the churches of Crockett Monday night. The building of their own in our city.

So far there are only two contestants in the scholarship offer. with 2100 votes. The other contestant is a con W. P. Connur of

the eastern part of the county.

Card of Thanks.

I take this method of express- ing in honor of her visitors, Mrs. ing my sincere and heartfelt J. O. Monday, Miss Verne Monthanks to my neighbors and the day and Miss Blanche Adams of people of Crockett in general for Lovelady. Miss Ethel Wootters, the many kindnesses shown my who is spending a time at Lovewife and me during the former's lady, was also a guest of honor. fill in and sign, and return to the recent illness.

price.

M. C. GRAYBILL.

Any white boy or girl in Houston county can take advantage of our scholarship offer. The offer is not limited to any community or persons, and we would like to see one or more competing in each community. Either scholarship is worth \$40 and is worth trying for. They are transferrable.

On account of illness of the edi-

tor, he did not get to attend the Confederate Veterans' reunion Saturday and has no report to make. However, the secretary of the U. D. C., D. A. Nunn chapter, has promised us a complete write up of the reunion for our next issue.

der indictment in this county for do her duty, and aid others. violating local option law and who ail. Hudson begged to be not handcuffed, but the sheriff remembered the chase he gave some Palthe cuffs on him as a precaution.

Miss Frances Wootters entertained a few friends Friday even-

Progressive forty-two was played, after which refreshments were

served by the fair hostess, whose hospitality was shared by the following: Mrs. J. O. Monday, Miss Verne Monday, Miss Blanche Adams, Miss Jessie Turner of Arkansas, Miss Ethel Wootters, Mrs. A. H. Wootters and Mrs. J. H. Wootters; Messrs. Arch Baker, Porter Newman, J. W. Young and W. W. Aiken.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas it has been the will of God to call from our midst Mrs. M. C. Graybill, who was a highly esteemed member of the Baptist church and Dorcas society. Therefore, be it resolved

1. That Dorcas has suffered a Sheriff A. W. Phillips arrested loss in her death, for she was a at Caro, Nacogdoches county, faithful and interested worker. Monday, Burl Hudson, who is un- Always present, and very ready to

2. That a copy of these resoluhad jumped his bond. Hudson tions be published in the Crockett was going by the name of Bill papers, also spread upon the min-Jones at Caro. The sheriff reached utes and a copy sent to her be-Crockett with his prisoner Thurs- reaved husband and mother to day afternoon and placed him in whom Dorcas extends her heartfelt sympathy.

> Mrs. [Berta Wootters, Bessie Ethel Wootters, Committee.

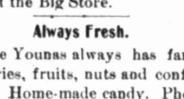
describable. We are reminded of the uncertainty of life and that we may be called at any time to make an accounting to the Savior of our deeds on earth. Mrs. Graybill had lived a faithful and consistent member of the Baptist church for about six years. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Mare of Lovelady conducted the funeral services at the cemetery in the presence of many sorrowing friends and relatives.

Blank mortgages, blank notes, etc., for sale at this office.

Voting Blank.

Clip out the following blank, COURIER:

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THE COURIER

AIKEN, - Editor and Proprietor

Publisher's Notice.

or cotton.

TOBACCO.

that this crop will become a staple

one in this county, in a large

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks or other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 3 cents per line, Parties or lering advertising or printing for ocieties, churches, committees or erranization of any kind will, in all cases, be held personal y responsible for the payment of the bill.

of a water system. Every farmer should raise plenty of peas to feed his cattle on during the winter.

The waterworks question seems to have lost out. We have not heard it mentioned lately.

Plant peas for your stock. The the corn crop will be light and peas will be needed for feed.

We use to spend our cotton ton. We hear of some farmers money for bacon. Now, in the who propose to make arrangeabsence of cotton money, let's raise our bacon.

It is not too late to plant sor- dications are that the crop this ghum, and sorghum makes fine season will average 500 to 600 lbs feed. There are many things that to the acre. This tobacco is alcan yet be grown.

A few more fires like the one crop than cotton and doesn't call Friday night and there will be a for much over half the work that clamor for a water system. cotton calls for. The plants are Property owners are at the mercy of the flames and the insurance planted and with average seasons companies.

We heard a successful farmer than half the work is done on cotsay that the best money he ever ton. Then, think of \$75 to \$100 made was on hogs. He said there per acre on tobacco, compared was always a market for them with \$10 to \$20 per acre on cotand that his most profitable crop ton. This showing, and it is a was hog feed.

The Eastern Texas railroad is burg types of soil feel that they yet one of the things Crockett have a bonanza in the matter of a has its eye on. Not much fuss is basis for successful farming. The being made, but the project has COURTER is proud of the part it not been lost sight of and will be has taken in introducing this new again taken up at the proper time.

The wise farmer who has was looked for by the level-headharvested his potatoes will now ed men who started the moveplant his potato land in corn, ment. That wolverine town of peas, peanuts, alfalfa, sorghum, 3,000 inhabitants is being talked about today in a dozen states, and

its postmaster, mayor, and the The COURIER hopes that no editors are being flooded with great conflagration will be neces- letters of inquiry. It has been sary to convince our people that visited by men looking for factory

the town stands greatly in need sites, by men who wish to establish some line of mercantile business, by people searching for work and for homes." The results have come quickly and are more

Tobacco cutting and housing than satisfactory. Had a hunwill begin in about two weeks. dred men gone East, West, North The crop in the county-about 40 and South and talked for weeks acres-is said to be fine in view of they could not have created half the season. Everything indicates the stir .-- Western Publisher.

The Shakespeare Club.

Wednesday afternoon the measure taking the place of cot-Shakespeare Club held open session at the residence of Mrs. E. B. Stokes. This elegant home is ments to plant 30 to 40 acres next suitable for just such affairs as year. Notwithstanding the adthis. This occasion was of especverse conditions of season, the inial interest to every one, as it was a farewell afternoon with Miss Amelia Miller, and about a hundred and fifty guests were gatherready contracted for at 15 cents ed. On entering the hall Miss per pound. It is a more certain Elizabeth Davis presented the guests to the receiving party, composed of the following ladies: Mrs. E. B. Stokes, Misses Miller set about the same time cotton is and Williams, Mesdames Odell of Cleburne, Ripley of Taylor and the tobacco crop is cut and housed Satterwhite. Miss Bromberg then by first of July-when not more invited the guests to the parlor, where Misses LeGory and Stokes seated them. Mrs. Stokes had as a surprise to even the club dainty little programs. On the back in gold letters was the club monofair one to both crops, is enough gram, C. S. C. On the first page to make those who own Orangethese lines: "To Our Guest of Honor-Your worth is very dear in our regard. We take it your own business calls on you, and you embrace the occasion to deart; fair thoughts and happy page held the program, which was well selected and rendered. After the last number a quotation contest, in which Miss Davis brought in a beautiful loving cup and presented to the president, Mrs. C. C. Stokes, who in her happy manner gave a little talk Overdrafts, secured and unsecured on this beautiful ceremony, its origin and significance. Sipping Bonds. Securities, etc. to Miss Williams, who in beautisatisfying place of residence for ful word painting toasted the the two editors of that place. Not honor guest. The cup then passlong ago the people got together ed from friend to friend, each in and decided the town needed push- her turn adding a tribute of love ing. As a preliminary step, the and good wishes. When the cup promoters agreed to recognize reached Miss Miller, in a voice the importance of the two local that trembled with feeling and weekly newspapers. It was love for all these dear friends, realized that while every man, she responded as only a graceful woman and child in town might and appreciative woman can rewrite a letter to outsiders con- spond. Mrs. Lipscomb, followed cerning the advantages of their by Misses Bromberg and Davis, community or that five or ten then toasted the visitors, sustainmen might be sent out to travel ing the reputation of the club for Some potato growers are put- and talk up the town, its news- wit and wisdom. Mrs. Odell reting their land in cotton. They papers, if properly backed, would sponded for the visitors, finishing Individual deposits subject to check with a toast to the hostess. Her That town had two weekly charm of manner and earnest toes were gathered made the best papers. The meeting voted to words made Crockett proud to yield. After so much rain we raise \$100 apiece for them, and claim her for her daughter. With may reasonably expect plenty of the editors pledged themselves to that happy faculty of caring for dry weather and that is what cot- get out "boom" issues. They her guests that comes to the ton requires. But should the did so, devoting three pages to the natural hostess, Mrs. Stokes guidseason be more favorable to corn, history of the town, its growth, ed her party to the lawn, where, it it is well so have plenty of that its advantages and needs. Every seemed, "Ariel, minister of crop also, so that all crops will item that might prove of use to fate," had been busy, for the manufacturers or business men spacious lawn was converted into was inserted, and all information a beautiful summer dining hall, Every dollar got out of the that homeseekers might desire while from the parlor came sweet business men of Crockett by the was given at length. The editors strains of music. Here refresh-COURIER goes right back into more than earned their money. ments were served, consisting of their pockets through the natural When they had their matter in a salad and an ice course. As the channels of trade. Employes hand a second public meeting afternoon passed so swiftly spend their wages here, money voted to buy and send out 5,000 away, "still the wonder grew" paid out for board finds its way copies of each paper, mailing that so much could have been back to the grocer, and expendi- them to merchants, manufacturers planned and no hint of it escape tures in rents, electric lights, and others in various states. In even to the club itself. Faretelephone, etc., inures to the addition to this, 500 families wells were spoken on the lawn to benefit of the business element in agreed to buy five copies each and Miss Miller, who leaves at once for when troubled with any one of table medicine I ever used." 25c, an extended summer trip, making these ailments. For sale by 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Smith &

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There is no better hog feed than peanuts and alfalfa. Every farmer should have all the hogs he can take care of and there is no easier way of feeding them than by letting them gather the goobers.

the way to do it is to do it Waterworks, protection from the ravages of fire and a lower insurance rate will be followed by a general upbuilding of the town. Factories will not locate where the water supply is not abundant.

Some farmers tell us that the season is not too late to plant corn on land that has been cultivated in potatoes. Others say they are putting their potato land in cotton and point to the fact that the best cotton that was made last year was made on potato land.

say their experience last year was do fifty times as much. that cotton planted after the potanot be a failure.

common. A very few people, mail them away. wer think of this.

agricultural staple and feels that our farmers, who have the correct type of soil, have a good thing if they will work it. Now, let everyone make his arrangements for a big crop of this new staple next year and help to put Houston county in the lead, not only for cotton, fruit, truck, etc., but for tobacco also. We can do it. And

An Appreciation.

A certain town in Michigan is a

The result has been just what her home in Bastrop in the fall. S. L. Murchison.



time and frequent small doses of Horehound Syrup during the day will remove it. Try it for whooping cough, for asthma, for street, Hutchinson, Kan., writes:

