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GRAHAM, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 23, 1899.

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All Steel; Ball and At our Store. Our Sample is up. Roller Bearing. If you are interested come and see us. HOLLINGSWORTH & DOWDLE,

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Prescriptions Carefully Compounded Day and Night. Yours to please,

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Twenty years practical experience, under the tutorage of as good a smith and woodworkman as ever stood at the anvil or bench, is serving me well in keeping the resolution I formed at the beginning of this year,

When I came to Graham some two and a half years ago, you were paying the long price for plow work. To day I offer you

Six Cultivator Plows, Double End, for Two Dollars and Fifty Cents.

A liberal patronage for which I am thankful. has enabled me to make you these prices. Yours to please,

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No Double Standard Wanted

A woman's character is like a note-no matter how many stains it will pass at par. When a wom the other hand, a man may cursed and berated her brutally. straighten up and be received into society again .- Ex.

The above has but one thing to recommend it-half of it is true. But society can never justify itself in such a procedure. The double standard in meney is all right, but we say: Down with the double standard of virtue. Shame on society that turns her back on the victim and welcomes the auther of her shame, or condones his crime. The first half of the extract would be true if you substitue reputation for character .-Sulphur Springs Gazette.

Mr. John Bevins, editor of the Press. Anthon Iowa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera ily for 15 years, have recommended it to hundreds of others, and have never, known it to fail in a single instance. For safe by Gra. hand toward him and said to him: ham Drug Co.

Speaking of the many killings for this before the year is out.' occurring over the state and of . He said: 'Well, I don't care the pistol toting habit, a promi- if He does. Let Him do it.' nent El Paso lawyer says:

his neck. The laws of the state that day. This was about two acted, but whether the trouble Bentley was dead and buried. lies in the failure of the officers "I always feel sad when I think pistols in Texas,"

By the decision of the Spanish loses \$79,000,000.

Weatherford, Mineral Wells and N. W. Railway Company. Operating Department. TIME TABLE

Effect ve May 29th, 1899 Leaves Weatherford 8:40 A. M., 2:35 P. M. Leaves Mineral Wells 1:35 P. M., 7:40 A. M. 11:20 A. M., 6:50 A. M. For further information address

W. C. Forbess, Gen. Pass. Agt. L. H. Fours, Pres. & Gen. Mgr.

Strange Story of Amanda Smith.

Evangelist Amanda Smith, the postage stamp—one black mark only negro woman exhorter in the ruins it; man's like a treasury world, once got into an altercation with her husband's son-inan falls from grace her character law in Brooklyn. The man, is generally ruined forever; on whose name was John Bentley,

"I believe," says Mrs. Smith, (she has described the incident in writing) "he incurred the displeasure of God, as did Elymas, the sorcerer, who withstood Paul and sought to turn away Sergius Paulus from the faith, and was stricken blind when St. Paul denounced him.

"When John Bentley cursed alum. They are injurious to health and swore at me I did not know face and said to him:

house haven't I always treated it was a mysterious dispensation you well? Why should you curse of Providence, but Rev. Joseph me in this way?"

and Diarrhoea Remedy in my fam- ed me terribly. There seemed to an unknown power, and not the come an indescrible power over act of God. me and I turned and lifted my

> " 'Mind, John Bentley, the God that I serve will make you pay

"He had not more than said the "There is no more need for a words when he seemed to tremble citizen of Texas to carry a pistol and stagger. There was a chair than there is for a dog to go about behind him and he dropped down with a hymn book strapped about into it. I never saw him from respecting the carrying of weap. weeks before Christmas, and beons are stringent as any everen- fore the new year came John

to enforce the law, I don't know, of it, but I believe that God was but it is true there are too many displeased with that man for the cursing me that day.'

Mr P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal. ays: "During my brother's late cabinet to suspend payment on sickness from sciatic rheumatism, the war bonds the bank of Spain | Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the | the cigarrette habit. only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by Graham Drug Co.

> Gen. Otis thinks 30,000 men enough in the Philippines. More than the whole business is worth.

> It's too much to expect an allround politician to be exactly square.

A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER



Highest Honors, World's Fair Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair Avoid Baking Powders containing

Eau Claire, Wis., June 18.-In he was going to strike me. I went nine pulpits here to-day the New up to him and looked him in the Richmond cyclone was the subject of the sermons. The gener-" 'When you have been at my al' sentiment expressed was that Moran of the Episcopal church, "He went on talking and abus- said it was the devilish work of

> Dallas News: They have been speaking continually about Aguinaldo being on the run. The charge has been that he was running away from our soldiers. From the number of Filipinos who seem to be continually near our army, it would look as if he had been running around collecting his men.

> The governer signed the bill which prevents the sale of cigarettes to the youthful Texan with a nice gold pen. It is now in order for the fathers of the aforesaid youth to prevent the purchase of cigarettes by supplying hemselves, with nice leather straps and paddles. The legislature and the fathers, acting together, might be able to do some hing in the way of breaking up

> Mark Hanna says he is against bad trusts. This is a partial conversion and so the world need not feel discouraged in the hope that eventually Mr. Hanna will become one of the plain people.

> Vitality, and carries Vigor to the organs of the body Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine creates rich, pure bloco. Sold by Akin &

It is a most laughable farce to hear the republicans proposing in their state platforms to crush the trusts. The enactment of laws by a republican congress made trusts possible and the boodle furnished by these trusts for campaign purposes makes it possible for the republican party to stay on its feet. When the trusts are destroyed, down will go the republican meat house .--Weatherford Democrat.

Dewey, it is said, has protested against money being raised by popular subscription to buy him a house. Kentucky thus saves the 25 cents contributed by one of her citizens, and he can now invest it in winchester amunition.

A British scientific commission has officially declared that scarlet fever, diphtheria and measles could be forever eliminated from the list of maladies if only perfect cleanliness could be enforced for a single generation of men.

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People economically inclined will do well to inspect our line of

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Opinions of a Pessimist.

The man who has never been a vice president at a mass meeting is justified in concluding that his A life has indeed been a failure.

Some women are good largely for the purpose of spiting others who would like to talk about about them.

There is a place in this world that everyone is made to fit, but most of the square pegs seem to be drawn toward the end where the round holes are.

The man who has never made a fool of himself over a woman still has a painful experience before him.

One reason why some women never learn to make their own clothes is that they don't have to earn the money which they pay to dressmakers.

An eastern paper asks: "When is a man old?" When the pretty girl who comes in and makes eyes at him and tells him how others will be influenced if he subscribes is finally compelled to go away without his name on her list.

Queer Japanese Poetry.

of five lines, the first of five syl- Spofford. labels, the second of seven, the seven each. The haikai is of three road bridges washed out. lines only, the first of five syllaare used almost entirely, no ing down the river. rhyme being employed, and the No definite idea of the damage Once a year Japanese poets make, dollars. excursions to the suburbs of the Sleeping Dragon, near Tokio, and on the blooming cherry trees, soms and black stems and appropriate festivities.

Envelopes Not Modish.

The latest fad among those who can afford to be faddish is the disuse of the envelope in correspondence. We have gone back to the old days, when red wafers and sealing-wax were all that custom demanded or knew. Modern fashion has produced wafers and wax to match the paper-heliotrope, robin's egg blue, cerulean, lilac, fawn or cream.

ters, a smaller size for notes and gether with Gen. Hale's brigade, session. invitations. When you receive a letter sent without its envelope do not cut and slash as you have been accustomed to do, but remove the wafers, break the seal and the writing will greet your eye untorn.

Tight Lacing on the Wane.

The queen of Portugal, who is something of a medical student and takes a great interest in the hospitals of her country, is a great enemy to tight lacing, and has always preached to the ladies of her court against this evil habit. Tight lacing in Portugal, owing to the efforts of the queen, is said to be now on the decrease.

His Opinion.

'What do you think of the coffin trust?" asked the observant boarder.

"It ought to be a profitable undertaking," replied the cross-eyed boarder, with a slight emphasis on the concluding word .- Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

RIO GRANDE RAGES

The Highest Stage of Water in a Great Many Years.

VAST AMOUNT OF DAMAGE.

Laredo, Eagle Pass and Brackett, as as Farming Country and Railroads, Injured Greatly.

Much Loss.

Brackett was submerged by the tremendous rise of Rio Grande river, the greatest known for over forty years. Main street on the 14th was a raging torrent, down it floating furniture, carts, cattle, horses, household articles and other things. A woman and her two children floated down on top of a house, but it lodged, thereby letting them escape.

The water rose around Joseph Veltman's house and himself and. family climbed a plank to the joists. They pounded for help and a man named Clamp cut a hole and took them away on a hastily constructed raft.

At Eagle Pass some fifty houses were washed away. All the valley Japanese poetry-that of meter farms were under water, the river without rhyme-has two forms being the highest known within particularly pleasing to the orien- the memory of man. Thirty miles tal versifiers, called tankas and of railroad track were washed haikais. The tanka is a stanza away between Eagle Pass and

The waterworks in both Larcthird of five and the last two of dos were submerged and ten rail-

Part of International bridge at bles, the second of seven and the Eagle Pass was carried off. A third of five. Monosyllabic words couple of bodies were seen float-

effect is rather strange than pleas- done in the Rio Grande valley can ing to ears accustomed to the yet be formed, but it doubtless rhythmic results of western poets. amount to many thousands of

Five Thousand Filipinos.

After cutting the railway and with their wealth of snowy blos- telegraph at Polo, seven mllcs above Manila, the rebels attacked branches, wisps of paper covered Gen. MacArthur's lines at San with the poems are hung, with Fernando, but met with a warm reception and were repulsed with a loss of seventy-five killed, thirty prisoners and many wounded. Five thousand men is the estimate placed on the Filipinos' force, who stealthily advanced through the jungle north of the city and then divided for the purpose of surrounding the Americans. In this they were unsuccessful, for the Americans waited for them poured a galling fire into them.

Gen. Funston's brigade of Kan-Large sheets are used for let teenth and Iowa regiments, toconstituted the American force and they vigorously repulsed the

> It is reported that Aguinaldo commanded the insurgents.

Oil mill superintendents elected the following officers: President, G. T. Parkhouse, Cisco; vice president, R. H. Schumaker, Navasota: secretary, Gustav Baumgarten, Schulenburg.

The Shriners at their Buffalo meeting elected George H. Green of Dallas imperial high priest and prophet. Washington is to hold the next council.

M. Poncaire has accepted the task of forming a new French

A brewery firm is to make a test of the new anti-trust law of

The lower house of the Michigan legislature has passed the Sayers anti-trust law.

Death of Bland.

Congressman R. P. Bland died at his home near Lebanon, Mo., last thirty-two hours of his life being passed in a steady sleep. He was was taken sick with la grippe shortly after the adjournment of congress in March and had a re-

Richard Parks Bland was born from all over the state. Aug. 15, 1835, in Hartford, Ky. taught school and afterward studied law.

In 1855 Mr. Bland moved to and afterward located at Virginia dress. City, Nev., where he practiced

1873 and save one term has been zens of Texas. regularly elected since.

He became chairman in 1875 of the committee on mides and mining and introduced in the fortyfourth congress the Bland bill, sufficient bullion to coin the minimum amount of \$2,000,000 per month in silver dollars at 412 1-2 grains each, and that these dollars shall be legal tender. He never varied in his attitude toward free silver coinage.

Have Retired.

No casualties were sustained by held at Fort Worth.

The Christian Endeavor union elected the following officers: President, H. H. Grotthouse, Dallas; vice presidents. Miss Leonard, Cleburne; A. M. Whitemarsh, Texarkana; Rev. Philip H. King, Hillsboro; Rev. M. E. Chappelle, Brownwood; Rev. C. McPherson, Fort Worth; Rev. R. E. Chandler, Vernon, and M. Miss Tyler Wilkinson, Temple; assistant secretary, Miss Van Ness, Belton; treasurer, Miss ferred. Grace Nauton, Paris; junior su-Dodge. Fort Worth holds next

The Marshals and Police Chiefs elected W. M. Rea, Fort Worth, of Christian Endeavor in Texas" president; M. J. Niland, Corpus Christi, first vice president; H. president; G. E. Cornwell, Dal- and it was an impressive service, las, third vice president; M. F. Forest, Houston, secretary and were made. treasurer. Houston was selected for next year's place of meeting.

Under date of the 15th Otis cables that of 4000 insurgents about one-third have been killed, wounded or captured and the remainder retreated. Also that a Filipino friendly to the Americans had been assassinated.

At Waco the Underwriters' association convened on the 12th in the second story had to escape and many matters pertaining to the fire insurance business were discussed.

navigation.

Gov. Sayers Speaks.

The 13th was commencement day at the agricultural and meon the morning of the 15th, the chanical college. Gen. Waties reviewed the cadets, who acquitted themselves in a creditable

The assembly hall, where the commencement exercises were held, was crowded with people

W. H. Whisenant of Kyle of Orphaned at an early age he la- the horticultural course, the first bored on a farm in summer in honor graduate, read a thesis on order to educate himself. He "Climatic Influence on Growth and Composition of the Sngar Beet in the United States."

Hon. R. E. Prince of Corsicana Missouri and then to California delivered the commencement ad-

Gov. Sayers' response to the law and engaged in mining. He sentiment of "Texas" was rich was elected treasurer of Carson in historical incidents and great in prophecy for the state's future, In 1865 he returned to Missour! which he declared could accomand settled at Rolla, forming a modate a population of 75,000,law partuership with his brother, 000. He expressed a most profound interest in all educational In 1869 he removed to Leban. matters, declaring himself the friend of every enterprise that Mr. Bland entered congress in added to the happiness of citi- angel.

Real Estate Convention.

A large number of delegates attended the opening session of the Texas Real Estate association which provided that the secretary at Waco on the 13th. Hon. R. L. of the treasury shall purchase Henry made address of welcome and C. T. Swan of Normanna responded.

Report of the executive committee was spread on the minutes. At the second day's meeting the committee on resolutions' report was adopted. It recommended that Texas should be repre-

sented at the St. Louis exposition Under date of the 14th Otis in 1903; that a committee comcables that Lawton's troops oc- posed of one member from each cupy the country south to Ba- congressional district be appointcoor; have scouted westward and ed by the chair; that the presisouthward on the line of Zapote dent and secretary be members river and Bacoor road; that the ex-officio, and that this commitenemy appear to have retired, tee report the best method of Their loss was several hundred making an exhibit at St. Louis. killed and wounded, while ours This committee is to report to was ten killed and forty wounded. the next meeting, which is to be

A number of interesting papers were read and speeches made.

Commencement Day.

The 14th was commencement day at the state university and a large number of persons attended. Gov. Sayers presided. On the rostrum were seated the regents, state officials and alumni.

W. A. Morriss, J. B. Warren and H. G. Reeves contested in J. Biem, San Antonio; secretary, the oratorical race for the W. J. Bryan medal.

The final reception to the stusans, the Montuna and seven- perintendent, Mrs. L. T. Sloan, dents wos held at the Driskill hotel that night and was a brilliant taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxa-

> The "celebration of a decade occupied considerable of the second day's Waco session of the E. Criswell, Yoakum, second vice Society of Christian Endeavor during which touching remarks

> > Laredo came near having a waterspout during the recent rain. Nine-tenths of the thickly settled portion of the city was from two to four feet under water. The Mexican National railway shops had to temporarily shut down.

> > T. J. Anderson's residence at Abilene, valued at \$3500, was destroyed by fire. Those sleeping by a ladder.

At the second day's meeting at Yukon river is now open for ents President Parkhouse deliv. Mass Answering Advertisements Windly ered an interesting address.

"Better Be Wise Than Rich.

Wise people are also rich when they know a perfect remedy for all annoying diseases of the blood, kidneys, liver and bowels. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is perfect in its action—so regulates the entire system as to bring vigorous health.

H00AS Sarsabarilla Never Disappoints

To tell a plain woman she is pretty almost to make her so.

Life to a Lazy Liver! The world is not always laughing

We Pay \$15 a Week and Expenses men with rigs to introduce our Poultry Compound, idress with stamp, Javelle Mfg. Co., Parsons, Kan.

Forging a horseshoe is more honorable than forging a check

with us when it is laughing.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes ight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures orns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Be a woman first, and ofterwards an

For Easy Ironing

use "Faultless Starch." No sticking, blistering or breaking. It leaves a beautiful fabrics. All grocers sell it, 10c a package.

Plain, unvanished truth is generally called, sensationalism.

The Summer Bath for Health.

The bath in summer is not only a luxury, but a necessity for health and beauty. To take it properly, ill a tub with luke warm water, use livory soep, rub the fiesh until it glows, rinse in cool water, and dry on a soft towel. A daily bath thus taken will keep the system in good condition during the warm weather ELIZA R. PARKER.

The man with a soft heart is rarely the one with a soft head

restored and the eyes cured by using FINDLEY'S EYE SALVE. No pain, sure ure or money back. 25c. box. All druggists, or by mail. J. P. HAYTER, Decature, Texas.

Many a man cannot be bought, but he will give himself away.

Two bottles of Piso's Cure for Consump tion cured me of a bad lung trouble.—Mrs. J. Nichols, Princeton, Ind., Mar. 26, 1895.

Did it ever occur to you that a watchmaker works over time? Hall's Catarrh Cure

Is a constitutional cure. Price, 75c.



An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, The degrees were then con- Syrup or Figs, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinally laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the tive, cleansing the system effectually, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers gently yet promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and sub-stance, and its acting on the kidneys, or irritating them, make it the ideal

laxative In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only. In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Compan printed on the front of every package.

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Figures and Possibilities Regarding This Texas Stream

PRESENTED BY A DALLAS MAN

Before the Convention of the Texas Rea Estate Association Held in the City of Waco Recently.

About the Trinity.

Mr. M. E. Foster of Dallas at the late realty men's meeting at Waco had this to say of the Trinity river:

I know the Trinity. I am acquainted with it and I love it. And I have reason for loving it, transferred to their possession the country adjacent with great sundry notes with my signature. rapidity. They didn't want the cash; would Then, instead of 14 per cent, 50 course of time I was persuaded tion; and instead of the shrunken

Harvey, after a notable trip up 329,550, 1,600,200 bushels of the river, anchored just below the wheat instead of 448,072. Commerce street bridge at Dal. las. Never before, nor since, has there been so wonderful an outpouring of people in the city of will be given to agriculture. With Dallas: never was there so much enthusiasm; the problem of the lower freight rates the farmer navigation of the Trinity had been solved.

Commas' Bluff and we had the will have better social, religious steamer Harvey ply back and and educational advantages. forth carrying crowds of delight, ed excursionists. It was a fine ride. The gentle puffing of the engines, the soft undulations of the stream set in motion by the boat, the refreshing breezes, the cool, shaded waterway on whose banks towered the hoary monarchs of the forest, all contributed to render such a voyage not only unique, but enjoyable in the highest degree. Then, too, the Harvey and the Dallas, another boat, not only spent the time in such dalliance, but engaged in serious business also, mainly that of freighting wood and logs to the factories. And this business assumed no small proportions. In the face of all this, however, there are persons who calmly assert that the Trinity is good for nothing.

Texas, but all Texas is vitally concerned in the navigation of the Trinity. We have demonstrated that this project is feasible; that with a suitable system of locks and dams, boats can be run all the year from Dallas to the gulf: that at all seasons there will be a plentiful supply of water in the river; that serious overflows can be prevented or purposes of irrigation.

wish to consider, namely, the importance of the navigation of the Trinity to the agricultural inter- fathers won, triumphing over difests of Texas, for not all the dif- ficulties which in a less hardy and ferent kinds of benefits to result determined race would have been can be considered in one paper, insuperable. In our hands has and I realize, too, that I must be the trust been placed to develop brief.

Trinity flows through or forms efforts, this wealth of soil and the boundary of fifteen counties, wood and mine, not forgetting namely, Dallas, Ellis, Kaufman, that other heritage of honor and Navarro, Henderson, Anderson, truth and justice.

THE TRINITY RIVER Freestone, Leon, Houston, Madison, Walker, Trinity, San Jacinto, Polk, Liberty and Chambers. Their aggregate area is 8,813,440 acres, of which 1,235,881 acres 14 per cent.

In 1898 these counties raised 453,647 bales of cotton, 226,823 tons of cotton seed, 18,437,560 bushels of corn, 2,329,560 bushels of oats, 448,072 bushels of

These counties for the most part have poor and expensive freight facilities. It is no wonder, then, that in 1890 the aggregate population was only 280,129, or an average of less than 20,000 to the county, and the assessed valuation of the whole area was only \$91,184,859. As soon as the Trinity is opened up for navigation and general transportation, for I own it. Some years ago the like the Erie canal, it will accom-Trinity Navigation company of plish what that canal did in New Dallas caught me when my heart York. It will develop these fifwas temporarily enlarged and teen counties immediately and all

not have it, in fact. Well, in the per cent will be put in cultivato pay those notes. That's how list of products just stated we I came to be one of the proprie- will have 1,620,168 bales of cottors of the noble Trinity, some- ton instead of 453,647, 810,082 times slanderously called the tur- tons of cotton seed instead of bid Trinity. I hold close to this 226,823 65,848,393 bushels of corn instead of 18,437,560,8,319,-A proud day it was when the 857 bushels of oats instead of 2,-

These figures show with the clearness of a mathematical demonstration the stimulation which more acreage, more products and will receive a better recompense for his toil, and with the larger We built a famous dam at Mc- population which will follow he

It is a fact which surprises over 35,000,000 acres of timber land, or more than one-fifth of its whole area. A large per cent of this timber is in the counties that are drained by the Trinity and its tributaries. The bois d' arc, pecan, walnut, gum, pine and oak trees of various kinds, to say nothing of woods of less importance, constitute a heritage of wealth well nigh impossible to calculate. The navigation of the Trinity will open up and distribute this wealth, which will co-operate with agriculture in forming a substantial basis for future prosperity.

Gov. Roberts uttered a truth when he said that "civilization begins and ends with the plow." Not only Dallas, not only north Agriculture began with the first \$12,000, half insured. man, Adam, and will attend every generation until the last man surveys with closing eyes a convulsed or dying world. "Agriculture is the basis of wealth." We are all dependent upon it. But for the good of agriculture and the good of all we need a superstructure on this foundation in Texas. We need cotton fac tories and furniture factories, controlled, and that probably shoe factories, tanneries, woolen surplus water can be utilized for mills, oil mills, implement factories, vehicle factories; indeed, This brings me to the particu- factories of all kinds and capital lar phase of the question I now to run them profitably and to develop our wonderful resources.

Texas is a dominion which our this heritage and to transmit to From Dallas to the gulf the our descendants, increased by our

Desperate Fighting.

Gen. Otis cabled the war department under date of the 13th as follows:

"Lawton's troops had a severe are cultivated, a little more than engagement to-day with the enemy in strong entrenchments at the crossing of the Zapote river near Bakoor, Cavite province, and have driven the enemy with heavy loss. Our casualties some thirty. The insurgents in the southern section were not molested until they threatened an attack in strong force on Manila. They are now scattered and in retreat and it is doubtful if they make a further stand."

The rebels commenced operations at daybreak by dropping a couple of shells from a smooth bore gun in front of the church in the navy yard. The gunboats Callao, Manila and Mosquito dismounted the gun. The gunboats then ran close along the shore and joined by the Princeton, Monterey and Monadnock dropped big shells among the rebels. This seemed to rouse the rebels still more and they vigorously replied. The gunboat Helena joined in and it looked dubious, but the enemy, who were at the mouth of the Bakoor river, were forced to

Companies F and I of the twenty-first infantry were nearly surrounded by a large body of insurgents, but managed to cut their way out.

It is reported that Gen. Luna and Lieut. Ramon were assasinated by Aguinaldo's guard at the latter's 'headquarters. It seems they were on their way to confer with Aguinaldo, got into an altercation with the guard and were bayoneted to death.

Loss of Life Great,

most people that Texas contains fire broke out and it is thought ess had caused her so much disthat hundreds of bodies were cremated. Bodies were taken to the Catholic and the Congregational churches and the schoolhouses.

The fire burned over several uscript to be destroyed.

Eye-witnesses describe the cyclone as an appalling sight and one soon not forgotten.

Estimates of the dead range from 100 to 1000 and it will be several days before the exact number can be learned.

At Ardmore, I. T., on the 12th the law library building belonging to United States Attorney Johnson and the building belonging to United States Clerk Campbell were destroyed by fire. Loss

Rev. Dr. John P. Greene, president of William Jewell college. Missouri, who was elected president of the Southern Baptist Theological seminary at Louisville, Ky., has declined.

Gov. Sayers has received letters Filipino interviewer. from. Govs. Bushnell of Ohio, Bradley of Kentucky and Povnter of Nebraska saying they intend attending the anti-trust conference.

At the opening session of the Christian Endeavor convention at Waco President Grotthouse and others made inscresting addresses. The attendance was large.

Sharkey has accepted Jeffries' challenge and preliminaries will at once be arranged. They will probably meet in September.

A poultry, pigeon and pet stock association has been organized at Texarkana.

Royal Contributions Returned.

Queen Victoria has always had a leaning toward authorship, and she has often related to distinguished members of the writers' craft how she, when young, sent anonymous contributions, chiefly poems, to editors, only to receive them back with the usual expression of regret.

The same experience befell both the Princess Louise (the Marchioness of Lorne) and the late Duke of Albany. The latter used to tell how an editor wrote to him, at the same time returnthey seemed to be "quite without authority."

The Princess was more fortunate on many occasions. One editor repeatedly accepted articles on art from her before he discovered her identity.

The Princess says that one of check made out to herself, in the name of "Myra Fontenoy," for literary work.

The wife of the German emperor, too, a few years ago was keen on acquiring literary fame. Her book, a story of old German days, wandered from publisher to publisher without a kind word being | Sun. said for it-a fact which the empress now acknowledges caused her more disappointment than any other trouble had ever done.

After the book had made its round the empress wished to pub- ago, he at one end of the rope and lish it on her own account, but the mule at the other, has won was strongly dissuaded from do- another rich stake-worth \$20,ing so by the emperor.

Somehow the story got abroad among the publishers, and the empress was waited upon one day by a deputation from a leading publishing firm of Berlin, years ago. Three years after he Later reports from the cyclone who asked to be allowed the was paid off he exhibited the at New Richmond, Wis., show honor of publishing her work. piece of paper, calling on a certhat it was of a most disastrous The empress told the deputation tain bank to pay to his order \$68,character. To add to the horror that her experience as an author. 000. It was considerably worn appointment that after her husband had read what she had written and pronounced unfavorably upon it she had ordered the man-

Must Have Harmony.

and footgear now goes a step fur- Withers died. ther and carries a Malacca cane that exactly matches those articles in tint. His cravat and stockings did so long ago. To com | intelligent audience somewhere plete the harmonious combination it only seems necessary for him to go out in the sun and get his nose burnt to the same hue and a little varnish will do the rest. Follow the fashions closely enough and you learn something important every day.-New York Commercial Advertiser.

His Collar.

"They have made a great deal of fun of my gold collar," said Aguinaldo, "but there is one thing I desire to say."

"What is that?" inquired the

"It doesn't extend up behind Tanner of Illinois, Pingree of my ears like a board fence, and Michigan, Thomas of Colorado, then turn over again so that its neither a stand up nor a lay down collar, and I don't wear any fool ish little red necktie with it, either .- Washington Star.

Where Emery Comes From.

All the emery used in the world comes from the little is land of Naxos, near Greece.

As it is one of the hardest sub stances known, ordinary quarrying tools can't be used to cut it out. The 300 men engaged in the trade get the stuff out by building big fires about it until it cracks, It were furnace coal.

Shooting Gallery Under Broadway.

"There used to be a shooting tunnel under Broadway, between Warren and Murray streets, and I have put in some very good shots there in the old days," said a New York man who had been talking about the proposed underground rapid transit.

"I think it was some thirty years ago that a Broadway tunnel was bored out. It was a private scheme. The proposition was to show the feasibility of some sort of under-ground rapid mode of travel. After the tunnel ing his manuscript, to the effect had been constructed the distance that, although the statements he of a block the company put in a made were interesting enough, car which was propelled, as I recall it, by the compressed air system. It was not compressed air, perhaps, but it was on that principle-something like the pneumatic tube. New York was considerably agitated over transportation then. Everybody had a plan. How long the company the proudest moments of her life gave exhibits I do not remember, was that in which she found a but the proposition was finally abandoned, and then it was rented for a shooting gallery. It was bully for that. The hole is still there. You can look into it through an iron grating on the west side of Broadway, near the walk. I have heard that the city uses it for storage."-New York

He Valued Wither's Check.

Old Green Morris, who hailed from Missouri and had fun out there with a mule years and years 000. I wonder if he will keep the check for the amount of his winnings as long as he kept one given to him by the late D. D. Withers at Monmouth Park seven or eight and greasy. "Green, why don't you put that in the bank?" asked Col. Simmons, presiding judge. "Bank it?" said Green, in astonisliment. "Not while old Withers is alive . I'd rather have his check than all the money in the Chemical bank." There was no use talk-The young man of fashion that ing; he would not be persuaded affects brick dust colored gloves to draw the money until Mr.

No Rhyme There.

He was addressing a lowly but in the vicinity of Seven Dails, and he had selected for his dis; course "Rhymes and Rhyming." so that he might illustrate to these rough and rugged minds how far the charms of poesy can brighten the poor man's heart, And touching upon the difficulties of rhyming, he said:

"It is easy enough, my friends to get a rhyme for so simple a word as 'sea.' but what can you get for 'burglary?'"

"Well, guy'nor," exclaimed one of his hearers, "it all depends on, the judge. My Bill got seven years."-Spare Moments,

Current and Wire.

None of the energy of an electric current travels along the wire, but enters into it from the surrounding non-conductor and begins to be transformed into heat. The amount crossing successive layers of wire decreases until by the time the center is reached, where there is no magnetic force, it has all been transformed into heat.

A Question of Expansion.

"The india rubber man seems unusually sad today."

"Yes; he's just discovered that and then prying it off with levers. he cannot stretch his salary over, It is shipped in big lumps as if from Monday till Saturday.-Omaha World Herald.

The Leader.

-PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY-J. W. GRAVES, GRAHAM, - - TEXAS.

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RATES OF SUBSCRIPTION: One copy one year, . . .

If there is any one thing more nauseating, it is here worshiping.

A carload of Irish potatoes was shipped from Fort Worth to Col- truth is so impressed that every wonders why his neighbor is getting full information, or write E. P. orado. They were raised by J. L. Burleson of Tarrant county, who had twenty acres planted in

neine has a national reputation, ex- the enlargement of the spleen, tending over about tixty years, as caused from the excessive use of a most successful Liver Regulator, cigarettes. His remains were For sale by Akin & Matthews.

name of a new musical instru- should prove a lesson to the cig- does. In the rare cases wherein ment just invented by an Italian. arette fiend. Of course everybody will want

tives through swamps and bram- heathen could give the sainted duce at home." bles over in the Philippines? Be- "brethren" pointers on how to sides murdering hundreds of the live in a manner acceptable to Filipinos, our men are being God. Butthe "brethren" are expicked off one by one.

Dr M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine creates a good Appetite, Tones Christ than a wild son of the donand Strengthens the Stomach, and key tribe knows about heaven .builds up the Health, For sale by Cleburne Review. Akin & Matthews.

The third Texas Court of appeals hold that a woman must be 21 years of age before she can be held liable for breach of promise

Barnett Gibbs a delegate from which meets at Chicago June 26, rights of others.

Wanamaker is a sick man. He ers may die, but never resign has but nearly 500 additional offiwo weeks with carbuncles on

writes: Have used Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine 4 years job. Think of it! Has held the it helps me more then anything I have taken. I think it as far be-

and this would entitle the Pan- study fenceology."-Ex. handle people to two instead of one congressman.

Chicago.

During Summer we are liable to Stomach and Bowel troubles, such as Diarrhoea, Colic, Cramps, etc., for which Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine is highly recommended Sold by Akin'& Matthews.

Makers of armor plate for battleship, monitors and armored cruisers, refuse to furnish armor plate to the government for the new battleships at the price fixed by congress-\$400 per ton.

to the American navy are now in course of construction, and when

Hood's Sarsaparilla and be always well. by C. G. King.

"Good roads," says an esteemthem is manifold in vehicles, har- cessity compels it and then ruin his than another that is inexcusable ness, stock, time, etc." The ag- have a big doctor bill to pay, beitation for good roads should not sides; one pays out 25 cts., the oth-

Killed by Cigarettes.

Tuesday night in Durant, William Wiles, aged 18 years and a Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Med. step-son of J. C. Hall, died from laid to rest Wednesday afternoon. Autoelektropolyphon is the The death of this young man

> cusable since it is evident they do not know any more about

ing ground was a disappointed took to Porto Rico 3,415.

erson of Roswell Beardsley of Mrs. L. Rankins, Paris, Texas, town in 1828, and still holds the scarcely 1.000 have returned.

the other day. "No," replied whipped Mexico. We are told that the 13th con- the customer, "but if you will gressional district which is com- send the fence around some day posed of 80 counties each con- I will read it over and see what taining 900 square miles, will you are dealing in. Fact is, I'm double its population-90,000-in reading the newspapers now-a-1909. Twice 90,000 is 180,000, days and haven't much time to

The first carload of new wheat the heavy rain Tuesday morning, four section gangs all day Tuesday and part of Tuesday night to save the dam and the road bed ,-Ranger Success.

Notice.

The Deering Binders have arrived, and those who have placed orders with us. for machines will please call and get them. Also, those who have not secured a machine yet, we have a few extra.

HOLLINGSWORTH & DOWDLE.

SEEDS

Sixty-five vessels to be added of which spring many of the serious diseases that afflict the human body. Sound judgment would demand the immediate removal these are completed the United thing more troublesome and difficult to cure. bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and when I States will rank next to Great PRICKLY ASH BITTERS is a reliable cure for nad taken two I was able to eat three times Britain as a sea power in the constipation and disorders of a smilar char- as much as before. I always keep Hood's actes. It not only thoroughly empties and in the house and cheerfully recommend it." purifies the bowels, but strengthens the bow- M. T. Sinvans, 288 Longo St , San An-It is better to preserve health than to cur el channels and regulates the liver and stom- tonio, Texas. lisease. Therefore, keep your blood pur. ach, hence it performs a radical cure. Soll! That distress after eating is prevented by

Bad management keeps more peoed contemporary, "are to a coun- ple in poor circumstances than any ty what railroads are to a State. other one cause. To be succe-sful They develope the country ad- that when a favorable opportunity one must look ahead and plan so jacent to them just as roads build presents itself he is ready to take up towns and cities. Good roads advantage of it. A little forethought are indispensible to successful will also save much expense and agriculture. They appreciate land valuable time. A prudent and careful man will keep a bottle of Chamvalues, increases rents, encour- berlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarage investment, while their sav- rhoea Remedy in the house the ing to the people who traverse shiftless fellow will wait until ne- Ontario, Pennsylvania, Quebec, be abated in the least until this er is out a hundred dollars and then county in Texas will profit by it. richer while he is getting poorer. For sale by Graham Drug Co.

From Farm and Ranch, June 24th: "It is easy for a lazy farmer to figure out the proposition that he can buy fruits and other luxuries cheaper than he can raise them. When he gets it figured out the next thing is to do without, which he generally the farmer does actually buy fruits for family use, it is merely Brotherly love and christian a taste all round, leaving the apcharity in invisible chunks hang petite unsatisfied and even exag-What principle are we trying around the tabernacles of "Brers' gerated. No farmer can afford to maintain in chasing those na- Hayden and Cranfill. Even the to buy that which he can pro-

Our Two Wars.

The war with Spain lasted only 114 days. The war with the Philipines has now lasted 130

Gen. Shafter consisted of about 17,000 officers and men, little It is now said that the man who more than half of whom reached ran Grover Cleveland off his fish- the fighting line. Gen. Miles

applicant for a post office during | Since Dewey accomplished his Cleveland's second administra- mission in destroying the Spanish tion. Whether this be true or fleet twenty-three army expedi-Gov. Sayers has appointed Hon not he taught Grover a lesson tions have crossed the Pacific and that he should have learned in four have gone by the way of Texas to the anti-trust congress youth-never trespass on the Suez Canal to conquor the islands for which we paid Spain \$20,000,-000. These expeditions have car-Ex Postmaster General John The old saying that office hold- ried 1,279 officers and 37,287 men, has been confined to his bed for a very pointed verification in the cers have gone out to Manila and nearly 2,000 men who did not ac-North Lansing, N. Y. He was company the regular expeditions. appointed post master of that Of the total force, up to to-day

Gen. Otis has therefore had for constipation and Dyspepsia; sameoffice for seventy-one years! nearly twice as many soldiers as "Have you noticed the fine were required to conque Spain youd Black 'Draught and Zeilin's advertisement I have on the fence in Cuba and Porto Rico. His Regulator, I have used, as diamond out southwest of town," said a army is twice as large as the is superior to glass. Sold by Akin merchant to one of his customers force with which Gen. Scott

Our losses in Mr. McKinley's war in the Philippins are not bulletined for the public by the War Department, but they far exceed our loss in the war declared by Congress against Spain. There has been fighting nearly every day since hostilities were begun The dam of the big railroad at Manila, and our War Departtank west of town broke during ment is now striving desperately to send 5,000 more reinforcements from Texas sold for 90 cents at and it took the united efforts of to Gen. Otis. Commander Ford, Admiral Dewey's fleet surgeon, who has just returned home says: When I left we held not quite so much ground as was ours during the first part of August last year, and our lines were restricted to the suburbs of Manila."

> The splendid valor, dash and endurance of our soldiers is the only redeeming feature of this unauthorized, unnecessary un-American and apparently endless Biliousness and constipation are seeds out war of subjugation-N. Y. World

Three Times as Much.

"I was troubled with loss of appetite and of this condition before it develops some. was generally run down. I bought three

one or two of Hood's lills They don't gripe.

Reduced Rates for Summer Trips. Commencing June 1st and continuing to and including Sept. 30th, 1899, the Texas & Pacific Railway Company will-sell round trip Summer Tourist Tickets to tucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, pi, Missouri, New York, North tioned Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vir-

tion in rates. See the nearest ticket agent for Turner, G. P. & T. A., Dallas. end.

ginia, West Virginia, and Wis-

A Texas Wonder! Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and baldder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal remissions, weak and lame back, rheamatism points in Alabama, Arkansas, and all irregularities of the kidneys and blad Colorado, District of Columbia, der in both men and women. Regulates Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Ken- blabder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months Michigan, Minnesota, Mississip- treatment and will cure any case above men Manufacturer, St. Louis Mo., formerly

Waco, Texas For sale by all druggists of Texas. READ THIS.

Dullas, Tex., Oct. 14, 1898 .- This is to consin, at a considerable reduc- certify that I have been considered incurable by two good physicians, both saying I had Bright's Kidney Disease. After using one and oue-half bottle of Hall's Great Discovery, of Waco, I think my troubles are at an H. W. Brown, St. George Hotel.

1 Car (25) of the NEW CANTON WAGONS. 1 Car Cultivators, Corn and Cotton, and Check Row Planters, Chilled Plows.

We have the largest, most complete and best line of

Ever brought to this country, consisting of

Bain and Canton Wagons and Buggies, all styles of Cultivators, Corn and Cotton Planters, Walking and Sulky Listers, Disc and Sulky Plows, Wheat Drills, Stalk Cutters. All styles of Turning Plows, Disc Harrows, Seeders, etc. Binders and Binder Twine have been and are a specialty with us.

Our army sent to Cuba under We have the Goods, want your trade and will make prices and terms to get it.

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A Good Druggist to fill your Prescriptions is as necessary as a good Doctor to write them.

Drugs you must take because your Physician prescribes them. Your

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Calling for poisons like Strychnine, Arsenic, &c., and all other prescriptions as well, will receive the utmost care in our hands, and will be

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With the purest DRUGS obtainable. We take a pride in our PRESCRIPTIONS and ask that you give us a . trial, and be convinced of the superi-

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If you want your Buggy, Wagon, Plow, in fact anything you have rebuilt or repaired, don't forget to call on us before going elsewhere. All work guaranteed to be first class. We also sell Buggy and Wagon material.

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Teras. 8.-This is to ered incurable saying I had tter using one Great Discov-George Hotel.

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Texas ...

THE LEADER.

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Rev. J. A. Gardner will begin a protracted meeting at South Bend School House on the 30th of June and will continue twelve days.

Sunday School exercises July 7th day School exercises in the morning and public speaking in the ewining. G. C. Masey, Supt. and Marshall of the day.

HOLLINGSWORTH & DOWDLE.

The following officers of Young ing last Saturday:

S. W.; M. K. Graham J. W.; A. source. T. Gay Treasurer; J. E. Simpson Secretary; J. W. Graves Tyler.

M. K. Graham left last Friday for Spokane, Wash.

farther and is smoothest. See 7:20 p. m. Tuesday, June 20th. HOLLINGSWORTH & DOWDLE.

Ben Mixon and E. L. Cunning-

If you want a fine platino photo sizes, at lowest figures. of yourself do not delay until too late. Come at once.

M. H. CHISM.

Rob Adeock was surrendered by his bondsmen last week and is now working out his fine and costs for pistol carrying under John Crain as convict guard.

Babbitt Metal.

office at 10 cents per pound.

G. G. Matkins has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Wagner on Wednesday morning, 21st, a fine girl baby.

The cigarette law goes into effect Aug. 26th, and the small by who wants to smoke after that time must lay in a supply of pa-per and tobacco beforehand.

J. C. Price's time with me is limited. If you would like for him before it is too late.

, M. H. CHISM.

. Mrs. I. B. Padgett called at er, Maj. Sibley. THE LEADER office and left a fine lot of vegetables for the editor. Many thanks.

There is a new girl baby at Sam Ragland's, three miles north east of Graham.

Graham and family, out to the was better. Craig ranch for a few weeks.

E. Finlay received from the trus- | night by the junior Christian Entees of Twin Mountain Lodge, deavors, consisting of sons, rec-Knights of Honor, a warrant up- itations, readings, Bible queries on the Supreme Treasurer, for answered, etc. All are cordially Two Thousand Dollars. This invited to attend. makes, all told, Thirty-six Thousand Dollars paid out by the order through this local lodge. It is an old order, and while its rates of assessment are higher than some others, it is always safe and sure to fulfill its obligations J. L. Buckley returned from WOMENty, vigor and cheerfulness to beneficiaries.

Horace Aynesworth returned Wednesday from a trip to Gal- is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mc-

THE BRAZOS FLOOD.

Last Saturday and Sunday the Brazos river was higher than it has been for many years. Low bottom lands were submerged, and the backwater ascended Salt Creek for more than two miles above the town of Graham.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES. Some uneasiness was felt about our bridges, but they all stood bridge, however, the channel of The Center Ridge Sunday ly contracted for would be en-

bring well-filled baskets. Sun- ference over the phone with the termand the order for that work, country. and on Monday Judge Timmons We meet any and all competi- ling the contract. This seems to tion in the Hardware or Imple- be an unlucky bridge, and there ment line, whether cash or time. is now no telling when, if ever, the bridge will be completed.

The river began falling Sun-Lorge No. 485, A. F. & A. M., day afternoon and by Monday were elected at the regular meet- morning was practically down to low water mark. No great dam- is very warm this week. J. W. Akin, W. M.; W. J. Henry age has been reported from any

To Galveston.

Mid-Summer Excursion to Galveston, Saturday, June 17th. Rate from Jacksboro \$5.85 for visiting friends here last week. round trip; tickets good to return Deering Twine is the best, runs leaving Galveston not later than T. F. SHORT, Agt C. R. I. & T. R.

Weatherford is making prepham were again surrendered by arations for a big barbecue on their bondsmen last Friday and the 4th of July. They have alare now in jail in default of a ready over \$600 in cash donated.

Cotton Hoes, all shapes and to Waco to attend lectures. HOLLINGSWORTH & DOWDLE.

Col, Crozier Dead.

At 2:00 p. m. to-day, Col. A. R. Crozier departed this life, at the age of 90 years. He came here May 2nd to visit his son-inlaw, Maj. F. W. Girand, and at that time we gave a sketch of his life which showed him to have In any quantity, for sale at this had a remarkable career. He Polk in 1844, comptroller of Tennessee, U. S. Marshall, and one of the most prominent men of his state in the 40s and 50s. He removed to Austin in 1859 and has resided in Texas since.

At the time of our going to press it is not definitely known, Instrumental Duett-Otto but he will probably be laid to rest here .- Abilene Reporter, June 16 1899.

J. B. Norris and family returnhim to do your work, call and see ed from Haskell being called home by telephone on account of the sickness of Mrs. Norris' fath-

One thing certain, Hicks sets good meals at 15 and 20 cents; High School Cadets Band. also keeps barbecued beef. Try him. Opposite Dowdle's Livery America Forever! March .. Miss. Stable.

Maj. Sibley has been very sick for several days, and it was W. D. Craig will take his fam- thought Wednesdaythat he would Handicap Band. part in the song service. ily, accompanied by Mrs. E. S. not recover, but at last report he

An entertainment will be given On Tuesday the 20th, Mrs. O. at the Christian Church Sunday

> Elisha Stewart of Throckmorton, who has been attending the Normal here, returned home yes-

> S. B. Street, S. R. Jeffery and Haskell this week.

Miss Robinson of Gainesville, Carthy, of this place.

An Open Letter.

ROWN BROS. SOLE MANUFACTURERS OF

THE CELEBRATED OREGON CITY CASSIMERE CLOTHING

San Francisco, May 25, 1899,

the flood. At the Whiskey Creek Messrs. J. E. Morrison & Co., Graham, Texas:

Dear Sirs: Herewith find invoice for merchandise forwarded the river was widened to such an in compliance with your kind order. Ascertaining that our long extent that the new span recent- and favorably known Oregon City Cassimere and Cowboy Pants are being imitated in a much inferior quality, at a cut price, with the sole view of exterminating our goods, we have decided, after School will have a pic nic and tirely too short to cross the river. supplying the trade with them for 20 years, not to be outdone or Judge Timmons and Commis- driven from the market, and to reduce them from our former price Everybody invited to come and sioner R. J. Johnson held a con- 33 1-3 per cent, which brings them down to an actual loss of 20 per cent. You having the benefit of this reduction, and owning them at this ridiculously low figures; with the exclusive sale of the result that it was decided to coun- line, will guarantee to you the pant business of your section of the 22. All branches required for

Trusting our goods will open up to your satisfaction, and merit structors of wide Normal experiwrote contractor Horton cancel- your further valued patronage, we remain, Yours truly, BROWN BROS. & Co,

Just Arrived.

The above line of pants, and all those desiring a first class pant cannot afford to buy before examing this celebrated line. J. E. MORRISON & Co.

MARKLEY ITEMS.

pect for corn, but the wheat crop up in five and a quarter dayswill be short.

Mr. Norfleet and daughter, do the wood work. Miss Laura, of Jacksboro, were

his daughter, Mrs. Stewart of this place, this week:

James McDaniel came home from Graham last week. He seems to be well pleased with the Graham Normal.

Mr. W. P. Wagerner has gone

We will soon be needing rain

Open Air Concert.

The Graham Concert Band will give a free open air concert at

PROGRAMME. Snap Shot..... Band. Overture-Losey.

Characteristic Two Step-Recker Specialty Polka....T. H. Bowson Cornet Solo.

Polka-Snowberger. Bagpipe.....Band.

Quickstep-Keller. Our Boys (Fanfare Militaire) Mrs. Morrison and Maud Garrett.

Darky's Dream Band. Schottische-Lansing. Band. Little Trooper ...

March-Voelker. Instrumental Solo-Two Step.

Walter V. Ullner.

INTERMISSION. March-Sousa.

Instrumental Duett-E. T. Paull, choir leaders of the country. She was Bred in Old Ky...Band. Waltz-Baetlaer.

Two Step March-Rosey. Grande Polka de Concert...Mrs. Morrison.

Instrumental Solo-Homer N. Chilicothian

March-Hall: Greeting to Bangor Band. March-Hall.

Eli Green's Cake valk Miss Maud Garrett. Banjo Solo-Kouinsky. MontroseBand. Quickstep-Cogswell.

Home Sweet Home Band. AND andlessons ambition; beaukidneys are out of order or disessed. For Root, the great kidney remedy. At drug-gists. Sample bottle by mail free, also L. G. Rogers, P.

Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. Y.

The brick work on Logan's new of the square, is completed. J. or J. N. Stephens, Secretar. The farmers have a good pros- H. Wood, the contractor, put it Throckmorton, Texas. quick work. John Casburn will

north of Graham, has a well on anything of the kind see Hollings Mr. Gee of Bowie, is visiting his place that is said to be a cure for Bright's Disease. Mr. Slater's son and sister-in-law have both been greatly benefitted by using the water. J. M. Bryan of this place, who has had Bright's Disease for some time, is using the water and says it is helping him. If it should prove to be as stated, it will be a bigger thing than Mineral Wells.

To the Brethren Throughout Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory-Greeting:

ing of the Disciples of Christ, in the pavilion in Court House park | Northwest Texas, will be held in Tuesday night, June 26th, 1899. Young county, four miles north Forfeited Lands. of Graham, beginning July 13th, 1899, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

There will be an abundance of was editor, elector for president Remus Takes the Cake Band. | water and grass for stock, and main in Texas belongs to the Free School nished free to all.

Ziregara Bank. and all kinds of canned goods, will take effect 90 days after adjournment will be furnished at the regular market price.

of the State, on the ground.

This will be a fine opportunity to take a two weeks outing, to meet the brotherhood of North-The Birth of Our Flag ... Miss homa City, and other able men of great value to yo Georgie Jewell. our State, of which there will be a goodly number. Those from a distance coming by railroad can legislature just passed placing all Public Do March arranged by T. H. Bowron C. M. Whipp of Jacksboro, who effect 90 days after the adjournment of the will see that they reach the camp Legislat ground at a reasonable cost.

The singing will be under the in a position to secure some of this Publi supervision of Miss Sadie Jones Domain, which will be on the market, and Georgie Jewell and Mrs Morrison, of Kansas City, one of the best secure some of the forfeited sections which

books for all who desire to take order, to the undersigned for a copy of h

Be sure to bring your Bibles, and try to get as many of your unconverted friends to come as ought to be worth \$100 to you, if you fee! possible, that we may help to an interest in these matters. Bartlett, swell the number of our Lord's . Band. army in this the glad jubilee year of our Christian brotherhood.

Fraternally, O. J. Wood.

Camp Meeting.

A ten days' camp meeting will be held at Olney, Texas, conducted by C. W. Byron, the converted clown and author of "Diamonds in the Rough." We ex-Kidney trouble preys up. pect a great spiritual revival, and on the mind, discourages invite all christian workers to come and help in the good work. Meeting to begin Friday, July 7. Come and bring your Young pleasing results use Dr. Kilmer's Swamp- People's Hymnal. The meeting

> L. G. ROGERS, P. C. M. E. Church South.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last falls had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me; I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second has absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for 20 years. I give this certificate without solicitation, simply in appreciation of the gratitude felt for the cured effected .- Respectfully, Mrs. MARY A. BEARD, Claremore, Ark. For sale by Graham Drug Co.

Throckmorton State Summer Normal. Opens June 21 and closes July any state certificate taught. Inence. Assurance of large attendance. Students of Graham Normal by attending also at Throckmorton may take part of the examination for first grade and permanent certificates at each Normal. Board \$10. Tuition for Term S5. For circulars and information call on or address A Plenty of rain last week, but it business house on the west side M. Stewart, Conductor, Graham

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The second annual camp meet- SCHOOL Land. School LAND Public Domain. Public Domain

Forfeited Lands DO YOU KNOW that the Supreme Cour of Texas has decided that all the Public De wood for camping purposes, fur- Fund, and that the Legislature has just pased an act placing all the Public Domain the market for onle as school land on 40 year Fresh meat, bread, ice, pickles time at only 3 per cent interest, which are Legislature

DO YOU KNOW about when the forfeit ed list of of school lands will be sent out to Long distance Telephone Toll the General Land Office to the County Cie. Station, connected with all parts of each county placing each forfeited section on the market for sale again.

DO YOU KNOW in what counties in the State Public Free school Land is on th market for sale

DO YOU WANT a book giving the full west Texas, and to hear some good text of the State law in regard to the nor strong preaching by such noted ctase of Public Free School Land, togethe evangelists as J. B. Boen of Okla- the State and statistics in regard to them of DO YOU WANT a map of the State by

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will be torfeited when the lists are sent out If you are in erested in the above then sen There will be plenty of song \$1.00 either by personal check or mone book with map of Texas, giving School lanlaw and telling how to buy same, with is of counties in which It is located, and a cop of the recent act of the Legislature which

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pecial Agent C. G. KING.

Kendall's Letter.

S. Kendall has issued the follow- gay with the boats of fishing paring letter:

questions to be used in the exam- ty pounds. ination of applicants for teachbefore they are to be used and are pounds of fish. tions, from time to time efforts nomical. have been made, and occasionally thereby to acquire a license for the clear water. unlawfully would-be teachers.

In certain counties of the state the negro population is large and these attempted frauds in past years have been frequent. Sometimes the department of education has rejected sets of examination papers from certain schools and counties because of undoubted evidence of fraud. Recently a county superintendent for this reason annulled the contracts of several parties, and upon proper notification the educational department cancelled the state certificates of the same parties.

Recently employes of the house by whom these examination questions are printed have been approached by more than one person wishing to buy copies of the examination papers in advance of the examination days. One individual several days ago attempted to purchase these questions from an employe of the state contract printer. An hour was arranged for him to call, receive and pay for the questions and the department of education was at once ders for getting ready for the As soon as the independence of notified of the arrangement. At survey of the channel. It is nec- Texas was achieved this building the agreed time he was on hand essary, among other things, to was completed in the old colony and a part of the money was by procure additional instruments seat of Texana, but when that him handed to the aforesaid em- and to establish more stations. town was abandoned in 1883 Col. ploye, who immediately placed He thinks it probable that every- Egg removed it to Edna and conthe entire matter in the hands of thing will be in readiness for a tinued its use as a grocery store Superintendent Kendall, he being start on the actual work of sur- until it gave way for the new by agreement a few feet away vey in about a month. By the structure. The timbers and ceiland a witness of the entire pro- latter part of the month work ing of this old store are in a percedure. He was finally dismissed should begin on the twenty-five feet state of preservation. Mr. after being assured by the super- foot canal. intendent and printers that in addition to being fully advertised on this occasion he and his ilk would hereafter be more closely watched to the end that honest examinations may be had and unworthy applicants for certificates excluded.

Fine Fishing. dominating. Mr. Duncun's party er. was reinforced on arrival at the lake by Justice of the Peace Davis, Constable Kemper and John C. Baldwin of Leon county. For amusement the outers confined ics in the University of Texas. Dr. themselves to fishing, as it is too late in the season to shoot game of any kind.

Lake Stanmire is not a pre- belt of Grayson county.

serve. It is open to the public Superintendent of Education J. and its surface at this season is ties. The lake is well stocked Under the laws and regulations with native white perch and also he had bagged while en route. It governing the department of ed- trout. Large catfish abound, was sitting on the ground on the ucation for a number of years all some of them weighing over thir-

A fishing tournament was orers' certificates are prepared by ganized and Waco won the ribbon the state superintendent. These for the largest white perch. Dr. questions are printed ashort time Duncan's party caught over 200

in sealed packages, to be opened Lake Stanmire is located near only by the local examining the Trinity river. It is said to board. They are sent to the have been formed by the river county superintendents of the changing its bed, the abandoned 234 counties. Notwithstanding bed constituting the lake. The great care is taken at all stages of country near the lake is settled the preparation, printing and the with farmers who sell chickens proper distribution of these ques- and eggs cheap and living is eco-

Some of the tents pitched in with partial success, to obtain the timber surrounding the lake copies of these questions in ad- are occupied by invalids from disvance, with a view of "coaching" tant states seeking restoration to applicants for certificates and health by boating and fishing in

Dredge to be Built.

Capt. Charles S. Riche, corps of engineers, United States army, in charge of the Texas district, received orders at Galveston from headquarters to proceed with the building of the large deep sea dredge provided for in the appropriation for the Buffalo bayou ship canal, and also with the survey of the channel. There is set aside out of the appropriation of \$300,000 made as a starter for the channel the sum of \$125,000 for the dredge. Capt. Riche will at once put a marine engineer to work making plans for the dredge provided for in another appropriation, and which is to be used in the improvement of waterways along the Texas coast. It may be that these dredges will be built at Galveston, but as the work is to be done by contract it is not certain where the construction is to take place.

Capt Riche has given rush or-

Extra Pay.

J. D. McRae of Waxahachie, late captain of the Ellis County volunteers, has written the fol-

"Some time ago my attention was called to a newspaper notice stating that extra pay would be given to all volunteers at the rate county. A. P. Duncan, president ment, including those who were Sam P. Wright, Jr., and N. N. accepted. I wrote the war deon the shores of Lake Stanmire, to secure this pay, and I have rea fishing resort in Leon county of ceived a reply. It seems that no considerable reputation. The lake special form of voucher is reis between three and four miles quired and the auditor for the long, half a mile wide and has a war department has sent me a mean depth of about fifty feet, form which he says may be used. head and wrecking the engine. The water is clear and the color I have this and will be glad to of blue steel. The lake is fringed show the same to any one who with large trees, sweet gum, cot- desires to see it, and will also be ton wood, sycamore, druid oaks, glad to assist any member of the quently had a narrow escape. The live oaks and hackberries pre- company in preparing his vouch-

> Prof. Dickson of the University of California has been chosen assistant professor of mathemat-Calloway has reconsidered his resignation.

Cotton is in bloom in the river

Peculiar birg.

T. H. Martin of Montague county exhibited at Sherman a few days ago a peculiar bird that edge of a cornfield when seen and shot. An examination of the bird showed the following peculiar features: The neck is very long ing was education and not legislaand slender and the head is somewhat elongated, the eyes setting well back and protected by unusually heavy and tough appear- this line the reverend gentlemen ing lids. The bill is about two said politicians should pay more inches in length and comes to a attention to education than they needle-like point and is filled with | did. saw-like indentations. The wings are long and of a dark plumage, dappled a little with a grayish mixture. The tail is very long and when spread out it makes a fan. On the neck the feathers are of a clay color and almost down, while a coating of perfect beaver-like fur covers the back and is of a dark reddish brown cast. The legs are short and end in web feet, the toes of which are armed with long claws, uncommon with water fowls. During the last few months many pelicans and other coast-line fowls have been found along the waterways and ponds in the vicinity of Sherman, and in the absence of a knowledge of the family to which the specimen referred to belongs, the idea prevails that this, too, was a visitor from the

An Old Landmark.

Work has been begun at Edna in Jackson county for the brick store of Col. Egg. The old frame building that occupied the spot and which has been moved to another locality is an old landmark of Austin's colony. The neavy timbers of this structure were being bewn from live oak in the Navidad bottom in 1836 when the workmen were called to arms and joined the little army of Texas which repelled and routed Santa Ana's army at San Jacinto. Thomas S. Sutherland is the only colonist now living in Jackson county who was there when this old landmark was originally constructed.

A Territory Goliah.

John M. Cruch, who lives near Wade, I. T., 24 years of age and a farmer by occupation, while on a visit to Durant a few days ago An outing party returned to of \$1 per day each from the time attracted considerable attention Waco from an outing trip in Leon of assembly to the time of enroll- owing to his height. A committee weighed and measured Mr. of the Waco Commercial club; rejected as well as those who were Cruch. His weight was 173 pounds and his height, with his Keith were members of the par- partment asking for information shoes off 7 feet 8 inches. He is ty. The party pitched their tents as to what steps should be taken the tallest of four brothers, all of whom are over 6 1-2 feet tall.

> At Hillsboro the cylinder head of an engine in the electric light plant blew out, breaking the draw-Engineer Summerfield passed before the cylinder head a second before it blew out and consecylinder head was blown through a brick wall into the engine room About \$1000 damage was the re-

Governors of Alabama and North Dakota endorse anti-trust conference.

John Berry was hanged at Marlborough, Md., for the murder of Miss Amanda Clark.

Annual Sermon.

The baccaulerate sermon before the University of Texas was delivered this year by Rev. Dr. college at Columbia, Mo.

tended that all of Christ's teachtion, and that he began with the lowest order of human life and worked up to the highest. Along

Dr. Moore took the position that in every university there should be a Bible college or Bible chairs. That all denominations could be represented, which would eliminate the sectarian feature. Every denomination could pay its own instructor and divinity students could thus be instructed and educated.

Was Sustained. At a session of the county court at Hallettsville the case of vendors of pills and mustard to J. W. Cook vs. A. W. Turney for disfigure nature's beautiful handthe office of treasurer of the city iwork with hideous advertiseof Yoakum was taken up for the ments, commercial enterprise has purpose of disposing of prelimi- hit upon another method of maknary motions. The defendant ing profit out of scenic charm. entered a plea to the jurisdiction A limited liability company in of the court, contending that the Yorkshire has come into existsuit should have been filed in the ence for that express purpose. It district court. The plaintiff con. farms the picturesque, and then tended that it was not a contested charges so much a head for the election case, but a suit for the purpose of looking at it. In one office, and that as the emoluments instance it has acquired a comthereof were but \$3000 per an- plete monopoly of a wide stretch num the suit had been properly of beautiful country, and admisbrought in the county court. The court sustained the plea to the jurisdiction of the court and dismissed the case at plaintiff's cost.

Court of Claims.

The court of claims, consisting of the governor and the attorney general, created by the last legislature to pass on all claims for refunds for payment of money on school lands where patents failed to issue caused by erroneous and conflicting surveys, etc., was in session a few days ago and approved claims aggregating \$10,-000. The last legislature appropriated \$50,000 for the first year and \$35,000 for the second year with which to pay these claims.

commissioner of the internation- loathes overshoes and fur tippets, al boundary commission, left El who growled at the sight of a Paso for Washington. Before mackintosh and who broke the going he let a contract for a \$20,- ribs of her umbrella to give vent 000 brick block in the former to her feelings about blizzardscity. Gen. Mills made a fortune she's the one who will weep and out of a soldier's belt which he wail the most at the first warm patented several years ago and wave. which was adopted by this government.

Judge Smithers of Navasota while on a recent visit to Huntsville secured a copy of the old Texian and Brazos Farmer, a paper published at Washington in 1842. The old paper contains an article ridiculing the village of Austin for having the nerve to desire to be the capital of the state.

The artesian well at the Collin County Mill and Elevator company building at McKinney is being bored rapidly and has reached 1000 feet. Another one will be sunk at the cotton seed oil mil during the summer in order to provide a better water supply for that institution by the time the next season opens.

Near Kaufman the 2-year-old son of Harry Douglass was badly scalded by falling into a pan of scalding water.

Southern foundry iron has advanced 50 cents on the ton.

A Professor Dabbles in Dolls

A learned professor has recently brought to light some facts concerning children and dolls. W. T. Moore, dean of the Bible We are told that whereas out of 845 children 191 preferred wax He chose for his text "Jesus, dolls, as many as 144 pronounce." the Great Teacher." He con- in favor of rag ones. Odd preferences are sometimes shown with regard to size. A lady states that she preferred four-inch half-penny dolls, "because there was so much more to be done with these in the way of putting on wigs made from door mats, inking-in eyebrows, etc." On the other hand, another English lady declares that her childish ambition was the possession of a big doll -"one that would fill my arms and take some of the caldling that I wanted to bestow, and which nobody seemed to want." -Spare Moments.

Limited Liability Scenery.

British admirers of rural scenery will have, before very long, to go farther afield for enjoyment. As if it was not bad en sigh for sion to view can not be obtained without the payment of sixpence.

On the Wrong Tack.

"Here," said Mr. Hayricks, as he drew his hand away from the fortune teller, "you said in your advertisement that you guaranteed satisfaction, didn't you?"

"Yes," the seventh daughter of a seventh daughter (born with a. veil replied.

"Well, if you think you're givin' me satisfaction by settin' there and savin' that my wife's a-goin' to forgive and come back to live with me, you're durn badly mistaken."

An Indisputable Assertion.

When the hot weather really. Gen. Anson Mills, American comes it will be the woman who

Almost Criminal Neglect.

"Here," said the statesman who had been temporary chairman of the convention, "I'd like to know what kind of a party organ you're runnin', any way."

"Why," the editor asked, what's wrong?"

"In your account of the proeedings you have not once referred to my speech as 'a ringing address!" "

Only Natural.

"When I was in Australia," he said, "the first hotel at which I stopped served kangaroo-tail

"Dear me!" she exclaimed, "what did you do when they brought it on?"

"I had been living on ship fare for several weeks," he replied, "and fairly jumped at it."

A Facer. Mrs. Grump: Have you a good memory for faces, John?

Mr. Grump: Yes. I remember your face when I could look at it without feeling ill, but I'm hanged if I can now .- Judy.

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Exhits at Paris.

There will be a large exhibit from this country at the Paris exposition in 1900, which will prove very interesting to all, but no more so than the news that the famous American remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, will cure dyspepsia, indigestion and constipation. To all sufferers a trial is recommended.

The feeling of ennui that creeps into a love affair presages its finish.

Washing Day

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The different countries of Europe vary very greatly in the average stature of their people. The Scotch are the tallest, five feet ten inches, on a level with the Polynesians and the Armenians. At the other extreme are the southern Italians, French and Spaniards, all the shortest people, except the dwarf tribes of Africa. The average height in Ireland is five feet nine inches; in England and Scandinavia, five feet seven inches; in Wales, Germany and Denmark, 1 /e feet six inches; eastern France, five feet five inches; Spain, Switzerland, northern and central Italy, five feet four inches; Portugal and southern haly, five feet

The latest recipe for inducing sleep is that of Dr. J. B. Learned. Dr. Learned, who was a martyr to insomnia, had tried in vain every method of treatment he ever had heard of-drugs, hot and cold water inter ally and externally; friction, underfeeding and overfeeding, exercise, gymnastics, deep inspirations and numberless mental occupations, w in he er to the conclusion that if he could tire out the muscular system by a series of exercises carried out in bed, the system would be so occupied in recoverin from its fatigue that it quickly would drift into a state of sleep. He tried the plan and says he found it a great success. First of all, the patient must stiffen himself out on his bed, then raise his head half an inch, breathing slowly and deeply, about eight times a minute.

Anna Held's strong point is her eyes, She wants them to be just as large as they are, and larger if possible. Miss Held, before the camera, is a sugges-

Adele Ritchie is a favorite with photographers. Miss Ritchie, besides being a capital poser, is prolific in healthful suggestion. The result is always

have been such a success? Photogra-

Marie Dre sler, in the photographer's estimation, is one of the dearest things ever. "She is so submissive," said one professional in speaking of the athletic comedienne. Liss Dressler has the happy faculty of "acting terrible," but is good before the camera. Jessie Bartlett Davis is renowned for her pleasant co duct in the studio. Many actresses talk a great deal, but Miss Davis is remarkable for the reason that she says something. Her photographs are always unaffected and charming, perhaps, for that very rea-

LITERARY NOTES.

George W. Cable, who has just ended a somewhat lengthy visit to England, where he was very cordia by received, promises to write a book of his impressions of England. Turn about is fair

The demolition of Furnivall's inn. Holborn, is now almost complete. The last portion of the birtholace of Pickwick to fall under the destroyer's hand will be the gateway, which still stands forlorn amid the ruin-leading no-

Surprise has been expressed that the Ashburnham first folio Shakespeare brought only \$2,925 at a recent sale. It was supposed that not less than \$4,-000 would be realized from it. The reason given is that after it was catalogued two or three small blemishes were discovered, which were thought to detract from its value.

ar. Swinburne left Oxford without taking a degree and takes pride in avowing his illiteracy. . . . twithstanding this fact, he is a master of Greek and French. He graws more eccentric in his waxing years, now approaching three score and ten, lives near London, but is almost never seen in society, and is particularly fond of children.

Had Not Got the "Breeks."

A resident in a little town in the north of Scotland was asked to take the office of elder of the kirk. He seemed reluctant to accept the honor till a wag, who knew his weakness, whispered to him that if he became elder he would get \$5 and a pair of trousers at the end of the year.

The year passed away, and when the promised garment did not appear the elder went to the minister and said:

"I haven't got the breeks yet."
"What breeks?" said the minister. The elder explained, and the miniser smiled and declared that the promise was only a silly joke. The elder expressed great disappointment about the trousers and was turning away,

You seem to care more about the breeks than about the money?' "Oh, ay! the fl'pum," repied the eld-

when the minister said:

without exaggeration.

"A just helpt masel' to that fra The fishing season suggests the idea

that a fish might be a pianist if it would only practice its scales. Few people can tell of a hail storm

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The darkest nigtht seems always to

Clara Can Cook

His arm, that had been resting on the back of the little settee on which they sat in the gloaming, slipped down and encircled her slender waist.

"Clara," he whispered, "we shall be very happily, shan't we?"

A soft sigh was her only audible response, but she nestled closed to him and he appeared satisfied.

The mellow haze of the golden October day still hung over the darkening landscape. The voice of a treetoad somewhere in the neighborhood lifted itself up and called insistently for rain. A faint odor of fried ham from some kitchen to the windward of them prevaded the air.

A thought seemed to strike the young man.

"Clara," he said, "we ought to have the clearest understanding about everything that affects our future, Yes," she murmured.

"Clara," he said again, after a long pause, "can you cook? There was another long pause.

Then she straightened herself up. looked him squarely in the eye, and proudly answered: 'Reginald, I can cook potatoes in

fifteen different ways." Then she put her head down where it was before, and into her pink, shelllike ear he warbled incoherent out-

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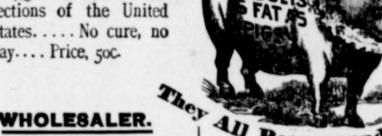
Mrs. Barnhart Enjoys Life Once More. "DEAR MRS. PINKHAM-I had been sick ever since my marriage, seven years ago; have given birth to four children, and had two miscarriages. I had falling of womb, leucorrhea, pains in back and legs; dyspepsia and a nervous trembling of the stomach. Now I have none of these troubles and can enjoy my life. Your medicine has worked wonders for me."-MRS. S. BARNHART, NEW CASTLE, PA.

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CONSUMER.

Wигтивово, Тех., Sep. 13, 1986. Fall suggestion. The result is always satisfactory to the man who makes the pictures, who, after all, is the best critic.

Maxine Ellie't, Nat Goodwin's wife, is a splendid "sitter." Miss Elliott, like Lillian "ussell, adapts herself to the suggestions of the photographer. Is it for this reason that her pictures have been such a success? Photogra
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Gentlemen:—We wish to congratulate you on the increased sales we are having on your Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. On examing our record of inventory under date of Jan. Ist. we find that we sold during the Chill Tonics but I sell ton bottles of Grove's to where I sell one of the others. It is always been something enormous: having sold during the late of Grove's to where I sell one of the others. It is it for this reason that her pictures have been such a success? Photogra-

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