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KNAPP ON WEEVILS.

The Doctor Gives Some Added Information to Cotton Growers.

Lake Charles, La., July 13.—The following has been given out here: There seems to be a great deal of uneasiness among the farmers and business men of the territory that has been invaded by the boll weevil for the first time this year. We are glad to see this, as it means that they are the more ready to act upon advice as to the best means of controlling the weevil.

width of rows, but this can be rem- to prevent the escape of moisture. edied to a certain extent by giving the plants plenty of distance in the been proven thousands of times. drill. Eighteen inches to two We give one instance from last feet is none too much, and with year's experience: A field of fifbe increased. The object of this hand picked, produced twelve of the plants and that the hot sun plowed three times, produced fif- celebration at this place, we wish and the immature weevils perish.

rapidly this should be checked by pensation at the rate of \$5.76 per him by the good people of Arbor root pruning. Plow a deep furrow plowing. The other received only to deliver an address on this grand on one side about eighteen inches \$2.77 per plowing. from the plant. It can also be checked sometimes by topping.

condition, many mature weeevils that drop into the hot, finely pulverized, dry sand will perish. This habit of the weevil of dropping to the ground when the stalk is disturbed is a point in favor of the fight. If your land is well pulverized during the heat of the day a great many weevils will be Pauline Bromberg threw open her destroyed in this way.

all infested forms. This is best er" 'for Miss Georgia Satterwhite, done in the early morning. Later, who is to be married on Tuesday during the heat of the day, brush next. The guests were greeted at the weevils and infested forms off the door by Mrs. Hyman Harrison by brushing the cotton with a pine of Palestine, sister of Miss Pauline, top, striking across the row so as and by her introduced to the to knock as many forms and wee- bride-to-be. vils as possible into the middles. This knocks both forms and wee- gold was carried out most artistivils into the hot, dry sand and cally in the hall and double parmany mature weevils perish, if lors. In the door between the the sand is finely pulverized and parlors hung a monogram O. S. free from trash.

stroy them, unless they are cover- tion; behind a bank of ferns, deed very shallow, as the moisture lightful punch was served. in the soil prevents this, and they inches-much deeper than they Miss Aldrich and Miss Wootters. the plant.

cautions should go thorough cul- at guessing and won the pretty tivation. The soil should be kept embroidered handkerchief which sin a bad humor and get up with White's Cream Vermifuge, the tivation should be practiced at strains of Mendelssohn's wedding want something to stimulate your keep that smile on baby's face. long as possible.

1. Pick up as many squares as possible in the early morning until 10 or 11 o'clock.

the immature weevils perish.

ability to win out by a simple ilinto the finely pulverized, hot dry on personal property. soil and in less than ten seconds They can make a crop, but it is they will be dead. This emphaa fight between them and the sizes the importance of the dust weevil, and the people can win out mulch. Dry, hot weather is the if they make up their minds that greatest enemy of the weevil, and they will. To do so they must be at the same time is the condition sure that the cotton has plenty of best suited to the most rapid dedistance. It is, of course, now too velopment of the plant, provided late to correct any error in the a dust mulch is maintained so as

That these methods will win has rank growing cotton even this can teen acres, plowed eight times and EDITOR COURIER: is to be sure that there will be an bales of cotton at \$50, equal to last week's issue of the COURIER abundance of food at the disposal \$600. Another of ninety acres, in regard to the Fourth of July may shine on as many infested teen bales, equal to \$750. The to say it was our pleasure to have squares as possible. It dries them first produced \$46.15 worth of with us on this occasion Mr. John up when they drop on the ground cotton per acre, while the latter A. McConnell and wife of Crockett. If the cotton is growing too plowed eight times received com- sponse to an invitation extended

above, it remains with the individ- Since Mr. McConnell has proven If you have your land in fine ual. If the people will make the conclusively that he belongs to fight they will win.

S. A. KNAPP,

Special Agent in Charge.

Parcel Shower.

On last Saturday afternoon Miss lovely new home and invited her You should pick up and destroy friends to join in a "parcel show

made of white and gold flowers. Plowing the weevils or infested In the library the cool and restful of Lovelady," in the town of Lovelady, forms under the soil will not de-pot plants were the only decora-

During the afternoon many will work out of a depth of four musical numbers were given by can be buried without injury to The guests were given a love story among the flowers. Miss In connection with these pre- Ethel Wootters proved to be good finely pulverized and shallow cul- was given as a prize. To the a bad taste in your mouth. You great worm medicine. Why not least once a week. This cultiva- march, played by Mrs. Minette tion should be kept up just as long Satterwhite, the entire party as possible. It should extend well marched out into the hall where all into August at least, even at the the bride was seated in an alcove Ft. Worth, Texas, writes: "Have S- Blackwell, Okla., writes: Carbon Hill, Ala. "There is no risk of injuring some cotton, and from above a basket covered used Herbine in my family for "My baby was peevish and fret- doubt but this remedy saves the Picking the squares and the brush- with white and gold ribbon was ing should also be practiced at let down, filled with many parcels least once a week, and kept up as containing evidences of love from and we owe it to Herbine. Sold has not had a sick day since. Sold a cure is certain. For sale by friends of the bride.

Notice.

I hereby give notice to all interested that I will be at the 2. Cultivate behind the picked places herein stated on the dates area, so as to avoid covering mentioned for the purpose of re ceiving delinquent taxes due on 3. From 10 s. m. until 3 p. m. personal property and also brush the weevils and infested poll taxes. The law does not resquares off of the cotton into the quire me to make these trips and hof, dry sand. It kills the mature I am doing so to save those owing Dear Sir: weevils, dries up the squares and such taxes from paying additional costs. All delinquent taxes must this office show that there are You can gain confidence in your be paid to me by the 30th day of August, as after that date colleclustration. Drop a few weevils tion will be enforced by levying

Lovelady, August 3. Weldon, August 7. Grapeland, August 9 and 10. Augusta, August 12 and 13. Kennard Mill, August 16, 17 and 19.

Kennard City, August 20. Holly, August 22. Daily, August 27 and 28. P Grove or Arbor, August 30 A. L. GOOLSBY, Tax Collector, Houston Co.

From Arbor.

In addition to what was said in netted only \$8.33. The man who Mr. McConnell was here in reoccasion, which he did in words You can make cotton. As said full of humor and good logic. that race of men ever "equal to Trusting this will be of some the occasion" it is useless to offer encouragement, yours very trtly, further comments. We can only say that to know Mr. and Mrs. McConnell is to love them. We hope to see more of them in the future. A CITIZEN.

No. 8742.

Treasury Department

Office of Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., June 14, 1907. presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Lovelady," in the town of Lovelady, in the county of Houston, and state of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the The color scheme of white and Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence

> the business of banking: Now therefore I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank in the county of Houston, and state of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 14th day of June, 1907. WILLIAM B. RIDGELY, Comptroller of the Currency

Your Liver

liver. Just try Herbine, the by Murchison & Beasley.

AN EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN

To be Conducted by United States J. C. Stockton, and Old Missourian. Department of Agriculture, on Public Roads.

Washington, D. C., July 10. EDITOR COURIER,

Crockett, Texas.

Statistics recently compiled by nearly 2,500,000 miles of public roads in this country, only a small percentage of which are improved. Necessarily it will be many years before a large percentage of this great mileage will be improved. and in the meantime it is of the utmost importance that we make the best possible use of facilities at hard. An expenditure of nearly \$80,000,000 per annum is being these roads, and it is safe to say ods is well up in the millions.

There are certain principles which underlie the art of road building and maintenance, and certain methods known to many engineers and road builders which are easily understood and as easily put into practice. Unfortunately, these simple principles and methods are not universally known. The press is the only agency through which it is possible to reach every road district in the country and insure a general consideration of the subject. I therefore ask your co operation in a great educational campaign to be conducted through the columns of the newspapers in each county in \$2.45 round trip from here; \$4 to the United States.

Our plan is to send out to each paper once a month a plain, prac tical article not to exceed 1000 words in length, designed to give such information as can be easily applied to local road conditions. This article will be specialized to meet the conditions prevailing in each section of the country. We ask that you give this article a prominent place in your paper, and conduct in connection with it Whereas, by satisfactory evidence a question column in which your readers may set forth the difficulties they encounter in the maincharge. These questions may be forwarded to this office at stated intervals under a franked envelope and the answers will be made as quickly as practicable.

I trust that you will let me hear from you at the earliest possible cent he can get and shoves the moment, and I should be glad to money down into his pocket withhave any suggestions from you as out contributing so much as a to the best plan of oc-operation between the Government and the press in this educational campaign.

Very respectfully, L. W. PAGE, Director.

The Smile

that won't come off, appears on is out of order. You go to bed baby's face after one bottle of liver regulator. A postiive cure If you keep this medicine on and Diarrhoea Remedy which for Constipation, Dyspepsia and hand, you will never see anything liver complaints. Mrs.F- else but smiles on his face. Mrs. years. Words can't express what ful. Would not eat and I feared lives of many children each year. I think about it. Everybody in he would die. I used a bottle of Give it with castor oil according my honsehold are happy and well, White's Cream Vermifuge and he to the plain printed directions and by Murchison and Beasley.

FROM THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Writes from His Home in Texas.

Crockett, Tex., June 9, '07. Editor Herald, Stanberry, Mo.

The Herald comes regular bringing tidings of joy at hearing of some friends good fortune, and tidings of sorrow for those who have lost their dear ones. So many are the changes in just one short year that it makes us feel sad. We ever wish for the success of Stanberry and her people. I wish you were here to help us eat roasting ears (not blisters) but corn that in a few days will be hard to eat, planted from Feb. 14th to the 30th, as fine as you ever saw. Blackberries, dew berries, applied to the maintenance of grapes, plums and figs in abundance, peaches (very short crop) in that the loss from improper meth. fact a very unusual season. We have 100 acres of very nice looking cotton, but a great many have had to replant until they have used all their seed and can buy no more. The rains have been very heavy. Our pastures are full of tine fat cattle. They stay fat the year through on this Bermuda grass of which I have about 700 acres with an abundance of water. We have never suffered from heat here as in Missouri. There was possibly 8 or 10 days all last summer that we called extremely warm, no heat prostrations always a balmy breeze from the Gulf. Come down and take in the regular excursions down to Galveston San Antonio.

I have been serving on the U. S. grand jury. Tyler is a nice place. The labor problem here is interfering with farming as the negroes are getting much better wages at the saw mills and the new railroad building. Every good responsible person wanting a change of climate and work or to farm would do well to write me. They can't starve if willing to work for crops and gardens will grow aln:ost the year around. Now for fear Major Hand will not stop at our plantation to write usup befor our time expires for the tenance of the roads under their Herald I will enclose one dollar to help the good cause along. Sincerely your friend,

> The man who lives in a town and does his best for its advancement is a patriot, but the fellow who soaks the public for every farthing for the promotion of that which makes his dollars, should be more liberal, for fear that when his selfishness is once

JAMES C. STOCKTON.

discovered he may lose chances to do better. It is a poor policy to pinch a dollar when the public good is at stake.—Grand Prairie Graphic.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera cured him and believe that saved his life. William H. Stroling.

City Ordinance.

An act to prohibit the storing, or warehousing for sale, or the giving away of kerosene oil, gasoline, gun-powder, giant-powder, dynamite, nitro-glycerine or any highly explosives within the corporate limits of the city of Crock-

ett, Texas. Section 1. Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Crockett; That it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, firm, corporation or association of persons to store kerosene, gasoline, or highly inflamable oils, or giantpowder, gun-powder, dynamite, or nitro-glycerine; or erect, construct, or maintain within the corporate limits of the city of Crockett, any warehouse, tank or vessel for the purpose of storing or warehousing for sale, or gift, any kerosene oil, gasoline or other explosive or highly inflamable oil, gun-powder, giant-powder, dynamite, nitro-glycerine, or other explosives within the corporate limits of the city of Crockett,

Section 2. And it is further provided, that if any person, firm, corporation or association of persons, shall sell or give away for consideration of value within the corporate limits of the city of Crockett, any giant-powder or dynamite to any person, firm corporation, or association of persons; the person, firm of association of persons selling, or giving the same away, shall keep a record of said sale, or gift, the name of the person or persons sold to, the time of day, and the exact amount sold; and said record shall be open to the public for inspection.

Section 3. The above sections shall not apply to the "Waters Pierce Oil" Company's tanks now in use by them; nor to any merchant, or retail dealer who shall keep on hand in any one place of business not more than one hundred gallons of kerosene oil in a bulk, and twenty such cases of

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oil, nor more than two cans of gun-powder, of twenty-five pounds each, or more than fifty gallons of gasoline, provided, however, that the city council may, by resolution, authorize any person, firm or corporation to keep, or store larger quantities of petrolium, kerosene or gasoline oils and their products within the corporate limits of Crockett, Texas, in fire-proof

buildings and tanks.

Section 4. That any person, firm, corporation, or association of persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, (sections 1, 2, and 3,) shall be fined in any sum not less than Ten Dollars, nor more than One Hundred Dollars; and each day's violation of the above sections, shall constitute a

C. M. NEWTON,
Mayor, and exofficio Recorder
of the Corporation Court of
the City of Crockett, Texas.
Sam H. Sharp,
Clerk of the Corporation Court.

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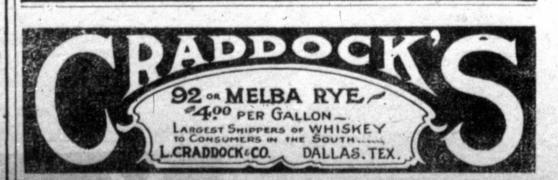
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TORMENTORS.

Chattering Monkeys' Pestered Big Brute Beyond the Limits of Hiz Patience, and a Tragedy Was the Result.

took offense at the continual chatter | Seizing a stone in the road, Sam's your upper lip clean?' ing of eight African monkeys which wife was about to hurl it when Sam, occupied a cage directly opposite the with wonderful presence of mind, man's gotter have some place to crate containing Pete between decks | shouted: on the big British freighter Schuylkill, which got in recently from Mr. stone at de dawg! Frow it at me, nilla, Singapore and other parts of Mandy!"-Youth's Companion. the far east, Capt. Anderson did not pay much attention to his protests, says the New York Times. They put him down as a crank, and let it dies are failures when put to the test go at that. The vessel put into Bos- Hunt's Lightning Oil is an exception. ton some days ago, but before she got | Confidence in it is never misplacedthere Pete had found his chazce to disappointment never follows its use. Work, and the trouble has never reeven accounts with his termenters. It is certainly the greatest emergency turned. Many, many thanks." The brute broke out of his cage, and remedy now obtainable. For cuts, before he could be captured had killed burns, sprains, aches and pains I four of the monkeys.

The Schuylkill left Manila on February 12, and her last port of call before arriving on this side was Algiers. The orang outang and the monkeys were brought on board at Singapore, as were a number of snakes and a tiger. The orang outang was rather a docile appearing animal when the Schuylkill got out into the Atlantic, but he soon showed signs of disliking his traveling companions. The chattering of the monkeys got on his nerves, and his resentment increase ! from day to day. Apparently the little family became aware of Pete's aversion, for they rather took delight in poking monkey fun at him. It got so bad that whenever the big orang outang came within their view they greeted him with a chorus of monkey chatter and laughter.

The climax came when the vessel was about four days from Boston. Pete, it appeared later, had for some time-been quietly working on the bars of his cage, and about noon he got out and started in to clean up his objectionable neighbors in the flat next door.

The first the officers knew of Pete's escape was when a great hullabaloo arose from the hold and out of the obscurity below shot up the forms of three little black monkeys, their hair ly standing on end. The off cers hurried below and there found that Pete had torn off the front part in making short work of its occupants. Four he killed before he could be driven from his task, and one who had been unable to get out of the hold was cowering in fear behind a pile of freight.

Such was the rage of the orang outang that before he could be cornered he started after the escaped monkey. Behind him came two of the ship's crew, armed with stout sticks. The double chase was continued about the place before they cornered the angry beast and forced him back into the

The monkeys that were left were put back in their cage and it was taken out of Pete's sight. The rest of the voyage Pete passed behind double bars.

Crafty John.

Genial John, the oil king of ancient times, was observed to be piloting old Diogenes among the biggest thieves and grafters of the age.

"Why don't you steer him among good people," asked the astonished friend. "Why, he will never find an honest man among that rabble." Genial John laughed craftly.

"Ah, my friends," he whispered, "you are not wise. If Diogenes should find an honest man he would naturally extinguish his lantern and stop using oil. Therefore it is to my advantage that he should continue the search." And Genial John started for Egypt to have another wig made.

Dog Outshines Royalty.

A little yellow dog took it into its head to show the way down the Strand and Fleet street for the king and queen of Denmark as they proceeded from Puckingham palace to the Guildhall to luach with the lord mayor.

In the middle of the road ahead of the mounted police, gentleman outriders, and the Life Guard, the dog sedately trotted along, unmoved by the cheers of the crowds on the sidewalks, apparently completely absorbed in the discharge of the im-

portant duty he had assumed. The sensation he caused quite overshadowed that aroused by the royal visitors from Denmark. Everybody cheered the dog, and only a few cheered the royalties whose movements he had undertaken to supervise.-London Cor. N. Y. Times.

Will Never Dress Like Men.

"Will women over dress like men?" asks a New York reformer. No. Even if they wore trousers they would want. to put them on by poking their heads up through from under.-Chicago Record-Herald.

A man who runs a truck farm in in which a colored man named Sam a dinner in New York the old salt of ORANG OUTANG GOT EVEN WITH Moore, who is in his employ, recently the past. found himself. Sam had had considfarm. Finally the dog got him, as ed and vanished. Sam kicked at him.

Sam's wife, hearing a tremendous of him! yell, rushed to the rescue of her husband. When she came up the dog had old shellback's beard. fastened his teeth in the calf of Sam's When Pete, the big orang outang, leg and was holding on for dear life. the old fellow, that you never shave

"Mandy! Mandy! Don't frow dat

Never Disappoints.

know no equal.

GEO. E. PADDOCK, Doniphan, Mo. *

Read Charles Dickens' Proofs.

Henry Thomas Spindler, who died recently at Brentford, England, at the age of 84, was for many years connected with the old London Sun. He acted as proofreader to Charles Dickens, and possessed many relics of the great novelist, including proofs with his alterations upon them.

One Extreme Or the Other.

I have been more than lucky in the women I have met; a woman is always heaven or hell to a man-mostly heaven; she don't spend much of her time on the border-lines.-Walt Whitman in the American Magazine.

The Reason.

A southern Kansas editor has noticed that men swear to keep from from swearing.-Kansas City Star.

Bill's Reason.

Hugo Osterhaus, the new captain of Virginia tells of the sad predicament the battleship Connecticut, praised at

"He has disappeared," said Capt. erable difficulty in evading the on- Osterhaus, sadly. "We made fun of. slaughts of a dog from a neighboring him, and before our ridicule he blush-

"Such stories as we used to tell

"One, for instance, dealt with an "'Why is it, Bill, a youth asked

"'Well, ye see,' Bill answered, 'a strike his match on."

Doomed to Torment. Mr. P. C. Keever, Aberdeen, Miss.,

"For years I suffered from a form "Many extensively advertised reme- of eczema which made life a burden. I thought I was doomed to perpetual torment here below, but your Hunt's Cure rescued me. One box did the

Hunt's Cure is guaranteed. Price 50 cents.

Manlike.

Breathless, they stood at last upon the towering Adirondack peak.

"There," she said angrily, "we have climbed all this distance to admire the beauties of nature, and we left the glass at home."

Tranquilly smiling, he shifted the lunch basket to the other arm. "Never mind, dear," he said. "It

won't hurt us, just this once, to drink out of the bottle."

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Envy and jealousy prevail between men in the same kind of business, crying, and that women cry to keep and neither will give honest credit to the other.

Don't Forget This and Don't Forget to Buy Your Share Now Before it is All Gone.

of the monkey cage, and was engaged | You Can Get Rich in South Texas in a Few Years on an Investment of \$210, Payable \$10 a Month Without Interest. Read the Following:

St. Jo, Texas, April 20, 1907.

Dr. C. F. Simmons, San Antonio, Texas. Dear Sir:—I have just returned from a visit to your 95,000-acre ranch, where I have been for the purpose of investigating the conditions of soil, climate, rainfall, etc., and its adaptability to general farming, truck-growing

I found conditions really better than I expected, and fully up to representations in your literature. The soil seems to be of fine quality and of such variety as to make diversified farming easy and profitable While on the ranch I had the pleasure of visiting Hall, Frenchman, Turkey Creek, Windmill, Muley Cow and Headquarters pastures. I did not see the Votaw pastures but was assured by disinterested parties that it was even better than that which I examined, and believing this I came home perfectly satisfied that you have the best proposition, for the poor

man, in Southwest Texas. On farms adjoining your ranch I saw fine crops growing without irrigation, and this I consider remarkable in view of the severe drought, which obtains at this time over the entire state. I am sure this will prove to be a fine fruit-growing section, especially

for grapes, figs and berries, and that the water supply is sufficient seems certainly to be proved by the flowing artesian wells in various parts of pasture, and this also settles the truck growing proposition. You have my hearty endorsement on both your lands and plan of sale.

Very truly yours,

DR. T. E. FOSTER.

Remember-you get a truck or fruit farm of from 10 to 640 acres in the finest country in the world, and two town lots for \$210. Write for literature and name of nearest agent.

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Did Not Prevent Raveling.

Alice had been to Sunday school for the first time and had come home filled with information. She was overheard to say to her six-year-old sister, as she laid a wee hand over her heart, "When you hear something wite here, you know it is conscience w'ispering to you."

"No such thing," responded Sixyear old; "it's just wind in your tummy."-Lippincott's Magazine.

Chiggers and Mosquitoes Are now in their glory-their business

is good and they are happy. There is no earthly use of your letting them chew on you, however, if you don't like their ways. A little Hunt's Lightning Oil applied to exposed parts will keep them off, and immediately relieve the irritation caused by their bites. Rub a little on and see for your-

Perhaps He Was the One to Blame. Hicks-He first met his wife when he was on a camping trip down in the Maine woods, but their marriage isn't happy.

Wicks-Ah, I see. He mistook her for a dear.

The raveling of state highways in

Massachusetts during dry weather has generally been prevented in the past by spreading a thin coat of sand over the surface. During last year, however, there were two quite protracted dry spells which disturbed the bond of the road and caused loose stones to stand up on the surface. Although sand was spread thinly as before, it did not prevent the raveling in all instances.—Engineer.

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It is always easy by agreeing with her to make a woman change her

The horse will always be necessary if only to haul automobiles to the repair shop.

Cranberry growers have organized a trust. It will be a sort of feeder for the turkey trust.

A nice, comfortable sort of wife to

your ties for you. Why should anybody commit suicide when it is so easy to meet the

have is one who doesn't want to buy

fool that rocks the boat? A Washington scientific sharp now says that it is healthful to eat green

fruit. All boys know that. Kaiser Wilhelm will be glad to get the Carnegie library. It will be a good place to store ammunition in.

Chief Wiley means well, but he really ought to have learned that the anti-pie joke antedates his adminis-

Thread has increased in price, but man has grown used to using shingle nails and paper fasteners instead c' having buttons sewn on.

John Jacob Astor, of the Automobile Club of America, is a moving spirit in the organization of the American Highway Improvement association, which is now being effected.

Few Yale graduates get married before they are nearly 30. By that time they discover that they cannot make | clare in no uncertain terms that there the world over, so they are content to settle down and enjoy themselves.

You should handle your best friends like your cash, says the Baltimore American, which leads the Chicago Record-Herald to ask: Can one have best friends in addition to one's cash.

The Japanese are reported to be increasing in stature, measurements showing that they have gained more than an inch during the latest generation. Heavens! In addition to the other things they are doing are the Japs going to become giants?

The example of the Decatur county, Illinois farmers in organizing a game protective association is worthy of being followed elsewhere. It has been pretty clearly demonstrated by investigators that the quail is worth a good deal more as a crop protector than as an article of food.

British Ambassador Bryce is not one of those who believe the great republic a failure. He has traveled about a bit among our people and has studied our institutions with painstaking care, and he says: "The American people have shown ability for self-government greater than any people on earth." And as that is the opinion of an expert in governments, it may be taken as an exceptionally significant tribute.

Beggars in Persia ride on donkeys and often make long journeys. How they manage to obtain these useful animals, or even to exist themselves, is beyond European comprehension. The Persian tramp, astride his donkey, will journey as far as Meshed or Mecca, when he returns with the proud title of "Hadji." Useful as the donkey is to his mendicant master, the latter often treats him in a most brutal fashion. When the unfortunate animal needs encouragement a piece of chain is a frequent substitute

Judge Uriah M. Rose, of Arkansas, one of the American delegates to The Hague conference, is regarded as one of the most scholarly lawyers in America. His writings, speeches and public orations, dealing with the subject of jurisprudence in general, but particularly with international relations, have marked him as a man most eminently fitted to uphold American dignity and interests at the conference. He is a Kentuckian by birth, and for the past quarter of a century he has been in the foremost rank of the Arkansas bar.

Enforcement of the imperial decree against the use of opium has begun in China. All opium dens in Peking have been closed, and the viceroy of the province of Pechili has ordered all the local magistrates to establish hospitals for the reception of poor per-sons, who will be maintained free of charge and treated for the cure of the oplum habit. This is in accordance with the pian outlined last November y the dowager empress. In other revinces the results are not so satis-actory, but there has been a percepti-te decrease in the use of the drug. PEACE DELEGATES SEE A MITAGE.



DISTINGUISHED JAPANESE DE-CLARE AGAINST HOSTILITIES.

THEY SEE NO CAUSE FOR ANXIETY

Ambasador Aoki Says There Exists No Difficulty or III Feeling of Whatever Sort.

New York, N. Y .- Two distinguished Japanese took ocasion to dewere no unfriendly issues between the United States and Japan, and to decry the undue importance attributed

by some to trivial incidents. The champions of peace and friend. ship between the two countries were Admiral Baron Yamamoto, a guest of the city, and Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ampassador, who came over from Washington Thursday morning to attend the reception and luncheon given by the Japan Society of America in honor of Admiral Yamamoto.

In the course of a formal statement, Ambassador Aoki said:

"There exists between the two governments no difficulty or ill feeling of whatever sort. There is not the slightest cause for anxiety in the American-Japanese relations; and if there is any anxiety it is not because of the actual existence of any difficulty between the two countries, but because of the demagogic influence of some unwarranted press talk, that often tends to drive even the calmest temper of the public into a whirl of tempestuous rage."

Speaking at the luncheon at the Hotel Astor, Admiral Yamamoto spoke in a similar strain.

Rear Admiral Robley Evans, commander of the Atlantic fleet, said that when the newspapers of this country stopped making war between Japan and the United States, the people would come to their senses and a bet-

ter feeling would exist all around. During the day the Japanese admiral and his retinue visited the navy yard. They spent some time inspecting the different buildings and Admiral Evans' flagship Connecticut.

GIRL'S BEAUTY RUINED BY PIE.

Young Woman's Face Burned When She Falls Into Hot Pastry.

Hagerstown, Md. - Miss Josephine Eavey, daughter of Samuel Eavey, a farmer residing near Keedysville, this county, was the victim of a peculiar accident, and her beauty may be marred for life. While she was assisting her mother to make custard pies, Miss Eavey was seized with a fainting spell and fell face downward into a pie that Mrs. Eavey had taken from the stove. The young woman's face was badly burned.

Resolutions of Sympathy for Miners. Detroit, Mich.-The Amalgamated Association of Window Glass Workers, which is holding its annual convention in this city, adopted a resolution of sympathy with Messrs. Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone and voted to give them financial assistance. No amount, however, was fixed in the resolution.

Emmett Dalton Is Paroled. Topeka, Kas.-Gov. Hoch granted a parole of four months to Emmet Dalton, the former bandit, now in the Kansas penitentiary. Dalton is suffering from an old wound in the shoulder, received in the famous battle at Coffeyville, Kas., and it will be necessary for him to undergo an opPHILIPPINE BOYS TO MEET.

Will Hold Their National Encampment at Kansas City Aug. 13-16.

Kansas City, Mo.-The annual national encampment of the army of the Philippines will be held in Kansas City, August 13-16. Delegates from 125 camps of the society. most of them in the middle west, will be present and the attendance is expected to be larger than ever.

Lieutenant General Arthur MacArthur, U. S. A., commander in chief of the society, will attend the encampment and on the second day will review the military parade, a feature of each year's encampment. Among others who will be present are Brigadier General Frederick C. Funston, Col. Wilder S. Metcalf of the famous Twen-

The annual reunion of the Tweuvaliant service in the Philippines during the Spanish war, will be held in connection with the encampment.

TURPENTINE FOR WEEVIL.

Cotton Growers' Experiment Successful in Louisiana.

Alenandria, La.-News of an experiment with turpentine, which has apparently driven the boll weevil from the cotton fields about Coushatta, La., was received here by Presi- ams' call at the Brooklyn navy yard Bank of Alexandria. An oat sack is be given a luncheon at the Holland dipped in a solution of three parts house, where he is staying, by the it on a pole tied to the plow handles League Club. near the beams. The sack is then dragged through the cotton field. The scent of turpentine thus spread in Coushatta has remained on the ground for over a week without renewal and not a weevil or other bug has been found. About one gallon of turpentine was used to every four

CHARGED WITH KIDNAPING.

Arizona and Mexican Officials Are Bound Over to Grand Jury.

Douglas, Ariz.-On the charge of kidnaping Manuel Sarabia, alleged to be wanted by the Mexican government from the jail Douglas on the night of June 30, Antonio Maza, the regularly appointed Mexican consul at this place, was bound over to the territorial grand jury of Cochise county under a bond of \$1,000, having waived his preliminary hearing. Charged with the same offense, Constable A. S. J. Shropshire, Arizona Ranger Samuel Hayhurst and Policeman Lee Thompson were bound over. All gave bond.

JUDGE SWAYNE DEAD.

United States Jurist Expires Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Penn.-Judge Charles Swayne of the U. S. court for the northern district of Florida died at a hospital here Friday of kidney trou-

An unsuccessful attempt to impeach Judge Swayne was based on the charges that he did not reside in his district: that his expense account was excessive; and that he used his pos-i tion to extort railroad favors.

BLAMES THE PRESS

YAMAMOTO LAYS WAR TALK TO SENSATIONAL PAPERS.

NO INTEREST IN TRANSFER OF FLEET

Says That It Is a Matter Solely for the American Government to Decide.

New York, N. Y .- Admiral Baron others of the band. Yamamoto, one of Japan's most dis-

received visits from Maj. Gen. Fred- ers were captured. erick Grant, Rear Admiral Robley D.

In his interview the admiral deprecated the war scare which has recently appeared in both Japan and dent could break the friendship which existed for so many years between Japan and the United States. He thought the sensational press of the two countries largely to blame for the war talk. As to the prospective transfer of the great Atlantic battleship squadron to the Pacific, that was a matter solely for the American government to decide, and one that

deny that on his return to Japan he igan avenue. It had been placed there would become the leader of the pro- with the intent to murder the family. have anything whatever to do with escaped.

tleth Kansas, Brig. Irving Hale of two sailors had a long chat together. furniture in the room. Denver and Brig. Gen. Charles King. After the visit Evans said they had settled the whole matter of war betieth Kansas regiment, which, under tween America and Japan and had decommand of Funston and Metcalf did clared peace. Admiral Yamamoto agreed with bim that war talk was all happened the City of Traverse should nonsense.

> "It is absolutely stilly to talk about war between the two countries," said Admiral Evans. "There isn't any more reason why we should fight Japan than there is that we should fight Italy because of Italian outrages in this country or that the Chinese should declare war on us because some hoodlum hurls a brick through a laundry window."

Admiral Yamamoto will return Rear Admiral Evans' and Captain Addent Paul Lisso of the First National Thursday morning. At noon he will water to one of turpentine. This sack Japanese society, and in the evening is attached to a plow by suspending will be given a dinner at the Union

KILLED BY GAS EXPLOSION.

Nebraska Merchants Were Hunting for Leak With Lighted Candle.

Plattsmouth, Neb .- S. Grassman was instantly killed and E. O. building occupied by them as a grocery store. The floods of the last day or two had caused a leak in the gas Company, \$100,000; Martha Stewart, pipes and the two men with Fred on building, \$50,000; the Brunswick, McCauley were searching for the leak | Balke, Collender Company, \$50.000; with a lighted candle. The explosion | Henry C. Bals Estate building, \$20,000, set fire to the building and before the fire department could extinguish the flames two other explosions practically demolished the structure. The Grandson of Egypt's Ruler is in the body of Grassman has not yet been recovered. The loss is about \$25,000.

GIRL HEROINE DROWNS.

Loses Life in Reservoir, Where She Plunged to Save Her Brother.

Litchfield, Ill. - Bertrude Blasik, aged 14, was drowned in the reservoir of No. 14 mine, south of here, while attempting to save her d'Abro Pagratide of Cairo, Egypt. He young brother. The boy had waded is the son of Tigrane Pasha, the alte out into the water, which was only 4 prime minister of Egypt prior to the feet deep. The girl, thinking that the boy would drown, leaped into the wa- the reigning ruler at this time. ter after him, tripping as she made the leap. She fell face downward and was unable to rise. The little boy waded out of the water and cried for

Knights Templar in Saratoga. Saratoga-With 50,000 spectators, the streets along avenues brilliantly | Chicago, made vacant by the death of decorated, 15,000 Knights Templar paraded here. It was the greatest event of the triennial canclave of the grand He was acquitted by the United encampment Knights Templar, which States senate of the 59th congress is being held here this week

TRAITOR'S AWFUL FATE.

Smothered by Streams of Flour After Revealing Clan's Secrets.

Riga, Russia - Horrible punishment has just, been inflicted by revolutionists upon a former member of the band of conspirators against the government, whose treachery led to the discovery of a secret conference and caused the death of many of the revolutionists and arrest of

The Central Revolutionary Committinguished naval officers, is the guest | tees of Courland, Livland and Estland of New York. The admiral and his used an old mill just outside of Riga suite arrived here from England on for their meeting place. A man named the steamer Carmania Wednesday Sproge, who had broken with the revafternoon and will remain until July olutionaries, betrayed them to the police. Officers went to the old mill, The admiral's first day in New York surrounded the place and called on was a busy one. He was interviewed the revolutionists to surrender. In by half a hundred reporters, had his trying to escape, 30 of the conspirap'estograph taken a score of times, tors were shot and killed. Many oth-

Sproge's treachery was discovered Evans, Capt. J. D. Adams, acting com and other revolutionists decided to mandant of the New York navy yard, kill him by frightful tortures. He and a number of other military and was captured and taken to the same naval men, took a long automobile mill where the revolutionists had met. ride, and dined with the members of There he was tied to the floor and a loose sack with a small hole fastened about his head. A stream of flour was allowed to run through the hole. Ultimately the sack was com-America. He said that no small inci- pletely filled and Sproge was slowly smothered. The revolutionaries left the body there with a note of warning to other traiters.

GAMBLER ESCAPES BOMB.

Explosion Nearly Wrecks House, but Family Escapes.

Chicago - A dynamite bomb ardid not interest him in the least, ex- ranged with a time fuse. exploded cept in that it was a novel naval ex- Monday night on the window sill of the "Napoleon room" in the residence Admiral Yamameto took occasion to of "Blind John" Condon, 2623 Mich-

gressive party. He said that he had | Contrary to their usual custom, Mr. served in one cabinet-he was min- and Mrs. Condon and their son, John, ister of marine during the war with were in the upper part of the house Russia-and that he had no desire to when the explosion occurred and thus

The explosion shook the house to Read Admiral Evans, who is an old its foundations, tore away the stone friend of Admiral Yamamoto, called | wall under the window, which was deon him during the afternoon, and the molished, and damaged pictures and

> The race horse owner and gambling ing puts the plot up to his gamblin enemies. He said it was a remarkable coincidence that on the day this have received its death blow, for he is credited with being the mind that

engineered the fight on the boat. The furniture was smashed into kindling wood. One large mahogany chair, in which Mr. Condon usually is found at the library window at the precise hour when the explosion occurred, was left in splinters. Chairs in other rooms were overturned and covered with a fine dust,

BRICK BUILDINGS COLLAPSE.

Two Three-Story Business Blocks Fall From Unknown Cause.

Indianapolis, Ind .- Two brick buildings, three stories high, located near the northwestern corner of Meridian and Maryland streets, in the center of the wholesale district, collapsed from some unknown cause, causing a loss of \$220,000.

Had the collapse occurred during business hours a large loss of life would certainly have occurred. As the buildings were among the oldest in Wurl seriously injured by an exthe city it is thought this was the plesion of gas in the basement in the main reason for the collapse The principal losses are:

Daniel Stewart Drug and Glass

PRINCE VISITS AMERICA INCOG

Rockies.

Oakland, Cal. - The descendant of an unbroken line of kings and rulers extending along a dynasty of eight centuries, who is visiting the United States incognito, left Oakland yesterday on a trip to the Yosemitie. He will return during the week and remain in this city for about a month.

The name of the visitor is Prince British occupation, and a grandson of

Leach Is Director of Mint.

Oyster Bay, N. Y. - President Roosevelt has appointed Frank A. Leach of Oakland, Cal., director of the mint to succeed George E. Roberts, who resigned to accept he presidency of the Commercial National bank of James H. Eckels. Mr. Leach is at present superintendent of the San Francisco mint. He will assume his new duties at Washington late in the

The President's Vacation



Roosevelt Always in Touch with Affairs of the Nation we see see



DEVOTES PART OF EVERY DAY TO PUBLIC AFFAIRS

that no one but the president can at departments had been moved from tend to, and which President Roose- Washington to Oyster Bay. velt would let no other man attend to One difference is that the president even if he had the power.

OYSTER BAY - Although President house. These offices_are connected Roosexelt is settled down at Ovs. by direct wire with the executive of ter Bay for a four months' vacation he fices adjoining the White House at will not be able to escape from a good. Washington. The clerks at the capideal of the labors and duties of his tal are therefore in as close touch job. The public business at Washing- with their immediate chief. Mr. Loeb, ton goes on just the same. There are Mr Loeb, in turn, is in constant touch as if he were in his own office there. officials to appoint, questions of policy with the president. The whole arto decide, commissions in the army rangement works out in the same and navy to sign, many other things, manner as if the capital and all the

never visits the executive offices in While he spends the summer in his Cyster Bay. Whatever business remodest and comfortable country house quires to be brought to his attention at Sagamore Hill he is obliged to de is taken up by Secretary Loeb to Sagvote a few hours a day-often more amore Hill. Mr. Loeb goes to the than a few-to the nation's business, president in the forencon about 11 When the president went down to o'clock, after he has gone through the Oyster Bay recently he was accom- mail and sorted out from it the letters panied by Secretary Loeb, Assistant and official papers which need to pass Secretary Latta, and four clerks from under the executive eye or hand. Some the executive staff at Washington, days Mr. Loeb gets back to the village They began work next day in the ex- in time to put in an hour's work beecutive offices in the village of Oyster fore luncheon. More often his lunch-Bay, three miles from the president's eon has to wait an hour for him.



THE executive offices at "the sum-! iness center of the village. His door

from in the front overlooking the bus- returned.

LOEB DECIDES WHO CAN

SEE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Of course, cabinet officers, senators

mer capital," as Oyster Bay folk is always open; any one can walk in have created a demand for the strong tale file in calling their village, upon him, get a pleasant greeting and men of the south and west that is never fail to impress visitors by their see as much of the government wheels | greater than ever before. Under the unpretentiousness. They consist of going round as he could in Mr. Loeb's Morton management the Equitable has seven office rooms and a storeroom. Washington office. All he will see is made a better showing than any other into which a loft above a corner gro. Mr. Loeb busy at a big flat-topped insurance company in the way of imhas been divided. Mr. Moore, the desk, with another desk close by cov. proved methods, economies and inthe villagers and surrounding gentry, secretary to the president reads diliis a famous man every summer. The gently. He will see the rest of the whole country hears each summer in staff in the five other rooms. One the press dispatches of "the executive, room is occupied by one of two teleoffices over Moore's grocery." Mr | graph operators who are on duty by Moore's pride would be greater if the turns from nine a. m. to 11 p. m. They president should come down some day are kept busy most of the time. Much and transact some important piece of of the matter is summaries of correspondence, to which Secretary Loeb Secretary Loeb has a large, sunny directs routine formal answers to be

LARGE part of Mr. Loeb's busi-president will be glad to see them at ness in summer is deciding "who's such and such an hour on the day who." in the matter of requests for per. | mentioned

The president has a telephone in his sonal interviews with the president. Few persons are allowed to go up to house, but if you, Mr. Citizen, had Sagamore Hill and ring the door beta something in your mind that you thought the nation's chief ought to and a few representatives would be know about at once, you couldn't go into the nearest pay booth and call permitted, if they chose to arrive in him up. The telephone exchange girls Oyster Fay unannounced, to drive up at Oyster Bay have a strict rule on to the presidential door and send their that All persons, from cabinet rank cards to Mr. Roosevelt. But these down who call for Mr. Roosevelt's privileged men are the very ones who number are switched over to Mr. would never think of doing so. All Loeb. If it's all right, Mr. Loeb says visiting statesmen write or telegraph so, and you "get" the president. If beforehand, asking whether it will be Mr. Loeb doesn't know you he asks convenient for the president to see you your business and probably adthem on a given day. The query and vises you to put it into writing, for the answer pass through Loeb's hands. Mr. Loeb is a methodical and careful He writes these gentlemen that "the secretary.

ACAMORE - HILL NO ADMITTANCE

THE cabinet is rarely called together but drive around the house and out in the president's vacation, and again. It any person should gain enthen only to consider matters regard- trance by giving this assurance to the ed as of the highest importance secret service men at the outpost and Nevertheless, in the course of a sum then try to break faith and seek enmer most of the members of the cabi- trance to the house, he would be stopnet pay a visit, either of business or ped by other secret service men on friendship to Sagamore Hill. They of guard near the porch. ten dine and sleep there. Some of the president's closest friends in the senguests. But most of Mr. Roosevelt's

account of themselves and betray no day. The guards are all picked men. that they are not to halt their horses, horse-sense and quick judgment.

CABINET OFFICERS OFTEN VISIT SAGAMORE HILL

The president's bodyguard is commanded by "Jim" Sloan, who has had ate, members of the "tennis" cabinet, the chief responsibility for his safety or literary cronies, are overnight since Secret Service Agent Tyree was made a United States marshal. Sloan visitors who call by appointment are now has eight men to help him. asked to arrive in the forenoon and to Guards at the Rouse and at the entrance from the highroad a quarter There is no barrier up to prevent mile away are changed with the regupersons who can give a reasonable larity of military discipline, night and signs of the crank, from driving up to who have shown not merely zeal and Sagamore Hill, on the understanding devotion, which are essential, but MAN AND HIS WAYS.

Fertile Brain Has Evolved a New Style of Cradle.

A new cradle has been inventedand by a man. Which latter statement is a dedundancy-for no up-todate woman would really ever think of inventing anything so pernicious to her infant's welfare. Has she not become enlightened to the dreadful ills of that time-honored institution of our ancestors? Dare she imperil the intellect that is to sway the twentieth century by untimely "juggling" in its embryo stage? Poor modern babe! When colic's gripes assail, it may not know the luxury of a steady tramp swung across father's shoulder-strange to say, men do not jeer At this dictum of the new motherhood-much less will ft experience the bliss of being lulled to rest in a wooden-slatted cradle or fluffy bassinet, swayed by the foot of a wondrous being who swings and croons. swings and croons, till baby woes are merged in blessed sleep. Its maker claims that sideways rocking is, indeed, injurious to babykins, but to his eyes, not his brain. Therefore has he constructed a cradle that swings lengthwise, and is shaped like a boat!

WESTERN MEN IN NEW YORK.

Brains of Mountain and Prairie in Demand in the Financial Center.

Ever since the early days, when D. O. Mills, J. B. Haggin and James R. Keene "emigrated" from California to New York, the metropolis has been drawing largely on the west and south for its supply of "men who do things." Theodore P. Shonts, both a southerner and westerner, who has undertaken to solve New York's great transit problem, is the latest importation in response to the call of the east.

The promptness with which Thos. F. Ryan, of Virginia, turned the Equitable Life Assurance Society over to its policyholders, who now elect a majority of its Board of Directors, and divested himself of the control of the stock which he bought from Jas. H. Hyde, and the success of the new management of the Society under the direction of President Paul Morton,

E. H. Garv, head of the greatest corporation in the world-the U.S. Steel Co.-John W. Gates, Henry C. Frick. Norman B. Ream, Wm. H. Moore and Daniel G. Reid are other westerners who are among the biggest men in

SOMEWHAT OF A REFLECTION.

Naive Comment of Debutante That Amused Hostess.

A charming hostess of one of the "big houses," as they are called by those who are welcomed into them. has the added beauty of premature white hair. That which seems to her contemporaries an added charm may appear to the crudely young a mark of decline, at least so it appears in one instance of which the hostess herself tells with enjoyment.

The lady is a connoisseur of antiques. At one of her teas a debutante rich with the glow of youth, but sadly constrained with her sense of novelty. was handed a cup of tea; the cup was beautifully blue and wonderfully The hostess desiring to lighten the strain on her youthful guest by a pleasant diverting remark, said: "That little cup is a hundred and fif-

ty years old!" "Oh," came the debutante's high strained tones: "liow careful you must be to have kept it so long!"

Tip from the Sage.

"Well," yawned the sage of the park bench, "this business of chasing dogs around the town and taking them to the pound may be all right in some ways, but it certainly is wasting a lot of valuable power.

"Power?" ejaculated the park policeman in surprise. "Yes, power. When a dog is in a

good humor he wags his tail, doesn't "Believe he does."

"Well, now, if we could keep all the stray dogs in a good humor and stand them in a row and let them wag their tails from morn till night, why, man, there would be enough power generated to run a trolley line. Niagara wouldn't be in it. Wonder to me some genius don't try to harness those wags."-

How Pat Got In.

Dr. George A. Gordon, pastor of the Old South church, Boston, tells how a witty Irishman stood before the gate of the other world, asking for admission. St. Peter refused him, however, telling him he was too great a sinner to enter there, and bade him go away. The man went a little distance from the gate and then crowed three times like a rooster. St. Peter at once threw open the gate and cried out: "Come in, Pat! We'll let bygones be bygones!"-Lippincott's.

FROM ALL OVER TEXAS

Sisters of the Good Shepherd will open a home in Dallas this fall, either milding a house or purchasing one aleady built,

About twenty-five of the largest and strongest life insurance companies have left Texas on account of the Robinson insurance law.

Private information is received that Governor Campbell will decline the reappointment of five cotton weighers in Houston who have held office for several years. The fourteenth annual session of the

ation was called to order last week at Waco by Rev. A. Barbour, the Mod-Altogether there had been 404 petiions for permits to secure liquor licenses under the provisions of the new

The contract for a new public school building to cost \$35,600 has been awarded at Stephenville. Work is to begin August 1 and is to be completed in nine months.

liquor law, left with the County Clerk

of Harris County up to Friday night.

About forty car loads of ties have been unloaded at Anson in the last few days for the Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railway, and are being hauled out on the line.

A civil engineer and saveral assistants are at work making a survey of the different streets of Bonham, after which actual work will be begun on the sewerage system.

It is claimed by officers at San Antonio that the new law creating Juyenile Courts has a fatal defect in that it does not provide a separate jall for the youthful offenders.

Labor troubles in the blacksmith shops of the International and Great Northern Railroad at Palestine, came to a head last Friday, and the whole force of the shop, except one man,

A negro and a white man, prisoners in the Liberty County jail, got into a fight over a chew of tobacco, and the negro gave the white man a punch in the paunch which may prove

Parties have incorporated the Fort Worth Fuller's Earth Company, with a capital of \$10,000, the purpose of which is to mine this commedity on land in the third filing of Rosen Heights, where, it is said, large beds of the mineral have been uncovered.

Plans for the interurban between Fort Worth and Mineral Wells are expected to take a definite shape within a few days. Gid. R. Turner of New Orleans and Judge James J. Finn, of Decatur, Ill., both interested in the projected line, are on the grounds.

The election of W. H. Holland as Judge of the County Court of Dallas County, at Law, at a salary of \$3,000 per annum, was officially confirmed by the County Commissioners' Court Friday. This is one of the new offices created by the Thirtieth Legis-

A very enthusiastic crowd of Rising Star citizens met last week, and after a number of speeches had been made concerning the needs and conditions of Rising Star, organized a commercial club with G. T. Barnes as President.

Aftter a sorm of protest from the tax payers, the County Commissioners of Titus County have decided to lower the valuation of property in the county to \$3,500,000. Last year's rendition was \$2,2250,000.

Surveyors are surveying for the continuation of the State Road from Rusk. Surveys have been made into Both Palestine and Crockett in anticipation of the construction of this continuation, when the matter of the roads terminus is finally decided.

John Flannigan broke the world's sixteen-pound hammer record from a nine-foot circle at the Irish Counties' Athletic Union games in New York Thursday. He threw the hammer 173 feet and 4 inches.

August Luedtke, a young German, about 21 years old, was found dead in a pasture near Miles, July 2. A double barrel shotgun one barrel of which had been discharged, was found lying on the opposite side of a wire fence from the body.

Mrs. Emma Stolt, of Appleton, Wisconsin.

I began to improve at once." Old Landmark Negro Baptist Associ-

MRS. EMMA STOLT.

Mrs. Emma Stolt, 1069 Oneida St., Appleton, Wis., writes:

"Peruna has done me a great deal of good since I began taking it and I am always glad to speak a good word for it.

"Three years ago I was in a wretched condition with backaches, bearing down pains, and at times was so sore and lame that I could not move about. I had inflammation and irritation, and although I used different remedies they did me no good.

"A neighbor who had been using Peruna advised me to try it, and I am glad that I did. I began to improve as soon as I took it and I felt much better.

"I thank you for your fine remedy. It is certainly a godsend to sick women.

Catarrh of the Internal Organs. Miss Theresa Bertles, White Church, Mo., writes:

"I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, bowels and internal organs. Everything I ate seemed to hurt me. I never had a passage of the bowels without taking medicine. I was so tired mornings and ached all over. I had a pain in my left side, and the least exertion or excitement made me short of breath.

"Now, after taking Peruna for six months, I am as well as I ever was. Peruna has worked wonders for me. I believe Peruna is the best medicine in the world, and I recommend it tomy friends."

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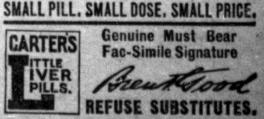
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UNCLE SAM'S KEEN nothing, who must bid good-by to their luckier friends and return to the per-EYE ON FUTURE CITIZENS

PHYSICIANS OF EXPERI-**ENCE MEET IMMIGRANTS** AT LANDING PORTS.

EXAMINATION

LONG PR'CTICE HAS ENABLED DOCTOL TO NOTE DISEASE SYMPIOMS AT A GLANCE.

Few "Undesirables" Gain Admission to the Promised Land, Though Attempts to Deceive the Inspectors Are Made-Routine at the Port of Boston-Dr. Safford Tells of All Sorts of Tricks Played-"Fake Citizens" as a General Thing Are Easily Spotted-Some Pathetic Stories

Boston .-- When Uncle Sam learns that a fresh batch of would-be citizens are headed for Boston from foreign shores, he sends Dr. M. V. Safford and Dr. Hugo B. C. Reimer down to meet them when they arrive.

The two physicians are keen men of long experience. They can spot disease symptoms at a glance. When an army of immigrants march on the United States through this port, they weed them out with the most minute care. In matters of means, ability to be self-supporting and business intentions, the immigrants must satisfy other agents of Uncle Sam. But first and foremost they must run the gauntlet of the keen, unprejudiced eyes of the two doctors.

Dr. Safford and his assistant, Dr. Reimer, pass on every one of the thousands of immigrants that enter the port of Boston. They meet with strangs experiences, they are ever the objects of cunning subterfuge and piccous supplication, and they make few errors.

Word comes to the immigration officers at Long wharf that a great ship with hundreds of immigrants on board is due at quarantine at such-and-such a time. The doctors know by the location of the port of embarkation about what class of immigrant they will have to deal with, and they prepare for him.

Boarded at Quarantine. When the ship reaches quarantine, the physicians are waiting to board

her. They begin at once with the second cabin passengers after "looking over," surreptitiously, the passengers in the saloon. The second cabin passengers are submitted to a rigid examination, for long experience has taught the medical authorities that a



Brought His Bird from Sicily.

greater proportion of defectives is to be found in the second cabin than in the steerage.

If the ship docks just before dusk or very late in the afternoon, the examination is likely to be deferred until morning. In that event, there is greater excitement on board than ever. The immigrants, most of them ignorant and illiterate, know only that they have at last reached the promised land, toward which they have been journeying for days; they feel only that the time has come for them to meet their friends, to look into the

The delay chafes them. They crowd and crush about the decks, quarrelsome and cantankerous. Few of them leep. They wait, sullen and silent, brough the long dark hours, their even instened on the roofs of the low ds and the shadowy outlines of the call buildings of the water front. They atter at times. Sometimes there is ight. There is crying of bables. esiqually the sharp voice of a rd rings out from above.

me Who May Not Land. look very eager and healthy let as they stand in the light re some in that throng who

luckier friends and return to the, perhaps, lonely land from which they started. It is for those the two physicians are waiting.

At seven o'clock everything is ford runs into some strange characready. The gangplank, carefully roped | ters. Immigrants will come jauntily off and guarded, stretches from the deck to a door in the side of the shed. This door admits to a narrow passage which winds around mysteriously, and suddenly swings into a wider space, between iron railings forming an inverted V. At the apex stands Dr. Stafford, with Dr. Riemer at his elbow. Grouped around them are women agents from the various charity organizations, on the lookout for homeless and unaccompanied girls vainly expecting lovers who never come.

At last the word is given. The quartermasters who have been holding the immigrants back on the steamer's decks step aside, and with a rush and great shouting the crowd .begins to pour into the narrow aisle. The Sicilians are first. They press forward hungrily, and the others fall back behind them. Up the alsle they come. Their luggage has been left piled and checked on the decks, but almost every man tenderly carries a crated can slung from his shoulder. It contains home-made olive oil, the real kind, and he hopes to have the delicacy for a reminder of old days at home when he settles in the new country.

Task Not Always Pleasant.

quartermaster has before him. Per- terions of bodily vigor. chance he is stout and portly. He then suffers some inconvenience, to Dr. Safford. "I remember the first put it mildly, and his occasional re- case of one kind I ran into. I have

cause him to make a careful examination. Types and natural characteristics mean much.

Many Tricks Played. In the course of his work Dr. Saf-



A Test of Strength.

down the aisle, carelessly swinging a derby hat over what is apparently a hand. The doctor is suspicious, removes the hat and finds that there is

Besides the examinations to determine the soundness of the body, there are tests of strength for those who look particularly suspicious. Carrying It isn't a pleasant task the head a heavy bag of sand is one of the cri-

"They try all sorts of tricks," said

and some in particular are not intended always for gentle ears.

Dr. Safford stands ready, pencil in hand. Before him is a white enameled stand with pitcher and basin of medicated water. This, for the benefit of those willy newcomers who attempt to took the hand away, and he ran into conceal natural defects or wounds beneath a generous portion of dirt.

There is the noise of prodigious scuffling outside the door in the passageway and the next moment around the corner appears the broad, buxom form and smiling face of a woman. It is evident that the mon, eager as they are, have bowed to courtesy. The wowith a bewildered expression, until Dr. Safford admonishes her sharply in her own dialect, and she steps toward him. He stops her for a moment, turns her eyelids back and twists her ear. Then he turns her into the outward aisle leading to the main shed, where she will await the examination of the immigration inspectors.

Ex-Soldiers Easily Told.

Once in a while an ex-soldier will appear. It is more than easy to spot him. He swings around the door with with chest extended and head thrown back he marches toward the doctor as he would toward an inspecting officer. Invariably he is allowed to pass with a smile of approbation, and occasionally he brings his hand sharply to the salute as he turns the corner.

It is an interesting sight. Now there comes a little, undersized Calabrian who looks as though he combined the burden and woes of Atlas/ a little fellow who stood straight as a and Job. The doctor is attracted to a peculiarity in his color. He stops him and Dr. Reimer takes his temperature. It is no less than 104.

"Must have malaria," says the doctor, and the little fellow is turned aside.

Continuously, without pause, the line passes. The group in the detention room swells. The unfortunates sit with resigned faces and watch their healthier fellows swarm toward

The examination which, to the layman, seems so cursory is, in reality, wonderfully severe and searching. Dr. Safford has had years of experience, has passed tens of thousands of immigrants and knows their normal characteristics as he knows their lan-

What in a Finn would not excite the least suspicion on the part of the the long journey for doctor would if seen in an Italian,

marks anent immigrants in general | spotted scores since. An elderly man came in behind a little boy. There was nothing suspicious about either of them, and I was about to pacs them when I noticed that the man had the tip of his finger on the boy's shoulder and kept it there. I stopped him and the railing. He was stone blind, although his eyes didn't betray it.

"Fake Citizens."

"Some years ago we used to have a great many cases of 'fake citizens.' We have no jurisdiction over a United States citizen, and we have to be very careful how we treat them. It got to be quite common therefore for immiman comes down the aisle slowly, grants already resident here to take out citizen papers and ship them to friends at home for their use in passing us. But when several cases had been detected and the parties severely prosecuted, the thing dropped off, and we have less of it now.

"Some of the immigrants, of course, are hopelessly ignorant. Many of them have the handicap of fear and reticence. They have been thoroughly coached by letter by friends here, and they will stick to the set of rules and regulations prescribed, whether they the precision of long practice, and apply or not. You can never get them to admit anything, and oftentimes the developments are high and ludicrous. They will never tell you anything that will help themselves and you, to hasten the examination. With them, there are only two classes of disease, those contracted on board ship and those present since birth.

"I once was sure that I had a new case of spinal disease, when I spotted rule, and couldn't bend his back. But on striping him, I found he had the barrel of a shotgun strapped to his back to escape the customs as he

thought. "Immigrants under 11 years of age get special rates. It is quite common to see ancient '11-year-olds,' with fine growths of whiskers, meandering

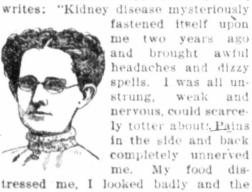
down the plank. "We spotted a man once on fake citizenship papers by the aid of an Englishman. The latter said: 'The blowke says as e's been 'ere 11 years an' 'e down't know wot a peanut is. 'E ain't no American!' And he wasn't.

"We run into no end of hard-luck stories, and some of them are really very pathetic. But we have to do our duty as it comes."

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tressed me, I looked badly and the kidneys were noticeably deranged. I sank lower and lower until given up and at this critical time began with Doan's Kidney Pills. Details are unnecessary. Twelve boxes cured me and I weigh six pounds more than ever before. They saved my life." Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box.

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SAVED FROM DREAD FATE.

Kind Woman's Assistance Meant Much to This Tramp.

A certain lady, noted for her kind heart and open hand, was approached not long ago by a man whe, with tragic air, began:

"A man, madam, is often forced by the whip of hunger to many things from which his very soul shrinksand so it is with me at this time. Unless, madam, in the name of pity, you give me assistance, I will be compelled to do something which I never before have done, which I would greatly dislike to do."

haste to place in his hand a five-dollar bill. As the man pocketed it

with profuse thanks, she inquired: "And what is the dreadful thing I have kept you from doing, my poor old clergyman who lived in Maine man?"

"Work," was the brief and mournful reply.-Harper's Weekly.

Humming Birds in England. Considerable interest is excited by the humming birds now on view at the zoological garlens. Fifty-three of these tiny, fragile birds were taken on board from Venezuela; many died on the voyage, but the fittest survived, and 20 reached Regent's park alive. At the time of writing 17 are shown in two large glass cages furnished with flowering plants, and placed in the insect-house, which can be kept at a high temperature. Moths in a cage near look bigger than these small birds. It is to be hoped that these dainty feathered gems may take kindly to their new surroundings, and live long to delight the eyes of many dwellers in smoky London-West-

minster Gazette. A Famous Pitcher.

Elmer Stricklett, the "spit ball" pitcher had been listening a long while in a New York club to the boasting of a rival.

"Well," he said, exhausted at last, "you are pretty good, Mike; but out in Mountain View there is a young fellow who can beat you. You'll hear from him next season. His specialty is the slow ball. This young fellow has such a slow ball that, when he pitches it and sees that it is going to

back again." A SMALL SECRET.

be hit, he can run after it and fetch it

Couldn't Understand the Taste of His Customers.

Two men were discussing the various food products now being supplied in such variety and abundance.

One, a grocer, said, "I frequently try a package or so of any certain article before offering it to my trade, and in that way sometimes form a different idea than my customers have.

"For instance, I thought I would try some Postum Food Coffee, to see what reason there was for such a call for it. At breakfast I didn't like it and supper proved the same, so I naturally concluded that my taste was different from that of the customers who bought it right along.

"A day or two after, I waited on a lady who was buying a 25c package and told her I couldn't understand how one could fancy the taste of Postum.

"'I know just what is the matter, she said, 'you put the coffee boiler on the stove for just fifteen minutes, and ten minutes of that time it simmered, and perhaps five minutes it boiled; now if you will have it left to boil full fifteen minutes after it commences to boil, you will find a delicious Java-like beverage, rich in food value of gluten and phosphates, so choice that you will never abandon it, particularly when you see the great gain in health.' Well, I took another trial and sure good, and life seems worth living since I have gotten rid of my old time stomach and kidney troubles."

Postum is no sort of medicine, but pure liquid food, and this, together with a relief from coffee worked the

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> Many stories are told of the eccentric doings and sayings of an some years ago. At one time there had been a fight among some men. one of whom was seriously hurt. A trial took place, and the old minister who had seen the affray was sum-

moned as a witness. "What was Salson doing?" was the first question.

"Oh, he was stashing around." "Well, sir, just what do you mean

by that?"

"Why, he was knocking about him here and there."

"Now, sir, kindly till us pily what Salson did to this man." "Why, be-be enticed him," said the old minister slowly. "He enticed him with a crowbar. He used the crowbar to persuade the man-to entice him; and by a series of pokes and blows he succeeded in doing it," said the minister, mildly.

SCALY ERUPTION ON BODY.

Doctors and Remedies Fruitless-Suffered 10 Years - Completely Cured by Cuticura.

"Small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs and shortly afterwards they became so sore that I could scarcely walk. The sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared. The itching was so severe that I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. After I suffered thus about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctor in my native county and many remedies gave no relief. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. A few months after, having used almost everything else, I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Soap. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored, after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least \$50 or \$60 in vainly endeavoring to find a cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak., Aug. 18, 1906."

A Square Deal.

A certain peasant supplied a baker with three pounds of butter daily, and after some time the baker noticed that the batter never weighed three pounds. At last he summoned him. "Have you no scales at home?" the judge asked. "Yes," said the peasant. "Have you weights?" "Yes, but I never weigh butter with them." "Why?" "Because, since the baker buys my butter, I buy his bread, and as I always buy three pounds at a time, I weigh the butter with the bread." He was acquitted -Siarcz.

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Get a shave at Barker's shop. Buy it from French, the Druggist.

J. D. Friend left for St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs. Charm Lockfield is visiting at Dallas.

Johnson Arledge left for Palacios Tuesday night.

Sam Kennedy was here from Augusta this week.

Mr. W. E. Mayes has returned from Mineral Wells.

If you want an up-to-date haircut, let Barker cut it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bricker and family are at Palacios.

Miss Alleen Foster has returned from a visit to Groveton.

The excursion to Galveston Saturday was well patronized.

Miss May Wilkes of Augusta is visiting Mrs. Julia Aldrich.

You get the best if you buy it

from French, the Druggist. Mrs. H. C. Moore left Satur-

day for her home at Houston. E. T. Ozier of Chicago was in

Crockett Sunday and Monday. Keep cool, buy your fans from

Jas. S. Shivers & Co. Street and sidewalk improve-

ments continue on Public avenue. Mrs. J. H. Ellis, who is visiting

at Porter Springs, is reported quite and hose and get our reduced

B. F. Thomas of Troupe was the guest of Leroy Moore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hobson of Mineral Wells were visiting here of Weches were among those rethis week.

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The Best at the lowest price pos-

Monday night for an outing at Palacios.

and I. W. Sweet spent Sunday at Man. Galveston.

pleasant caller at the Courier of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. May, this fice Thursday.

Messrs. Geo. and Chas. Clinton, father and son, returned last week visiting his parents in the county you should need medicine we

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Mrs. H. J. Arledge and children left for an outing at Palacios Tuesday night.

Miss Templeton of Corsicana is Templeton.

Mrs. Hyman Harrison is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bromberg.

Quite a number whose names we failed to get left Monday night for Palacios.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McConnell and Mrs. John McConnell left for Llano Monday.

Miss Bettie Smith is visiting her brothers, Wootters and Doc, at Nacogdoches.

D. A. Nunn, Jr., and Porter Newman were at Palestine Saturday and Sunday.

If you want good Tea, buy a package of the Club House Brand

at Johnson Arledge's. Misses Betty and Mary Jennie Davis were visitors to Galveston

Saturday and Sunday. Just received a large shipment of fresh bulk Turnip and Cabbage

seed at Johnson Arledge's. Our cleaning and pressing is better, and for less, try us and JOHN MILLAR.

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membering the Courier Saturday. Farmers should grow their own

seed potatoes. Home-grown seed do better than the kind shipped Don't forget your Fall Cabbage

and Turnip patch. Buy your seed Mose Bromberg, George Miller from Johnson Arledge, the Seed

Mr. and Mrs. Conley of Beau J. S. Brown of Kennard was a mont were visiting their parents.

Oscar Reynolds of Lufkin was last week and called at the COURIER office.

Reports from Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Edmiston say that they are pleasantly located in the mountains near Denver.

Mr. Gus Leftwich of Galveston, representing the mercantile agency of R. G. Dunn & Co., was in Crockett last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. Q. King and the guest of her sister, Miss Leila children left Tuesday night for a month of recuperation at Hot Springs.

> Crockett and Grapeland again played ball Tuesday afternoon. The result was 14 to 12 in favor of Crockett.

J. D. Hill was at the train Monday evening to meet his young son who was returning from a visit to Houston.

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T. J. Duren of Belott was in Crockett Saturday and paid the Courier office a visit. He said the crops in his section would be short this year. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Crook

and daughter, Sarah Mac, Mrs. Florence Arledge and Mrs. John son Arledge and children left Monday night for Palacios.

When you need medicine or drugs you don't teel like experimenting. Let us supply your wants and you know you have the MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

If your scalp is full of dandruff, eczema or tetter, I can cure it; also pain or leaving a scar. Call and BARKER TUNSTALL.

How are You?

We hope you are well, but if would like to furnish it.

MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Rev. J. W. Downs returned preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. His health was benefitted by the va-

Iowa, writes the Courier that he is thinking of returning to Crockett. Mr. Loughrey lived here about eight years ago.

It is as much a necessity to have your prescriptions filled right as to write them. If you want the bine. scriptions. G. L. MOORE.

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We make a specialty of loans on land and to farmers. We buy vendors lien notes and any other good paper. If you want to borrow money you will DO WELL to call and get our terms before placing your loan. We buy and sell real estate.

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August is the month in which to plant Irish potatoes for seed. Let those who intend growing potatoes next year raise their seed this

seed potatoes for this year's crop had better success than did others. August is the time to plant for

The Courier has a scholarship in the Lufkin Business College which it will dispose at a reduced price. Apply to this office for particulars.

For Sale My residence with six rooms, out-houses, etc., in the town of by Mr. E. A. Calvin. The mem-Crockett. Also my dental office and practice. Apply to

C. O. WEBB. Everett Clark, after a two weeks' vacation spent at Crockett position at the Crockett postoffice.

Men Wanted.

Smith & Wootters want men at their railroad camp near Lufkin, on pay \$1.75 a day for grubbers, Our pet hobby is prescriptions. teamsters, slip loaders, etc. Ap-We take pride in this line of work ply at the camp or to Jim Smith ing at 7 o'clock. The ceremony

> Monday night for the resorts of immediate relatives were present. Colorado. They will spend much Mr. and Mrs. Ozier took the 8:10 of their time at Estes park in the train for their bridal tour, which northern part of the state, returning by way of Denver, Colo- out of the state. While the wedrado Springs and Manitou. Their ding was kept very quiet, a numitinerary may also include a side trip to Glenwood Springs, on the opposite side of the Rockies.

Ladies' Belts.

We have purchased a drummer's samples of ladies' belts. You will find no two alike, consequently you will have one hundred or more patterns to select from in all colors. These belts sell for 50c, 75c and \$1.00; our price as long as they last 25c and 50c. Call and see them at

DANIEL & BURTON'S. Stray Yearling.

remove moles and warts without turned across its left side with and was well received by his audi-

Miss Pauline Bromberg gave a parcel shower Saturday afternoon him. The audience was made up for Miss Georgia Satterwhite, whose coming marriage to Mr. E. last week from Mineral Wells and T. Ozier of Chicago has been an the county. nounced. It was one of the nicest ante-nuptial affairs witnessed in Crockett in some time. Many useful and handsome gifts were ten-Wm. Loughrey of Hartwick, dered the coming bride and their acceptance was graciously achas the southern fever again and knowledged by the fair recipient.

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Railroad Wants Crossties.

The I. & G. N. Railroad Co. will pay forty-five cents per tie for first-class white oak and post oak crossties and thirty cents for Farmers who grew their own culls, made in accordance with our specifications, after June 27. this not to include ties already made, but to include ties made from now on.

Call on agent for specifications. L. Trice.

The Farmers' Union picnic at Latexo Tuesday was well attended and a good time was had. The Union held sessions at Latexo two days (Monday and Tuesday), and Tuesday was the day for speaking bers of the Union for miles around came with their families and lunches. At dinner time the lunches were spread and a general invitation extended to all. The crowd with relatives and friends, left for was well fed, no one on the ground the Canal Zone Friday. He has failing to receive a personal inviheld a position with the Panama tation to eat. The editor was canal commission since leaving his there and came away feeling as if he would weigh forty pounds more than when he went.

Mr. E. T. Ozier and Miss Georgia Satterwhite were very the Texas Southeastern. They will quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Satterwhite, Tuesday evenwas performed by Rev. W. S. Col. and Mrs. Earl Adams left Roney of the Baptist church. Only will include different points in and ber of their friends assembled at the station to bid them godspeed on their journey through life. Congratulations and best wishes were showered on them, also a

large quantity of rice.

Mr. E. A. Calvin, state lecturer for the Farmers' Union, made a talk at the court house Monday night, as was previously advertised. Mr. Calvin arrived on the afternoon train from the north and was taken in charge by Messrs. J. D. Hill and J. R. Howard, who introduced him to our citizens. Mr. Calvin was entertained at sup-Mr. D. C. Poe, living five miles per by Mr. Howard. At 8:30 he north of Crockett, reports a stray began his talk at the court house, yearling running with his cattle. after an introduction by Judge W. He says its color is white and yel- B. Wall. Mr. Calvin is a splenlow pided and its brand a long X did speaker, has a pleasing address bar underneath. It has no marks, ence. He was heartily encored at Owner can get same by calling on intervals and it was evident that Mr. Poe, proving up his property his audience was thoroughly in and paying for this advertisement. sympathy with his remarks. THE Courier regrets that more of our business men were not out to hear largely of farmers, some of whom came from the remotest parts of

> Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him \$100.

"In 1902 I had a very severe attack of diarrhoea," says R. N. Farrar of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March 18, 1907, 1 had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Texas, says: "His daughter had Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me chilis and fever for three years; prompt relief. I consider it one he could not find anything that of the best medicines of its kind in it is to get a competent physician would help her till he used Her- the world, and had I used it in to write them. If you want the bine. His wife will not keep 1902 believe it would have saved best results, bring us your pre- house without it." 50c. Sold by me a hundred dollar's bill." Sold 50c. Sold by me a hundred dollar's bill." by Murchison & Beasley.

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WOMEN WORSE THAN MEN.

Say, brother, never by word, sign or insinuation malign the character of a girl or woman. No matter how pure or sweet a woman may be, the meanest scoundrel on tarnish her fair name and forever cloud her life by a suggestion or insinuation. The meanest man on earth is he who would resort to such a damnable thing.—Ladonia

That is all very true, but your remarks should not have been addressed to your brother alone. Your sister should have been included. It is a fact that has always been past my understanding that the most dangerous enemy to a woman's character is another woman's tongue. Men are bad enough, but they are not so bad as women in this respect. It is the exception when a man speaks slightly of a woman's name, but it is the exception when a women will not do it. As a rule, when a man says anything that casts a shadow on the chastity of a wo- trial. Formerly those out under ground for over a week without reman, he knows what he is talking bond were required to remain in about. A woman speaks of what custody of the sheriff or go to jail she suspects, or hints at what is during trial. The new law bepossible, and makes her language came effective on July the 12th. as hurtful in suggestiveness as a direct charge. It seems that one woman would have sympathy for another woman, even if she knew Myers introduced the orator of Chamberlain's Salve has done for her sister were weak. But not so. the day, Congressman A. W. me that I feel bound to write and Men forgive woman any sin, but women never forgive the slightest indescretion in one another and, furthermore, they never permit it to be forgotten.

I heard a woman just the other day speak of the girlish prank of the Confederacy's position in the chison & Beasley. one who is now the mother of a family of sons and daughters and that held up the Constitution and who has lived a model life for years, but the incident was spoken of in a way that left little doubt in the mind of the hearer that the good woman had once fallen very low. The truth is that there, was ly called "The War of the Rebell nothing wrong in the act spoken ion," and had at the last congress of, save that it had given ground been officially denominated as for a suspicion, originated in another woman's heart and had been spoken by her lips, and had lived should be of the part her soldiers to throw a shadow over an innocent life.

so tender (?) that they cannot bear to see a worm dangling from a hook, and who shudder at the thought of a wounded bird, but who will deliberately stab a sister woman with words that cut and Jackson and other heroes were kill-words that bring more agony to suffering hearts than if they demned. He compared the feats were blades of steel thrust into of Southern arms with those of the vitals. They know no pity other nations, and declared the when their victims writhe under men who followed the stars and the torture, but they seem to think that they have done a right- their bravery. eous deed.

Oh, the pity that it is true! Ob, the shame that we will tolerate women who make it their pleasure to tell their suspicions; to recite, with nod and wink, the "things they have heard" concerning another. They are more ed around to shake his hand and dangeous than vipers, more de- congratulate him. spicable than those thieves who steal our purses, and are worse at heart than the weakest of their

Yes, when it comes to the meanest, and lowest, and most despicable character of slander of a woman's good name the kind that ing proof of what it does. All surmises, and suspects, and damns we ask of you is to get a trial with spoken doubt and half on- bottle. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. sealed truth, women can carry off Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

the palm. I hate such characters as I hate the devil, whose children they are. I had rather live in a den of snakes than to be associated with them, and I think the poor nameless girls who fill the dens of infamy are spotless characters compared to the woman who will blight the life and kill the soul of her innocent sister with words of venom and of shame. - Bonham

the greatest population per square held in the state. The board is mile of any other section of the composed of some twenty-five of country. The figures are slightly the leading educators of the state. more than 3,839. In Alaska there is only one person per ten square tant commission. This is a comearth can damage her character, miles. Rhode Island is second to pliment to Palestine and to Sup-Washington with 407 persons per erintendent King, and one of square mile.

> The first arrest under the jimcrow law, in Fort Worth, was made on Friday, the day the law became effective. The party was a white man who refused to vacate a car assigned to negroes. The case will be tried in the county

> Jimmie Green and Henry Heyn, both of Marshall, have invented a process for making soft peanut candy. They have been awarded a right was the first ever sent to Washington for making candy.

> A new law provides that prisoners may be released on bail during

From Gregg's Palestine Speech.

Abogt 11 o'clock Mr. Harry Gregg, who made one of the finest Mytton, 457 John St., Hamilton, speeches that ever Southerners Ontario. "My little daughter had the pleasure of listening to. had a bad burn on her knee. I Mr. Gregg's whole address was a magnificent tribate to the South and her noble sons. He defended instantly. It is for sale by Murwar, and declared it was the South tried to keep it inviolate; that her course had been grossly misrepresented in Northern histories, and that the the conflict between the blue and the gray was wrong-"The Civil War." He told how proud the South and her children and statesmen played in that mighty struggle, and quoting from I know women whose hearts are prominent Northern public men of the last generation and the present, showed the change of sentiment which has taken place, and how our beloved Jefferson Davis, Robert E. Lee, Stonewall now being praised instead of conbars to have been unequaled in

> When he concluded with a splendid and eloquent appreciation of the lovely, patient, unselfish, devoted women who stood by the soldier boys in gray, and who continued to bless them with their smiles, he was geeted with great applause, and the Veterans crowd-

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Prof. Walker King, superintendent of the Palestine schools, has received notice of his appointment as president of the Summer Normal Board of Examiners, which board will meet in Austin on July 23rd, to pass on the papers The District of Columbia has of the various summer normals and the presidency is an imporwhich the Herald feels very proud.

BOLL WEEVIL EXPERIMENT.

Turpentine Makes the Bugs Leave the Cotton,

Alexandria, La., July 11.-News has been received of an experiment with turpentine which has apparently driven the boll weevil from the cotton fields about Coushatta, La. An oat sack is dipped in a solution of three parts water to one of turpentine. This sack patent and the application for the is attached to a plow by suspending it on a pole to the plow handles near the beams. The sack is then dragged through the cotton field. The scent of turpentine on the newal has driven weevils and other bugs away. About one gallon of turpentine was used to every four acres.

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