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RAILROAD SURVEYORS HERE.

Line for State Road from Rusk to Crockett and Thence to Huntsville.

Mr. J. T. Dawes, postmaster at Crockett, received notice Tuesday to hold mail for a party of ten men who are running a survey for the state road from Rusk to Crockett. Before this item of news reaches CROCKETT readers the surveyors will likely have reached Crockett. Of course at this time nothing is known as to what their report will be. Our citizens should, and doubtless will, lend them every assistance in finding the most accessible route into and through the city, and also point out to them the advantages of building the road to Crockett, at the same time ascertaining what the road expects of the town and county. The CROCKETT pointed out last week an easy entrance into and through the eastern and southern parts of the town and a probable connection with the I. & G. N. near the cotton warehouse. The surveyors will not be as familiar with these advantages as are our people, and no pains should be spared to give them all possible information. The surveyors will find the latchstring to Crockett's door hanging on the outside, and they are invited to walk right in and help themselves to anything they see and want and to ask for anything they want and do not see.

Diarrhoea Cured.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zirkle, of Philippi, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Philippi Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for eighteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer. He is now sound and well, and although sixty years old, can do as much work as a young man." Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

Chronic Diarrhoea Relieved

Mr. Edward E. Henry, with the United States Express Co., Chicago writes: "Our General Superintendent, Mr. Quick, handed me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy some time ago to check an attack of the old chronic diarrhoea. I have used it since that time and cured many on our trains who have been sick. I am an old soldier who served with Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley four years in the 23rd Ohio Regiment, and have no ailment except chronic diarrhoea, which this remedy stops at once." For sale by Murchison & Beasley.

Don't be Blue

and lose all interest when help is within reach. Herbine will make that liver perform its duties properly. J. B. Vaughn, Elba, Ala., writes: "Being a constant sufferer from constipation and a disordered liver, I have found Herbine to be the best medicine, for these troubles, on the market. I have used it constantly. I believe it to be the best medicine of its kind, and I wish all sufferers from these troubles to know the good Herbine has done me." Sold by Murchison & Beasley.

CARLEN BYRD A HERO.

Little Jessie Jackson, Ten Years Old, Falls Into Well and is Rescued Uninjured.

Carlen Byrd of Weches was in Crockett Monday and reported to the CROCKETT an incident that happened at Weches Sunday afternoon at about 1 o'clock in which a little 10-year-old girl, named Jessie Jackson, had a narrow escape from death in a well. The little girl was drawing a bucket of water when she lost her balance and fell headlong into the well, sixty feet deep. Displaying wonderful presence of mind, she held to the rope and bucket and kept her head out of the water, which was four or five feet deep. Carlen Byrd, 18 years of age, was let down into the well by the use of ropes and succeeded in rescuing the little girl from her perilous position. They were both drawn up by strong hands and, to the agreeable surprise of all, the little girl was found uninjured. The incident happened at the home of J. B. Womack. Jessie Jackson is a step-daughter of Mr. John Clanton. Carlen Byrd related the incident with becoming modesty and requested that the CROCKETT not put him down as a hero.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Lee Warren, J. D. McIver and wife, Jennie McIver, John F. Butts and wife, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde and wife, Mary S. McBryde, Chauncey Stone, the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren dec'd and the unknown heirs of John McIver dec'd by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 3rd judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the 1st Monday in October, 1907, the same being the 7th day of October, 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 27th day of July, 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5057, wherein W. B. Cochran is plaintiff, and Lee Warren, J. D. McIver and wife, Jennie McIver, John F. Butts and wife, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde and wife, Mary S. McBryde, Chauncey Stone, the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren deceased and the unknown heirs of John McIver deceased are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple claiming same by chain of title from the sovereignty of the soil, and by the three, five and ten years Statutes of limitation of the following described property to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, and being part of the John Durst grant of three leagues and eighteen labors, about 24 miles southwest from the town of Crockett near Trinity river and described by field notes as follows; beginning at the corner "Little Pasture." Thence north 36 east 940 varas to east corner of said tract. Thence north 33 east 510 varas to a stake a red haw 5 in brs S 77 W 5 2-5 vrs another

brs North 48 east 6 varas. Thence north 79 east 693 varas a stake. Thence north 84 east 313 varas to a stake, thence south 50 east 627 varas to a pin oak 30 in for corner mkd X whence another pin oak 16 in brs N 31 E 2 3-5 varas an elm 10 in brs S 84 E 16 varas. Thence north 42 east 26 varas to a pin oak 12 in on the bank of Rackard creek, thence down said creek with its meanders as follows: S 48 E 180 yds S 47 E 197 vrs. S 23 E 253 vrs to a stake a pin oak 7 in brs S 41 E 10 2-5 vrs a burr oak 18 in brs 5 2-5 vrs. Thence south 52 west 1524 vrs intersecting N E line of J. Douglass land at a stake, a locust tree 10 in brs S 87 E 4 2-5 vrs; thence north 73 west 1600 vrs to the place of beginning containing 522 1/2 acres of land.

That the defendants assert some title to said land which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land removing all clouds therefrom substituting all missing instruments and quieting his title to same.

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

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

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at its office in Crockett, Texas, this the 27th day of July, 1907.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, District Court, Houston County.

ADAMS & ADAMS,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Jose Miguel Musquez deceased and the unknown heirs of B. F. Wood deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 3rd judicial district; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the 1st Monday in October, 1907, the same being the 7th day of October, 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court on the 26th day of July, 1907, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5056, wherein F. H. Peters, H. J. Arledge, John LeGory, J. R. Sheridan and Tom D. Clark are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Jose Miguel Musquez, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Benjamin F. Wood, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of the hereinafter described tract of land, the said F. H. Peters, H. J. Arledge, John LeGory and J. R. Sheridan being owners of an undivided one-half interest in same and the said Tom D. Clark being the owner of an undivided one-half interest in same of the following described tract or parcel of land, to-wit: 813 1/2 acres of land the same being a part of the Archibald Henric league and labor situated in Houston county, about 19 miles S 58 W from Crockett, and described as follows; beginning at S W corner of lot No. 6, out of said league and labor on the east bank of Trinity river a pecan 30 in brs N 65 W 4 vrs a hackberry brs N 12 E 1 1/2 vrs. Thence south 75 east 1719 varas to a cor-

ner on the east boundary line of league stake in prairie. Thence S 15 west with east boundary line of said league at 1150 varas to stake in prairie on John Durst N W boundary line. Thence with Durst line south 55 west 1870 vrs to the east corner of John Box survey a pecan bears N 70 W 12 vrs. Thence north 35 west with Box line 1344 vrs to his north corner an ash bears south six varas marked H. Thence with Box line south 55 west 103 varas on north bank of Blue Lake two ash trees mkd X for corner. Thence north 35 west 1007 varas corner on Trinity river two elms mkd X for corner thence up the river as follows S 75 E 56 vrs N 60 E 600 vrs N 15 E 400 vrs N 60 E 516 vrs the place of beginning, bearings marked X D & B.

That plaintiffs claim title to said land under the three, five and ten years Statutes of limitation and specially plead the same. That plaintiffs also claim title to said land under and by virtue of duly registered deeds which are all set out in plaintiffs petition. Plaintiffs allege that the State of Coahuila and Texas granted to Jose Miguel Musquez eleven leagues of land and afterward the State of Texas issued a patent to Benjamin F. Wood assignee of Archibald Henric for one league and labor of land which said patent was laid over said Jose Miguel Musquez eleven league grant which casts a cloud on plaintiffs title.

Plaintiffs further allege that there is no direct conveyance out of the said Benjamin F. Wood or his heirs to the tract of land claimed by them which casts a cloud upon their title.

Plaintiffs pray judgment for said land removing all clouds therefrom substituting all missing deeds or other instruments and quieting their title to same.

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

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 26th day of July, 1907.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, District Court, Houston County.

ADAMS & ADAMS,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of John Leach, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Louis Vest, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Elizabeth Vest, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of W. A. H. Miller, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of T. A. Miller, deceased, whose names are unknown, Louis Vest, Elizabeth Vest, W. A. H. Miller, T. A. Miller, and Arthur Henry to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be held at the court house thereof, in the city of Crockett, on the first Monday in October, 1907, being the 7th day of October, 1907, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 27th day of July, 1907, in a cause numbered 5058, on the docket of said court, wherein James Monroe, Jno C. Monroe, A. T. Monroe, Jr., J. A. Monroe, Sarah J. Holmes, W. S. Dupree, J. J. Settegast, Avery Dickey, Sarah Allee, John Allee, Walter R. Henry, Lou Dickey, who sues for herself and as next friend for her minor children, Maud Dickey, Jesse Dickey, Claudy Dickey, Douglass Dickey and Bette Dickey, are plaintiffs and the unknown heirs of John Leach,

deceased, the unknown heirs of Louis Vest, deceased, the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Vest, deceased, the unknown heirs of W. A. H. Miller, deceased, the unknown heirs of T. A. Miller, deceased, Louis Vest, Elizabeth Vest, W. A. H. Miller, T. A. Miller, Charles A. Keenan, Claudia K. Scott, Carrie Keenan, Rachel Keenan, Mrs. Helen Coryell, Robert G. Coryell, Douglass Keenan, and Arthur Henry are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on the 1st day of January, 1907, plaintiffs were the owners in fee simple and were in the quiet and peaceable possession of the following described tract or parcel of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about 15 miles S 85 E from Crockett, being the John Leach 320 acres survey, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of a survey in the name of John Dickerson, a stake from which a pine bears N 41 W 3 2-10 varas. Thence north at 1275 varas a stake from which a pine bears N 36 W 3 4-10 varas, another pine brs S 37 E 7 vrs. Thence west at 68 vrs., pass the S E corner of the John Appleman survey with same line passing the S W corner of same, at 1416 3-10 varas, corner from which a red oak brs N 34 W 3 vrs., a hickory brs S 8 E 5 varas. Thence south at 1275 varas corner on a survey made for S. Mass from which a Red oak brs N 28 W 7 varas, a pine brs N 24 W 2 varas. Thence east at 1416 varas to the place of beginning.

That on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants entered upon the said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and have unlawfully withheld the possession thereof from plaintiffs and continue to unlawfully withhold the possession of same from plaintiffs to their damage in the sum of one thousand dollars.

That plaintiffs, except plaintiff J. J. Settegast, are the legal heirs of Jacob Allbright, deceased, and that said J. J. Settegast claims an interest in the said land by purchase from G. K. Cessna, one of the heirs of the said Jacob Allbright, deceased, that the said Jacob Allbright was the owner of land certificate No. 320 issued to John Leach by the Board of Land Commissioners of Houston county, on the 14th day of March, 1846, under and by virtue of which the above described land was surveyed, located and patented, by purchase from the said John Leach, and the written transfer of title to same from said John Leach to said Jacob Allbright, being lost or destroyed, plaintiffs will offer secondary evidence of such transfer on the trial of this cause. That John Leach, Louis Vest, Elizabeth Vest, W. A. H. Miller and T. A. Miller are dead; that defendants Rachel Keenan, Carrie Keenan, Ella Keenan, and Douglass Keenan are minors under the age of 21 years.

You are further commanded that you serve this Citation by publishing the same in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said county then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the 1st day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the said court, in the city of Crockett, this the 27th day of July, A. D. 1907.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk, District Court, Houston County, Texas.

MAN IN HIS HOME

MR. GRISTLETON PHILOSOPHIZES ON SUBJECT.

Thinks There Are Few Who Are Sweet Abroad and Sour When in the Bosom of Their Family.

"You know," said Mr. Gristleton, "when I hear it said of a man that he's good as pie to everybody else, but you ought to see how he treats his folks, I don't set it down right away that the man so described must be necessarily a brute or a sneak. You see, if he is going to show peevishness anywhere, home is the proper place for it, there it can do his family and himself the least harm. It is essential to his success in life that he should put up a good front and show a smiling face to the world.

"As a matter of fact the terms are contradictory, for a man can scarcely be permanently ill tempered at home and yet present even a veneer of grace sufficient to deceive abroad. A man is likely to reveal himself at all times for what he really is; to be, in the main, either good or bad everywhere; but if he have a streak of weakness in him, why, that I would prefer he should keep for home, and so, I think would his family.

"They want him to make a good impression in the world, to appear everywhere to advantage, and they are ready to put up with his shortcomings, to make allowances, and after all they don't have to make so many, and they know his ways and they can charm away his crossness easily enough.

"The truth is that while there may be men who are saints abroad and savages at home there are not many such; most men are pretty decent, and these stories we hear about men who are so good to other people and so mean to their own are likely to be without any real foundation or greatly exaggerated or born out of a chance disclosure.

"Jones' family, for instance, know him for what he is, a strong, vigorous, able man who keeps his temper and behaves himself admirably in the world, though there he has much to contend with; and they are willing, more than willing, that he should forget his troubles and even lose his temper occasionally at home if he wants to. It gives them an opportunity to soothe and comfort him and be good to him and strengthen him. They not only don't mind, but they really like him to be natural and human; they are not disturbed because he has some failings like the rest of us, and they know he'll be serene and strong again in a minute.

"So I take little stock in the stories we hear occasionally of this man or that who is said to be good as pie to strangers but a sour chap with his own. You can set it down for a fact that the man who has the strength and courage and self-control to bear himself like a man abroad through the day is, as a rule, and despite any transient pettinesses that he may there reveal, pretty sure to be a man whom they are right glad to see at night at home."

Welford's Deduction.

Dallas Welford, in an interview just previous to his sailing to spend his vacation at home, was asked: "What makes a comedian?" With an expression that was a cross between pity and annoyance Mr. Welford answered: "Comedians are born, not made; if they were made there would be no unfunny comedians." Which goes to show that aside from being a comedian Mr. Welford is a good imitation philosopher.

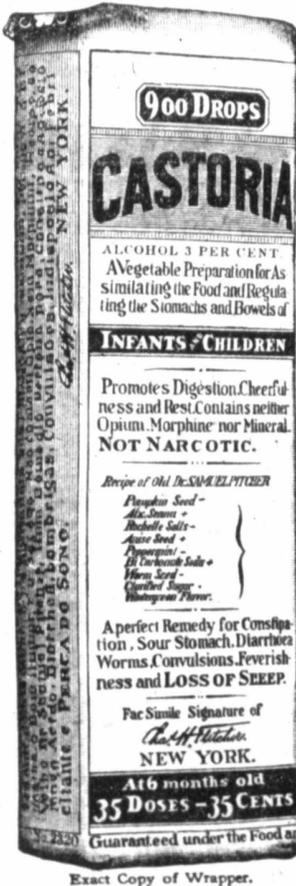
Edward B. Moore, assistant commissioner of patents, was a page in the United States senate when he was a boy. He is a former newspaper man of Washington, D. C.

Betrayed by Clumsiness.

"We have to constantly keep on the lookout for people who, in order to get trade prices, pretend to be in the business," said the head of one of the New York wholesale wall paper houses. "They are not always easy to detect, either, for some are pretty well posted on the subject, and are hard to trip up. But I caught one the other day. He claimed to be a paper hanger from the west and he wanted something 'bang up' in style, at trade prices. He talked so knowingly about wall paper, that I had about made up my mind to give him the discount when a little thing happened that put me wise. He attempted to roll up again some paper he had spread out on the floor to examine. The way he did it was a revelation. He took hold of it and maulled it about as if he were kneading bread. I never saw anything less like the professional way of doing it. I gave him the discount, all right, but up instead of down."

Right Turned to Wrong.

Spanish proverb: Right overstrained turns to wrong.



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I was agreeably surprised at the quality of the soil on this ranch. It was much better than I expected to see, and I consider it a most favorable opportunity for a poor man to get a good home. The soil is what I would call dark and red chocolate loam, with occasionally a little sand, which I consider a benefit in some respects, rather than a hindrance.

I have been engaged in farming and ranching about all my life, and have had much experience in raising alfalfa in Kansas and Oklahoma, in my mind there is no question but that the black land on your ranch is especially adapted to the successful growing of alfalfa, which I consider the most valuable farm crop that any farmer can raise. While in San Antonio, I saw fresh alfalfa hay on the wagon, and it was selling for \$17.00 per ton, loose hay. With the long seasons you have in Texas, and proper irrigation, you should get at least seven or eight cuttings of alfalfa a year of this land, and there ought to be a yield of at least a ton to the cutting.

I saw the large artesian well at the Headquarters ranch, and I must say it is the finest artesian well I ever saw, and is fully up to your representations in every respect.

If the land is underlaid with artesian water, as I am satisfied it is, I do not see why alfalfa and all other crops grown upon that land cannot be made a success.

I consider that you are giving the people a great opportunity to secure cheap homes.

As far as I have seen, I am perfectly free to say that you have represented your property fairly, and that the description you give of it in your literature is not overdrawn.

If you desire it, you have my permission to refer any persons inquiring about this land to me, and I will be very glad to answer any inquiries made of me with reference to it.

I appreciate the kindness extended to me while on the ranch. With best wishes, I remain, Yours very truly, C. E. HULLT.

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Minds of Lower Animals.

Evidence of a mind in all animals, even the lowest, is found by F. W. Headley. The amoeba exercises the power of choice when it eats, and the tree-like colony of one-celled infusorians, called zoothamnium, after a time ceases to be agitated by jars repeated at intervals, showing that it must remember that a jar is harmless.

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I had Catarrh for about fifteen years, and no man could have been worse. I tried everything I could hear of, but no good resulted. I then began S. S. S., and could see a little improvement from the first bottle, and after taking it a short while was cured. This was six years ago, and I am as well today as any man. I think Catarrh is a blood disease, and know there is nothing on earth better for the blood than S. S. S. Nobody thinks more of S. S. S. than I do. M. WATSON. LaPeer, Mich.

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affected by this disease. It is a waste of time to try to cure Catarrh with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc. Such treatment does not reach the blood, and can, therefore, do nothing more than temporarily relieve the discomfort of the trouble. To cure Catarrh permanently the blood must be thoroughly purified and the system cleansed of all poisons, and at the same time strengthened and built up. Nothing equals S. S. S. for this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrhal poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, fresh and healthy. Then the inflamed membranes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease, every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as a fine tonic to the entire system. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin the use of S. S. S. and write us a statement of your case and our physicians will send you literature about Catarrh, and give you special medical advice without charge. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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THE CROCKETT COURIER

W. W. AIKEN, Ed. and Proprietor.
CROCKETT, TEXAS.

The baker's supply of bread depends upon how much he kneads.

At Rheims, France, portable bathtubs filled with hot water are delivered to order.

Mr. Roosevelt uses strong language, but he never swears, although he is a writer and maker of profane history.

King Alfonso, who has taken to golf, may have considerable trouble in keeping his caddy coned into the belief that Alf is hanging on to his job by divine favor.

Surely the era of kindness and compassion, if not the actual millennium, has arrived when the automobilist veritably stops to pick up his victim and carry it to a hospital.

Green apples give the small boy cholera morbus, and we have sometimes seen an editor afflicted with a painful touch of mental cramps from eating the sour fruit of wisdom.

One more largest Atlantic liner has been ordered. It is to be a steamer of 50,000 tons. Presumably it will have on board a scenic railway and a traveling circus among its attractions for passengers.

With some men education is a process, as the word indicates. With others it is an event. A New Jersey janitor undertook to wipe windows with a United States flag. When the police drove away the mob the janitor had been educated, but it had taken only a few minutes.

It has been agreed between the governments of Canada and of the United States that the owners of all buildings on the boundary-line must decide in which country they shall live, and must move the whole building accordingly. The purpose of this agreement is to reduce the smuggling evil and otherwise to put an end to lawlessness on the border.

Philadelphia capitalists are planning to erect a \$1,500,000 hotel in Yokohama, Japan, from plans designed by Philadelphia architects. It is to be eight stories in height, will contain about 400 bedrooms and suites and many baths, with a garden courtyard in the center. It is to be called the Grand hotel, and appears to be wholly an American investment.

It is estimated by the national treasury authorities that not less than \$350,000,000 of the new ten dollar gold certificates will be needed to satisfy the public demand for smaller bills. However, it is not at all likely that any creditor will object to having that little account settled with plain, ordinary greenbacks, or "kick" even at "cartwheel" silver dollars.

One of the newspapers of Peking, China, has lately celebrated the five hundredth anniversary of its establishment. During its long period of publication the editorial staff has several times been beheaded, either in front of the office or in it, for printing news which displeased the court. The expression, "he has severed his connection" may be Chinese newspaper English.

A great deal has been said about the facility of the Japanese in adopting and adapting western methods. Even our language appears to gain something from their use of it. It is told of one of Gen. Kuroki's party that when his opinion of America was asked, he replied: "Your country is full of remarkable things, but I find the weather curseworthy." Two noteworthy new words in a single breath!

The sultan of Turkey has just become father to his thirteenth living child, a baby daughter. The eldest child of the sultan is Prince Selim, who is 37 years old. He is in disgrace, and does not rank as the heir apparent. The sultan, in order to reduce the number of pretenders to the throne, has established the practice of marrying his daughters to persons of little consequence, from whom no political dangers need be feared. He is genuinely fond of one daughter, the beautiful 26-year-old Princess Ayishe, born of a Circassian mother. She has received a European education.

Oysters in their native waters are wild animals. So the attorney general of New York lately informed an assessor who asked him whether he should assess oyster-beds as real or personal property. When oysters are artificially planted, according to this legal opinion, they become "domesticated, tame, or garden oysters," and as such are personal property. Although the attorney general does not interpret the law concerning satisfy, or oyster-plant, it is probable that the assessor would hold that this also, when planted, is personal property. It certainly would be when cooked and

COTTON GIN FIGURES.

CENSUS BUREAU WILL ISSUE TEN REPORTS.

TO LESSEN THE SPECULATION

Results Will Be Published at 10 A. M. European Markets Can Use Them the Same Day.

Washington, D. C.: The Census Bureau has perfected its arrangements for collecting cotton ginning statistics covering the cotton crop of 1907-08. There will be ten reports, the first appearing Sept. 8 and the last March 20. The intermediate dates of publication will be Oct. 2, Oct. 25, Nov. 8, Nov. 21, Dec. 5, Dec. 20, Jan. 9, and Jan. 23. In each instance, except in that of the March report, the statement will represent the condition of the crop about a week before the date of publication, the agents will be given six days in which to visit the ginners and secure the returns. Summaries of these will be wired to the bureau on the last day of the canvass. On the day following the close of the canvass, these telegraphic summaries will be added and the results will be given to the public. The reports will be printed and mailed within twenty-four hours after publication to all ginners and to others interested.

Last season these reports were published at 2 p. m. on the day following the close of the canvass, but this season the bureau will endeavor to publish the results at 10 a. m. The publication at this hour will permit the results to reach Europe within trading hours on the day that they are published in America. This is in line with the earnest request of European spinners of American cotton, and it is believed by enabling them to trade in their markets on the day of the report of the fluctuation in the price of cotton and the results of speculation of products on these occasions will be reduced. Between the hours of 6 a. m. when the agents complete their canvass and make their county summaries for telegraphing, and 10 o'clock in the morning, when the reports are published in Washington, no business is transacted on cotton exchanges in this country, and hence under this system Director North says there can be no improper use of the information. Two of the publication dates, Sept. 8 and Dec. 8, fall on Sunday, and Director North stated Friday that these two dates would be changed.

NEGRO ELECTROCUTED.

Hoisting Cable on Which Johnson Was Working Touched Live Wire.

Houston, Tex.: Oscar Johnson, a colored man who resided in the First ward, was instantly killed Thursday afternoon by a shock from an electric wire. He and several other colored workmen were engaged in working a crane that lifts heavy iron girders in place at the new Y. M. C. A. building. This hoisting machine is worked by electricity, and in some manner the cable came in contact with a live wire on Fannin street, making a circuit with the machine itself, which sent 2,300 volts through the body of Johnson.

He was electrocuted instantly, and never knew what touched him. Several other men standing near were stricken to the ground, but received no serious injury. Johnson was on a platform, from which he fell when shocked, striking a white man in his descent, but who was in no way injured.

The colored men who were assisting Johnson and who were slightly affected by the shock are George Roger, Joe Mitchell, Ben Blackwell, C. King and Jordan Caldwell.

The body of the dead man was taken in charge by Sid Westheimer. He came here recently from Brazoria county and his relatives there will be notified of his death.

Laredo Thinks It Has Artesian Well. Laredo, Tex.: A fine well of water has been found on top of a hill in Laredo at the depth of sixteen feet. As the bottom of this well is over a hundred feet above the level of the city proper, it is thought it indicates an artesian flow may be had here.

Marlin, Tex.: In the case of W. W. Holloway, charged with the murder of Robert Goolsby, near Rosebud in 1901, was acquitted by a jury in the District Court Thursday. This was the fourth trial of the case.

Good Rain in Longview Section. Longview, Tex.: A full season of rain fell this evening, and from reports the rain reached all over this county and some adjoining counties and did great good to corn and cotton crops.

CONGRESS HAS ADJOURNED.

TENTH ANNUAL SESSION TEXAS FARMERS CLOSED.

Those in Attendance Have Gained Much That is Practical From the Talks, Lectures, Addresses.

College, Tex.: The work of the tenth annual session of the Texas Farmers' Congress was concluded Thursday. The fruits of the session as bearing upon industrial enterprise and progress have been valuable. Those who have paid close and strict attention to the many useful and practical demonstrations and the able talks, lectures and addresses upon the various subjects considered and discussed as based upon actual knowledge and personal experiences, have doubtless returned to their respective homes with a more extensive store of useful information than they possessed when they came. Those who have not gained benefits from their attendance here can attribute the failure to the fact that they did not utilize the multitude of opportunities presented to them. That the Farmers' Congress is a great industrial school is a fact that will not be gainsaid by anyone who is familiar with its workings.

When morning dawned on this, the last day of the session, about three-fourths of the visitors and attendants had departed for their several homes, but notwithstanding that fact there were enough still remaining to carry on and conduct some of the most interesting and instructive demonstrations and proceedings of the session. It is safe to say that the "one cent a mile rate" and the withdrawal of "free passes" have eliminated from the congress a very large per cent of "political farmers," and the institution today is on a more solid foundation and in better shape than at any time since its organization.

Farmers' Congress Executive Committee.

- State Horticultural Society—E. W. Kirkpatrick, McKinney.
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- Texas Farmers' Boys and Girls League—Rice Dennis, Milano.
- Texas Woman's Industrial Association—Mrs. Rebecca H. Hayes, Galveston.
- Texas Division Southern Cotton Association—James Garrett, Corsicana.
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- Texas Nut Growers' Association—C. Falkner, Waco.
- Texas Seed Breeders' Association—A. Saunders, Waco.
- Texas Rice Growers' Association—E. G. Cloop, Matagorda.

Stabler Made Bond.

Bryan, Tex.: News has been received from Mal Stabler Jr., who was taken from this county to Monroe, Ala., to answer a charge of grand larceny of twelve years' standing, that Stabler made bond on his arrival there, and will return to his home in this county to await his trial, which takes place in October. The bond was \$250.

Yoakum's First Bale.

Yoakum, Tex.: Yoakum's first bale of cotton was sold to Roos Brothers for 13c Friday morning by Antone Hollub, who resides about five miles south of town. The bale weighed 522 pounds and was ginned by the Shiner Gin and Mill Company of this city. A premium of about \$50 was also gotten up.

No Passes for Surgeons.

Hallettsville, Tex.: Local surgeons of the railroad company have received notice to discontinue the use of their passes until further notice. This is in compliance with the opinion of the attorney general rendered some time ago.

Brick Company Amended Charter.

Austin, Tex.: The Green & Hunter Brick Company of Fort Worth filed an amendment to its charter Tuesday changing its place of business to Erath county and changing its name to the Thurber Brick Company.

Held in \$1,000 Bond.

Bryan, Tex.: Tobe Brooks, colored, charged with the killing of his brother-in-law, Jim Bryant, near Wellborn, a few nights since, had an examining trial here this morning before Justice L. D. McGee and was allowed bond in the sum of \$1,000.

Gonzales' Second Bale.

Gonzales, Tex.: Mr. Lane of Bebe, brought in a bale of cotton Friday, which makes Gonzales' second bale. Mr. Julius Mercer recently sold to Mr. E. W. Copeland 66 acres of land near Wrightboro for \$1,050.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

AN EPITOME OF THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

NORTH, EAST, WEST, SOUTH

A Carefully Digested and Condensed Compilation of Current News Domestic and Foreign.

Investigation by the federal government shows that the number of men held in peonage in the South is appalling; renewed efforts will be made to crush evil.

Anti-prohibition members of the Georgia house, though few in number, by filibustering keep bill from coming to vote and may defeat it.

Rich New York Armenians get letters saying they will share the fate of the murdered Tavshanjian.

Police Commissioner Fingham of New York says his department is powerless to protect the city from the horde of criminals preying upon it.

Love letters written by John Warner to Isabella Robinson before their marriage are brought into the famous case at Clinton, Ill.

Wisconsin bankers plan to put a check on "shaky" borrowers by regularly auditing affairs of firms.

Impeachment proceedings in Congress against Federal Judge Peter C. Pritchard are rumored because of his decision in the North Carolina railway rates' case.

Accused of tearing down a United States flag and then trampling upon it, James Grant, a British subject at Birch, was sentenced to serve thirty days in jail and pay a fine of \$10.

The father of Prof. Karl Hau, who has been sentenced to death for the murder of his wife's mother, Frau Mollitor, suffered a stroke of apoplexy and lies in a critical condition.

Henry A. Hutchins of Illinois was appointed a special agent of the Indian bureau to aid in the suppression of the liquor traffic among the Indians.

Vesplan Warner, commissioner of pensions, alleges that his stepmother is of negro blood, and that his father was deceived in marrying her, in the will contest at Clinton, Ill., over the Warner estate of nearly \$2,000,000.

Gov. Glenn of North Carolina, in appealing to the United States supreme court, declares he will keep on enforcing the state law for lower railroad fares, notwithstanding injunction of federal court.

Col. William S. Hays, the veteran river editor of the Louisville Courier Journal, song writer and poet, died at his home here of vertigo, caused by a stroke of paralysis suffered in the Iroquois theater fire in Chicago. He was 70 years old.

Conductor Hamilton, in charge of the freight train which collided with a Pere Marquette excursion train, costing more than 30 lives, in a formal statement issued through the company's legal department, accepts responsibility for the wreck.

Rev. Dr. C. F. Aked, pastor of John D. Rockefeller's church in New York, says in an address at Chautauqua, N. Y., that most of England's economic and religious progress comes from America.

Order of Railroad Telegraphers puts a ban on teaching boys telegraphy.

The work of piercing the five-and-a-half-mile tunnel through the Tauern mountains, in Tyrol, has just been completed. The work has occupied six years, and the last important work in the completion of the Alpine railways.

Karl Hau, a brilliant young law professor of Washington, D. C., was condemned to death after a five days' trial for the murder of his wife's mother, Frau Mollitor, a wealthy resident of Baden-Baden, in that city, November 6 last.

The French newspapers are greatly incensed over the decision of the German authorities to suppress the teaching of French in the common schools of the "lost provinces," Alsace and Lorraine.

While walking in Madison Square H. S. Tavshanjian, a rug importer, who is said to have been a commissioner for Persia to the World's fair at Chicago, was shot and killed. The shot one of his pursuers.

A Lansing Baird, formerly New York broker, accused of misappropriating employer's cash, and three months missing, returns and kills himself.

James Wilson, a Cincinnati negro, fled of fright following an exciting chase and his arrest for shooting Charles Barig, white. Wilson was chased by a crowd of men, and the police had to use force to save him from the mob.

assassin was arrested after he had believed that women secret agents by heads of bureaus and chiefs of divisions are exposed to too great temptations. Secretary Wilson trusts their employment in that capacity in his department.

Lawyers for Fred Magill, accused of wife murder, hope to secure his freedom by demanding on his return to Clinton, Ill., an immediate show of evidence sufficient to hold the prisoner.

Politicians believe that William J. Bryan had a double motive in shewing government ownership—removal of an embarrassing situation for the 1908 campaign and warding off the disastrous blow which would be dealt to his own hopes in case some other candidate be nominated and elected on that issue in 1908.

Lieut. Col. C. G. Ayres, fourteenth cavalry, it is officially announced, has been placed this day upon the retired list of the army, on the finding of the retiring board that he is incapacitated for active service on account of disability incident to the service.

Gustavus H. Thiel, president and founder of the Thiel detective agency, died in Chicago of apoplexy. Mr. Thiel was one of the best known thief catchers in the country and was secretary of the United States secret service during the civil war.

Flogging with a blacksnake and then backs rubbed with salt and pepper is advocated by Judge Neelen of Milwaukee as a cure for mashers.

Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) returned from England on board the steamship Minnetonka. Mr. Clemens' stateroom number was 23, but he said that was some one else's joke, and not his.

Cotton thread, until a short time ago the most stable in price of all the staples, selling the country over for 5 cents a spool, is to be advanced again, so that the retail price will be 10 cents.

The interior department temporarily withdrew 801,525 acres of vacant or unappropriated lands in the Dardanelle, Harrison and Little Rock land districts in Arkansas, pending action as to the inclusion in the Ozark national forest.

It has been learned that Mrs. Russell Sage had recently given \$250,000 to the association for the relief of respectable aged indigent females in the city of New York.

James B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco company, was married to Mrs. Manaline Holt Inman at the home of Mrs. William Schuyler Stackpole, in Brooklyn, in the presence of a few friends.

Helena, Ida and Lida Conley, sisters, and Wyandotte Indians, began an armed guard over the graves of their ancestors in Huron cemetery in Kansas City, Kan., recently ordered sold by the government, and threaten to shoot the first person who may attempt to remove the bodies.

The San Francisco Bulletin says that Third Officer Hawse of the wrecked steamer Columbia, whose sworn report of the disaster filed with the federal inspectors, charged Captain Hansen of the San Pedro with refusing to aid in the rescue of the stricken passengers, is now charged by survivors who occupied the same boat with him with conduct more cruel than specified by him in his formal report.

Fay Magill, bride of Fred Magill, suspected in connection with the death of his former wife at Clinton, Ill., may be held by the grand jury, charged with having written the letters ascribed to the dead woman.

Capt. George B. Curry, who was to be inaugurated governor of New Mexico on August 1, received a telegram summoning him east for a conference with the president. All inauguration plans have been changed.

Advices from Seoul say that a mutiny of the Korean troops is apprehended.

Woman who steals to help her invalid mother, blames social conditions for forcing her to become a thief.

H. S. Tavshanjian, the rug importer, who was assassinated in New York, was killed because he advised friends to refuse demands of a blackmail gang.

The Berlin chamber of commerce is agitating the question of setting a permanent date for Easter. It is claimed by numerous industries that the shifting of Easter date is detrimental to their interests.

An order has been issued by Chief Carman F. F. Bonmus, calling a strike of the carmen's union on the entire Rock Island system. The order affects 2,400 men.

The power to go to municipal ownership at any time is said, in a report to the National Civic Federation, to prove an effective weapon in the hands of English cities to compel better service from private corporations.

The preliminary inquiry in connection with the plot unearthed last May at Tsarskoe-Sejoe against the lives of the emperor, Grand Duke Nicholas and Premier Stolypin was conducted at St. Petersburg. Three of the prisoners will be tried by court martial.

John Henry With the Drummers

By HUGH McHUGH
(George V. Hobart)

It was a swift squad of sports that climbed into a coach and allowed themselves to be yanked over the rails in the direction of Chicago one morning last week.

A bunch of brisk boys—believe me! Nick Dalrymple, Tod Stone, Slim Barnes—say! do you remember Slim? Travels for a clothing house in Cincinnati and they call him Slim because he's so fat that every time he turns around he meets himself coming back.

He's all to the good—that boy is! And such a cut-up! Nick goes after the gilt things for a hardware house in Columbus and he



"A Bunch of Brisk Boys—Believe Me!"

knows everybody in the world—bar no one living.

Nick has only one trouble, he will paddle after the ponies.

Whenever he makes a town where there's a pool room his expense account gets fat and beefy, and Nick begins to worry for fear he may win something.

He won \$12 in Cleveland once and he spent \$218 at a boozeologist's that night getting statistics on how it happens.

Tod Stone cuts ice for a match factory in Newark and he's the life of a small party.

"Pipe the gang to quarters and all rubber!" said Slim about half an hour after the train pulled out.

In the seat ahead of us a somewhat demure looking Proposition in rainbow rags had been sampling the scenery ever since we started.

We had all given her the glad glance but she was very much Cold Storage, so we passed it up.

As Slim spoke, the Proposition was joined by a young chap with a loose face who had been out in the smoking room working faithfully on one of those pajama panatella cigars that bite you on the finger if you show the least sign of fear.

Just then the train stopped for a few minutes and we were put wise to the fact that it was an incurable case of bride and groom.

"Oh! Boozey is back to his Birdie!" said the brand new wife; "did Boozey like his smoky woky?"

Boozey opened a bunch of grins and sat down while wifey patted his cheek and cooed:

"Is ums glad to get back to ums 'little wifey plifey?"

Nick Dalrymple and Tod Stone began to scream inwardly and Slim was chuckling like a pet porpoise.

"Sweetie mausta't be angry with Petie, but Sweetie is sitting on Petie's 'tittle hand!" said the bride, whereupon Tod exploded and Slim began to grab for his breath.

A Dutch brewer and his wife sat right ahead of Boozey and Birdie and every once in a while the old-hop puncher would turn around and beam benignly over the gold rims at the bride.

"Boozey must snuggy-wuggy up closer to his Coozie and skeeze her 'itty arm—no, no, no, not her waist! you naughty! naughty!"

The brewer was back at the bride with another gold-rimmed goo-goo when his wife got nervous and cut in:

"Is id you turn your face to see someding—yes? she snapped, and the foam-bulder ducked to the window and began to eat scenery.

Dalrymple was almost out; Tod was under the seat sparring for wind; Slim was giving an imitation of a coalbarge in a heavy sea, and the rest of the passengers were in various stages from hiccoughs to convulsions.

"Is Boozey comfy wif his 'itty weeny teeny Birdie?" chirped the bride.

"Boozey is so happy wif his 'izzy-wizzy!" gurgled the husband; "how's my 'tittle girley wrily?"

"Oh! she's such a happy wappy 'tittle fling!" giggled the dotty dame, pinching her piggle's ear, whereupon the brewer tried to hand the bride an-

other gasoline gaze, but the old lady caught him with the goods:

"Is id to my face you go behind my back to make googley-googley eyes ad somevun—yes?" she growled, and in a minute the brewer's brow was busy with the window pane.

"Sweetie looks at Petie and Sweetie sees that Petie's p'etty face is getting sunburned, so it is!" cuckooed Mrs. Daffy; "and Sweetie has a dood mind to tissy him, too!"

They opened a newspaper, crawled under cover and began to bite each other on the chin.

"Go as far as you like!" said Slim, then he went down and out.

The man who had helped to make Weehawken famous had his head out the window watching for an ice-wagon, and Mrs. Brewer was industriously muttering, "Du bist ein Narr, Du bist ein Narr!"

Just then the train pulled out and saved our lives.

Nick, Tod, Slim and I went over near the water-cooler to rest up, and in a minute the three of them were fanning each other with fairy tales about the goods they sold.

I'll back these three boys to dream longer than any other drummers on the track.

It's a pipe that they can sell bills to each other all day and never wake up.

The Hot Air association was in full session when Buck Jones caromed over from the other end of the car and weighed-in with us.

Buck is a sweller.

He thinks he strikes 12 on all occasions, but his clock is all to the bad.

Buck isn't a drummer—nay! nay! take back your gold!

He'll look you straight in the eye and tell you he's a traveling salesman—nix on the drummer!

I think Buck sells canned shirt waists for the Shine Brothers.

Buck's wife and a three-year-old were traveling with him, but he wasn't giving it out through a megaphone.

Buck is one of those goose-headed guys who begin to scratch gravel and start in to make a killing every time they see a pretty girl.

Across the aisle sat two jet canaries from Plainfield, New Jersey.

They were members of the Soubrette Stinging society and they were en route to the west to join the "Bunch of Birds Burlesque Company."

Their names were Millie and Tillie and they wore Florodora hats and did a sister act that contained more bad grammar than an East Side pinochle game.

Millie was fully aware that she could back Duse off the map, and Tillie was ready to bet a week's salary that she could make Bernhardt feel like she was out in the storm we had day before yesterday.

Slim called them the Roast-Beef Sisters, Rare and Well-done.

In a minute the castors on Buck's neck began to turn.

Slim put us wise with a wink so we lit the fire and began to cook it up.

Buck's heart was warming for the birds in the gilded cage.

"The real Kibo!" said Slim; "it's a plain case of Appomatox; the war is over and they are yours, Buck!"

Then Buck bounced over and began



"Is Id to My Face You Go Behind My Back to Make Googley-Googley Eyes and Some Fun—Yes?"

to show Millie and Tillie what a handsome brute he was at close quarters.

He sat on the arm of the seat and steamed up.

In less than a minute he crowded the information on them that he was a millionaire who had escaped from Los Angeles, Cal., and he was just going to put them both in grand opera when his three-year-old toddled down the aisle and grabbed him by the coat tail.

"Papa! Mama wants 'oo to det my bottle of milk!"

"Stung!" shrieked Slim.

"Back to the nursery!" howled Tod, and then as Buck crawled away to home, and mother we let out a yell that caused the conductor to think the train had struck a wild west show.

During the rest of the trip Buck was nailed to his seat.

Every time he tried to use the elastic in his neck his wife would burn him with a hard, cold glitter.

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WAITING FOR THE FUN.

Youngster Had Reason to Expect "Something Would Happen."

An old gentleman, rather portly and clad in a somewhat youthful suit of light gray flannel, sat on a bench in the park enjoying the day, relates the Woman's Home Companion.

"What's the matter, sonny?" he asked a small urchin who lay on the grass just across the walk and stared intently. "Why don't you go and play?"

"Don't wanter," the boy replied. "But it is not natur," the old gentleman insisted, "for a boy to be so quiet. Why don't you run about?"

"Oh, I'm just waitin'," the little fellow answered. "I'm just waitin' till you get up. A man painted that bench about fifteen minutes ago."

TWO SISTERS HAD ECZEMA.

Cuticura Cured Scalp Troubles of Two Illinois Girls—Another Sister Took Cuticura Pills.

"I must give much praise to all the Cuticura Remedies. I used but one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, as that was all that was required to cure my disease. I was very much troubled with eczema of the head, and a friend of mine told me to use the Cuticura Remedies, which I did, and am glad to say that they cured my eczema entirely. My sister was also cured of eczema of the head by using the Cuticura Remedies. Another sister has used Cuticura Resolvent and Pills and thinks they are a splendid tonic. Miss Edith Hammer, R. F. D. No. 6, Morrison, Ill., Oct. 3, '06."

Chinese Jews.

American interest in China since the Boxer rebellion has extended to the Chinese Jews, who settled at Kaifungfu during the Han dynasty, that ruled China from 200 B. C. to 204 A. D. The Kaifungfu colony is mentioned occasionally by European travelers, among them Marco Polo in the fourteenth century, while in 1690 and 1704 they were visited by Jesuit missionaries. To-day, according to Alfred K. Glover, writing in the Overland Monthly for May, the Chinese Jews are almost extinct, but their records and historical tablets are carefully preserved.

"The Armless Man"

said, "It wasn't money he wanted, but somebody to scratch his back." There are many with strong arms and willing hands that have that same yearning. Hunt's Cure will make back scratching, or any other old scratching totally unnecessary. It knocks out any itching sensation that ever happened, and it does it right now. One application relieves.

Vocal Influence.

The burglar heard the voice of a child and paused.

Then he heard the voice of the child's mother, and continued to pause. But when the deep bass of the old man chimed in he quit pausing and took a header through the window.

Test Its Value.

Simmons Liver purifier is the most valuable remedy I ever tried for Constipation and Disordered Liver. It does its work thoroughly, but does not gripe like most remedies of its character. I certainly recommend it whenever the opportunity occurs.

W. M. TOMLINSON,

Price 25c. Oswego, Kansas.

Newspaper 500 Years Old.

The oldest newspaper in the world, the King Pao, or News of the Capital, of Peking, will celebrate its five hundredth anniversary this year.

He Hangs On.

Friend—Is your dog affectionate? Owner (warily)—Well, he gets easily attached to people.—Baltimore American.

For Chiggers and Mosquitoes.

Hunt's Lightning Oil is great. If used in time it keeps them away. If after being bitten it affords instant relief.

Women forgive injuries, but they never forget slights.—Halliburton.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Shakespeare has no heroes; he has only heroines.—Ruskin.



EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE

The Oklahoma wheat crop is estimated to be 800,000,000 bushels.

A six-story paper warehouse in Chicago collapsed, but, fortunately no one was in the building at the time.

E. H. Harriman has reported the completion of his commission from President Roosevelt to stop the flow of the Colorado river into Salton Lake.

Night riders, as Kentucky white-cappers are called, are terrorizing independent tobacco growers in the vicinity of Hopkinsville.

One hundred and fifty American employes of the Arizona Copper Company smelter at Clifton, Ariz., are on strike for an increase of 50c a day.

Oil men of the Midcontinent territory are planning an annual reunion and picnic, which in all probability will be held somewhere in the Indian Territory in September.

A gasoline launch capsized in a storm at sunnyside, a Western suburb of Toronto Thursday night and of the ten men who were in her only two are known to be safe.

During a heavy thunderstorm a gasoline launch with ten men on board capsized in the Hudson River at Toronto, Ont., and only one succeeded in reaching the near-by shore.

A tornado swept Urbana, O., early Friday, destroying the plant of the United States Paper and Box company. The loss is estimated at \$50,000. Fortunately the men were off duty at the time of the disaster.

A long drouth which has continued practically unbroken for a month on Long Island, is causing the farmers much alarm. Prayer meetings for the purpose of invoking the aid of God, are to be held in churches.

James B. Duke, president of the American Tobacco Company, was married Wednesday to Mrs. Nanilene Holtzman at the home of Mrs. William Schuyler Stackpole in Brooklyn in the presence of a few friends.

The French Government has notified Ambassador White that American meats may be brought into France upon the American certificates and that microscopic examination will not be insisted upon.

A bride and groom stood admiring an elephant in a New York park, when suddenly the beast grabbed the groom's pocket book which he had taken from his pocket, and chewed it and \$275 which it contained into pulp.

Grief over the fate of Lieut. Chester R. Goodrich, who met his death in the explosion on the battleship Georgia a week ago, caused a rich musician, Miss Laura D. Ronaldson, to end her life in her bachelor girl apartments in New York.

Manager Jim May of Reno, Nev., representing the Miners, has secured the fight between Joe Gans and Battling Nelson for Labor Day. The Reno Athletic Club, of which May is president, has hung up a \$35,000 purse for the battle.

Four tank builders in the Morris oil fields, Muskogee, on Friday were reported prostrated by heat. The day was the hottest of the year here, registering 102 degrees at the Government register. A year ago the maximum temperature was 88 degrees.

John B. Latham, brother of Thomas B. Latham, United States district attorney for the central district of Indian Territory, died at his home in Fort Smith as a result of heat prostration.

Sheriff Belser fooled many citizens who sought admission to the hanging of Calvin Coleman, a negro, at Montgomery, Ala., by pulling off the execution shortly after 6 o'clock, before more than fifty of the specially invited came down town.

A bill to appropriate \$50,000 for resisting the fight made by the railroads on the rate regulation laws of Alabama has been passed by the house and now goes to the governor. As it is one of his bills he will sign it once.

Assistant Attorney General Hawkins has given out an opinion in which he holds that a public officer of the State, even though he be an officer of a railroad, may not lawfully use free transportation over any railroad in the State.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS.

A Dreadful Operation Seemed to Be the Only Outcome.

Mrs. Clyde Pixley, Bridge St., Belding, Mich., writes: "I had inflammation of the bladder and the trouble had gone so far in five years that my physicians said nothing but an operation would cure me. Awful bearing down pains, backaches and headaches tortured me, there were spells of dizziness and faintness, the kidney secretions were like blood and passed with intense pain. I had lost 30 pounds when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and was dreadfully nervous. In one week I felt better and to-day I am a well woman and have been for a long time."



Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

DEATH IN A NEW GUISE.

Scheme That Landed a Hungarian Judge in Town Jail.

In a little village on the Hungarian frontier, not far from Presburg, a peasant woman recently received 400 kronen (\$85) from her husband in America.

She promptly deposited it in the local branch of the postoffice savings bank, and then the next day went to withdraw the whole amount.

The bank official was somewhat surprised, and asked for an explanation, when she said that Death had appeared to her during the night and threatened to take her away with him unless she had the 400 crowns ready for him the next night.

The gendarmes were communicated with, and when "Death" made his promised appearance he was found to be very much alive, in the person of the local judge.

The woman's money is still in the bank, and the judge is in jail.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Equally Painful.

A good story is told of an old ducky in Richmond who once experienced considerable difficulty in securing the sum due him from a prominent business man whose stable the negro had whitewashed.

One afternoon, as the old ducky came painfully up the walk toward the house, the master thereof called to him from the porch:

"What's the matter, Mose? Got the gout?"

"No, sah," came in respectful tones from Mose; "I've got de bill for dat whitewashin'."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Have Trouble with Your Food?

Try Grape-Nuts

Perfectly Cooked. Ready to Serve. Delicious and Healthful

"The ordinary breakfast cereal cooked a few minutes in a half-hearted way will in time weaken the stomach of anything short of an ox.

"Any preparation of wheat or oats put into water that is below the boiling point and cooked as mush is usually served, remains a pasty, indigestible mass. The cells are tough and unopened. In addition, the stomach of a person sensitively constituted refuses to do anything with the pasty mass. It is sent into the second stomach, the Duodenum, where in consequence of the long time of the first process of digestion, is fermented and soured. As an eminent medical man pertinently states, the stomachs of half the people going about the streets are about in the condition of an old vinegar barrel.

"Intestinal dyspepsia is the direct consequence of such feeding."

Knowledge of these facts and a wide experience in the preparation and use of cereals brought out the product known as Grape-Nuts, manufactured with special reference to having the nitrogenous and starchy parts of the grains, of which the food is composed, perfectly and scientifically cooked at the factory, ready for immediate use and therefore not subject to the manipulations of any cook, good or bad.

The starch of the grains, changed to grape-sugar, can be seen glistening on the little granules, and gives forth a delicate sweetish taste, very palatable.

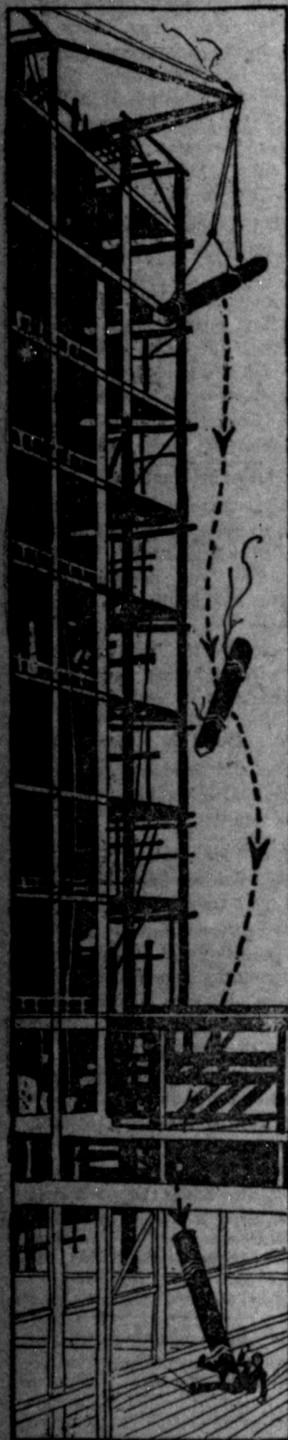
Children and adults obtain fine results from the use of Grape-Nuts food. It is so perfectly adapted to the wants of the human body and so easily digested that many cases are on record of nursing babes being fed very successfully on it. "There's a Reason."

Made at the pure food facilities of the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in phos-

TOLL TAKEN OF HUMAN LIFE BY THE INDUSTRIES

GREATER THAN DEATHS ON BATTLEFIELD

Over Half a Million Men and Women Annually Are Killed or Injured in the United States While Engaged in Productive Labor---Enormous Sum Needed to Support Those Incapacitated.



A Familiar Peril in Building Operations.

New York.—More than 500,000 men and women are injured or killed in the industries annually in the United States, or one person every minute.

This industrial carnage costs the people of the country, directly and indirectly, over two and a half billions of dollars—a sum larger than the national debt.

Such are the death tolls of industrial progress, which shows such a smiling face to those whose occupations involve no danger, but turns a usually countenance on those who work in peril of their lives.

Whenever doubts these figures need only read the grim statistics to be convinced that modern industry is a more fatal than war.

In the Japanese-Russian war a total of 100,000 men were killed and wounded, and 100,000 more were maimed, not counting the deaths of the soldiers.

In the same period in the United States alone the great army of American laborers engaged in manufacturing and building operations suffered a loss of 425,000 killed and injured; 92,000 more lives were sacrificed to industrial progress in one year than during the greatest conflict of recent times.

Statistics of the interstate commerce commission show that 84,115 people were injured and 10,046 killed on the railroads during the year ending June 30, 1904. Sufficient data has been accumulated by the United States government and other responsible authorities to show that at least 5,100 men are annually killed or injured in anthracite mining alone, and 425,000 in factory and building operations, making the grand total approximately 525,000.

Total Death Roll Greater. These estimates are conservative. If the exact number of accidents was known this total would be greatly increased.

In converting facts into figures Mr. Clarence Marx, who, with other responsible investigators, has given several years of study to the relation of crippled and unemployed persons to industry, presents a startling array.

Of the 525,000 workers mentioned 15 per cent, or 445,000 to struggle peacefully, only are killed, leaving 85 against their handicaps. Estimating that at least 50 per cent, or 222,000 of these are able to earn \$225 each annually, which is 50 per cent, of the annual average earnings of able-bodied artisans, we have a total of \$49,950,000. This is the loss in earning power.

Safely assuming that these persons would create twice as much wealth as they earn we would have a loss in production of approximately \$100,000,000 annually. But this is only half the truth. If these 222,000 wage earners are not re-established they must sooner or later be supported by the state. It is also evident that the other 222,000 who are totally disabled will also become a burden on the taxpayers.

Poor relief statistics show that it costs \$10,000 to support a pauper during his natural life time. To be conservative again, let us estimate this cost at \$6,000, to make allowance for those who may be supported by relatives and friends, or who may become partially self-supporting. Since under our present system the partially disabled are not re-established, the total number, minus a small percentage, must be supported at public expense. To do this costs approximately two and one-half billion dollars. In other words, we contract each year to meet a debt of two and a half billion dollars within the lifetime of the persons thus injured.

Figures That Stagger. These are staggering figures, but they are only a forecast of what we may expect if this wasteful destruction of life and limb continues.

In New York state, according to the estimate of the state labor commissioner in 1906, 44 workers in every 1,000 are incapacitated in the course of the year's work. That means, for instance, that at least 40,000 purely industrial accidents occur in New York city alone every year. The ratio of injured and uninjured is not as high in some other parts of the country, or the total number of accidents in the United States would be over 800,000 annually.

In one section of New York city, the Borough of Manhattan, there were last year 2,160 deaths by violence; astonishing as it may seem nearly one-third of these deaths, or 684, were caused by falls, explosions, caving in of earth, premature blasts and falling rock. The river tunnels were constructed at the cost of 68 lives, 43 in the Pennsylvania terminal works; 20 in the Belmont tunnel, two in the subway borings and three in the Hudson companies' terminal.

In the huge, smoky workshop called Pittsburgh, one human life is sacrificed for every 50,000 tons of coal that are shipped out of the city. For each 7,600 tons of steel products one of the manipulators, somewhere in the process of manufacture, lays down his life; and for each 70,000 tons of steel rails another laborer makes the last sacrifice.

Of the 2,660 deaths reported in Pittsburgh in 1906, 919 were due to accidents in mills, mines and on railroads. The number of accidents was not computed, but it was undoubtedly in the thousands.

Causes of Fatalities. How does it all happen, you ask? If a huge ladle of white hot steel is upset, the molten stream burns alive its writhing victim. It may be that a man or woman is whirled to a horrible death in mill machinery; or a miner is blown to eternity in an explosion of damp in a mine.

Publicity is given to accidents on railroads, but little is heard of the thousands annually killed and maimed in manufacturing and building and in some of the more obscure trades. It has been shown that 425,000 are annually disabled in factories and construction work. But we have no means of knowing how many are industrially displaced by inhaling the poisonous fumes in working over batteries, or the large numbers that are afflicted with mercurial poisoning and other ailments in the hat industry and allied trades. Neither do we know how many succumb to painters' colic, or blood poison by working with brass and copper.

The victims of tuberculosis among sweatshop workers, grain trimmers, longshoremen, coal hands and others are shown to be numerous by the board of health reports, but the exact numbers have never been gathered into statistical form.

Tributary Evils. This loss of life and limb in times of peace would be sufficiently appalling in itself were there no tributary evils. But the situation is rendered even more serious by the fact that only about 15 per cent, of the industrial accidents result in the death of the victims, while 85 per cent., or 445,000, are doomed to a one-sided battle for existence.

When a man loses a limb or the use of it, is rendered partially blind by an accident, or in countless ways is incapacitated for his regular work, the first great question confronting him is

ing, for if the children were not available their disabled seniors would take their places at a higher rate of wages than at less than current standards.

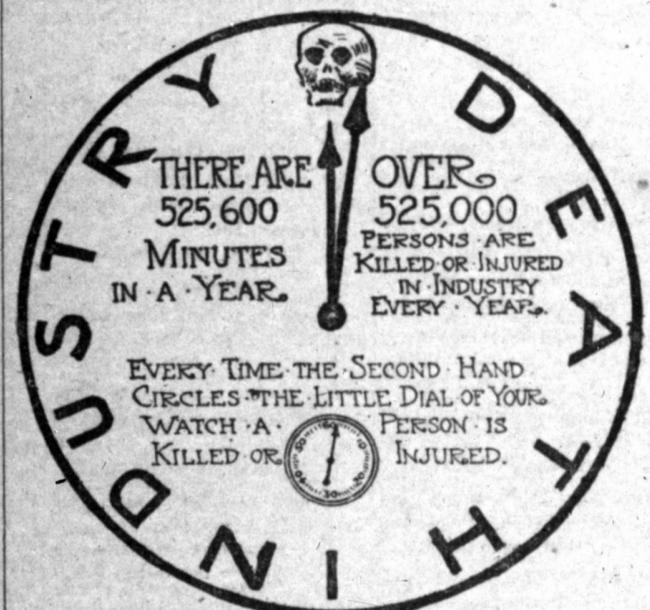
This would do much to remove the stigma of a present national disgrace by which 1,267,324 boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 16 years are allowed to dwarf their young lives in our shops, factories and mills. The handicapped man would supplant children only where a distinct economic and educational advantage is to be gained. He is fully competent to compete with the able bodied for many positions. It is not favoritism that he needs or asks; only an opportunity to demonstrate his fitness. The trouble is, he is rarely given that opportunity.

Great Need of the Day. A crying need of the day is an awakening of the national conscience regarding the needless loss of human life and the resulting economic waste. In our reckless haste to make money we forget that in so doing, the unnatural wear and tear of industry, and the fierce struggle for existence are producing an increasing host of dependent citizens, who have been worn out as a part of a machine and are then thrown on the industrial scrap heap.

The hours of labor are being slightly reduced and wages slightly increased, but the wear and tear on man and machine has been nearly doubled.

Many men, each one a unit of labor, valuable to the employer and to society, drop out crippled by accident or with their health undermined. Unless the employes are speedily able to re-adjust themselves in gainful occupations, they become public charges. Each man added to the list of the state's dependents makes an added burden of taxes on the wealth producing citizens.

The employer, who is the exponent of the industrial system is accountable for this waste of productive power, though not the originator of it, is himself one of the first victims, to feel the extra burden of taxation. Doubtless he is also appealed to, and subscribes liberally for private charitable schemes, which are themselves largely necessary evils. Hence the wasteful system of industry, in which the waste of labor is lost sight of in the mad attempt to save cost of production, reacts on itself; and the hard-pressed employer becomes a victim to the very system that is slowly but certainly adding to the cost of main-



One Violent Death or Injury For Every Tick of Your Watch.

to fit himself for some other form of labor. What are his chances to regain a foothold?

Some few corporations retain on the payroll those employes who may have been injured in their service, but the number of such is small. A few provide pensions, and even fewer have instituted some form of benefit that will be a real help in case of disablement.

But the great mass of injured persons must readjust themselves as best they can.

Prejudiced Employers. The chief reason why they fail to do this and start on the long tortuous road to semi-pauperism and finally the slumhouse is the open prejudice of employers against hiring a cripple, or a failure on their part to recognize the fact that he still possesses an economic value, as he usually does. This remorseless prejudice against which many an honest and capable man has been forced to contend has driven valuable material to the waste heap of humanity, if not to a self-made grave.

There are many positions filled by boys and girls who should be in school which could be better filled by older men and women unable to command higher wages because of physical disability. To supplant the incumbents of such positions would be to raise the standards of education and of liv-

tenance and production by increasing the value of labor, which he has tried to maintain, if not to cheapen.

Centuries Paralleled. In former times vassals, serfs and slaves gave up their lives blindly to their feudal chiefs; fighting their battles, tilling their soil, selling their own birth rights for a pot of miserable porridge.

As the fourteenth century vassal sold his service and life for food and shelter so the twentieth century artisan sells his labor and life for money with which to buy the necessities of life. If his wages are greater than his living expenses and he is fortunate enough to escape bodily harm, he may, under extremely favorable conditions, be able to provide for an independent old age. But if shifting economic conditions condemn him to only a precarious living and if he is disabled by the machinery of industry, only one fate can be his—the acceptance of aims sooner or later from friends or the state. He has not shed his blood as the vassals of old in the service of a master. He has sacrificed himself on the altar of industrial progress, whose masters are practically unconcerned for his future.—From the N. Y. Journal and American.

If you raise your head above the crowd, prepare to have it hit

Is Pe-ru-na Useful for Catarrh?

Should a list of the ingredients of Peruna be submitted to any medical expert, of whatever school or nationality, he would be obliged to admit without reserve that each one of them was of undoubted value in chronic catarrhal diseases, and had stood the test of many years' experience in the treatment of such diseases. THERE CAN BE NO DISPUTE ABOUT THIS WHAT-EVER. Peruna is composed of the most efficacious and universally used herbal remedies for catarrh. Every ingredient of Peruna has a reputation of its own in the cure of some phase of catarrh. Peruna brings to the home the COMBINED KNOWLEDGE OF SEVERAL SCHOOLS OF MEDICINE in the treatment of catarrhal diseases; brings to the home the scientific skill and knowledge of the modern pharmacist; and last but not least, brings to the home the vast and varied experience of Dr. Hartman, in the use of catarrh remedies, and in the treatment of catarrhal diseases.

The fact is, chronic catarrh is a disease which is very prevalent. Many thousand people know they have chronic catarrh. They have visited doctors over and over again, and been told that their case is one of chronic catarrh. It may be of the nose, throat, lungs, stomach or some other internal organ. There is no doubt as to the nature of the disease. The only trouble is the remedy. This doctor has tried to cure them. That doctor has tried to prescribe for them.

BUT THEY ALL FAILED TO BRING ANY RELIEF.

Dr. Hartman's idea is that a catarrh remedy can be made on a large scale, as he is making it; that it can be made honestly, of the purest drugs and of the strictest uniformity. His idea is that this remedy can be supplied directly to the people, and no more be charged for it than is necessary for the handling of it.

No other household remedy so universally advertised carries upon the label the principal active constituents, showing that Peruna invites the full inspection of the critics.



Poor Paint is Expensive

If one is rich enough to repaint his buildings every year for the pleasure of having a change of color scheme, the quality of the paint used may cut little figure. But if it is desirable to cut the painting bills down to the least amount possible per year, it is of the utmost importance that the paint be made of Pure White Lead and the best of Linseed Oil. There are imitations in the form of alleged White Lead, and there are substitutes in the form of ready-prepared paints.

We guarantee our White Lead to be absolutely pure, and the Dutch Boy on the side of every keg is your safeguard. Look for him.

SEND FOR BOOK "A Talk on Paint," gives valuable information on the paint subject. Sent free upon request.

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G. L. MOORE.
THE DRUGGIST.

Local Items.

Buy it from French, the Druggist.

Ask Billy Lewis for Old Dutch Cleanser.

H. Asher left Saturday night for St. Louis.

Miss Laura Sharp is visiting at Mineral Wells.

Harry Castleberg is spending the week at home.

Dr. C. O. Webb has returned from Fort Worth.

The Big Store is offering big bargains in all slippers.

Crysup's Drug Store makes a specialty of good ice cream.

E. C. Arledge of Trinity was a visitor to Crockett Sunday.

Roy Deupree was up from Oakhurst Friday and Saturday.

You get the best if you buy it from French, the Druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Arledge have returned from Palacios.

Billy Lewis sells Old Dutch Cleanser. 28

Cut prices on all furniture sold by JAS. S. SHIVERS & CO.

Cleanliness, polite attention. CRYSUP'S SODA FOUNTAIN.

You can buy wagons at old prices at T. D. CRADDOCK'S.

For a nice shirt, tie or fancy half hose try JOHN MILLAR.

The best ever is Old Dutch Cleanser, sold by BILLY LEWIS.

See G. W. Broxson for buggies and harness sold on easy terms. 29

Miss Cary LeGory will spend the month of August in Colorado.

Karl Porter returned Saturday night from a visit to Fort Worth.

T. D. Craddock can supply you with barb wire and Kokomo hog fencing.

The Best at the lowest price possible if you buy from French, the Druggist.

Crysup's Drug Store—an up-to-date drug store where nothing is sold but the best.

Taylor Hail and Will and Jim Lipscomb took in the excursion to Galveston Saturday.

I sell log wagons on easy terms, also farm wagons. 29 G. W. BROXSON.

Tombstones and Monuments.
Let me call on you with samples and designs. All work guaranteed and delivered. Telephone No. 174. J. C. LANSFORD.

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Crockett Meat Market.

If you want something good in the way of fresh meats, patronize the Crockett Meat Market. Free Delivery to any part of the City.

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COOK & ESTES, Props.

Use Hammar paint, if you want the best. T. D. Craddock sells it.

T. D. Craddock wants your wagon trade. You pay no advance.

Miss Genevieve Eichelberger will leave next week for a visit to Marlin.

Mrs. Estelle Wootters Smith was among the visitors to Galveston Saturday.

Mrs. W. V. Clark and Mrs. G. H. Bayne were visitors to Galveston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Craddock were visitors to Houston Saturday and Sunday.

The Brown wagon, sold by Jas. S. Shivers & Co., runs lighter and lasts longer.

Troup Gammage of Galveston was a visitor to Crockett Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Della and Leila Templeton were visitors to Houston Saturday and Sunday.

W. L. Driskill of Holly and Chas. Beasley of Daly were in Crockett Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Saxon has returned from Pearsall. He says Crockett has always been his home.

Old Dutch Cleanser cleanses, scrubs, scours and polishes. BILLY LEWIS.

Drink with us. You will feel better and so will we. MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Better than ever is the soda water you get at CRYSUP'S DRUG STORE.

Place your order for a shop-made suit now for future delivery. SHUPAK TAILORING CO.

You won't find anything better than Old Dutch Cleanser, sold by BILLY LEWIS.

Still filling prescriptions and doing it right too. Do we fill yours? MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Henry and little daughter, Alice, of Goveton are visiting relatives in the city.

Lady's skirts must be sold quick at greatly reduced prices. Call at THE BIG STORE.

We please others with our ice cream. Let us please you. CRYSUP'S DRUG STORE.

You cannot do better than buy Old Dutch Cleanser, sold by BILLY LEWIS.

Bring us your prescriptions. We fill them right and at the right price. MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

A party of Pittsburg, Pa., capitalists, owners of the Latexo orchard, were in Crockett Monday.

J. T. Crysup, A. M. Carlton and Alvis Ellis were among the excursionists to Galveston Saturday.

Rev. S. F. Tenney has an appointment to preach at Oakland church on Sunday, August 11, at 4 p. m.

For Sale

My residence with six rooms, out-houses, etc., in the town of Crockett. Also my dental office and practice. Apply to

C. O. WEBB.

If You

Want to wear the kind of clothes that the majority of good dressers wear, you will be obliged to patronize the most up-to-date Tailor shop, where the Tailor himself takes your measure.

Shupak Tailoring Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Crook and Sarah Mac have returned from Palacios.

If you ordered it from Hyman Harrison, Palestine, you are sure to get it on time.

The Presbyterians have arranged to hold a protracted meeting to begin about October 15th.

H. J. Dowdy of Ratchiff was in Crockett Wednesday and paid the COURIER office a pleasant visit.

Crockett English of Fort Worth arrived Sunday night and is visiting relatives and friends in the county.

The excursion train to Galveston Saturday was made up of ten cars, eight of which were iced at Crockett.

W. W. Wills, Jr., living north of Lovelady, was in Crockett Monday and remembered the COURIER while here.

Mr. Geo. J. Kelley and Miss Rosa Lee Bridges were married at the court house Monday by County Judge John Spence.

Esq. R. T. Payne of Lovelady passed through Crockett last week en route to the Elkhart Wells for the benefit of his health.

Mr. R. E. McConnell has returned from Llano, where he left Mrs. McConnell, whose health he reports to be much improved.

Your clothes need our help again. Let us clean and press them for you. SHUPAK TAILORING CO.

The City Meat Market will deliver your meats. Give us a call. Phone No. 108.

LANSFORD & WILSON.
Wanted.

To sell 100 pair of \$5.00 tailor-made pants at \$3.50 each. JOHN MILLAR.

We want to please you in every transaction we have with you. If we fail to do so tell us about it. MURCHISON & BEASLEY.

Phone your order in early and we will fill it in time. CITY MEAT MARKET, Phone No. 108.

No pie talk; our cleaning, pressing and repairing is the best. Make us prove it; we can. SHUPAK TAILORING CO.

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

The Methodist church has given its pastor, Rev. J. W. Downs, a months' vacation and he will spend the time at Mineral Wells for the benefit of his health.

If you are after the best goods, the right treatment and prompt shipment, order it from HYMAN'S SALOON, Palestine, Texas.

Notice.
All parties indebted to the Singer Sewing Machine Co., on lease accounts, living near or in the vicinity of Lovelady, will find me at Frank Shupak's Tailoring shop on the 3rd day of each month. Very respectfully,

IKE LANSFORD,
The Singer Man.

Money to Loan.

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.

WARFIELD BROTHERS,

Office North Side Public Square,
Crockett, Texas

The best goods, the largest assortment, and you know what you are getting when you order from HYMAN'S SALOON, Palestine.

Mr. J. R. Luce, who lives near Grapeland and is secretary of the Farmers' Union executive committee for Houston county, was transacting business in Crockett Saturday.

We regret to hear of an accident that happened to T. R. Cook last week which laid him up. He was at work on his hay ranch when a broken plank accidentally struck him.

Dog Lost.

White dog with liver colored spots on back and head. Five months old. Left home Friday. Will pay liberal reward.

TOM JORDAN.

Mrs. J. S. Wootters was brought home from Kerville Saturday suffering from an attack of typhoid fever. Dr. Wootters went to Kerville and accompanied her home. Her fever was very high the first of the week.

G. A. Berry and family left Crockett Monday for Ennis, where they will make their home, Mr. Berry having been transferred to Ennis by the Singer Sewing Machine Co. Crockett regrets their going.

Mr. Geo. O. Clinton recently brought to Crockett from Chicago one of the nicest carriages we have seen in the state. It is for the use of his wife and is the same one used by her in Chicago before coming to Crockett.

J. A. Glover of Augusta was in Crockett Wednesday. Mr. Glover informed THE COURIER that he had sold his farm at Augusta and would move to West Texas. We regret to see Mr. Glover go, as he is one of the county's best citizens.

Men Wanted.

Smith & Wootters want men at their railroad camp near Lufkin, on the Texas Southeastern. They will pay \$1.75 a day for grubbers, teamsters, slip loaders, etc. Apply at the camp or to Jim Smith at Crockett.

More evidence that advertising pays: Mr. C. W. May came into our office Saturday and said that he wanted to pay for the advertisement of a stray yearling that had been done by Mr. D. C. Poe. Mr. May had found his yearling and was glad to pay for the advertisement.

Notice.

Hereafter the Singer Sewing Machine Co. will be represented at Crockett, Texas, by I. B. Lansford, and all parties indebted to said company on lease accounts will please call on me at office on the 1st and 2nd of each month.

Imperfect Digestion

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Mrs. P. R. Denman left Tuesday for her home in Manning, after a visit to friends and relatives here.

A stranger remarked last week that he saw more pretty homes in Crockett than in many towns having double Crockett's population. He said he found pleasure in walking about Crockett looking at its pretty homes, and when through with his business here always did so.

Will any one who knows anything of the possessions, either of land, property or otherwise, owned by the late Prof. John Noble Herbert, of various places in Texas, U. S. A., please communicate with Mrs. Margaret A. Herbert of St. John's School, Penitence, Sheffield, England? 38

Married, at the residence of Mr. Wilson Edwards in Crockett, Sunday at 5:30 p. m., Mr. W. E. Matthews to Miss Ella May Edwards, Rev. S. F. Tenney officiating. Both the bride and bridegroom reside in Palestine, though their mothers were formerly citizens of Crockett, and the bride is a niece of Mr. Wilson Edwards.

Killed by Lightning.

Mr. Jim Ware, a farmer living four or five miles west of town, was killed by lightning Tuesday afternoon in a very peculiar manner. He was hauling up a load of fodder and when he drove under the Porter Springs telephone wire lightning struck the wire, breaking it and letting it fall on him. Mr. Ware was instantly killed. He was a very large man and was horrible burned. He was of middle age and leaves a family.

Prof. and Mrs. John B. Smith of Mary Allen Seminary have returned from their visit to old and familiar scenes in Ohio. Mr. Smith reports wonderful progress in that country since he left there years ago. He says farming lands there are worth from \$100 up per acre and that very little land is not in cultivation. One thing he noted was the wonderful strides in the improvement of farming machinery. Farm work is now done nearly altogether by machinery, two men doing the work that once required a dozen or more. Mr. Smith was greatly benefitted in health by the trip and has returned to get ready for the next term of his school.

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SAND-LAPPERS VS. CLOD-HOPPERS

Crockett Walloped Grapeland With a Score of 14 to 12 in the Face of Opposing Fate.

The last game of a series of five was played here last Tuesday afternoon, when Crockett demonstrated its superiority over Grapeland in a victory of 14 to 12.

Both sides stealthily pressed forward their interests in hopes of winning the laurels of triumph. Grapeland fought like a dog in his own front yard, but Crockett held the bone with a firm grasp and took two scores anyhow.

The field work all around was stylish, marked by grace in falling and beauty in running. It was a shame to offer such an attraction for so little money.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

The road racers were introduced into the contest in the personage of a star batter no less than Wall F. who sealed his fate by an out on first. Davis O. followed with a drive to center and took first. Howard, the Samson, felt of the pitcher in the form of a pop up and went out. Davis took second on pass ball. The long, lank, lean, Leaverton F. swept the bulb in a tremendous blow for two bags. Davis scored as the road racers roared exclamations of joy. Spence J. proved the law of attraction as his wasted energy nestled the pod securely in left fielder Jones' hands. Leaverton called for the undertakers on second. On tip-toe stood the slugger, Goolsbee, ready to usher Crockett in with a home run. As he had a sore leg and was unable to go the bend, he compromised with a single over third, off of the stalwart wonder, Sory, and made first. Here he went out as he took a short snooze. Murchison S. got in the game by a pop up to pitcher and went out on first. Glover fought for first with catcher on a fumble ball and finally made good. Stole second. Clark J's. pop up over first put him safe and caused Glover to be downed on a chase between second and third. During this ramble Clark stole second and died. Grapeland leads off with one score and a deafening noise from its innumerable number of road racers. Score, Grapeland 1; Crockett, 0.

Second Inning—Up came another member of that generous family of Leavertons and hoodooed the youthful pitcher Glover into putting four balls by. Leaverton, C. ran second on a pass ball thrown by catcher to second baseman. An excusable error for Murchison. Stole third. Luker boasted of his ability not to be put down by Glover, but when he saw those sizzling tornadoes he stood like an imposing piece of architecture until the umpire called him down and out. Roars of applause greeted the "Messenger" as he hung his head and walked off. At this juncture, Sory came to Leaverton C's. rescue and put a grounder by third that gave the sand-lappers two scores to the good. Sory stole third. Leaverton H. took a single and scored Sory.

Wall J. resorted to another grounder to center and took first. Leaverton H. ran second and

stole third. Wall J. stole second. Davis, Olan, led the grand march on four balls and moved Wall to third as well as scoring Leaverton, H. Howard, S. swigged the element three times and sat down out of breath. Davis, O. stole second. Leaverton, F. came up and manipulated the stick, like a wood chopper, to no use. Davis died on second and Wall on third.

Old time slugger, Sims, jolt to third put him on safe landing at first. Stole second and third. Downs, E. made a convenient little sacrifice and put Sims in home safely. Jones, F. fought at the grounders like killing rattlesnakes for three swipes and then took to the bench. Beasley, L. made first on a fumble and stole second. Gossett walked up like a man to get hit on the arm from the mighty twirler Sory. Stole second. Beasley, L. was chased between second and third with as much enthusiasm as a coon chases a cotton-tail rabbit. Toe held slipped and he went out. Gossett died on second.

Grapeland worked hard and increased her tallies double. Crockett would not be out done by the shade trotters and made one tally for pass time. Interest continues to increase. Score Grapeland 3; Crockett 1.

Third Inning—The remarkable sizzler, Glover, was removed from the box because of inexperience and the old reliable zig-zagger Sims demonstrated his ability by triumphing in a clean shut out. Spence, J. rolled one to first baseman Gossett as easy as rolling a watermelon under a barb wire fence. Leaverton, C. tested the pitcher with a grounder and found him to be an all around man as he went out on first. Luker walked up to redeem himself but did little better in a shut out on first. The road racers were unable to find pitcher Sims and began to use their feet on all occasions—some had no feet—only fourteen inches of their legs turned down. They ran on hard land like a race horse with his shackles removed. Three outs and a change of sides put Goolsbee to the bat again for Crockett; continuous and prolonged applause voiced the sentiments of the onlookers and encouraged the team to fight. Goolsbee slapped one over center and did the kangaroo act to second. Murchison, S. took a lick on the arm and walked. Goolsbee passed to third on a bad throw. Murchison advanced to second. Glover drove the pod through third baseman and walked to second base on same hit. Goolsbee and Murchison scored. Clark, J. rapped a fly to center fielder and he accidentally caught it. Luck turned against Crockett and Glover was put out on second. Sims bunted a nice one and made second on pass ball. Here the decision was given against him and o-u-t spelled out. Encouragement did its work and Crockett crept up another score. Score, Grapeland, 0; Crockett, 2.

L. M.

(To be Concluded Next Week.)

Crockett Society Items.

Mrs. John Conley has returned to her home in Beaumont.

Mrs. A. H. Wooters and daughter are visiting in Houston.

Mrs. W. R. Jordan left Thursday for her home in Lake Charles, after a pleasant visit to relatives.

Mrs. James S. Shivers, entertained her many friends on Wednesday afternoon. There were ten tables of progressive "forty-two," and the game was indulged in until a very late hour. After a number of interesting games Miss Brietling was awarded the first prize and Miss Sears the consolation. Cream and cake were served,

and those fortunate enough to be present declared the evening quite a success.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Jensen were at home to the young people last Thursday evening. Mrs. Conley of Beaumont was the guest of honor. An interesting game furnished amusement for the crowd. Miss Pauline Bromberg and Mr. Harry Beasley won the prizes. On the veranda, under the soft rays of the moon, refreshing punch was served. In the dining room, which was a bower of ferns and cut flowers, cream and cake were served.

Mrs. John LeGory entertained the Young Married Ladies' Club Thursday afternoon with progressive "forty-two," complimentary to Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Nunn. Quite a number of exciting games were played, wherein the skill of many was displayed, six cutting for the prize. Mrs. J. T. Crysyp was successful. Sherbet and cake was served after the game and punch was served during the contest. All left reluctantly after a delightful time.

On Tuesday morning Mrs. Sydney Murchison entertained with a progressive whist party, complimentary to Crockett visitors. The lawn was the scene of this pretty affair, and college pennants hanging here and there made one think of college days. Tables set under spreading oaks and gathered round them handsome women in their dainty summer attire, made a pretty picture. Between games delightful and refreshing punch was served, and at the close ice cream and wafers.

On last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Corinne W. Corry entertained as only Mrs. Corry knows how, in honor of Mrs. J. O. Ross of Houston, Mrs. Reade and Mrs. Bert Nunn of Corsicana. An invitation to this beautiful old Southern home means pleasure ahead. This occasion proved no exception. Those who wished to indulge in the ever interesting game of "forty-two" were provided for. Later in the evening an interesting musical program was rendered by some of Crockett's talented daughters. Delightful ices and cakes were served. Out-of-town guests present were, Mrs. Delha Eastham of Huntsville, Mrs. John Conley, of Beaumont, Mrs. W. R. Jordan of Lake Charles, Mrs. P. R. Denman of Manning, Mrs. Harry McMahon of Palestine and Mrs. Clark of Waco, besides the honorees.

Miss Cary LeGory entertained on Wednesday evening for Miss Agnes Sears with a sunflower party. It was beautifully arranged and carried out. Hand-painted sunflower cards were given out. Each young man had to write a description or some characteristic of a young lady in the room, and as they were read aloud the girls had to guess which girl they described. Delightful punch was served and a very enjoyable musical program was rendered by Miss Sears, Miss Ethel Wooters and Mr. LeRoy Moore, after which cream, sherbet and cake were served. Each guest carried away a huge sunflower for a souvenir.

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