

the season of 1000. It is well known quantity to spare. With all this we 1,021. It is a frightful showing. as one of the oldest and most reliable have ample stores of coal, iron, cop. Something is wrong with the courts nurseries in Texas and its represenas good as the gold. I shall be lying dormant in the earth. and we show that the ratio of increase in pleased to take your order for fruit have great forests of timber from murders from year to year has been trees, shrubbery, etc., for fall de- which may be made all the furniture. growing rapidly for several years. It B. T. LANIER, very.

A TEXAS WONDER!

Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery es gravel, cnree dilabetes, seminal considers, remov-se gravel, cnree dilabetes, seminal considers, remov-usrities of the kidneys and bladder troables, remov-usrities of the kidneys and bladder troables, remov-usrities of the kidneys and bladder in both frem and women. Hegalates troable in chi-dren. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of al 00. One small bottle is two months' breatment and will cure any case shove mentioned. We surely need to realize them

E. W. HALL, Sole Manufacturer, St Louis, Mo., formerly of Waco, Texas. For sale by J. B. Baker, Haskell, Texas. READ THIS.

Eunis, Texas .- Dr. E. W. Hall : Dear Fir-Six years ago the 20to of June I was stricken down with a dinbetic kidney trouble; then after a while it ran into grevel trouble, and thenback to diabetis and bindder affection. I began your gient remedy in April, tals year, and had I used is regular I think I could have passed a critical dependent, not only of the North and exterioation for any life insurance company, I consider your rame'y the safest, quickest and East, but of the world. In no other way can we so quickly bring them to che-pest remedy of all dow on the market. satisfactory terms than by becoming

I Despectially, OYRUS Y, HOGAN,

commerce and manufacturing-than The election returns have not all by ceasing to buy from them and been secured yet for publication, but forcing them to buy of us our finishthe following is the vote given by ed products. 201 out of the 247 counties in Texas. The 46 counties yet to be heard from are the remote and sparsely settled western counties:

Democratic electors, 262,245; republican electors, 129,191; populist electors, 22,421; prohibition electors,

Hannay, (r) 110,513; McMinn, (p) 26,267; Damon, (p) 2,793; Royal,

(s. d.) 433. For the irrigation amendment 94. 958, against amendment 129,128.

Proumonia Provented.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and la grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, Chicago, one of the most prominent retail this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but HOME also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by J. B. Baker druggis t.

per and doubtless other minerals and juries. The statistics given vehickles, implements, cars, engines is a question to interest the press, the pulpit and all good citizens. and ships we may need.

to dispose of her raw materials for a

There must be a reform in public The South has never seemed to appreciate these facts at their true sentiment toward the man slayers, worth, but has always been content

Notice to Bridge Builders __ D

The Commissioners court will rethe profits of manufacture as well as ceive sealed bids for the erection of a bridge across Paint Creek on the Haskell and Albany public road, all

We surely need to realize them bids must be accompanied with now and to set about the reaping of plans and specifications and the all the profits and resultant advancourt hereby reserves the right to tages to come from turning out the finished products instead of the raw reject any or all bids presented. No materials, and if our men of means bid will be received after 10 o'clock are wise they will lose no time in a. m. on 2nd Monday in Dec. 1900. taking up the new role. Let us do and the court desires to sell the old

this and we will speedily become in- bridge and receive bids for the same and award it to the highest bider. D. H. HAMILTON,

County Judge Moore counties last week burned a 1899.

lished list:

strip 40 miles long by about 6 miles wide. HASKELL AND STAMFORD TRANSFER.

Meets incoming passenger trains and delivers passengers and express in Haskell without layover in Stamford.

2,530. For governor, Sayers, (d) 294,988; Livery Stable at Haskell

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department at Austin and show a enia, Duchess county, N. Y., says: total valuation of taxable property "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is We are state agents for in the State of \$908,200,645, which the best medicine I have ever used. A prairie fire in Sherman and is a net increase of \$24,174,114 over It is a fine children's remedy for croup and never fails to cure." Taking Haskell and the counties When given as soon as the child besurrounding and near it we find all comes hearse, or even after the of them save one (Baylor) have had croupy cough has developed, it will a very healthy increase in values. prevent the attack. This should be We take the following from the pub- borne in mind and a bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready Baylor county, decrease \$39.972 for instant use as soon as these

symptoms appear. For sale by J. B. Baker druggist.

In biliousness, HERBINE, by expelling from the body the excess of bile and acids, improves the assimi-Stonewall Co. increase, 93,263 lative processes, purifies the blood, Taylor county increase, 84,251 and tones up and strengthens the Throckmorton Co. incr. 26,983 entire system. Price 50 cts at J. B. This shows that our portion of the Baker's.

state is keeping well up with the procession.

Kansas City and Orient Road.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 25 .- Work is school children of Galveston had being pushed rapidly on the Kansas lost nearly all of their school books City, Mexico & Orient Railway in by the storm of Sept. 8, they donat-Woods county, 327 teams now being ed a sufficient number of the books engaged on the grading, with twice published by them and used in the as many men. Forty-six miles of Texas schools to take the place of the line, extending from the Kansas the books lost or destroyed. They state line to the Cimarron River, had previously made a liberal cash will be completed by Dec. 10. contribution to the storm sufferers.

The Chickering Pianos, The Emerson Pianos, The Goggan Planos, We are also state agents for the Needham Organs.

A recent item states a very liberal Tierman Printing Co. of St. Louis,

thing done by the Woodward & Mo. When they learned that the

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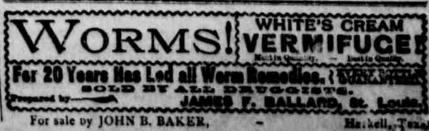
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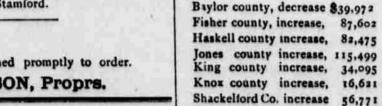
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Sachall Tress Muser	HOMES FOR THE POOR.	CLOSE BORUTINY	SAYS HE SAW FRUST.	TYPE-TOLD TEXAS TALES.	SHERIFF FROST'S BODY.	EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE
askell Tree Press.	Over Sixty Buildings Have Been Fim ished at Galveston.	Will is Future be Exercised as to Ad-	1 Louisiana Man Says the Sheriff Asked Bim for Employment.	Eventss Mentioned Perialning and Relat- ing to the Lone Star State,	A Kaufman County Man Claims to Knew Where it Is.	is dead.
and the second se	Galveston, Tex., Nov. 28, - The	Washington, Nov. 24Strong efforts	Austin, Tex., Nov. 24A special	Sid Pitt, on trial at El Paso for mur-	Houston, Tex., Nov. 27Sheriff An-	France reports a great increase
ASKELL, TEXAS.	building committee, which was award-	bave been made by the treasury de-	from Shreveport, La., says:	der was acquitted. The jury was out	derson is in receipt of a letter from Joe	divorces. Serious gas explosions are repor
TEXANETTES.	tributed to Galveston, made its report	partment to prevent undesirable emi- grants from entering this country.	The man who met and recognized a man in this city Monday as Sheria	and emiteretty of restant roothant	Smith, who says he can locate the body or Sheriff Frost of Chambers county.	at Marion, Hartford City and Blufft
All Terrell negroes are being vacci-		Some weeks ago a reprecentative of the department went to Montreal, Can-	and the set of the set	team defeated at Austin the Kansas	Mr. Smith writes from Kaufman, Tex., and his letter is as follows:	The closing session of the Spani
ated.		ada, where he met the representative	J. N. Hagan, superintendent of con- struction on the Shreveport and Red	City Medicos 30 to 0. Thieves entered the house of Jesse	"Mr. Anderson, Sheriff of Harris	American congress was brilliant.
and an even of the family defined	be constructed by beneficiaries-Av-	of the different shipping companies.	River Valley railroad. A statement	Scott, colored, near Tyler, and stole	county-I know where the body of	Two men were arrested at Brook
The Lampasas National bank, capi-	rage amount allowed \$250 each, num-	He arranged with them to have a	made by Mr. Hagan, which is as fol-	\$1249 and three silk dresses.	Sheriff Frost of Chambers county lies and can give you the exact directions	
al stock \$50,000, has been organized.	Buildings completed for beneficia-	United States surgeon examine all passengers before they had left the	lows, was in the Times: "I am as positive that I saw John	Edward Carroll, an old resident of	to find it. Sixteen miles south of Wal-	L. P. Sherman, brother of the
Peterus meco of emulations and	ries-Average cost \$250, number 60.	boat. He made the further agreement	L. Frost Monday afternoon in this city	Hill county, is dead. He was a scout in the United States army during the	lisville, the county seat, is the resi-	ex-Secretary Sherman, died at
ported at Barnes City, Cooke county.	erage \$100 each, work to be executed	that all passengers who were deemed undesirable should not be allowed to	as I know my own name.	civil war and several Indian wars.	dence of Joe Burns. You go there and from there you go by the compass	411 (7411)(7) 4111
	by beneficiaries 650.	land, but should be returned to the	"Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock a man accosted me and asked if my	Joe Badjero, 11 years old, while at	northeast six miles even, and there	Mrs. C. C. Parker of Tipton, I was terribly burned by an explosion
wl.	Total appropriation for buildings to	country from which they sailed. This	name was Hagan. I replied in the af-	the blackboard in a Mexia school, was	in a small hollow the body is burled. It	natural gas.
The Northwest Texas Methodist	date \$170,000, total appropriation for repairs \$75,000.	arrangement has worked very satisfac-	firmative and he asked me for a posi-	seized with convulsions and died later Henry Muttkezak and Een Russell,	is smoothed over the level above and leaves are scattered over the grave	The Mailed States supremo court s
onference meets next year at Corsi-	The houses constructed by the com-	torily. The emigrants now coming in- to this country are of the better class.	tion. I asked him if he had had any	Mexia boys, played with an "unload-	site. You should get citizens to turn	tains the legality of the Tennessee
	mittee, 12x37 in size, make three	They can either read or write the Eng-	experience in the railroad business, es- pecially in the construction depart-	ed" gun. The wounds in young Rus-	out with you and go in wagons to the	
the Port Arthur Milling company has increased the capital stock to	rooms, a kitchen and two sleeping	lish language and have money. This	ment. He stated that he had not and	sell's face and shoulder are serious.	place. Take prodding poles along and	
100000.	The plan adopted for estimated re-	arrangement insures to the northwest	I informed him that it would be im-	and want of theme strent, are minor	you will have no trouble in finding the grave. I know beyond all possible	
Capt. G. W. McCauley, a Confederate	pairs is only on the condition of roofs,	and middle western states a class of citizens who at some future date will	possible to use a man in the carpen- ter department. He introduced him-	from Blossom, was struck by light- ning and burned. A large amount of	chance of doubt that the body of Frost	
veteran, who lost an eye at Shiloh.	windows and floors and, as near as the	become a credit to the country. The	self as Randall and, leaving me, went	hay and grain was destroyed, also a	is buried there. JOE SMITH."	pig iron to Bremen, Germany. 7
fied at Dewine.	inspector can make an allowance of half the cost is made, not exceeding,	United States inspection station is at	down to the new trestle and sat down,	mule, horse and a lot of hogs.	Sheriff Anderson is confident that the talk of Frost being alive is incor-	was the third shipment in sixty d
Through mistake Mrs. Fred Guny	however, \$250 for each repair. During	Quebec in the summer months, but	I was sure I had seen the man before	Near Earlywine, Washington coun-	rect.	Capt. Peter Evereut, aged oo, the
ad a close call.	the first week \$350 was allowed in a	when the St. Lawrence becomes frozen over during the winter, the station is	and that his name was Frost. So cer- tain was I of the name being Frost	ty, three boys hunting sought shelter in a cabin from rain. Jesse Ferguson,	"The supposition that the missing	mous Confederate raider, died at asylum at Lexington, Ky., of ery
A marriage license was issued to a	few cases, but the committee soon dis- covered that this amount was more	moved to St. Johns or Halifax. This	that I went toward the trestle to see	one of them, slipped and fell. His gun	man was seen in Shreveport," he said,	
couple at Dallas, the groom being 85	than could be allowed with the funds	will prevent any undesirable emigrant		was discharged and the load penetrated	"is based on the fact that some rail- roader believes that he saw him board	
and a second based on the second seco	available, and then it fixed \$256 as the	from entering the country during the winter.	cast. He glanced up and, noticing me		a freight train there. There is no oth-	Thomas Booth was hot and killed
	maximum for repairs for each resi-	The success of the arrangements	coming, got up and met me before I reached the trestle. When we met he	T. J. Eddings, in c harge of the Pull- Worth, goes to Mexico to take charge	er evidence than the gentleman's be-	
decided not to divide the same.	dence, which in some cases does not exceed 10 per cent of he cost of re-	thus made has led the department to	again introduced himself, at the same		lief, and it is very fair to presume	son,
	pairs necessary.	make further inquiries. They are now	time, saying: "I believe I met you	of the company's business there. The	is murdered. There are many circum-	
erected at Dallas. It will be the larg-	The committee has rented a house,	talking over a plan to appoint a United States surgeon at Liverpool.	betore up at the ener. He spoke a	City of Mexico will be his headquar-	stances which point too strongly to it	
est wholesale saddlery house in the world.	corner Tremont and Mechanic, for \$50 per month and fitted it up for lodging	Just how this arrangement will be	short time and finally I said: 'Why man, your name is not Randall; it is		to believe otherwise without convinc-	or theo human.
Judge L. H. Scrutchfield, a Texan	indigent, helpless families free of	made is not known, but the officials	Frost, and you are from Wallisville,	Devoured by a Panther.	"Had Sheriff Frost wanted to leave	Govelect Durbin of Indiana
since 1849, and the first county judge	charge.	express themselves as well satisfied	15. C	San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 26Jesus	the county for any reason he would	credited with saying that he has a
af Bosaue county, died at Valley	The committee has been given free of charge for two years by the cotton	that such an arrangement will be made. When this is done no undesir-	when I made this statement no	Luterio, foreman o the ranch of Viejo.	hardly have gone to a section which	that at an forman
	mill company forty-two cottages, for-	able emigrant will be allowed to leave	turned pale and placed his hand on his hip pocket and at the same time he	near Cotulla, lost two children aged	is twenty miles from a railroad and where no boats are to be had to make	
Martin Irons, the labor leader, who	merly occupied by the operatives of	that port and the steamship compan-	hurled an oath at me. I then left	18 months and two and a half years, through the ravages of a panther. The	his exit after abandoning his horse.	of Alabama, and for many years on
	the mill. The necessary repairs will	ies will be saved the trouble and ex- pense of reshipping them to the port	him and returned to my work.	first child disappeared early in the	Frost was murdered beyond doubt. But	the most prominent jurists of
truceville.	cost about \$175 each, and many of them will be ready by the end of this	from which they left. This inspector	"I have known Frost for the past sevben or eigh years. The first time	forenoon and no trace of it was ever	the finding of his body is a different	south, died at Huntsville, that stat
John Langford, a resident of Fan-	month, when they will she leased at	will make a point of examining the	I met him was in alWilsville in the	found, though vigorous search was	thing: it may never be done, or for all I know, this letter might lead to	The Methodist conference of ginia, in session at Norfolk, don
The state and the second reduced and the state of the second seco	a nominal rental of \$5 per month. The	emigrants for the purpose of learning	winter of 1892-93, where I was em-	made. The mysterious disappearance was olved later in the afternoon, when	and the second	\$1318.30 for the relief of the denor
	money received from the rents will be applied to assist indigent persons.	if they are diseased, indigent, or have criminal records. While this latter	played by Cummings Bros. of Fort	the mother was horrified to see a pan-		ation's churches at Galveston.
a the same grave.	Construction of houses is greatly de-	feature does not properly come under	Worth, Tex., who erected the large mill which was built there during that	ther spring upon and carry away the	Santa Fe Telegraphers. Galveston, Tex., Nov. 27Gen. Man-	Mrs. Nancy Hollifield, said to I
Leigh Burleson, an attorney of San	layed by scarcity of materials. There	the head of a medical examination, it	time.	other child.	ager L. J. Polk of the Gulf, Colorado	been the oldest woman in North olina, died at Ellenboro. Her ag
aba County, has filed a voluntary pe-	are no adequate stocks of lumber,	is urged that while the examination is	"Frost is about five feet nine or ten	On the ranch at the time wers George E. King of Taylor, Jourd Irvin	and Santa Fe returned home Sunday	given at 100 years
ition in bankruptcy. Liabilities \$13,-	frames, doors, such or blinds in the city and the receipts are not sufficient	make a good inh of it and thus save	seven or eight years. The first time	and W. C. Irvin. These genitemen be-	night from a two weeks' trip to New	Unisting engineers at mines 5 as
76, nascts \$6500, claimed to be ex- mpt.	to supply one-fourth of them. The	the inspector at this end a lot of un-	I met him was in Wallisville in the	a reference have for the child	York, Chicago and other cities in the east and north. Monday morning he	near brazil, ind., went out on a
Jack Summer of Fort Worth sues	number of carpenters is more than		third finger of his right hand missing. The man whom I met answers this de-	and occess. The dogs mough badily re-	met the grievance committee of the	for an increase of from \$15 to \$80
forrison & Fourmy of Galveston for	sufficient to consume the material available.	some arrangements will be made with-	scription in every particular. He was	tigued, caught the panther. Before the man came up four hounds were killed	order of Railroad Telegraphers in con-	month and an eight-hour day.
5000. He charges that said firm in	About 500 applicants have received	in the next few days.	dressed in a brown suit of clothes,	before the beast was laid low with a	ference looking to an agreement to the	an example and an example of the second s
heir Fort Worth directory classify	allowances from the committee to the	Features for 1901.	wore a light Stetson and had a few	rifle. The crazed mother was brought	proposed new rules and regulations and increased pay for the operators	ance of 250, representing 200 les
m as "colored."	extent of about \$250,000. Bank annli-	Rudyard Kipling will have a new	days' growth of reddish beard on his	here for medical treatment.	along the line. Another conference	Albert A. Small of Anderson pre
exas Farmers' Alliance diad at bio	cations were issued to about 3500, and if all are presented the committee	novel before the public in the early	"As I stated before. I knew Frost in	Mother St. Louis Dead.	was held in the afternoon.	Roachdale, Ind., has telephonic
The structure used at 118	will be compelled to reduce the limit	days of next year. It bears the odd and brief title of "Kim," and is the	Wallisville during the winter of 1892-	Houston, Tex., Nov. 26Mother St. Louis, the founder of St. Joseph's in-	An earnest effort is being made to arrive at an amicable settlement of	
ome, near Braselle, Navarro county.	of allowances both for buildings and				arrivo at on amicable sofflement of	towns, including Indianapolis, an

Mrs. Burgman, a wealthy Swedish woman, purchased . 50,000 acres of

state.

ceived donations of one car of lumber ten, besides being startling. It is a they will remember me."

world-admired author has yet writ-

in serial form in McClure's

story of life in India. This story will "Mr. Hagan, when you met this man, chom you are nositive is Sheriff Fros rance when she was 18 years of an

Mother St. Louis' family name was Matilda Montaeller, and she was born

in France in 1840. She took the veil in

Deluged With Letters.

correspondence a few days ago, a Tex-

as paper published a dispatch to the

effect that Judge J. C. Hunt of this

city might participate in the distribu-

England, known as the Philpot estate.

Since then his mail has been flooded

with letters from Arkansas, Missouri

and other states, besides scores of

Platform Feli

Paris, Texas., Nov. 26 .- In its Paris

Col. Charles Caughling, who was Strictly Dry. Tex. Nov. 27

hide the interior of saloons must be

From Heart Trouble

Assets to be Presented.

court by midnight of Nov. 29 property

Wolinski & Getz made an assignment

for \$12,300 on Sept. 10, and the credi-

bankruptcy. The case was on trial for

Mississippi capitol commission is in-

vestigating alleged bribery charges.

Will Contest

The New Officials

Ban Antonio, Tex., Nov. 27 .- Mr.

meets next year at McKinney.

discarded.

Fellow.

member of Commander-in-Chief Van dervort's staff and had been marine ed-

farming land about ten miles southposes to settle a colony of her countrymen.

It is said that all the new officials of Baylor county are bald as a billiard cue except the county attorney. This applies only to the outside of their cranium, however.

sent to Gov. and Vice President-elect ball passing through into the side and Roosevelt a gavel made of rawhide. chest. Mr. Kee jerked the pistol from It was accompanied by an appropriate- his assailant's hand and emptied the ly worded letter of congratulation. who was injured in a railroad wreck his pocket and slashed Mr. Kee in a

ago, has written to Col. Henry Exall a face and hands, some of the gashes beletter, in which he says his condition ing more than a foot long. Mrs. Kee, is not serious.

Sam Hager, a prominent citizen and off her husband, when he threw down was found dead in his wagon a few

was returning from the gin at Easterly, where he had taken cotton. No marks of violence.

gon, were accidentally shot at Clarksville while another one of his sons cently some items have appeared in was carelessly handling a breech-loading shot gun. The old man was shot through the right area and the boy in both hunds.

In his charge to the grand jury at Edna Judge Thompson said the legislature should endow a chair in the University of Texas for teaching and promoting kind treatment to dumb brutes cruelly should be punished for the same.

The corporation owning several independent telephone exchanges in Texas has a representative at Austin, who will shortly apply to the council at Austin for a franchise to put in a system. A franchise was refused some months ago by a vote of 4 to 3.

Some one went through a sleeping car attached to a Mexican National train as it was approaching Laredo Kirk of Runnells county passed and secured considerble booty. I. M. lost \$200 and a gold watch. An arrest has been made.

The governor appointed Judge John H. Clark to be district judge of Bexar county, vice Judge Robert Green | Taylor got away. resigned to qualify as county judge, and Samuel J. Styles district attorney. of twenty-third district, vice J. M. Finckney, the new county judge.

It is authoritatively announced at Austin that Controller-elect R. M. Love will make about thirty-five are being shipped to market this changes in the forty-eight clerkshins month. The cattlemen in Greer coun in that department of the state gov- ty, Oklahoma, on the Rock Island, are ernment, and that he will soon ansounce his appointees.

Eight years ago F. L. McConnell of Texarkana was bitten in the right eys by a tarantula and the sight impaired. A felon gthered and noted specialists alled to remove it. A few dags ago, Wisconsin, he succeeded in removthe the folion

Granger, Tex., Nov. 27 .- This town east of Texarkana, on which she pro. has not been stirred for years as it was over the attempt to murder Mr. Henderson Kee. It seems that for

some time there has been trouble brewing. About 9 o'clock Tuesday morning the assailant went to the home of Mr. Kee and called him out to the fence. A few words passed Several Grayson county Republicans shot Mr. Kee through the left arm, the when the assailant pulled his pistol and remaining cartridges on the ground. L. Nelson, the Dallas horse trainer. Then the assailant drew a razor from American. near Vicksburg, Miss., several days frightful manner over the side, back,

who was near by, pulled the assailant

farmer, living a few miles from Lake, the razor and left for parts unknown.

To the Coast Conntry

Houston, Tex., Nov. 28 .- John Howard, immigration agent of the South-Rev. John Wilhams, colored, and his ern Pacific has returned from a trip over the state. Mr. Howard says re-St. Louis newspapers about people leaving the coast country that are calculated to do this part of the state in- injured will recover. jury unless the facts are made known. He said it is true that some people have left the cosat country since the

storm, but a great many more have come in.

"The truth is," said Mr. Howard, "the people have just found out the crops that are best adapted to the coast country. They have found there is more money in growing rice and cane than there is in cotton or any other crop. You will find that while there heavy. are a few people leaving the coast ing into it."

Body in Charge.

Temple, Tex., Nov. 28 .- Sheriff R. P. through here in charge of the dead body of Noah Wilkerson. Deceased was under life sentence for murder and escaped from the Coleman jail

when the notorious train robber Bill He was killed in Wyoming, full ac

counts of which recently appeared in the papers. A reward of \$1200 was offered for Wilkerson dead or alive.

Grade Better.

Denison, Tex., Nov. 28.-Many cattle beginning to get their cattle out of that country because of the prospect of the country heing opened for ant tlement at an early date. Monday and Tuesday 100 cars in all passed through the city, on route to the Kan ans City market. The cattle grade

Magazine. During 1991 this periodi- did you know it was thought he had In 1868 she came from her native land cal will publish also "New Doll Dia- been murdered?" to Galveston, and made her perpetual

logues," by Anthony Hope, and short | "The first information I had that vows the following year. stories by such celebrities as Joel Sheriff Frost was supposed to have The deceased founded St. Joseph's Chandler Harris, Robert Barr,. Sarah been murdered was after I had met infirmary in this city on March 11, Orne Jewitt and Hamlin Garland. him. At the time I knew nothing of 1887, and was mother superior of that Special articles on popular science, the affair. As soon as I read a paper institution until 1896, when she was biography, nature studies, new in. stating that it was thought that he transferred to Galveston. She remainventions and history by competent had met foul play I immediately noti- ed in Galveston until the recent storm, authorities will also be given. fied an officer that I had met and rec- when she was transferred back to

ognized him in this city. My candid Houston. In the December Century William opinion is that he is insane. His ev-N. Pethick, Li Hung Chang's confi- ery action indicated such. When leavdential secretary, gives a vivid ac- ing me he stated he would go across count of the Pekin siege. He is an the river and make an effort to secure a position in one of the mills. Wheth-

er he went I am unable to say." "The Angel's Song," by Fanny The parish and city officials are tion of an estate of \$5,000,000 back in

Crosby, beautifully illustrated, is a working on the case, but so far nothing additional has developed.

Is Incalculable.

December Delineator gem.

Not a Murmuring Moment. Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 24 .- No ad-Denton, Tex., Nov. 24 .- George Ham- points in Texas. All of the writers ditional windstorm fatalities have been mock and Bryce Hammett, young claim that when they were children reported in Monroe county. Advices farmers, while returning home were they heard their grandfathers and from Clarendon say the greatest dam- held up and robbed by three men who, grandmothers speak about property age to farms occurred southeast of covering them with a shotgun, demand- coming to them back in the old counthat place. Though some fatalities ed their money on point of instant try that they could get if they had the have been reported from that section. death. Hammock had \$44, all of which money to pay a lawyer or to refray later reports indicate that none oche gave up at the point of the gun, the expense of going to see after it. curred, and that the several persons and Hammett was more fortunate in Many of the writers address him in

The damage to farms, however, is incalculable.

Fighting at Last Accounts

Kingston, Jamacia, Nov. 24 .- The British steamer Baradin, which has just arrived here from Colon, reports that severe fighting occurred Monday and Tuesday at Culebra. The government forces attacked the rebels, who occupied a good position, with the result that the losses of the former were knocking him overboard.

He was fished out in an unconscious condition by the ship's crew and tacountry a great many more are flock- steamer left Tuesday night. The ken to a hospital, where he died short- ty and seventy-five miles an hour. Sev-The fighting continued when the stores and restaurants at Colon were by after without regaining conscious- eral business houses sustained much Dess.

Killed by Indians.

closed.

Ensenada, Cal., Nov. 24 .- A report has reached here of the killing of three men near Jaurez by Pacachoe Indians. The report states that one Acuna, who had a store at Jaurez, was robbed of cattle by Indians. With the assistance of a neighbor namedd Sotellia and a the 1st of this montr. The postpont rurale he gave chase. Subsequently a the 1st of this month. The postponeparty taking cattle through to the Col-Ensenada.

Definitely Refused

Constantinople, Nov. 24 .- The Porte has definitely rejected the request for an exequateur for a United States consul at Harpoot. This refusal is regarded by the United States legation as a direct violation of treaty rights. and consequently, despite the refusal. pr. Thomas H. Uorton, who was appointed by President McKinley some better than those shipped in previous Harpoot, has been directed to proceed to his post.

having but \$12, all of which he, too, endearing terms and are confident of gave up in the face of the shotgun being able to prove up heirship. without a murmur. Flatonia, Tex., Nov. 26.-At 12:05 Caused by a Cotton Bale, Saturday morning a tornado struck Galveston, Tex., Nov. 24 .- A fatal accident occurred on board the English here from a southwesterly direction. passing through from the southwestern ship Matinea, Capt. Kehoe master, lying at Pier No. 10. James Fallen. sailor, 20 years of age, was struck by

Platform Fell.

Laredo, Tex., Nov. 26.-Over 2000 Galveston, Tex., Nov. 27 .- The new excursionists arrived from Mexico Sunday to attend the bull fight in New Laredo, Mexico. The bulls were did not appear on the return lists from precinct 714, but were on the tally better than seen here for some time. While the fight was going on forty sheets. The commissioners in canvass. feet of the platform gave way under ing the returns threw out precinct 71/2 the heavy weight of the spectators, and thus declared the present incumbent, Alex Easton, re-elected district seriously crushing three or four peoclerk over Thomas Brick, who had a ple and more or less injuring a large number. The injured were taken out majority of the vote if precinct 71% were counted. Brick will contest. and fight continued.

Engine Turned Over.

Texarkana, Nov. 26 .- A wreck on the Gate City railroad, twenty miles in the neighborhood of the bayous and south of here caused delay of all trains for several hours. The engine of a freight train left the track at a thing seen in many years. They are bigh fill and was turned completely A over, being damaged, it is believed, tully 50 per cent of its value. Engiseer Robert Dickson sustained a 200 which he was offering for sale and broken leg and was otherwise considerably bruised. He was brought here

county attorney, C. E. Mead, issued a itor of the Toledo (O.) Blade thirtynotice in the Saturday papers that he six years, is dead.

would enforce the law to the letter in The annual report of the government regard to merchants of all kinds keep- hospital marine service shows 2.076 paing open or selling articles prohibited tients, an increase of 138-the largest by the Sunday closing law, and Sun- increase in its history-and predicts a day all the business places that were total of 2.275 inmates at the close of accustomed to open were closed. His the present year. notice also informed saloon men that Rev. C. C. Morgan of New Court

all screens, trees or other device to Congregational chapel. London, announced from his pulpit that he had accepted the pastorate at Northfield. Mass., in succession to the late Dwight L. Moody.

Temple, Tex., Nov. 27 .- A man Two hundred and fifty-nine miners named Winkler died at the Palme returned on the steamer Nome City hotel Sunday morning. He was a to Seattle, Wash., which arrived from tailor and had been for a short time the gold fields. The vessel's cargo conin the employ of Matthews Bros. For sisted of about \$100.000, principally the a short time he had been unable to possession of individuals. work, his heart giving him trouble.

"Uncle" Allen Harrison, aged 90 During the night he came from his years, of Scott township, Montgomery room to the hotel office and while sitting on a bench suddenly expired. De- and that night walked two and onecounty, Indiana, on election day voted. ceased came from Dallas to Temple. half miles to Ladoga and watched the It was reported that he was an Odd bulletin boards until midnight, walking back home.

News was received at Fort Dodge In., of the death at his old home in Tyler, Tex., Nov. 27 .- The bankrupt Ohio of Capt. J. A. O. Yeoman, whe proceedings in the case of Wolinski & was one of the captors of Jefferson Getz, from Rusk were concluded here

Davis. He was a prominent Demobefore Referee C. G. White, who orcratic politician and well known in his dered that the firm bring into the state. At a mass meeting held at Denver and cash to the amount of \$11,435. strong protests were made against the action of the Limon mob that burned John Porter, the negro murderer, at tors immediately forced them into

the stake. The meeting was presided over by C. M. Hobbs, president of the a week, many prominent lawyers in it. Y. M. C. A.

Miss Edith Booth, 23 years old, an actress, formerly attached to Marie Burroughs' company, died in a hospital at New York from the effects of an aceldent which she met with some time North Texas Methodist Conference since when she was thrown from a carriage in Central Park.

A canal to deflect the course of the Yazoo river and bring that stream into the Mississippi at a point two miles county officials were put into office above Vicksburg, Miss., has been be-Monday. The names of the candidates gun. It will be nearly seven miles long and the estimated cost is \$1.500,-

> The will of Ambrose McGregor, the Standard Oil millionaire, who died at Mamaroneck-on-the-Sound, was admitted to probate at White Plains, N. 1 The value of the estate is not the tioned in the petition but it represent more than \$4,500,000.

Edward L. Swazey, who fied fro Kansas City, Mo., four months ago after obtaining a large sum of money from banks throughout the country by means of duplicate cattle mortgages, is being followed, it is said, closely by detectives in South America. President R. W. Kent of the South ern Baseball association announces that the circuit of the league has been decided upon and will include these cities: Atlanta, Nashville, Little Rock

Otto Praeger, late city editor of the Daily Express, was appointed and confirmed as city clerk to succeed W. W. Johnson, recently appointed chief deputy to District Clerk Burkey. Mr. A. H. Currey was appointed assistant marshal, succeeding John W. Wilwins, recently elected assessor. Mr. C. O. Daunis was appointed

aldorman-at-large, succeeding Mr. Birmingham, Chattanooga, Shreveport Geo. Surkey, elected district clerk. aphis and New Orleans

Street, and in the street, and the

Game Abundant. Beaumont, Tex., Nov. 24 .- Hunters from the southern part of the country, rice fields, report that the number of wild ducks thereabouts exceeds anyactually swarming the country. hunter was in the city a few nights ago with a wagonload, consisting of over

which represented a day's shooting for surgical treatment.

damage.

dead. Mounted police were sent from Antonia and Aransas Pass rallways.

Austin. Tex., Nov. 24.-The railroad commission issued a circular postponing the effectiveness of mileage tables from Dec. 1 to Jan. 1. This is the second postponement. The original date of effectiveness was to have been

ment was brought about through the application of the Cotton Belt and San

These two roads found wistakes in

mileage and asked time to rectify.

Again Postponed

corner to the northeast corner of the town destroying much property. The wind was accompanied by a heavy a cotton bale, the force of theb low rain, also much lightning. It seems a miracle that there is no loss of life. as the wind was blowing between six-

EXAS' INCREASE.	CENSUS FIGURES,	THE PEKIN TREATY.	COAN KING NERVY,	TALMAGE'S SERMON.	anxieties. They sing with great em-	colds that threaten now one kind
INTORE/IOL.	Some Facts in Connection With the Lone	THE FERMINIKLATT,	He forces the Price of the Cercal Up		phasis that old hymn which we have all sung:	disease and now another? That m er watching at home as much ple
	Star's Growth.		to Fifty Cents.	DEPLORES PREVAILING SPIRIT		the Lord as the mother who at ch
Population as Returned by the	Washington, Nov. 28The Texas	Administration Seems to be of	Chicago, Ill., Nov. 27 In the as-	OF UNREST.	Oft it causes anxious thought;	takes the sacrament or in the mill school tells the waifs of the street
Census Bureau.	counties showing the greatest increase	the Opinion	cending scale of prices paid for Novem-	and a second sec	Do I love the Lord or no?	they may become sons and daug
and a second	are Harris, 26,557; McLennan, 20,568;	che opinion	ber corn by the belated reports, a new	The True Source of Usefulness and Happiness is a Christian Life - The	Am I his, or am I not?	of the Lord Almighty. That m
ME INTERESTING STATISTICS	Bexar, 20,156; Ellis, 18,285; Navarro,	and the second second	mark was touched Monday-50c-an	Cause of Discontent-Fixed Spiritual	Why do you not find out whether you are his or not? There are all the	at home is deciding the destiny
	17001; Dallas, 15,684; Hunt, 15,415;	THAT BUT LITTLE HAS BEEN DONE	advance of 5c from the close Saturday	Condition,	broad invitations of the gospe- Ac-	state by the way she leads that into right thinking and acting a
	Milam, 14,893; Hill, 13,773; Collin, 13,- 351; Fannin, 13,004; Galveston, 12,-	THAT BUT LITTLE HAS BEEN DONE	and of 3c from the best previous prices. The close was 1c lower, Philipps bid-		cept them. There are all the assur-	deciding the welfare of some
is County Shows the Greatest Increase,	640; Williamson, 12.163; Bell, 12.158;		ding 49c.	(Copyright, 1900, Louis Klopsch, N. Y.)	ances, Apply them, There are all	home by the example she is s
Thirteen Report a Decrease and	Kaufman, 11,778; Johnson, 11,506;		The action of the appeals committee	Washington, Nov. 25 From an un- usual text Dr. Talmage in this dis-		that girl, and though the world not appreciate the unobserved
Three Not Heard fron.	Lamar, 11,325; Tarrant, 11,234; Lime-	United State: Government Cannot Agree	in turning down as below contract	course rebukes the spirit of unrest	and the second	heaven watches and rewards.
	stone, 10,895; Grayson, 10,450; Travis,	With Several Powers on Indemnity	grade two cargoes tendered by Coun-	which characterizes so many people	you are not satisfied until you have	other hand, you have known t
ashington, Dec. 28 The follow-	10,895; Grayson, 10,450; Travis, 10,063;	and Some Other Points.	selman and Bartlett-Frazier had the	and shows them the happiness and usefulness to be found in stability;		who are off at meetings humani and philanthropic, planning for
is the population of Texas by coun-	El Paso, 9208.	Δ	expected effect of strengthening the		AND A CONTRACTOR OF A CARD AND A CARD AND A CARD AND A CARD AND A CARD A	destitute and the outcast, while
	All the counties show an increase save the following, which show losses		position of the bull leader and adding	thou about so much to change the	finger board at the roadside to see if it	own children went unwashed an
nderson 28,015, Andrews 87, An-	as indicated: Aransas, 108; Burnet,	Washington, Nov. 27 The state de-	further worry to the troubles already heaped upon the shoulders of the	way?"	And a second sec	kempt, their garments needing re
na 13,341, Aransas 1716, Archer 8, Armstrong 1205, Atascosa 7143,	219; Gaines, 13; Hardeman, 270; Irlon,	partment has been informed of the	shorts. For the first time in several	Homely is the illustration by which this prophet of tears deplores the va-		their manners impudent and selves a general nuisance to the
tin 20,676, Bailey 4, Bandera, 5332	22; Jeff Davis, 244; Kinney, 1334;	agreement of understanding or pre-	days Philipps too an active hand in	cillation of the nation to whom he	want to know into what port you will	munity in which they live.
trop 26,845, Baylor 3052, Bee 7720,	Flynn, 7; McMullen, 14; Marion, 198;	liminary treaty (it is not possible	the game as an open bidder for small	wrote. Now they wanted alliance	run or upon what rocks you are in	The Distribution of Scandal.
1 25,535, Bexar 69,422, Bdanco 4703.	Wheeler, 142; Wilbarger, 2333; Zaval-	now to learn in just what form the matter stands) reached by the foreign	and migg tota, the opening pirce was	with Egypt, and now with Assyria,	danger of crashing. This moment you have all the information pointing to	One bad habit these gadabouts
den 776, Bosque 17,390, Bowie 26,-	By some strange oversight on the	ministers at Pekin, but it is not re-	and and there was a gradual advance	and now with Babylon, and now they did not know what they wanted, and	the road that terminates at the gate	culine or feminine, are sure to
Brazoria 14,861, Brazos 18,859,	part of somebody, Encinal county,	garded as expedient to give out for	to 49½c, Philipps taking most of the offerings. The first bid of 50c was by	the behavior of the nation reminded	of the Golden City and the voyage that	and that is of scandal distrib They hear so many deleterious
wster 2356, Briscoe 1253, Brown 19,Burleson 18,367, Burnet 10,528,	which in 1890 had 2744, Buchel, which	publication at this time any detailed	Carr for 5000 bushels, and it brought	the prophet of a man or woman who,	anchors in the haven of eternal rest. Why go on guessing when you have	about others and see so mu
dwell 21,765, Calhoun 2395, Calla-	has 298, and Foley 65, failed to be	information regarding it. It may be	some stop loss orders on the market.	not satisfied with home life, goes from place to place gadding about, as we	all the facts before you? You ought to	wrong behavior that they
8768, Cameron 16,095, Camp 9146,	enumerated.	stated, however, that the arrangement stands a very poor chance of receiv-	Philipps filled one of 50,000 bushels for	say, never settled anywhere or in any-	know by examination of chart and	loaded up and loaded with the faults of others,
son 469, Cass 22,841, Castro 400.	Encinal is in the eleventh district and Buchel and Foley in the twelfth.	ing the sanction of all the powers	Logan and made a number of smaller	thing, and he cries out to them, "Why	compass and thermometer in what	they have their eyes full, and
mbers 3046, Cherokee 25,154, Chil-	Representatives Kleberg and Slayden	represented in the Pekin conference	sales, his sales exceeding his purchases	gaddest thou about so much to change	latitude and longitude you are sailing, whether in the arctic or the tropics, A	ears full, and their hands full
ss 2138, Clay 9231, Cochran 25,	will have the matter investigated.	unless some material amendments are	by about 60,000 bushels. While No-	well, the world has now as many	man who does not know whether or	their mouths full of defamation woman who is endowed of goss
te 3430, Coleman 10,077, Collings- th 1233, Collin 50,087, Colorado	The population of the State by con-	permitted.	vember gained 4c, December was also strong on covering by shorts, and a big	gad-abouts as it had in Bible times.	not he is a Christian is like a man who	so easily until her bonnet string
103, Comal 7008, Comanche 23,009,	gressional districts compared with	Just what the objectionable features	trade early colling at 26% a and closing	and I think that that race of people is	does not know whether he is a mil- lionaire or a pauper. Better go to the	sit down to spend the afternoon
cho 1427, Cooke 27,494, Coryell	1890 is as follows:	are can only be surmised, in view of the adverse decision of the authorities	at 3614c. May closed unchanged at	more numerous now than it ever was.	records and find out. The Scriptures	man can afford you a cigar as
08, Cottle 1002, Crane 51, Crockett	District— 1900. 1890. Inc.	representing publication. But, accept-	advise. There was some changing from	Gad-abouts among occupations, among religious theories, among churches,	are the records. If you cannot there	tainer if you will patiently hear has to say about those who cann
The state of the s	First.,198,454 102,827 95,627	ing as accurate the statement from	December to May at % c premium for	among neighborhoods, and one of the	read your title, it is because you have no title, and you ought to begin anew.	their debts, or are about to fail,
26, Dawson 37, Deaf Smith 843, ta 15,249, Denton 28,318, DeWitt	Second289,665 210,238 79,427 Third220,530 133,188 87,342	Pekin that the basis of agreement is	December. Acceptances were heavier,	greatest wants of the church and the	Start a new prayer, sing a new song.	guilty of moral mishap, or
11, Dickens 1151, Dimmit 1106,	Fourth 230,322 170,001 50,321	to be found in the French note, it is	but for deferred shipment and the ele- vators, disheartened by the failure of	world is more steadfastness and more fixedness of purpose.	open a new experience.	aroused suspicion of embezzle All gadabouts are peddiers, wh
aley 2756, Duval 8433, Eastland 17,-	Fifth	easy to perceive that there are no less	and the second of the second second second	Examine Your Temperament.	So, alas, there are those who gad	pack in your presence their large
Ector 381, Edwards 3108, Ellis 50,-	Sixth 302,099 210,907 90,193	than two points which, if included in their original shape, would not meet		While seeking divine guidance in	about among particular churches. No pastor can depend on them for a sin-	of nux vomica and nightshade.
	Seventh 261,277 182,894 87,333	with the unqualified approval of this	low grades and the receipts-511 cars-	your selection of a lifetime sphere ex-	gle service. At some time when he	gadabouts have little prospect o
	Eighth 226,597 174,548 52,549 Ninth 224,631 175,149 49,482	government. For instance, the presi-	included only forty-one cars contract.	amine your own temperament. The phrenologist will tell you your mental	has prepared a sermon, after all pray-	ven. If they got there, they wou to create jealousy among the di
her 3708, Floyd 2020, Foard 1568, t Bend 16,538, Franklin 8674, Free-	Tenth 218,036 166,668 51,368	cent expressly reserved his opinion as	There were 8000 bushels in by canal	proclivities. The physiologist will tell	er and all research, putting nerve and	ranks of celestials, and make t
ne '9,910, Frio 4200, Gaines 55, Gal-	Eleventh229,623 198,958 39,665	to the proposition that the Taku forts	hushald transforred from asimute to	you your physical temperament. Your	muscle and brain and soul into its every paragraph, these intermittent	among the heavenly neighbors
ton 44,116, Garza 185, Gillespie	Twelfth 184,876 136,058 48,788	be dismantled. He also withheld his approval of the French proposition		enemies will tell you your weaknesses.	attendants are not there to hear it.	start quarrels scraphic, and wo on perpetual run, now down
9, Glasscock 286, Gollad 8310, Gon-	Thirteenth226,497 190,080 36,417	that there be a permanent military		If you are, as we say, nervous, do not become a surgeon. If you are coward-	While an occasional absence is ex-	street and now up that, now i
es 28,882, Gray 480, Grayson 63,661.	The increased population is distrib-	road between Tien Tsin and Pekin.	later.	ly do not become an engineer. If you	cusable for the gratification of some wish to hear that which is consecrated	house of many mansions, and r
gg 12,343, Grimes 26,106, Guada-	uted well over the state, but North, Central and Southeast Texas have got-	There were several points to which	A dispute arose over the quality of	are hoping for a large and permanent	or religiously oratoric in some other	the choir of the temple, and n the walls, and now in the gates
e 21,385, Hale 1680, Hall 1670, Ham- n 13,520 Hansford 167, Hardeman	ten the greatest part of it.	the assent of the United States was	corn being loaded on the steamer Pabst	income, do not seek a governmental position. If you are naturally quick	pulpit, when the pastor of a church	the walls, and now in the gates they would be chased down and
4, Hardin 5049, Harris 63,786, Har-	The state's population is placed at	given, namely, providing for the pun-		tempered, do not become a minister of	with his eye calls the roll of attend-	ed out into the pandemonium of
on 31,878, Hartley 877, Haskell 2637.	3,048,710, an increase of 193,187 since	ishment of the guilty Chinese who may be designated by the representa-		the gospel, for while any one is disad-	ance, by your presence in the old place practically answer, saying: "I am	biters and slanderers after Je
ys 14,142, Hemphill 815, Henderson	1890, an increase of 36.3 per cent. Har-	tives of the powers at Pekin; for the		vantaged by ungovernable disposition there is hardly any one who enacts	here to get the benefit of all the use-	had addressed them in the "Why gaddest thou about so mu
70, Hidalgo 6837, Hill 41,355, Hock-	ris county shows the greatest increase.	collection of equitable indemnities		such an incongruous part as a mad	ful thoughts you may utter and of all	change thy way?"
44, Hood 9146, Hopkins 27,950.		(and in this connection suggested a	pervising Inspector Smille and accept-	minister. Can you make a fine sketch	the hymns that you may give out and of all the prayers you may offer. I.	Practical Suggestions.
iston 25,425, Howard 25,528, Ichinson 303, Irion 848, Jack	Senator Davis Dead.	reference of the question to The		of a ship, or a rock or house or	a soldier of Jesus Christ, am in my	Now, what is the practical
4. Jackson 6094, Jasper 7138.	St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 28United	maintenance of and finally for the	20,000 bushels had been loaded when	face? Be an artist. Do you find yourself humming cadences, and	own place in the company, in the	the present discourse? This:
	States Senator Cushman Kellogg Davis, chairman of the committee on	Pekin T e latter however was to be	Mr. Smille left the dock and declared there could be no objection if the qual-	do the treble clef and the	battalion, in the regiment, and when	as, so many have ruined then and ruined others by becomin
Johnson 33,819, Jones 7053	foreign relations of the senate died at	temporary until congress acted on the	ity was kept up. Down on the board	musical bars drop from your pen	you command 'March!' I will march, and when you command 'Halt!' I will	abouts among occupations, amo
nes 8681, Kaufman 33,376, Kendall	his home here at 9 o'clock Tuesday	matter. Unless the ministers in Pe-	of trade where November corn had	easily, and can you make a tune that charms those that hear it? Be a	halt, and when you order 'Ground	ligious theories, among chi
3, Kent 899, Kerr 4890, Kimble 2503	night after an illness of two months.	kin have made a very substantial	risen in the pit to 50c almost as much	musician. Are you born with a fond-	arms!' I will ground arms."	among neighborhoods; therefor solved that we will concentrate
48 627 Lamb 21 Land	He has suffered greatly during his	change in the requirements of the	excitement was occasioned when Chas	ness for argument? Be an attorney.	Neglecting One's Home.	what is right thought and right
48,627, Lamb 31, Lampasas 8265,	sickness, and gradually sank away, being unconscious for several hours	dicted that our sectore, it may be pre-	Counselman called Mr. Philipps from	Are you naturally a good nurse and	Among the race of gadabouts are	havior and waste no time in v
Leon 18,017, Liberty \$102 Lime	being unconscious for several hours before death, and, so far as could be	obliged to seek to make forme altern	the pit. They were at once surround- ed by a jostled crowd of speculators	especially interested in the relief of pain? Be a physician. Are you in-	those who neglect their homes in or- der that they may attend to institu-	tions and indecisions and unc
ae \$2,573, Lipscomb 790, Live Oak	known, suffering no pain. Monday,	tions in the arrangement before it	leager to hear the conversation mus	terested in all questions of traffic and	tions that are really excellent and do	ties, running about in places wh have no business to be. Life
8, Llano 7301, Loving 33, Lubbock	appreaching the approach of the end.	gives adherence.	big speculator, towering head and		not so much ask for help as demand	short we have no time to play
Llynn 17, McCulloch 3960, McLen-	Mrs. Davis sent for the venerable Vil-	There is some reason to believe that	shoulders above the slight speculator,	successful on a small or large scale?		the spendthrift. Find out wheth
59,772, McMullen 1024, Madison	liers Appleby, arch-deacon of the Epis-	the indemnity proposition has taken	said to him:	life, and do you like the plow, and do	boards of direction of benevolent in-	Bible is true and whether your
32, Marion 10,754, Martin 332, Ma-	copal diocese of Minnesota, and Rev.	such an excessive form as to make it	"Mr. Philipps, I do not want to give	you hear music in the rustle of a har-	stitutions and have to stand at a booth	is immortal, and whether Chr.
Medine 7782 Materick	Theodore Sedgwick, rector of the	impossible for the Chinese govern-	You anything but contract corn and t	vest held? Be a farmer. Are you	in so many fairs, and must collect	whether you must have him or
	church of St. John the Evangelist. An attempt had been made to secure the	ment to meet the demands, and this	am having No. 2 corn loaded on your	rond of machinery, and are turning	funds for so many orphanages and preside at so many philanthropic	comfited, and whether there
1001, 001, 01118 (201,	the man week made to secure the	the day with the day	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	and the a tascination, and can	at so many pallanthropic	probably ever be a more aus

otley 1257, Nacogdoches 24,663, Narro 43,374, Newton 7282, Nolan 2611. 1, Roberts 620, Robertson 31,480, 9. Sabine 6394. San Agustine 8434 p Jacinto 10.277. San Patricio 2372. Saba 7567, Schleicher 515, Scurry Shackelford 2461, Shelby 20,452 man 104, Smith 37,370, Somervell Starr 11,469, Stephens 6466, Ster-1127, Stonewall 2189. Sutton 1727. 9, Terry 48. Throckmorton 1750 her 1277, Tarrant 52,376, Taylor 12,292, Tom Green 6804, Travis an official of the road. , Trinity 10.976, Tyler 11,899, Upr 16.260, Upton 48, Uvalde 4647, Val Terde 5263, Van Zandt 25,481, Victoria 13.678. Walker 15.813. Walter 14.246 Washington 32,931, Webb 21,851, Wharton 16,942, Wheeler 636, Wichlta 6866, Wilbarger 5759, Williamson 38,-072, Wilson 13.961, Winkler 60, Wise 27,126, Wood 21,048, Yoakum 26, Young ham and Baron von Sternbery is an-569. Zapata 4760, Zavalla 797, nounced.

Alleged Plot.

don, Nov. 28.-According to edition of the Evening Standplot to assassinate Lord Roberts, n discovereod.

ppears that the conspirators laid se which was designed to be blown day while Lord Roberts was in at Johannesburg, but the poand Lord Roberts' bodyguard frusd the conspiracy. Ten men have arrested.

Chinese Affairs Discussed. hington, Nav. 28 .- The cabinet ting Tuesday was devoted mainly a discussion of the Chinese affairs ad the reading of portions of the president's forthcoming message to con-

The result of the discussion of the last phases of the Chinese problem was the policy of Secretary Hay, and es- ment the local detective department pecially of the last instructions to Mr Conger.

Semi-Annual Rounion

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 28 .- The semi-annual reunion of the Ladies of the Anent and Accepted Scottish Rite in e Orient of Oklahoma opened Tuesay in the magnificent new Masonic unle in this city, which was finally ted a week ago at a cost This is one of the few temoles in the territory being used exclusively for Masonic work and is a magificent structure with some of the finst stage scenic effects to be found.

upon the arrival of Archdeacon Appleby and Mr. Sedg- to endeavor to have the demands mod- perfectly satisfied." wick, Senator Davis was for a time erated. There are indications, too, That was the extent of the conver- and a laboratory could entertain you the little ones waited to say their seces 10,439. Ochiltree 267. Oldham sufficiently rational to express his that in these efforts our government sation, hardly belligerent enough to all day and all night, be a chemist. prayers at their mother's knee they 49, Orange 5905. Palo Pinto 12,291. grateful appreciation of their minis- is to receive the support of one of the satisfy the expectations of the specula- if you are inquisitive about other nola 21,104. Parker 25,823, Parmer 34. trations. The senator, in his moments most powerful governments represent-tors, but it was suggestive of an armed truce. Another engagement was on to of lucidity, expressed a strong deter-it has been supposed of late favored of the favored of th esidi 2673, Rains 6127, Randall 963, mination to recover, and within a it has been supposed of late favored a few hours, for after 65,000 bushels the grass under your feet and the or the tavern. The children of that

> Has Been Confirmed. Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 28 .- Says The

Journal:

The news sent out Monday night that a clerk of the Seaboard Air line bad been arrested at Fernandina, Fla. for the embezzlement of a large sum

The officers stated that the agent weeks ago, but that the matter had been kept secret. He refusd to give the tame of the agent.

The engagement of Lillian Lang-

Washington, Nov. 28 .- The state de partment received a cablegram from Minister Hunter at Guatemala City announcing that he had just received from the Hondurian government a draft for \$10,000 in American gold as indemnity for the killing of Frank Pears. The killing occurred at San Pedro, Sulu, in May, 1899, and the mdemnity is the full amount of the claim ed by the state board of canvassers set up. A settlement will be made be- was: For Bryan 146,178, McKinley

tween the claimants themselves. Carney Confessed. Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28 .- John

Carney, a diamond thief of considerconfession liberates William Hender-

Henderson was arrested in Indianaposecured evidence connecting Carney with the robbery.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 27.-The Constantinople, Nov. 28 .- The relations between the United States government and the Porte are becoming acute. Mr. Griscom, the American charge o'affaires, went to the Yild!z palace Sunday and had an interview with Tewfik Pasha, minister of foreign affairs, and Tahsin Bey, first secretary at the palace. The interview, however, was barren or results.

York on the 17th.

int, may

Dawes' Report of money was confirmed in Atlanta by Washington, Nov. 27 .- The annual

transmission to congress.

Draft Received.

The official vote of Virginia in the last presidential election as ascertain-

117,151, Woolley 2167.

Old Dominion Storm. Richmond, Va., Nov. 27 .- A heavy wind and rain storm swept over parts able noteriety, confessed to having of the state. At West Point the wind plomatic agent of the Transvaal visitstolen \$5000 worth of diamonds from reached the force of a tornado. The ed the French minister of foreign af-Earle's jewelry store last June. His Neale academy was unroofed. The res- fairs. M. Delcase, Monday. idence of W. H. Bell was destroyed son, who is now in jail charged with the crime. Shortly after the robbery ly damaged. High water is reported accompanied by his grandson and was a thorough approval at every point of lis and brought here. After his indict- in Allegheny county on the Chesapeake ed guards. He traversed the Boule-

> ported. Indiana's Vote.

Becoming Acute

elector for each ticket has the follow-

Coffee went down ten points at New 856. Gov-elest Durbin ran behind 1316.

oblige our government contract corn, and with that I shall be after hour? Be a mechanic. If you time that their children are left to the

ckwall \$631, Runnels 5379, Rusk 26,- kept him alive for the past six weeks. bassador, who recently returned to ported a poorer quality of corn was be- mer air are to you the belles lettres of Washington after an absence since ing dumped into the boat. The work the field, be a botanist, last spring, called at the state depart- of loading was ordered stopped and Mr. ment yesterday and had a long inter- Philipps went to the state grain deview with Secretary Hay, suppossedly with reference to Chinese matters, peals committee he sent down to ar

Against I co.

report of Charles G. Dawes, controller Monday's session of the Cuban consti- profession of surgery, which has in on the part of such employee as will of the currency, for the year ending tutional convention, Senor DeQuesada our time made such wonderful achieve- stir our gratitude as long as life shall had been arrested at Fernandina three Oct. 31, 1900, has been prepared for moved the rejection of the resolution ment that it now heals a broken neck last. How they watched in time of

The report starts with a summary of Cisneros and Villuendoes, expressing lighted room. For forty years he was vigilance there are members of our the reports made during the year by the sorrow of the convention at the de- gadding about among the professions. families now living who would long the national banks in response to the parture of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. The Do not imitate him. Ask God what ago have disappeared from the home call of the controller, which shows the resolution was rejected unanimously. you ought to be, and he will tell you. aggregate resources of the 3871 nation. Senor Rivero said after the session It may not be as elegant a style of those employes to our shores! And al banks reporting on Sept. 5, 1900, to that some of the delegates intended to work as you would prefer. It may cal- who will ever do justice to those who be \$5,048,138,499.29. Between the Sep- attack Gen. Lee on the ground that he tember call of 1899 and 1900 loans and had not always been a friend of the stand you in sufficiently atmosphere and of the south? I have had governors discounts increased \$170,008,391.46. The Cubans, and that in view of this Gen. the unrefined and may leave your and senators of the United States with loans and discounts on Sept. 5, 1900. Lee's friends thought it would be bet- overalls the opposite of aromatic, but were \$2,686,759,642.57 and individual ter not to press the resolution of re- remember that if God calls you to do those old colored women of the south gret. The capital stock of national banks

A war revenue reduction bill is bereporting on Sept. 5 was \$630,299,030. ing prepared.

> The commissioner of the land office will urge congress to take steps to preserve forests.

Fort Worth, Tex., has a gospel wagon.

Drives in Paris. Paris, Nov. 27 .- Dr. Leyds, the di-

Mr. Kruger took a long drive during and several other houses were serious- the afternoon in a landau. He was up the James river, and Lewis tunnel escorted by police cyclists and mountand Ohio railroad was blocked by a vards des Capuchines and the Champs landslide. No loss of life has been re- Elysce and entered the exposition grounds.

Injunction Granted.

New York, Nov. 27 .- Samuel Untermarshals of the various districts of In- meyer applied to and obtained from diana reported to the secretary of Justice Fitzgerald, sitting in the sustate the official vote cast at the elec- preme court, an injunction order retion for presidential electors. The first jurnable on Monday next against the ing vote: Zollers (Dem.) 309,584, George Gould, Edwin Gould, Howard Count and Countess Castellane and Hanna (Rep.) 336,063, Clark (Pro.) 13.- Gould and Helen M. Gould, as trustees the next. 718, Strumpele, (Socialist Dem.) 2374, under the will of Jay Gould, restrain-Walter (Pop.) 1378, Colbert (Social ing them from applying to Anna Gould. Countess de Castellane, any part of the cotate in the hands of the trustees.

had been loaded on the steamer at foliage over your head and the flowers house are as thoroughly orphan as any Indeed, the senator's iron will has Dr. von Holleben, the German am- South Chicago, Philipps' inspector re- which shake their incense on the sum- of the fatherless and motherless little

Following God's Call. Last summer a man of great genius

Christian women foster charitable inwith reference to Chinese matters, peals committee be sent down to ex- men in surgical directions, but he did not like surgery, and he wanted to be first duty of that mother is the duty their time as they can spare, but the a preacher. He could not preach. I she owes to her home.

told him so. He tried it on both sides of the sea, but he failed, because he the homestead that can afford it, and Havana, Nov. 27 .- At the opening of turned his back on that magnificent we have all had in our homes a fidelity and by the X ray explores the temple sickness and always gave the medicine introduced Saturday by Senors Rivero, of the human body as if it were a at the right time, and but for their lous and begrime your hands and put were affectionately called and I be-

tears in their eyes talk to me about one thing you will never be happy in who rocked them in their cradles and doing something else. bound up their wounds when they got

hurt, and wept with them at graves, All the great successes have been gained through opposition and strugand looked in from the hall door at gle. Charles Goodyear, the inventor, the weddings, and greeted them home from college or from the wars with whose name is now a synonym all the world over for fortune added to motherly endearment. Ask fortune, waded many years chin deep who know them best about those old through the world's scorn and was "mammies." We have all had in our thrust in debtor's prison and came employment those so near and dear with his family to the verge of starvato us that we went to them in childtion, but continued his experiments hood and told them all our griefs and with vulcanized rubber until he added all our joys, and they sympathized more than can be estimated to the with copious tears and resounding world's health and comfort, as well as laughter.

to his own advantage. Columbus and John Fitch and Stephenson and Robert Bruce and Cyrus W. Field and 500 others were illustrations of what tenacity and pluck can do. "Hard pounding," said Wellington at Waterloo, "hard pounding, gentlemen, but we The the facts. We look over our church the help of God choose your calling not and stick to it. The gadabouts are failures for this life, to say nothing of

Fixed Spiritual Condit also many are unfixed in regard

to their spiritual condition and day fter day and year after year go gadding about among hopes and fears and are down with scarlet fever or have

ent, and then make this 12 o'clock at noon of November 25, 1900, the most illustrious minute that you will ever have passed since the day of your birth until the ten millionth cycle of would never say their evening prayers the coming eternity, because by complete surrender of thought and will and affection and life to God through Jesus Christ you became a new man. new woman, a new soul, and God the Father, and God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost, and all angeldom, cheruones gathered in the orphanage for bim and seraphim, and archangel bewhich that gadabout woman is toiling came your allies. so industriously. By all means let

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OLIVER W. HOLMES. View of the New England Near

Autocrat. Physically he was a very small man, holding himself stiff erect-his face insignificant as his figure, except for a long, obstinate upper lip ("left to me." he said one day, "by some ill-conditioned great-grandmother") and eyes full of a wonderful fire and sympathy. No one on whom Dr. Holmes had once looked with interest ever forgot the look-or him. He attracted all kinds of people as a brilliant, excitable child would attract them. But nobody, I circle. Blessed the ships that brought suspect, ever succeeded in being familiar with him. Americans at that time seldom talked of distinction or class or descent. You were only truly patriotic if you had a laborer for a grandfather and were glad of it. But the Autocrat was patrician enough to represent the descent of a Daimio, with two thousand years of ancestry behind him. He was the finest fruit of that Brahmin order of New England which he first had classified and christened. He had too keen an appreciation of genius not to recognize his own. He enjoyed his work as much as his most those fervent admirers, and openly enjoyed, too, their applause. I remember one evening that he quoted one (his poems, and I was forced stupidly to acknowledge that I did not know it. He fairly jumped to the bookcases, took out the volume and read the verses, standing in the middle of the room, his voice trembling, his whole body thrilling with their meaning, "There!" he cried at the end, his ey. flashing, "could anybody have sail that better? Ah-h!" with a long, indrawn breath of delight as he put the book back .-- Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis in Scribper's.

Chinese Belles Well Painted.

A Chinese belle on special occasions will entirely bedaub her face with white paint, adding rouge to the lips and cheeks in such profusion that she looks more like a painted mask than anything human. Her eyebrows are blackened with charred sticks and arched or narrowed in accordance with her idea of beauty.

Andorra, a little republic in Pyrenees, has marked the end of entury by ope aing its public

to girls for the first time. The F government contributes \$200

will see who can pound the longest."

Yes, my friends, that is the secret, not flight from obstacles in the way, but "who can pound the longest."

child had it right when attempting to carry a ton of coal, a shovelful at a time, from the sidewalk to the cellar and some one asked her, "Do you ever expect to get all that coal in with that little shovel?" And she replied, "Yes, sir, if I work long enough." By

audiences on the Sabbath or our weekly service and conclude that they

represent the amount of plety in that

neighborhood. Oh, no! There are many most consecrated souls that are found in churches. Look into

those houses with large families of children and little or no hired help.

Hired help is a great advantage

For much of the year there is some one ill, and a special guardian care is requisite. How much time can that mother give to churches and prayer meetings when most of the family

ficence, however glorious and grand. Not understanding this, we mistake when we try to give statistics as to how many Christians there are in our churches in the world. We understate

The Mistake of Mothers But no one can take a mother's place, and it is an awful mistake that that mother makes who sacrifices home duties for any church meeting. however important, or any hospital. however merciful, or any outside bene-

haskell Tree Press. J. E. POOLE, Pablisher. HASKELL, - - - TEXAS.

A Chicago tobacconist nands every cigarette purchaser a neighboring undertaker's card.

and 6,000 workmen.

enough not to speak until tolled.

carrier pigeons for army purposes

nightingales devour the drones of a where, while the people bore every evi- upon General Santa Anna and the ac ers.

reacy has been done in England

scale of one in ton thousand has just The scenery was also beautiful, but it is quite a resort during the winter also been made.

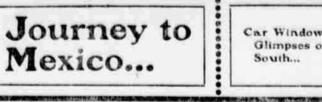
A waggish stranger complained to "that if our state were fenced in away southward toward. Laredo there are the out of a forty-dollar bill. After the police had spont a day hunting for the rogue, and finally located the suspects. man, it suddenly downed upon the eleuths that there are no forty-dollar bills.

There are flow people who dealles an increase of animy, but the flex. George C Lorimer.pastor of the Tremout Terrple in Boston, is one of the face, His congregation recently voted him an increase of \$1,000 a year, but he has declined the increases, stating that his present salary of \$7,000 a your is: quite enough.

A collection of political carbodites would properly include President Pierce's sabinat, the settly one in the history of the country which commined unchanged during the four years of an administration. It is remarkable that the cabinet of Lord Salishury, while consisted of ninetoen members, had nee suffered a single change in the five years since the summer of 1895, when the present government mok office.

it some grottoes in Algeria French stone implements mingled with the retions indicate that during the age very rich section, indeed." when grottoes were inhabited the coast various species of ruminants.

has ever been made to present the dusing states at no distant day.



(Mexican Letter.) | curred the hand to hand fight between

It has only been a short while since | Mexicans and Americans, when not In the Black forest district of Ger- he writer made a trip to Mexico. I an American was left to tell the story many are 1,400 master clockmakers went by the way of St. Louis down of the strugale. That was the last the Iron Mountain Route, and in doing, fight of David Crockett, who has told so, got a new lesson about Missourl the world, "First be sure you are right, A church bell has an empty head that was something of a revelation as, then go ahead." Dr. Bowle, who inand a long tongue, but it is discreet since my boyhood days I had a fancy vented the Bowle knife, also saw the that "Meezoory," as we sometimes last of earth in that engagement, and

called it, was a faraway backwoods others, brave and true, met an awful The sultan has forbidden the Tark- place indeed. Instead, the country fate in the old church house. It was ish war department to use balloons or through which the writer passed was at San Jacinto, a short distance away, one of great fertility, with mines of a few weeks afterward, when, with the richest ore and with streams lined battle cry of "Remember the Alame" A French naturalist asserts that with the finest timber to be found any- that the Americans took vengeand

Glimpses of the

South

benhive, and never attack the work- dence of prosperity and refined civili- count was squared forever. That was zation. But what quickly impressed me in the long, long ago before the era of was the great orchards to be seen peace and good will dawned. San An-A mint is to be established in Can- along the way and Missouri may prop- tonio will always be an important cit ada for the coimage of gold. Hereto, only be called the state of "the big red" for southern Texas, and is already the fore the coining of the metallic cur- apple," while peaches and cherries and metropolis for that section. It is a grapes are so prolific in production. very wealthy city and has a population Wine made from Missouri grapes is made up from every state in the Union An official map of Vesuvius on a now sold in the markets of the world. The climate is attractive to many, and

been issued, being the first since 1876, while nature was aitractive, the fine season. The society is of the best A new plan in relief of the cone has farms I saw made me change my views and as the government has a fort there about Missouri. "It is a fact." said the gay season is quite popular with ex-Gov. Francis of Missouri to me, the army officers. From San Antonio

police of Sailna, Kansas, that a from all the world we have enough wide stretches of mesquite brush resident of that town had fleeced him resources within Missouri to enable looking much like willows, but which



GATHERING PEACHES IN MISSOURI.

railway system there has been won- this bean, and the young branches of tunity to display their good qualities. Tribune, derful development within a few years the bushes, and while they do not fat- An illustration of the feeling toward explorers have recently discovered Before the railroad was built South- ten on the fare, it is quite capable of General Wilson was witnessed one western Missouri was a pretty wild sustaining life in the dry section morning in July by the editor of the mains of extinct animals belonging to section, but now the mining, farming where the grass is short. This is the Lucha. During a ride of some ten Quaternary times. Further explora- and fruit interests there make it a home of the jack rabbit which are miles many houses were passed, varyseen at almost any time from the car ing in size and appearance; at each the Soon after passing Poplar Bluff, a window, and now and then a coyote is inhabitants spoke to the general with of Algeria had a configuration different city of commercial importance to a seen off in the distance watching the a bright eye of pleasure, and received from that of today. Among the ani- wide area of country, we entered Ar- train go by. At Laredo there is hurry in return a courteous bow or salute, mais associated with the ancient hu- kansas, where the country, while rich and bustle as the train arrives at the according to sex, and a hearty buenos man inhabitants of Algeria were the in soil, is not developed as much as is depot, and the groups of Mexican men dias or hola, choquito, to the children. rhinoceros, the hippopolamus, and Missouri, and the people seemed much and women indicate that the land of The washerwomen at their tubs and given to the lumber business. How- Montezuma is near. It has only been the teamsters in the road; the ladles

aver, extensive peach and apple or- a few years since Laredo got a place in carriages on their way to church, "The Bright Side of Humanity," a chards were observed, and with the on the map, and since it has become and the Spanish and Cuban gentlemen new book by Dr. Edward Leigh Fell is mild climate of Arkansas it will the gateway between the republics, it out riding, all knew him, and were said to be the first earlous aftempt that doubtless rank high with the fruit pro- has grown to importance. Here the anxious to show their pleasure at International and Great Northern rail. meeting him. Toward the entire gar-



two men, six guns; Peacock, 755 tons, seventy-six men; ten guns; Pigmy, 755 tons, seventy-six men, ten guns; Plover, 755 tons, seventy-six men, ten John Sherman guns; Rattler, 715 tons, seventy-six Raise only half-way up the mast men, six guns; Redpole, 805 tons, sev-The flag today-Another great American enty-six men, six guns. Torpedo boats -Fame, 275 tons, eighty men, six Has passed away

Through such as he the nation move To grander heights, As sailors gain the ports they seek By starry lights

Safe in his country's love he sleeps, A proven man. In all he did most earnestly American.

the roaring cannon's mouth Not al He found his fame. But by upholding in her need His country's name.

Equal are soldier and statesman-Or soon or late Each gives his life unsparingly Unto the state.

Then honor him, and write his name On Glory's scroll As high as any there, and breathe Peace to his soul. C. G. B., in Chicago Record.

The Late Major Cartwright.

gade at the age of twenty-six, he led Major Cartwright, who died recently in Cuba of yellow fever, was extremely the charge which resulted in the capture of General Prentiss' division of popular among the Cubans. La Lucha, the federal army. During that battle the Havana paper which is much given to finding fault with Americans as a he had three horses shot under him rule, makes an exception in favor of and won his nickname of "Fighting the officers and men who have garri- Joe." In July of the same year he soned what was formerly the depart- was given command of the cavalry ment of Matanzas. In an article on division of the army of the Mississippi Major Cartwright's death La Lucha and in that capacity he took part in says: "In Matanzas Major Cartwright some of the most desperate battles o was not alone in being admired by the the war. During the war General native population. From General Wil- Wheeler was under fire in 800 skirson down members of the staff of that mishes and no less than 200 battles. department were met everywhere by After the surrender of Lee General smiles, bows and salutes. The secret Wheeler opened a law office at Wheelof it is that these men-with their ing, Ala. He served in congress concommanding officer for an example- | tinuously from 1882 until the breaking our people to live comfortably. In the produces a bean that is very nutri- recognized the humanity of these peo- out of the war with Spain. His career section traversed by the iron Mountain tions. The cettle are very fond of ple, thereby giving them full oppor- since that time is familiar .- Chicago

Star.

out he at once volunteered, and became in rapid succession captain, ma-

QUEER AND CURIOUS THINGS

AND EVENTS.

Power of the Human Eye to Fascinate Not So Great as Many Suppose - Electrie Energy Experts Now Studying the Malapterrus.

A Sketch.

A builder's yard, a ship upon the ways, The groan of straining planks, the snap of stays, The cheering of a crowd, "She moves!" "She's off?"

the great ship Leaves the wharf

storm-swept, foam-tossed sea of A

guns; Whiting, 300 tons, eighty men, The tolling of a bell, now lost, now six guns. Sloops-Algerine, 1,050 tons clear-106 men, ten guns; Daphne, 1,140 tons, 138 men, eight guns; Phoenix, 1,050

in crashing Waves to disappear

696 tons, 6,993 men, 455 guns. 2 H. M. S. Forte is a second class cruiser A summer's eve, a calm and wailing of 4,360 tons displacement and 7,000 tide tons horse power. She carries ten A dismal stretch of sand that tries to

guns, and her nominal speed is 19.5 hide knots. She is commanded by Captain The bones of some great vessel, prow E. P. Jones, and is on the Cape and

on high. West African station. The first class Outlined against the sunset's last faint gunboat Partridge, of 720 tons, and is glow also on the same station. She carries

Athwart the sky. -Julian Henckley.

The Power of the Human Eye.

animals and even upon persons who floor. Sometimes while the boys were are aware that they are being looked General Joseph Wheeler graduated at earnestly, not to say fiercely, can Mr. Blodgett would shower another from West Point in 1859. When the not be gainsaid. But there are people handful upon them, which served to war broke out he went into the conwho claim that they are able to com- spur them to renewed efforts. To vary federate service, and at the battle of pel another to look at them when the Shiloh, where he commanded a brisubject of the experiment is unconscious of being observed. It may turn out some day that such a power is really possessed by a few, but a good they could exercise the influence here. narratives that have appeared in that stand, unknown to a person whom I est man in the country. will call A, behind a bookcase and look through a carefully concealed

peephole. I gave him the best opportunity, placing A about four feet from the hole and directly facing him, and I engaged A in mechanical writing. To General John B. Gordon is a son of the young man's confessed disgust and Georgia, which state he has served irritation he was unable to disturb A. since the war as governor and United My few experiments were negative in States senator. As a soldier he ranked results. However, it may be that telein the popular estimation at least as pathic influence is exerted under ceronly second to Robert E. Lee. He tain conditions, and experiments with graduated from the University of twins and others constantly en rap-Georgia in 1852 at the head of his port, especially when under emotional class, and afterwards engaged in the stress and at critical junctures, might he worth trying.

Electric Energy in a Fish.

Biologists are working now on a

IN THE ODD CORNER, yor. Persons who cannot cat the common radish because of its indigestible qualities should hall this new variety with pleasure. It makes an excellent salad; it is also delicious when boiled, having a delicate asparagua flavor. -New York Press.

Showered Boys with Coin. With tear-dimmed eyes the bell boys in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel watched yesterday the departure of R. F. Blodget, who is said to be a banker from Boaton, says the New York Herald. Because of his lavish distribution of money among them, they regarded him as a veritable "Monte Cristo," Hardly a night passed during the last two And with a sudden rush and splash weeks that he did not scatter from \$5 to \$20 in the main corridor for the boys to scramble for. It was this practice that made Mr. Blodgett conspicuous among the hotel patrons, for howling gale, A ship half lost in feam, a rag of sail, without ostentation. Usually Mr. his ordinary "tips" were handed out Blodgett waited until 11 o'clock at night, when the hotel corridors were The shore! the shore!"-she strikes filled with fashionably dressed men and women for his fun. He would then convert a bill of large dimensions into dimes and quarters, and wait his opportunity. The boys were always on the alert, but Mr. Blodgett wanted what stage managers call a "situa-When a crowd gathered in tion." front of the office, Mr. Blodgett, standing near the Thirty-fourth street entrance, would hurl a few dollars in dimes along the floor toward the reading room. The effect upon the twenty bell boys sitting upon the leather covered bench was electrical. With a mad rush they scrambled for the elusive The power of the human eye upon | coins as they rolled about on the tiled battling for the dimes and quarters, the programme, Mr. Blodgett occasion-

ally closed the door leading to the reading room and dashed the coins against it. After he had thrown money around in this fashion a few many people who have thought that times the boys kept a sharp watch upon him, and he never caught them described have failed when tested. The unawares. They always saw him first following story told by Hiram M. Stan- and kept an eager lookout for the exley in Science is only one of many such pected shower of coin. In the course of the two weeks he remained at the and other publications: To the physi- hotel it is said he distributed among ologist it may seem uncalled for to the boys about \$200. He makes freinvestigate a manifest absurdity, but it quent visits to the hotel in the course has at least a practical value to ex- of a year, and seems always to find plode a common error by direct ex- his chief amusement in getting up a periment. I esked a young man who scramble for money among the boys. is very confident of his powers to Naturally they consider him the great-

A Remarkable Motor.

From Germany comes the design of a remarkable motor that turns heat energy directly into motion through the intermediary action of electricity. The machine is called a thermo-electric motor, and works on the familiar principle of the electric motor somewhat modified to meet the peculiar origencies of the case. In action it is essentially an electric motor, but one deriving its electrical energy from heat applied to it through thermo-electric couples. A thermo-electric couple is composed of two dissimilar metals, such as iron and copper. Any complete circuit made of two metals must necessarily have two junctions of the problem which may affect the building two in it. If one of these junctions is of engines materially. Some experts heated more than the other an electric has ever been made to present the characteristic noble traits of all rates. In the preparation of his book Dr Peil examined one thousant works of travel it is expected, will be attained by a ence in temperature between the two study of the batteries of electric fishes. junctions and the resistance it en-The particular fish from which the counters in its path. On the motor most is hoped is the malapterrus, the machine the couples are made of iron fresh water electric fish of Northern and nickel, firmly brazed together. Africa. His batteries are so powerful They are arranged like the windings that a specimen eight inches long pro- of the ordinary electric motor, with duced a shock equaling a maximum of one set of junctions brought conveniently to the surface, where gas jets play upon them. The other set are cooled by a rapid circulation of air about them, engendered by the rotation of the machine. While the motor is of no practical value, it is an exceedingly interesting exemplification of the case with which energy may be transformed and retransformed through the various forms of heat, electricity and motion.

Sketch of Gen. Gordon.

tons, 484 men, twenty-eight guns.

Gunboats-Linnet, 756 tons, ninety-

tons, 106 men, ten guns, Total, 96,-

six guns and seventy-five men, and is

commanded by Lieut. and Commander

Allan P. Hunt.-Montreal Herald and

"Fighting Joe" Wheeter.

mining of coal. When the war broke

jor, colonel, brigadier general, major general and lieutenant general in command of one wing of the army of Vir-

pleasant task:

Little has been said, and provably w little throught of the beneficent work done by the railroads in adding fee-Breaking Steamer's The of Newly and directions for protection. Under and promoting the measurer set on foot for the relief of girlellen Galveston. Thousands of reforms from that city peculyed free heatermarkather to an part of the contry, and immension quantities of sempline serve rached forward without charge. This ready reepable to the new of himnen needs char alterized all the gould convey assess of the scotting the stores internaand inteptons don mid is. They

ever thought before and could be an igan, however, twin point over and of friends, One of the new H D Barrell of South Haven A other stars along colonies of bein. The other is a grant grower. A few months ago the inits complained of the former's hear it stroying the surfy Crawford posche claming that the bees came into his orchard in large numbers, bit holes in the fruit and rendered it at mara this for which he demanded \$200. Frof. J. M. Rankin of the agricultural college and the entomologist of the Agricultural department at Washington will by called as expert witnesses by the defence in a suit for dismages.

lies contentedly under the ben's wing the control the time similar, will complete

in charity as to require to employ a weather. special lady secretary, hearing the title of directness of the imperial charities. whose office is to dishtree and overless the employment of her majesty's gifts.

An advertiser proposed to reveal for three times a day, while mother resta."

New York's great rapid transit tunnel, so long projected, is finally under places are immense. In the neighborhood of Union square, for example, rock

with considerable detail the vices and many Meximu people, who had come teresting journey across the country which always was returned. disagreeable traits of the people which here and made that homes with Unele from Chlongo and I have received new they profess to describe only two him. Sum. Here, also I now any the adobe impressions of a part of my native dred dwelt at any lebuth on their vire house made of dried mud bricks land, but as I look forward to a conties. To supply the compensatory which are thereagily cured in the con- tinuance of my journey, in what might adopted for replenishing the ammunit- States senate. He is now 68 years old. bigh lights in three dark biciness was stant sumships, and what interested be called a new world, I contemplated tion of the troops engaged has consist- -- Chicago Tribune. a happy thousat and must have been a me wary much was the Alamo, the old that which was in prospect with a peadobe church building, in which oc- | cullar pleasure;

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY. | Mingship, only new causer for anxiety,

The Breaking Measures The of Newly Discovered Methods. Interesting utilization of wireless telegraphy is recorded in connection with the ice-breaking stramer Erman during last winter. The Russian irror-cial Generale Amiral & Apreniae rain contests and the strategies in the strateg on the roots driverse in coset of the January who, indeed, has and a d faland of Holdani in the suil of Fins- many which indeed, has and a de-fan L. 12. Was the most be seen the structure flowing of Daty. A most with the second of the second second

or damont anthers where enquerny can. The vertical lines utilized were of its insurins. The impons from the are fitted with a zort of saddle which mended. 157 feet in height and the sparks from thusiters cost from \$5 to \$10 each, and will carry a quantity of rifle ammunithe induction code were fourteen the girl was brings sufficient training without the slightest hitch over this great distance. On one occasion it was successful in the reacue of twentyseven fishermen who were carried away on an ice floe. The perilous position of the fishermen was transmitted from one station to another, thence to the Ermak, from which yesand nourishing. sel a boat pulled off and so educted the

A motheriess plg has been adopted timely reacue of the unfortunate fishby a hen belonging to Mrs. Henry Lan- ermen. The apparatus was in opera-Dark Substances Good Heat Radiators, ders, of Mantua, N. J. The hen had tion for eighty-four days and was been sitting on a next of eggs, but only suspended on two occasions, owthese she kicked out of the next when ing to severe snowstorms in all, 440 convection. Nearly all dull and dark searching for the she took charge of the little pig, which | official messages were dispatched hebright polished surfaces radiate hadly

success. Curiously enough the appar- Some substances conduct heat more It is interesting to learn that the atus was found to work better during freely than others, silver among the Czarina of Russia dispenses so much the prevalence of storms than in raim metals being the best conductor, and

Queen Regent Dreads Assassin-

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land) Chronicle.

Perhaps there is no more desolute and pathetic figure in Europe than the queen regent of Spain, says a foreign twenty-five cents an easy way for any writer. Her daily life is as simple, as young lady to keep her hands nime and anatere, and as regulated as a pun's in soft. A budding damael in Sturgeon, a cloister. She is without a friend, so Mo., sent the cash, and received this to speak, in the royal courts of Europe advice: "Soak your hands in dishwater -save, perhaps, the pope, and in losser degree the emperor of Austria. And

now to her isolation is added the hunting and dread specter of anarchy. Her son, over whose childhood she way. The difficulties presented in some watched with what might be called. even for a king, an extravagance of care, and whom she has guided to sion in the United States for Hible guns; Brisk, 1,770 tons, 273 men; sixthe tunnel must be hewn out of solid manhood with a solicitude and devo-type rerely equaled, bring her, with his country." the to see in teen gune; Endymion, 7,350 tons, 544 this country."

and it looked very much Mexican to tial steel bridge, the Mexican National meeting an officer by drawing up in and although all of them set forth me for I new saw for the first time Railway bering. It has been an in- line and giving a smiling salute-

Dogs to Carry Ammunition.

ed in selecting a certain number of men to carry cartridges from the rear up to the firing line, it having been . Two plans for army reorganizations

apparently supposed that it would be will be submitted to congress this winpossible for these men to move along ter. Secretary Root, meeting the views the line and to distribute ammunition of the president, is having prepared to those whose pouches were empty. plans which contemplate an army of We very soon learned that such a sys- 100,000 men. He will follow the same tem could not be of any use under general method as that urged upon the modern condition. The men carrying late congress. Gen. Miles will propose up the ammunition would inevitably an army of 80,000, including 36 regibe shot before reaching the front and ments of infantry, 15 regiments of the men in the firing line would be left | envalry, 20 batteries of artillery, and with empty punches. So we must find a coast artillery of about 18,000 men some other method of solving this im- to properly man the seacoast defenses. portant problem, which has also to be Gen. Miles believes there should be at ergy of the consumed fuel. The bat considered in committee with the an- least one soldier to every thousand intion of arillery. We know that at habitants. The administration will Colenso it was impossible to keep the strongly uses that a big standing army gunz, afterward claudaned, supplied he provided for and will point out that with animuallion, and with the pros- the large army of volunteers will cease

peet that the rate of fire of our guns to be available after June next. Acwill be considerably increased in the companying this appeal for an innear future, this problem bids fair to creazed army will be the war departthree miles here the interpretent in the density is the point is foreign unles the services of specially from \$125,000,000 to \$150,000,000, as foreign unles the services of specially from \$125,000,000 to \$150,000,000, as the maximum size recomapparatus, says the scontilit Ameri. The conforts of life and even of some to get over the difficulty. These dors an army of the maximum size recom-

tion, and are trained to race to the Inches long. The Installation worked from home will profit much from her front, and, arrived there, to permit the weekly audience with a great teacher. soldiers to relieve them of their bur-Rooms in the fashionable quarter of den. I think it quite possible that it may be found possible to keep infan-Berlin are expensive, although after the third story is passed there is a detry supplied in this manner, but some other means will have to be found for crease in price the nearer one gets to replenishing the limbers of our artilheaven. The style of living is much lery. It is very probable that we shall more simple than in America, and the see dogs utilized in many other ways plainest meal is generally well cooked in the fighting of the future. For instance, they would be very useful on outpost duty to give warning of an

> The tendency of heat to diffuse itself tached to our field hospitals they is effected by radiation, conduction and would be of the greatest assistance in aved radiators, walle action .- National Review

enemy's approach, and if dogs were at-

British China Squadron. The British fleet in Chinese waters is commanded by Vice Admiral Sir as a unit the measurement is taken at Edward Hobart Seymour, K. C. B., 1.000. Compared with silver as a conand his flagship is the Centurion. The ductor, gold is 981, copper \$45, zinc 641 second in command, flagship Barfleur, tin 422, steel 397, and wrought iron is Rear Admiral James A. T. Bruce, Glass, wood, gases, liquids, and The fleet consists of four battleships, resinous substances are bad conduceight cruisers, six gunboats, two tortors. Water is such a poor conductor pedo boats and three sloops. The vesthat if heat is applied to the top it sels with their armament and equipwill boil at the top while the bottom ment are as follows: Battleahipawill remain cold.-Newcastle (Eng-Centurion, 10,500 tons, 696 men. fortythree guns; Barfleur, 10,500 tons, 622 men, forty-three guns; Victorious, 14.-

Americana Seek Bible Knowledge. 900 tons, 757 men, fifty-six guns; Ter-The Rev. Dr. Meyer of London, who rible, 14,200 tons, 840 men, forty-four is coming again to this country to hold guns. Cruisers-Aurora, 5,600 tons. meetings in the Southern states, said 484 men, twenty-six guns; Bonavenin England recently: "There is a pas- ture, 4,360 tons, 812 men, nineteen

speech, bidding his soldiers obey the laws, go home in peace, and do their best to rebuild the country. He served four years as governor of his native In our English service, the system state, and seven years in the United

The Army Reorganization.

200 volts. This was measured exactly in a recent experiment. Scientists declare that if an engine could be built which could produce the same proportional energy it would do work which it is at present conceived only in the wildest dreams of engineers. The best marine engines made today yield only about one-twelfth as much energy, measured in money value, as the coal costs to make it go. It is for that reason that men look forward toward the electro-magnetic engine, which theoretically would be almost without waste, returning 95 per cont of the en-

tary of the malapterrus consists of at least 3,000,000 disks, distributed through the skin. They lie in sixty series of 5,000 cech. They all get their electric power from one singl giant perve cell. So now, if biologists can find out just how this wonderful pigmy engine can produce and transmit its tremandous force, they hope to point out a golden road to vast accomplishments by englacers .- New York Press.

New Zealand's Vegetable Novelties New Zealand offers to gardeners sev Twenty-four of the waiters in the eral novelties in vegetables which are cadet mess at West Point stopped especially valuable in localities affected by drought. Yates' aphis-proof cabbage, an Australian raised variety gave good hearts, notwithstanding the intense drought of last summer, and remained almost entirely free from aphis, while every other variety of cabbage was riddled by the pest. A betacceded to the demand. The griev ter opportunity could not have occurances are based upon the recent inred for testing its hardiness. After crease in the number of cadets, which the heart is cut, it throws out several naturally makes additional work for small hearts and loose leaves, all of which are tender and of good flavor; and as they rapidly reproduce themselves after cutting a bed of these cab bages will keep a house in vegetables

all through the summer and fall. A cabbage that would really resist aphia and stand the hot, dry summers has long been a desideratum in Australian gardens, and it is thought that this variety will meet the want. Another vegetable worthy of attention is an "African cucumber," a plant of the cucumber family from Rhodesia, South Africa. The fruit is six inches long, of a bright orange color and covered with spines. Even for ornamental purposes the plant is well worth growing: but it may also be used as a fruit. the flesh being soft and julcy, and in app rance much like passion fruit. Eaten with sugar; the flavor is similar to that of a rock melon. Another novelty is called the "mongri," or edthe podded radish. It is a new vege-

as the ordinary radish, producing en-

minous crops of long pods which are erlop and tender with a delicious Aa-

Fossible Corner in Elephants.

Perhaps when Sir Thomas Lipton gets a satisfactory rake-off from his corner in pork, he will try to get up a corner in elephants. It will cost him more, for elephants cat a lot, and can use up a fortune, if kept long in idleness. There is a scarcity of slephants in North Slam, and the prices are going up. It is announced in Ceylon that Sir Tom has been buying elephants heavily, and pow is "long" of this bulky stock. When the French annexed Mekong they laid hands upon a valuable source of supply, and since have discouraged the exportation of the animals. At the same time the constant demand for elephants on the Burmah side drains them out of Stam. Other parts of the country still contain large numbers of wild elephants, and it is said that a Chinese firm is getting up a large herd from the Malay peninsula for work on the mainland. It will be interesting to see if this experiment proves remunerative. Siam is so dreadfully progressive, however, that even Jumbo may have to give way to the motor car, which is less unwieldy and cheaper to keep. The white elephant is assured of a happy future at Bangkok, for the natives can not worship a petroleum gig in the place of the sacred animal, no matter how great may be their regard for its utilitarian side .- New York Press.

America's Most Artistic House.

After two years' careful search and inquiry the general assent of competent critics decides that the most artistic house in America is located in one of the Middle Atlantic states. The house is unpretentious externally and is little heard of outside certain art circles, but it is indisputably the supreme triumph in interior decorations and furnishing. Its owner and occupant has graciously consented to reveal its artistic beauties to the public through The Ladies' Home Journal, and two whole pages of an early incue of that magazine will be devoted to pleturing the interior of this superb home.

Many people who are always golting their foolings hurt mean that their self-cateem has been injured.

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the civilian employes. The old scale for the mess waiters was \$20 a month wounded after an with rations. Manuers for Young Men. Familiarity with the prevailing standards of etiquette gives a young man a distinct advantage, and he who is sure that he knows is at case and conforms automatically to social requirements. None can be perfect in deportment who has to stop to consider how things ought to be done. If a man be a gentleman at heart the

outward polish is easily acquired-between manners and morals the tie is intimate. A true gentleman is simple. unpretending, natural. He is courteous and considerate, and has the personal dignity that comes of selfrespect, not self-consciousness. H treats every woman as a lady, speaks well of others and recognizes hospital-

An old bachelor says a rich and pretty widow never comes a-miss.

ity as a mutual obligation .- October Ladies' Home Journal.

work just before the dinner hour recently and refused to handle a single ration unless a raise of \$5 a month in their salary was guaranteed. Major Hall, treasurer of the commissary department was summoned, and after consulting with the superintendent

West Point Waiters Strike.

HANGED BY A WOMAN be made a full confession. This was TREMBLING MOUNT rupted, and the eye sweeps over miles NAVY'S FASTEST BOAT and miles of these forest covered

at length, blown, but happy, amid the

blueberry bushes on Trembling Moun-

tain's scarred old crest. Unlike the

A MINER PAYS PENALTY FOR MURDER.

Tried by Husband and Wife in a Lonely Alaskan Caldn and Duly Sentenced to still pointed at Dennin's head, Mrs. Die-Makes a Confession-Strange Ex- Nelson sat near the bunk and whisigencies of Lonely Life.

(Alasha Letter.) "We have found you guilty of mur-Near Skaguay, Alaska, the strange der in the first degree, and we declare exigencies of life in an isolated mining region compelled a woman to act as will be hanged by the neck until you Canada's most western province as a heavenward to the lofty peak and judge and executioner in a murder are dead. The execution will take sea of mountains. It has been consid- splutter: "Zer wis ze haut can be?"

A Desta and the second se

case. With her own hands Mrs. Hans place on Friday." Nelson put the rope around the neck of the man whom she had taken pris- was held, and for two days Mrs. Nelson tains is, after all, the Laurentian gies doggedly up the steep slope, rate of speed was fourteen knots an oner, and after she had read a few devoted herself to preparing the pris- range. The peaks of British Columbia Trembling Lake at the foot of the verses from the Scriptures she swung oner for the end. She read the Bible are too sharp, too soaring and too mountain is 734 feet above sea level, the rope over the limb of a tree. Then to him, wrote letters of farewell to his rocky to convey a very accurate im- thus the ascent means climbing 1.600 Nov. 7 bringing the news of her arher husband pulled on it until the relatives, and talked with him. At pression of waves, but the Laurentians feet. Unfortunately the path that rival at Gibraltar, neose tightened, and the wretched first he seemed unreconciled, but when are so rounded, so regularly inter- must be followed is not a direct one-23an, who was paying the extreme pen- the day of his execution arrived he valed, and of a that, under summer on the contrary, it resembles Brer alty for his crime was strangled to appeared quite calm and self-possessed, skies, which is such a wonderful imi- Rabbit's doublings when he endeavor- Kentucky's marvelous run, and they

The execution took place at Latuya bay, 100 miles from Skaguay, where walked firmly to the solitary tree near for the first time will almost certainly be dodged, and rock falls avoided, all Mr. and Mrs. Hans Nelson had gone the cabin where a barrel had been notice their resemblance to swelling of such deviations consuming time, from Manila a year ago he made the with them were Michael Dennin and two other miners. The men were mod- followed with the shotgun. erately successful in their search for gold, and they had obtained several thousand dollars when the end of the season came. There was much discussion concerning how to spend the wina council was held at the breakfast upon the barrel. Mrs. Nelson said a ing singularly regular in altitude, so the lake, just where the latter spills table. Dennin was not present, but little prayer and read a chapter from that points of observation from which its surplus waters into the Discharge. expressions of satisfaction. from his bunk in the room near by he heard his partners make plans for the pending of their money.

One of the men made some laughing | paid the penalty for his crime. nark about how he meant to cut a shing figure in San Francisco, when ddenly Dennin entered, with a shotin in hand. Without saying a word, took careful aim and fired at one of he miners. The man fell, and Dennin turned his gun upon the miner who the murderer's case was laid, decided sat next to him. The buckshot crashed through the man's skull, and he feil beside his dead comrade. Both barrels being emptied. Dennin began to load his gun again, but Mrs. Nelson sprang at him, catching him by the throat. With a strength born of desperation. she pushed the murderer back against the wall of the cabin, and called to her husband to help her overpower him. Nelson quickly went to her aid, and, wresting the shotgun from Dennin's hand, he beat the murderer over the head until the man fell bleeding and

unconscious. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson bound their mitting the dreadful crime. Then they could say. But she was evidently were unknown to Queen Elizabeth and examined the two bodies that lay upon the floor. It was not possible to sum- herself with the airs that appertain with which suicide has increased is mon help, for they were miles away from any other camping place. It was show. Her gown was strictly in the her husband prepare them for interment. Then the miner and his wife went out on the beach and spent the



asked to sign it. With his fate to be decided by the two who had been his PEAK NEAR MONTREAL WELL boast, and with reason, of their White WORTH VISITING. days of their prospecting trip, the pris-

oner waited in an agony of suspense for half an bour. With the shotgun Height of the Mountain Determined as there is nothing to surpass the pano- Her Recent Fast Trip from New York 2,400 Feet-Eastern United States Has rama spread as a scroll beneath the Nothing to Surpass the Panorama weary feet of the pligrim who stands pered to her husband. Then she stood Viewed from Its Top. before the wretched man and said:

In a speech delivered in Victoria, B. Innocent Abroad, an explorer of the that your sentence shall be death. You C., Lord Dufferin once described mountain will find no guide to point cred a happy expression, and no doubt but the same thought in other words

He said good-bye to his executioners, tation of old ocean's blue, that the ed to escape the too assiduous attenand when his feet were unbound he traveler on looking down upon them tions of Brer Fox. Windfalls have to

to seek their fortunes. Associated placed to do service as a scaffold, billows. The greatest obstacle to en- and making the climb a much longer Nelson preceded him and Mrs. Nelson | joying the illusion, or rather such op- | one than would be the case if a few | fast cruiser Olympia in nine days, ar-It was a solemn moment as the con- ception of the Laurentians as they up one of the most attractive peaks Even this, the naval officers say, is demned man stood looking at the sky really are, is the difficulty of finding a in the province. Trembling Mountain not so remarkable a performance as for the last time. He shook hands point of vantage. Earth's oldest range, station, ninety-one miles from Mon- the Kentucky's trip has proved to be, with both his executioners, and then for such we are told by geologists is treal, is the gateway to the park. A simply because the Olympia was built Mrs. Nelson tied a handkerchief over probably the truth, possesses few con- drive of two and a half miles over an for speed. ter, and one morning, just a year ago, his eyes. Nelson helped him to step spicuously lofty peaks, the hills be- unusually good country road, leads to

the Bible. Her husband tightened the a study of the range may be made are by a leap of some forty feet. This rope and pushed away the barrel. In few and far between. Montreal is, Discharge eventually helps to swell a few moments Michael Dennin had however, fortunate in having one of the Devil's river. It contains a great

they again returned to civilization, the United States Court, before which that the hanging was a judicial act.

GIRL WITH CANE.

Handles Fetching Stick with Save's Faire of Veteran.

Society has started a new fad-the girl with the cane, says the New York World. She was seen on Fifth avenue yesterday wielding a dainty stick as skillfully as her escort wielded the heavier one he carried. Passers-by Why do people commit suicide? It though the two countries are side by stopped and wondered, but the girl is easy enough to answer Because aide and inhabited by people of the with the cane never flinched. She they are miserable." How, then, shall same blood. In Saxony and Prussia, walked her way up the avenue with we account for the fact that as the which are extremely prosperous, sui-

to the Waldorf-Astoria and the horse shown by the following table:

golf length and a hat of black to France 98 match. The stick was long and Prussia116 morning digging a grave. They took slender. It had a straight handle. Belgium 54 This is conceived to be the fashion for Sweden 65 New York girls for the coming season. England and

The Fate of the Confederate Seal.

THE KENTUCKY BREAKS ALL OCEAN RECORDS. Mountains, Adirondacks, and Catskills; but in all New York and New England

> Attention of the World to Our Soonto-Be Peerless Navy.

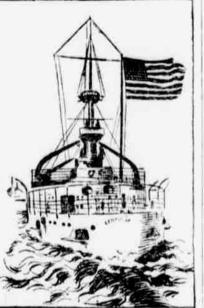
(Washington Letter.) Uncle Sam's big battleship Kentucky Is now the pride of the navy. She recently broke all long-distance records for warships by steaming from New York to Gibraltar in twelve days. It It was Wednesday when the trial it was, though the true sca of moun- will be often in his mind as he strug- was a 4,000-mile trip and the average hour. She left New York October 26. A cablegram reached the navy yards

> The navy yard officials were both surprised and delighted to hear of the immediately cabled Capt. Chester their congratulations.

trip from Gibraltar to New York in the portunity to grasp an adequate con- hundred dollars were spent in opening riving here two days ahead of his time.

News of the latest record-breaking voyage was received by navy men with

The record of the Oregon on her



THE KENTUCKY. long journey around the Cape is beaten for the distance so far sailed by the Kentucky.

Tried It on the Dog.

A French barber has invented a citizen guizzed him on the subject. says the Mexican Herald. "You say it is new; you have not

CHASED BY SLAVER.

Exciting Experiences of the Crew of a Minnesota Cripple Who Has Made a British Steamship.

The P. and O. steamer Egypt, which

a want at a said and a start of the second second of

but the captain and second officer nothing remarkable about this story, were soon picked up and the men con- but there is about I wing. He has veyed to Aden. Twenty-three days neither hands nor feen nonlater the remainder of the crew arriv- ago Dowling was ed there after extraordinary experiences. Two days after leaving the which occasionally

Indra they fell in with a Somall dhow | northwestern country which offered to conduct them to the frozen and though he shore to find fresh water. One of the to save himself both feet and hands native crew understood something of were frozen and had to be amputated.

fected their escape, but another eight to eat?" he asked. "Yes," said the days elapsed before a friendly village boy. "Why didn't you ask some one was reached on the Arabian coast. to get you something?" "I have been Meanwhile the water supply was lim- longer than this without eating and 1 ited to four tablespoonfuls a day, won't trouble anybody with my miswhilst the last soven days there was fortune," he replied. But the conducnothing to eat. The victims' suffer- tor got him something, and also saw ings were frightful. Several steamers him taken care of to the end of his were seen but signals were not regard- run. The same self-reliance sustained ed. Day after day in the fierce sun- Dowling throughout his life. He got shine the Europeans, although longing his artificial limbs, educated himself, for water to moisten their cracked taught school, ran a newspaper, belips, manfully kept up their spirits, came a politician of prominence, and but the natives handed knives to one has been secretary of the National another, and would have induced each League of Republican Clubs. He gets other to put an end to their troubles along without cane or crutches, writes but for the influence of the officers, with his artificial hand, makes no At last Barrali was reached, and dur- complaint on the score of being criping the twelve days spent ashore the pled and asks no favor because he is food was of the scantlest description, short the average allotment of hands though everything possible was done and feet. "Mike" Dowling is on this for the comfort of the men. On reach- account one of the most interesting ing Aden the unfortunate men were men in this country. sent home.

AZTEC TREASURES

Uncarthed After Being Buried Centuries Ago.

The work that is being carried on in Atomic weights seems to be deadlockthe Calle de las Escalerillas for the ed on the chief point at issue, namely, laying of the sewer mains has led to the selection of a standard for atomic

HAD GREAT CRIT.

Wonderful Record.

Some time since Secretary of War arrived at Plymouth recently, had Root commissioned a man to go to the among her passengers those of the Philippines and make some confidencrew of the British steamer Indra, who tial observations. He made the investo Gibrattar Has Awakened the were so long missing after the tigations, returned to this country.prewreck of their vessel at Cape Guarda- pared and submitted his reports. These ful. The Indra, bound from Java to reports so pleased the secretary that Philadelphia with 8,500 tons of sugar, he wrote a personal letter of congratuwas wrecked on August 20, about 28 lation to the confidential agent. The miles from Cape Guardaful in fine man who made these reports was M. J. weather. The crew left in four boats, Dowling of Minnesota. So far there is

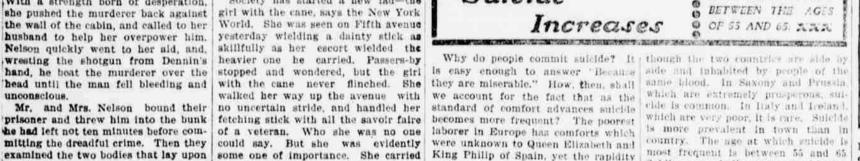
vears. 11118zards pr the Was badly attled bravely the language and gathered that the This was protty hard for a key, but he strangers intended making prisoners was full of true grit. As soon as the of the shipwrecked mariners and hold- stumps healed he determined to go to ng them for ransom or selling them Milwaukee to secure artificial | ubs. into slavery. The Somalis had placed The only way he could travel was by an armed man in one of the boats, but being laid upon the seat of a car, where luring the night he was thrown over- he did not move during the entire oard and the towline was cut adrift. Journey. The conductor punched the Hoisting sail, the two boats stood ticket which was tied to him, thinking away, but were soon followed in pur- what hard luck the boy was in. Then suit by the Somalis, who were seen he forgot the boy and the train jourpreparing their blow-darts and stones. | neyed on for miles and miles, stopped The sailors' smaller craft was aban- at a station for dinner, and again went doned, its occupants being taken on on. Late in the afternoon the conthe sailing boat, which now had ductor felt full of remorse because he thirty-nine people on board, with a had given no further thought of the diminished supply of water and food. boy without hands or legs. He went In the darkness the Indra's crew ef- back to him. "Do you want anything

ATOMIC WEIGHTS.

International Commission Deadlocked on Selection of Standard.

The International Commission on

important archaeological discoveries, weights. It appears that the commisfor, as is well known, that street, as sion, with the exception of six Gerlotion for the human head that not well as the present cathedral, formed mans and one American (Professor only preserves the scalp, but makes part of the site of the great temple of Mallet) had pronounced unanimously hair grow in baid spots. A doubting Huitzilopochtil, the Aztec god of war, in favor of O equals 16, and the point was thought to be settled until it was The latest discoveries seem to be found that in the last number of the tried it; how do you know it will the most important of all. Foremost Chemical News the German minority work?" "Ah, I am not so slow." was among them are two figures of the god had reopened the question by calling cide. When a man is at his last gasp of despair he does not kill himself; he in Amerique ze inventor like ze di-of despair he does not kill himself; he rector of ze opera and ze drama first is painted red, yellow and black, and ter in favor of H equals 1. The Gertry heem on ze dog. If ze dog like, in spite of the dampness of the ground man contention is summed up in the



goes to America. Suicide, rare among

Soldiers are of all men most subject to suicide-their life is so melancholy and monotonous in barracks in time of peace. The number is 210 per 1.000,-325 333 000 in England, in Germany 550 and in

266 259 Austria 1,209. In the latter case this 240 220 means a man a year in every battalion. 161 212 Religion is the most powerful antidote 153 204 to the suicidal tendency. Italy and Ire-81 116 land are intensely religious. In the 86 110 case of Ireland it is thought also that the habit of emigration prevents sul-

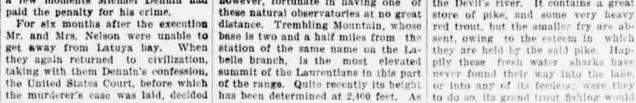
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some one of importance. She carried King Philip of Spain, yet the rapidity 1841-60 1871-80 1885-88

With it went a smart black skirt of Switzerland

Wales

"The result of the last Confederate Italy



all its companions are mere hillocks be in serious danger -- Montreal Her by comparison, the view is uninter- ald and Stor. Suicide IT IS MOST FREQUENT

MRS. HANS NELSON.

using the shovel, and together carried the bodies to the grave. ae woman said a prayer, and when and was smoothed over this loneund she went back into the cubin bore the horrible traces of mur-First she ministered to the man ad deliberately taken the lives comrades. Nelson refused to he prisoner, because he said he

not trust himself in the murderpresence. It was a difficult task wash the blood away from the man's head and to feed him as he lay, bound, and when this duty had been performed she still had much to do in finishing her hushand's labor of removing the blood stains from the walls and floors and furniture.

It was not until the sun had set on and her husband were confronted the question of what to do with prisoner. This problem harassed for a fortnight. Every day Mr. Mrs. Nelson took turns guarding soner. With the man's own run leveled at his head, they sat watched him as he lay, bound and foot. For an hour each ing they led him out of doors for tle exercise, and then both did duty. One day Dennin confessed he had meant to kill the whole and then take all the gold that been found. He had planned how could tell the story that Indians murdered his partners. It was

Nelson's quick action that had ised him and saved her life and that of her husband.

For ten days the Nelsons waited in the hope that a steamer would put in at the little harbor. Once a vessel beaded their way, and then changed its course. Several Siwash Indians apfound out why Dennin was bound they Wfe began to succumb to the nervous rain as the days passed and it beme probable that they would have risoner suffered intensely from his mement, and he begged to be or killed or set at liberty. Often ded earnestly to be allowed to into the wilds to spend the remainder of his life, and it became ary to dispose of him in some It was then that Mr. and Mrs. decided to give him a trial. tanding before Dennin's bunk, they administered the oath and him on the witness stand by brachim up in bed. In response to the

council of war held at Abbeville, South Carolina, in May, 1865, was soon known busy for hours signing honorable discharges for the tired soldiers, who immediately applied for them," writes Mrs. Thaddeus Horton, in the October Ladies' Home Journal, "During the evening Mr. Benjamin asked for a hatchet, and with it he defaced the Confederate seal. About twelve o'clock the same night the Confederate party continued their retreat in the direc-

tion of Washington, Ga., and while crossing the Savannah River in the darkness some one suggested that the seal be thrown overboard. This idea was at once approved, and when the boat reached mid-stream it was dropped with a dull splash into the sandy river bed of that beautiful Southern water course, where to this day, its mission all fulfilled, it serenely rests."

Origin of "Divie's Land."

The original song, "Divie's Land," was composed in 1859 by Daniel Emmett as a "walk-around" for Bryant's minstrels. Mr. Emmett frequently heard the performers in a circus make the remark, "I wish I was in Dixie," as soon as the northern elimate began to be too severe for the tent life which they followed. The expression suggested the song, "Dixle's Land." Union by numerous bands of wander-

had taken it up. A New Orleans publisher saw possibilities in the music. and without the authoritiy of the composer had the air harmonized and rearranged, issuing it with words embodying the strong southern feeling then existing in New Orleans .--- Ladies' Home Journal.

Styles in Dress Shoes.

Dress boots and shoes are made in the extreme of the Louis XV. style, with very high heels and bulging insteps. They are in laughable contrast to the common sense walking boot that fashionable women also affect for

certain occasions. There is an effort to introduce bronze kid both for boots and slippers. Colored cloth tops are also fashionable and among the colors chosen for this purpose are bright cared at the camp, but when they green and red. Boots of black velvet, with extravagant heels and a trifle of led in terror. Both Nelson and his gold embroidery on the toes, are in return for her "engagement presamong the season's extravagances. have to show, the French woman is spend the winter in camp. The tired of her brief experiences of English styles in foot gear, and is returning to her own coquettish tastes ip this direction.

Ostrich Feathers for Hats.

Ostrich feathers are in enormous a drooping effect, and are set oftener than not so as to fall around the ears. estions put to him by Mrs. Nelson | that ostrich feathers are set singly.

Ifeland 20 22 Jews, is almost unknown among Mo-Some curlous facts are brought out | hometans, who attribute everything to he try heem on ze man. I have try where it has lain for centuries, the following extract: "For the teacher all over Abbeville, and the generals by the table. Suicide is decreasing in the will of God and will not even inand the secretary of war were kept Norway and increasing in Sweden, sure their houses.

Fancy Sums Paid by Wealthy Persons for Blossoms.

The costliest of all flowers produced It is of an extraordinary color-velvety and just like the check of a healthy baby in tint. Every petal is wrinkled like the "goffering" of a girl's dress, and the entire bloom is very closely set and weighs as much as six ordinary roses of the same kind. A single flower

is worth \$150. The prize of \$1,000 offered in Holland for a black tulip has never been claimed, but five jet-black hyacinths have been known to grow in the last twenty years. The cheapest with torn button holes, or buttons fetched \$100 and the deaerst \$450-al-

most a record price for a buib. Only one of the five reached a second generation, and now there has not been a the strongest muslin, with a double black hyacinth for three years. Orchids fetch the highest of all prices among flowers, though one may buy a tolerable orchid buttonhole for a quarter. The sunset orchid, a lovely flower of deep yellow and carmine and Saming crimson, which cost many a life be-It fore it was first brought home from the day of horror that the woman gave to her feelings. Then she cried, the night brought her no rest, for Union by numerous bands of wanderplant when it arrived in England. Only ing minstrels. In the fall of 1860 Mrs. three out of forty-five sungets were John Wood sang it in New Orleans in alive on arrival. The record price paid the burlesque of "Pocabontas," and be- for an orchid lately was \$2,100 for a fore a week had passed the whole city plant of a new species called the canopus, from the interior of Brazil. It has a most lovely bloom, each flower eight inches across, streaked white and purple. A blue peony seems to be as likely a thing to encounter as a blue horse. However, a light and washedout-looking but distinctly blue specimen grew in the hothouse of a Man-

> chester flower culturer. It was bought by a very wealthy amateur for \$1,000. You can pay as much as \$40 a blossom for some varieties of the chrysan themum, and a pea green flower of this species, which is occasionally to be had, will fetch double that amount.

The Betrothal Cake.

And now the very latest is the "betrothal cake." Fashionable confectioners will be kept busy receiving orders for this companion piece to birthday, christening and wedding cake and ent" the engaged girl will be sending Judging from what the bootmakers pieces of cake with hers and her flance's thanks and compliments. It is easy to see the consumption of betrothal or wedding cake might affect the statistics of deaths from dyspepsia, but its connection with the plague is

not obvious. This subtle relation of cause and effect has been discovered. however, in New Zealand, and the exdemand for hats. They are used with planation lies in one word-rats. The postmaster general of that colony has issued stringent rules against the On many black and white hats the tranmission of wedding cake except in trimming is one long black and one white plume. These are grouped, contrary to the general rule, which is ence of rats in postoffices, and rats seem to indicate that "Jimmy" is still

all hees hair depart and ze scalp ees in a remarkable manner. The disks regard to the enlightening construcsuggests weddings, and that in turn much affect. In three applicasheconh ar about twenty centimeters in dia- tion of the law of volumes, no shadow means a present. When hunting for a ze sore depart and ze hair grow. Ze meter and the gold plate is of fair of doubt must penetrate the doctrine wedding gift, remember that a cake physeeologee of ze brute ees ze same thickness. Other objects found at the of valency. Regard for the undersaw-that is a thin flat knife, with like ze physecologee of ze human, same fime were four ear ornaments standing of prospective chemistry will one edge cut into saw teeth-is the Volla." "Do you mean to tell me that of gold, a gold jewel case belonging compel us therefore, under all cirof late years is the Rothesay rose, a best kulfe to use to cut a loaf or cake, you have cured a dog of the mange to the god of air, beads, amulets of cumstances, in teaching an in our For a bride's loaf a sliver one is often with this stuff" "Mainzh? What est green stone, axes of sliver, small idols text books, to retain Dalton's numbers used, and is an appreciated wedding is?" What you call 'monzhay,' Ah! present, and one to be handed down Oou! Yes! Vraiment! A grand lan- curious mask of pyrite of iron, knives worthy editor of the Annual Atomic in the family. It is, moreover, so un- guage. Ze dog he eat; he have ze of large dimensions, a mask of diorite, Weight tables of the American Chem-

bride with most numerous gifts.

The Small Boy's Buttons.

Some mothers are forever complaining that their boys come home dally burst off their trousers. The reason is not far to seek. The little man is probably obliged to wear an underwaist of band of the same stitched around the belt, and buttons sewed on as fast as thread can sew them, and then buttoning on little trousers, which must be abort in the seat to fit perfectly! There isn't a man living who would submit to being so dressed, and it is cruel to torture a boy in that way. Try this instead: Get a pair of the most pliable suspenders that are made for boys, then sew buttons on the walst band, and turn them in so they may be out of sight for best wear when the deplorable underwaist must be donned. For everyday wear sew them on exactly as they are on men's trousers. Put a blouse waist over 'the suspenders, and your little one can play comfortably, besides having the satisfaction of wearing suspenders.

Portugal's Treatment of Convicts. Portugal deals gently with her convicts. Some she transports to the east and west coasts of Africa; others are sent to Goa, in India, says a London daughter the first year. Ten months newspaper. Portuguese convicts are afterward she gave birth to five boys, not even compelled to work, and, pro- all sound and well. Triplets and vided they keep within the limits of quartets followed. Every year came the town or settlement to which they two or three hopefuls to gladden the tre assigned, enjoy the fullest liberty. So little is their social status affected by the fact that they are transported criminals that the governor general at five little girls. Mozambique thinks nothing of playing billiards in the principal hotel with a convicted forger, or of inviting a notorious prisoner to dinner.

Whistier's Excellent Advice

"Jimmy" Whistler, the self-exiled American artist and author of "The Gentle Art of Making Enemies," has a number of students under instruction in Paris. One of them, a young woman, asted him not long ago if he thought she might paint nature as she saw it. "Certainly, my dear. madam," said Whistler. "There is no reason why you should not paint nature as spread plague. Speaking of betrothals | practicing the gentle art.

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call mange. He make effort to ex. These idols are adorned with disks of dation seem specially important; inheemself on ze back and on ze ear till gold, which are polished and engraved struction must suffer no harm with usual a gift that it is not likely to be 'mainzh;' it ees manger tout vif. Eh. censers of earthenware painted in col- ical Society, authorizes us to say that duplicated many times, even to the monsieur?"- New York Press, polychromatic.

Miss Russell's Train.

All along the Rockaway Beach division of the Long Island railroad there are misty legends of the "Golden Diva Train" that scoots along in the midnight darkness like a flerce jack o' lantern. It consists of an engine and two cars, and makes the run to far Rockaway in twenty-five min-One of the natives said to me on Saturday afternoon: "T'll tell you, Mr. Tip, it is a sight these black nights. Lillian pays \$50 a night for her train, and gives the conductor and brakeman \$5 apiece for every run. That makes \$60 a trip. She dashes out of the theater as soon as her part is over, rides in a cab to the ferry and in ten minutes more is in her private car, flying along Newtown Creek. But what's that to her-\$60 a night to get home-when she's makinches.

ing \$1,500 a week?" I did not feel inclined to make any corrections .- New York Press.

Holds Record for Maternity.

The record in maternity was held by Sally Shiver, a woman of Georgia, United States, who boasted 27 children, but it now appertains to Signora Granata of Sicily, with (according to a French scientific journal) a grand total of 42 sons and daughters. She was married at the age of 26, and had a paternal heart, and only the other day she gave her husband a proof of her attachment by presenting him with

ions over the record for 1898.

Concentration Is Prudent. The only prudence in life is concentration; the one evil is dissipation; and it makes no difference whether our dissipations are coarse or fine; to live. property and its care, friends, and a social habit, or politics, or music, or

feasting. Everything is good which takes away one plaything and deiusion in Manila is agitating the leper question and advocating the selection of more, and drives us home to add one stroke of faithful work. Concentraone of the numerous islands of the tion is the secret of strength in poligroup as a place where they may be tics, in war, in trade, in short, in all secluded. management of human affairs,-

Technical Education in Wales Alfred L. Jones, the Liverpool ship-

builder, has offered £1,000 a year for During the present century 400 bu-five years toward a fund for estab- man lives, \$125,000,000 and 200 ships Statistics show that 43,963,933 short ons of machine-mined coal were taken out last year, or an increase of 11,550,lishing a comprehensive system of technical education in Wales.

my lotion on ze dog with ze what you colors have remained fresh and vivid. simplicity and clearness of the founof stone, lances of sharp stones, a and Professor F. W. Clarke, the ors and many other figures of stone he recommends the retaining of the and cement, the latter being always standard H equals 1. For if numbers were used in practice which were unsuitable to use in teaching, confusion would be the natural consequence, in-

Breathing Exercise. A breathing exercise, which is said stead of the unanimity desired by all." to work wonders in the way of filling In opposition to this the O equals 16 up the neck, hollows in the checks, ex- party assert that all teachers are not panding contracted chests and curing troubled by using O equals 16 as the many of the minor ills which fiesh is standard, and that a large body of heir to is taken thus: Stand out of chemists who are not teachers favor doors in the sunshine or by an open it for the reason that with it a large window, hold the chest up and inhale proportion of the more commonly through the nose as long as possible, used atomic weights approximate Exhale equally slowly. Fifteen min- very closely to whole numbers. uter of this exercise twice a day will

effect a great improvement in health School Children's Lunches.

and appearance. The exercise is as The lunch should be neatly packed. good for men as for women and is Our little men and women are sensisometimes recommended by drill ser- tive, and 17 other children glance at geants to young volunteers and others ill-prepared lunches and then indulge by way of increasing their chest meas- in whispered remarks such children urement to the requisite number of are hurt, and such wounds often leave

lasting effects that are felt all through life, giving distress to the super-sen-When the Prince and Princess of sitive individual. Flour sacks careful-

Wales come to Belfast in the early ly cleaned make lunch cloths that are part of 1901 they will find that many easily washed and clean ones can be changes have taken place in the city furnished each day. The better grade during the fifteen years that have of cheese cloth can be very effectiveelapsed since the last royal visit. The ly used. Get the snow white. It will population has greatly increased, the be better wisdom and better taste to city has extended its limits and is in furnish one of these inexpensive ones every way prosperous. One of the each day than to give the child a fine chief events of the present visit of the napkin and compel him to use it a prince and princess to Belfast will be week. The former plan will cultivate the laying of the foundation stone of the habit of neatness which will be so the new Royal Victoria hospital. valuable all through life.

Modjeska's Latest Farm Pays. Yawning Is Healthy.

Born in Poland in 1844, Mme. Mod-A German scientist with all kinds of jeska mostly lives in America and knobs on his head has discovered that makes a hobby of farming. So long yawning is a healthy pastime. It is wholesome, like oatmeal and brown bread. Yawning, it is said, stretches the muscles of the grain, maybe, or luck. Her present California ranch the tendons of the head, sends the lies at the foot of the Santiago peak blood to the jaws and sharpens appetite and intellect. It is a cheap rem-There, among her shorthorns, bees and edy, accessible to young and old, rich her fruit trees, the great actress likes and poor, and if it is as efficacious as

\$10,000 for an account of the siege of

Pekin. He is not likely to accept offer.

> have been lost in fruitless efforts to and the north pole.

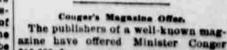
ago as 1876 she made a farming experiment in California and lost her money, but since then she has had more and is fifteen miles from anywhere.

Sectusion of Lopers. One of the local American papers

Growth of Belfast.

our Teuton says health is surely within the reach of every one in this coun-

try.





George W. Smalley. George W. Smalley, whose strictures in the London Times on the Chinese form of life-saving suit which has just policy of the United States government | been patented and which is intended has caused indignant comment in offi- to preserve the life of a wrecked pascial circles, now represents "The Thun- senger for several days if need be. The derer" as its correspondent in Ameri- suit may be made of rubber or other ca. Mr. Smalley became prominent as water-proof material and is provided a journalist during the civil war, and with a number of afterward went to London to organize pockets for the the foreign service of the New York storage of provi-Tribune. For many years over his sions, etc. A large well-known signature of "G. W. S." float ring is formed he discussed in the Tribune all im- of cork rings covportant British and international ques- ered with canvas, tions and became noted as bearing an and the portion of extreme friendship for England. Some the suit below this



GEORGE W. SMALLEY. time ago the famous writer severed. his association with the New York paper and came to America to write of one is effected seem to be much greater American affairs for the Times. He has numerous friends among the public men of Great Britain.

Our Greaty with Spain. Congressman George W. Ray said in in interview: "We are bound to an open door in the Philippines." The Paris treaty of Dec. 10, 1898, has no. provision as to trade or the open door except this: "The United States will, for a term of ten years from the date of the exchange of the ratifications of the present treaty, admit Spanish ships and merchandise to the ports of the Philippine Islands on the same terms as ships and merchandise of the United States." This was a concession to Spain, which would be no concession if the ports were thrown open on the same terms to all other nations.

Electric Gime Alarm.

When the bell of an ordinary alarm clock begins to ring the sleeper is apt to wake up sufficiently to think it will stop soon and as he is not compelled to arise and stop it the result is often another nap, with its consequent delays throughout the day. This objection has led to the designing of the continuous ringing alarm, of which several are already in use. The electric alarm, which we show in the accompanying picture, has just been parntod in G. many, and ha novelty to recommend it. It is directly connected to the bed and it is impos- that he is properly immersed. Mr. sible for the sleeper to stop it until Smith is a Quaker, who has been prache gets up to stay. Underneath the ticing law in Adrian, his home, since hed is a series of contact points, one lisse. He has been a conspicuous stump of which is shown in the picture, the orator in every Republican campaign weight of the person for ing them to- for the past twenty years, and labored gether. A clock is used in connection for the party under Zach Chandler with the apparatus, and as soon as the when Mr. Chandler was chairman of hour of rising is indicated the remain- the state central committee. He ating opening or break in the wire is conded the Republican convention at

New Life Preserver. The picture shows a rather novel

is ontirely waterproof. Above the

float is the opening through which acors is gained to the interior, there wing room inside for the wearer to move comfortably. The opening is through the button cloak in front, and to facilitate entrance the vizor of the admet is thrown back. The vizor is intended to be closed only in cold or rough weather, and in calm weather the capes can be thrown back to allow movement of the arms. In addition to ontaining food the pockets are provided with matches and a tiny stove which serves to give a signal at night. in addition to its ordinary uses. The air channels in the legs can be pumped full of air by a small bulb conveniently placed, when the suit will tilt on its back and allow the person some measure of rest in calm weather. The chances of preserving life until a reswith this result than with the ordinary circular float, which does not protect the wearer from either wind or water.

Smith in no Hurry.

Congressman Henry C. Smith, of the Second Michigan district, who promised the people of the Second district that he would be baptized if re-elected. must now pay his forfeit, and the la-



In the Public Eve

May Go to The Hague. Rev. Dr. Peter Moerdyke, who is prominently mentioned as the possible new American minister to the Netherlands, is the pastor of Trinity Dutch Reformed Church, Chicago. When Gov, Roosevelt was in Chicago he heard Dr. Moerdyke preach and was much impressed with his eloquence and learning. The Dutch clergyman is a native of Zuland, in the Netherlands, and came to this country at the age of 4. He was educated at the Holland Academy and was graduated there in 1866. After passing through the Seminary at Holland, Mich., he was called to churches in that state.



and there spent his ministry until 1891. when he accepted the pulpit of Trinity Church in Chloago. He is well known as a writer and is regarded with the highest respect by his countrymen in America

Noted Editor Is Coming.

Alfred Harmsworth, the proprietor of the London Daily Mail, will sail on Listen to the description: "The dash Dec. 12 and spend at least three months on this continent, visiting every city of importance.

It will be remembered that Alfred Harmsworth, who is the most progressive publisher in

Europe, began the issue of a Sunday edition last spring. Following is what he wrote after a six weeks' experiment: "The Sunday Dally Mail is dead. The final issue of that journal

was made on Sun-Alfred Harmsday last, and we worth. bury it today without regret. Resolutions of protest and

bodies throughout the country asking or in America. that we should discontinue the sevenday paper have assumed gigantic proportions. These have not been ignored by the Daily Mail office, but have been carefully considered by the proprie-OPS.

Flays Cheatrical Grust.

Minnie Maddern Fiske, for many years a favorite player, but at present Testimorrows. as recently written.



flaunt the offensive word on their gilded signboards in the very faces of the public at large, says a writer in the New York Herald.

of today sanctions the use of "rare- raisers assume that it is due to a too bit," though in a temporary aberra- heavy feeding of foods that make tion of judgment Worcester and Web- growth but do not build up the bones, ster once did. Perhaps hotel men are such foods being used as are deficient too busy to consult dictionaries. Then in lime. In such cases it might be let them hearken to the indirect re- well to feed more bone meal, and to proof they are continuously receiving generally balance up the ration. from their customers.

TOT'S DANCING FROCK.



heel clashes with heel in midair, punc-Of white lawn, with ruffle of emtuating the staccato of the music; the broidery. The sleeves and yoke are loud thud of boots striking the ground, trimmed with many rows of baby ribfollowed by their sibilant slide along bon. The narrow yoke closes at the the pollshed floor; then the swift left side, under a large rosette of the springs and sudden bounds, the whirlribbon. ing gyrations and dizzy evolutions, the

HOUSEHOLD KNOWLEDGE.

Velvet Cream.

Soak three-quarters of an ounce of mobilize antique heroism and medi- gelatin in a pint and a half of milk for twenty minutes: then put it in a There is more genuine pleasure in stewpan and stir until it boils. Rebeing the spectator of a soul-thrilling move from the fire, add a tablespoondance like that than in taking an ac- ful of castor sugar and the well-beattive part in the lifeless make-believes en yolks of three eggs. Stir all over performed at society balls in many of the fire till the mixture thickens, but appeals from religious and other the more western countries of Europe do not allow it to boil. Strain into a

basin, add a little vanilla flavoring, and when nearly cold whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and stir them in lightly, then pour into a wet mold and leave till set.

Steamed Rice.

Banana Blane Mange.

Green Tomato Pickle,

Hard to Believe.

She (absently). Really,

eat with whipped cream.

DAIRY AND POULTRY. still, not enough to offset the losses ades.

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INTERESTING CHAPTERS FOR OUR RURAL READERS.

Now Successful Farmers Operate This Department of the Farm - A Few and Poultry.

Poultry Briefs. One writer says that stale bread soaked in milk makes a good feed for young poultry. Without doubt bread and milk so fed are less likely to disturb the digestive systems of the

young fowls than when wet or damp meal is fed or meal mixed with milk. Some poultry raisers report leg weakness among the younger fowls.

While little is really known about the Now, why is this? Not a dictionary cause of leg weakness some poultry

> No breed however good will prove profitable unless it is cared for properly. A great many men that do not know the first principles of proper feed and care demanded by poultry buy blooded stock and fail in realizing their hopes. They at once conworth as much as they supposed them make money out of fowls simply because they have great possibilities in possibilities. . . .

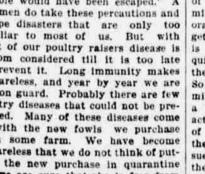
> To avoid liver disease in fowls give them plenty of exercise and a wellmixed feed. This trouble comes on when people little expect it and very often the owner of the flock has not the remotest idea as to what is taking off his hens. Perfectly well hens will suddenly fall over dead, and when taken up are still warm. Their combs are generally drained of blood. They are killed by the sudden emptying of all the blood out of the heart through the liver. Without doubt a germ is at the bottom of the trouble, but the medical investigator has not yet done

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vented. Many of these diseases come

much work in that field. The best way is to feed so as to avoid the disease. Most of our losses from disease could

be avoided if we were provident. After the disease has established itself among our birds we look back and say, "if I had done so and so all this trouble would have been escaped." A



of the census of the two previous dec-

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The following table shows these figures in a graphic way: Census of 1850: Population, 23,000,-

000; cows, 6,000,000. Census of 1860: Population, 31,-000,000; cows, 8,000,000; per cent in-Hints as to the Care of Live Stock crease of population for decade, 35; per cent increase of cows for decade,

> Census of 1870: Population, 38,-000,000; cows, 9,000,000; per cent increase of population for decade, 22; per cent increase of cows for decade,

12. Census of 1880: Population, 50,-000,000; cows, 12,000,000; per cent increase of population for decade, 32; per cent increase of cows for decade,

Census of 1890: Pouplation, 60,-000,000; cows, 16,000,000; per cent increase of population for decade, 26; per cent increase of cows for decade,

(c) The shifting of the center of dairy production from cast to west is an interesting study. Thirty years ago the sumply of butter and cheese in the Boston market came from New Eng-

land. Then came some butter from the west, of poor grade, fit only for bakers' use. Now the market is largely dependent upon western supplies and the condition of the Chicago market is daily telegraphed and deemed necessary for the successful management of business. I have alluded to an increase clude that highly bred fowls are not of 166 per cent in the number of cows in the country between the census of to be. Let no man think that he can 1850 and that of 1890 (from 6,000,000 to 16,000,000). But the increase in the old dairy section-New England, New them. It takes brains to utilize the York and Pennsylvania, was only 50 per cent-(from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000) While in the northern central division the increase was 700 per cent (from

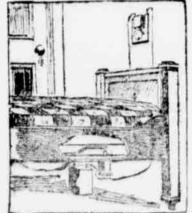
1,000,000 to \$,000,000). The increase in some individual states has been in the vicinity of 1,000 per cent. Census of 1850; Dakota, 286; Min-

nesota, 607; Nebraska, 7,000; California, 4,000; Oregon, 9,000; Iowa, 45,-000; Illinois, 296,000; Michigan, 99.-000; Wisconsin, 64,000; Missouri, 320.-000; Kansas, 28,000,

Census of 1890: Dakota, 300,000; Minnesota, 594,000; Nebraska, 505,000; California, 317,000; Oregon, 114,000; Iowa, 1,498,000; Illinois, 1.087,000; Michigan 500,000; Wisconsin, 792,000; Missouri, \$51,000; Kansas, 742.000. Per cent of gain: Dakota, 1,050; Minnesota, 977; Nebraska, 710.

Mlik Organs.

The milk organs are quite intimately concerned in the productive capacity of the cow, as it is in these that the few men do take these percautions and mlik and butter fat are finally elabescape disasters that are only too orated from the food. It is not altofamiliar to most of us. But with gether clearly understood how the milk most of our poultry raisers disease is is made in the gland, but it seems seldom considered till it is too late quite probable that it is produced by to prevent it. Long immunity makes the ephithelial cells within the udder. us careless, and year by year we are so far as is known, the quantity of less on guard. Probably there are few | milk that can be producel depends in poultry diseases that could not be pre- a large part upon the number and activity of these cells. The number in with the new fowls we purchase of such cells is limited by the size of from some farm. We have become the udder and the amount of fatty tisso careless that we do not think of put- sue it contains. The dairy cow should A good method of cooking rice is to till we are sure that she is free from the larger the better, but the size of steam it first, then finish by cooking the germs that would scatter disease the udder should not be due to any large amount of fat o There should be an elasticity of the tissue, with a shrinkage of the udder when empty. The udder should have considerable surface, extending far forward and well up behind. It should be well balanced and symmetrical in shape, indicating good development in all quarters; for the more perfectly developed the organ is, the larger the amount of milk it will be likely to yield. It should be spread considerably from side to side also, while the tests should be even and squarely placed. To make room for such a capacious, well-developed udder, the hind legs of the cow should be wide apart, the thighs should be thin, and the flanks high arched. The activity of the udder, or the amount of work done in it, is indiis said to exercise a good deal of its cated to some extent by the quantity power through the board of health. of blood that passes through it, which Lue trust is called the Greater New depends quite largely upon the capac-York Live Poultry Dealers' Associa- ity of the blood vessels which are connected therewith. It is important, It a trust, but it is in all senses such. therefore, that there should be a strong and full development of the arteries keeps its own accounts. Last spring and veins of the udder and abdomen. The milk veins should be large and on the East Side and announced his elastic, should extend well to the intention of dealing with the pro- front, and should enter the abdomen through large or numerous orilices, trust. This at once brought the en- thus permitting a strong flow of blood through them with a minimum of resistance as it returns to the heart. Besides these veins, there is a net work of them in the fore quarters of the udder, and still others pass upward behind, which, when large, indicate considerable productive capacity.-Bulletin 20, Storrs' Experiment Station.



RINGS UNTIL SLEEPER ARISES. closed, the current passing through the of the rols. These contact points underneath the bed and rods are provided causing the bell to ring continuously with curved prongs until the sleeper, by leaving the bed. which project tobreaks the circuit. Should be lie down ward each other. again the circuit is again completed. and the bell rings until the second ris-

Seek Aid of Women.

menced a crusade that has for its ob- apart until the spring controlled block ject the enlistment of women in their at the center locks them open. Then cause. To this end they have incor- the alightest touch with the block on porated a Woman's Socialist society, the back of a fish will release the rods, which has just held a session in which are instantly drawn together by Brooklyn. All the orators were wo- coiled springs contained in the casing, of one of the celebrated California men. Their purpose is to set on foot fixing themselves in the fish. To prea movement for the incorporation of vent the fish forcing the hooks out a like organizations in all the states.

Bates to Widen the Suez. Linden W. Bates, an American hydraulic engineer, has been asked to undertake the widening of the Suez

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canal. He will leave London for diamon nonoan in the latter part of November at the canal company's invitation, which bears the indorsement of the British colonial office. The company is

desirous of render-ing it available for Linden W. Bates. the passage of ships of greater draught colossal dredging.

The Cunard company has decided on 6 inches tail. building several steamships which will be expected to wrest from Germanbuilt vessels the speed championship now held by the latter. Other English lines will probably follow suit the attempt to outdo the Deutch-

HON HENRY C. SMITH.

St. Louis in 1896 as alternate, and was elected to congress two years ago as a Republican. Mr. Smith is in favor of postponing his baptism butil the water is less chilly than it is at present.

" Jure Grip" Finn Gaff. Below we show in operation a fish guff recently designed, which is intended to automatically grip the fish and securely hold it until safely lodged in the heat or on shore, as the case may be. This purpose is preomplished ly mounting a pair of sliding rode on the face of (a me-

tallio 'coshig, the T latter matsining meriage which control the mavement and are separated by a very small

space where the Automatic Gaff. gaff is closed. To

set the gaff ready for use the hooks The New York Socialists have com- are grasped in the hands and drawn ratchet is attached to lock them shut.

> Boundary Line Resurveyed. The boundary line between the United States and Mexico has recently been resurveyed and marked by some stone monuments in the form of tettoirs jornied choici five miles apart. The shafts are ten feet high, four feet square at the base and two feet at the top, built on foundations five feet square and rising six inches above the

surface of the ground.

Considered from a purely physical may fairly be set down as squatty. 3 inches and the Prince of Wales is quis Ito. than can now be accommodated. It but 5 feet 4 inches, though he weighs proposes to accomplish its object by 247 pounds. The fat king's prize goes to his majesty of Portugal, who tips the beam at 308 pounds; he is 5 feet

> Ambassador Choate's reputation for scholarship appears to be impressing England. A London paper reports that he always goes about with a vol-ume of some classical author in his poelcet.

powerful indictment of the theatrical trust. She shows that a class of managers utterly devoid of knowledge of the players' art, but who at the same time have a ravenous appetite for box office receipts, have crowded out the kind of managers needed, and as a re-



sult actors and actreases are no longer has then disappeared. Such staccata toes are very tender; put in glass jars ity. she says, is the order. She concludes self upon 95 per cent of all the menus

An Ostrich Farm

An ostrich farm is to be established in the suburbs of Little Rock, Ark, Thomas A. Cockburn of San Antonio, Tex., has purchased a tract of land and will take his entire supply of birds there at once. His farm is a branch farms. Mr. Cockburn will go to Hot Springs because the climate, he says is better suited for his business.

Coal Cutting Machines. Electric coal-cutting machinery is rapidly displacing hand work and other varieties of mechanical mining appliances in the collieries of Great Britand the United States. The coal thus mined is cleaner, the waste less and the effect of the machine on the ventilation and temperature of the mine is less than with any other mechanism.

The late Masakaza Stehachi Toyama of Tokio, was the fire Japanese student standpoint, many European royalties of the University of Michigan, where he studied from 1873 to 1875. He The czar of Russia is only 5 feet 2 was connected with the Imperial uniinches tail, the king of Italy is 5 feet | versity and a close friend of the Mar-

> Isabella, the former queen of Spain, who for years has been living in Paris. is now making efforts to be allowed to return to her native country, from which she was banished twenty-three years ago.

Four first and four second cousine of President McKinley are living in Nevada, Mo., and all have the same Christian name as the president.



Dancing in Russia

graceful genuffections and quick em-

braces and all the other intricate and

maddening movements to the accom-

paniment of one of Glinka's or Tschai-

GIRL'S RUSSIAN BLOUSE.

aeval chivalry."

kowsky's masterpieces, awaken and

Of dark blue serge, edged with band of scarlet broadcloth, braided with narrow black braid; beit, collar and cuffs of red.

Rabbit and Rarebit.

It is high time that all lovers of matoes, and six large onions and mix English should unite in common pro- them together. Stir into these a quart test against that barbarous collocaof vinegar, two cups of brown sugar, tion of words, "Welsh rarehit." Every a tablespoonful, each, of salt, pepper now and then in the past some good and mustard seed, and a half-tableman has raised his voice in a plea for spoonful, each, of ground allspice the right phrase, "Weish rabbit," and and cloves. Stew-all until the toma-

largely engaged for their artistic abil. protests have proved unavailing. The and seal. Sensationalism and mediocrity, word rarebit has now insinuated it-

that if the dramatic art is to survive in New York. The smallest hotels the trust must go, and with it the caught the habit from the greater the world). Awfully ugly little begmanagers with the abnormal appetite ones. The French and German host- gars, the Japs. Why, I was considered and the players with mediocre talents. leries imitated their American con- quite a good-looking chap out there. temporaries. Nor is this the worst.

****** FASHIONS FOR THE COLD SEASON.



though tender, each grain shall be disto segregate our fowls more than any tinct and separate from every other. other of the farm stock, and in this Then put a tablespoonful of butter in lies a great power for good in the prea pan and let it get very hot before vention of disease. adding the rice. Put in only a little . . . of this at a time, cook it till tinged

It was inevitable that sooner or with brown, then remove it and add later the great trusts would grow in some more of the rice to the butter in the direction of handling agricultural the pan. Season finally with paprica products, and would be able to dictate and with salt and serve at once. prices to both producers and consumers. It is reported that a great combine of poultry handlers has been Soak a tablespoonful of gelatin for formed in New York, and all indicaan hour in a teacupful of water. Bring tions point to the fact that a few men

a cup and a half of milk to the boilhave been for a long time absolutely ing point, add a pinch of baking soda controlling the live poultry business in and stir in a half-cup of sugar and the that city. Not only has this trust soaked gelatin. Boil for five minutes, been formed, but it has become powstirring steadily. Line a jelly mold erful enough to enlist the public ofwith sliced bananas and pour the fielals in its favor and prevent new blanc mange carefully in upon these, men from going into the business. It Set in the ice to form. Turn out and

tion. It is incorrect perhaps to call Slice a gallon of unpeeled green towith the exception that each company a new man wanted to go into business ducers direct and not through the mity of the great association, and from April to October he has been asking in vain to get a permit. At last he has taken it into the court and the He (returned from a tour around board of health has been summoned to give a good reason for not granting the permit. These trusts spring into existence without the public knowing anything of them, as they are on their face only associations of men of like interest. There is no doubt that such combines exist in Chicago and other large cities and that they are every day becoming more power-

The Dairy Industry.

Geo. H. Whittaker of Massachuset.s says:

The value of the dairy industry according to the census of 1890 was \$412,000,000, but at the rate of increase by-products of the dairy, we are safe in estimating that it is a business today amounting to \$500,000,000 annually, more than the annual gold production of the world.

(b) The number of milch cows in the country in 1890 was 16,000,000, probably 20,000,000 at the present time. as against 6,000,000 in 1850, showing ent writes: The big demand, this gea-Then the tide turned and the reports try at home. made in 1880 and 1890 showed a gain.

the percentage of increase of cows be-ing greater than that of population, make a thing highly presious.

Pork from Skimmilk.

There is no doubt that skim milk is a great feed for hogs, but sometimes too much is claimed for even skimmilk. When a man claims to "fatten" hogs on skim milk we confess our credulity is stretched to the breaking point. As is well known, skim milk is rich in the elements that make muscle and sinew, but deficient in the elements that make fat. Thus, skimmlik is excellent for developing the frame of previous decades and including the of the pig, but after that some fatmaking food must be brought in to finish the hogs for market. Skimmilk is excellent as a partial ration, but nothing is gained by claiming every virtue for it.

The Canadian Hog.

A Canadian newspaper correspondwhat an immense stride the dairy in- son, for hog products, both for the terest has made in the closing half of home markets and for export, has the present century. Yet the increase materially reduced stocks. In some of cows has not kept pace with the lines supplies are almost cleaned increase of population, which in 1850 up, and there is task of the ne was 23,000,000. In the forty years be- cessity of importing the product tween the census of 1850 and of 1890 at an early date from the United population increased 174 per cent, but States. There has been a good profit the number of milch cows in the coun- in hogs this year. Feed is more abuntry increased only 166 per cent. The dant. That has contributed to the inamber of cows per 1,000 population crease of the hog crop. The high in 1850 was 275 and in 1890 only 264. standard maintained by the Canadian The percentage of increase of cows packers has been the means of increaswas less than the increase of popula- ing the demand in the British martion in the census of 1860 and of 1870. kets, and generally fostering the indus-

It takes more than high price to

Trials of Trade.

timber merchant was sitting in his office one day musing sadly over the quiet looking young man entered: strange

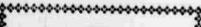
story "taxpayer." A "taxpayer" is a temporary building which rents for a "Yes, sir," replied the timber man. rising with alacrity, and hoping devoutly to book a large order. 'we can supply it either in the log or the while the owners are deciding on a

plank." "Oh, I don't want as much as that," said the young man, shifting his feet uneasily. "I just want a bit for a fiddle bridge."-Tit-Bits.

Pursued by Nemests.

"You remember Hammersley, don't you? He always said he would never marry a girl who boasted about her said the crafty citizen. family connections. He hated that sort of thing so, you doubtless know." the interests of their rivals." "Yes. What did he do? Go and marry some one whose ancestors came over in the Mayflower?" "No, .poor fellow. He thought he

was all right. His wife's mother used to do her own housework, but a second cousin of her Aunt Georgia's husband has discovered that if four people were to die childless he would be heir to an English baronetcy."





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becca Lodge, Iola Lodge; also member of Woman's Relief Corps, writes the

following letter from 1838 Jackson

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Many of Them Have Wonderful Powers of Concealing Themselves-Some En- | dars that are given at Christmas time sufficient amount to cover expenses velop Themselves in War-The Walk- ever do duty during January? permanent structure. It is again ruing Sticks. mored that a Waldorf-Astoria annex

may be built upon the site. Whether (Special Letter.) it will be done is mere conjecture at Freaks exist among insects as among other creaures that inhabit the earth. A few are remarkable for great size.

others for their dangerous character, "The avarice of man feeds upon the and others yet for their mimicry, a wrecks of industry and enterprise," power which enables these last, "Most men whether for timid concealment or for neglect opportunities to build up their disguise or wickedness, to counterfeit own business in order to tear down the aspect of leaves, of twigs, or even of other insects not at all nearly re-"I have noticed, also," said the in-

FREAK INSECTS.

CREATURES OF QUEER HABITS

AND STRANGE MIMICRY.

lated to them, says Everybody's Magaveterate thinker, "that man's v alty feeds upon the wreeks of woman's . apzine. To the first of these classes belong I have known men to I ave

their wives sitting alone in the lotel the giant spiders, tropical and semiparlor while they purr among the ib tropical, known popularly as "taranwomen on the veranda. The commartulas." They spin no webs, but make cial flirtation is not the first deg ef for their nests substantial boxes of earth-the particles cemented togeth-

er with a secretion of their own-When a man insists in "explaining" with daintily contrived trap-doors at thing it is a sign that it worries one end. Such a box looks like nothing but a clod of dirt, its door-held Love often justifies a great number

Tis pleasant to know there is one the purpose of a spring-fitting so pererson on earth who tells you she fectly that, when it is shut, no trace loves you before all.

When a cat washes her face, it is a sign of bad weather; when a small boy scrubs his countenance, its a sign of a maternal storm.

Making Mamma Glad

The vengeance of a silent person

How many of the diaries and calen-

It takes a wise woman to be able

while and the festive fly has disap-

A man soon learns that the most

Learn to keep your troubles to your-

The people who pride themsel ves on

perfect bit of masculinity ever born

discriminate between her opinion and

that which is discussed openly.

her prejudice.

discuss the weather.

peared from the scene,

wag hig wife's first husband.

self if you wish to be popular.

stances only contrary.

a scrubbing brush there.

hated him afterward.

It has recently become strictly necessary to subject little Percy to harsh treatment for his own good. Heing an only child, he has succeeded in getting himself pretty thoroughly sponed wherefore his mamma has during the past week or two been operating as a

panking machine about every thirteen minutes, and applying hamamelis to keep the spots from blistering. Each chastisement has been accompanied by almost tearful appeals for

reform. 'It breaks mamma's heart to this," is about the regular form; "but mamma must! If her little boy only sheet! cies of these huge arachnids, finding

knew how it hurts her he would be flies and other insects insufficient to better! satisfy its remorseless appetite, makes Yesterday afternoon he rushed into

small birds an occasional prey, leap- the house from the yard, and called ing upon them and sucking their out: 'Hurry, mamma, and get the bot

tle In Central America is found a very "What do you mean? she asked. peculiar insect which apparently for

"Get the bottle down and rub some the purpose of disguising itself resorts to a tree or other convenient shelter ing store and one of those little cups and there proceeds to excrete a white that Aunt Gertrude gave you got brok waxy substance in great quantities, so en. But you needn't feel had, mamma. enveloping itself in the material as to I spanked myself. Ain't you glad?

No Chicken.

At a fashionable colonial wedding quality, and the native Indians gath- asserts the Australasian, some doubt existed as to the age of a bridegroom who was leading to the altar a bride

Among the many insect curiosities just out of her teens. During the cormeony in the church there is none more strange and even weird than certain species which coun- a titter weat round the party. terfeit leaves and twigs for the sake of ing on the raised platform, the brideconcealment from their enemies. The sourcealment from their enemies. The boots, on each of which had bee. so-called "walking-sticks" are so like twigs in appearance that the expert hotel where he had slept, "49." entomologist has the greatest diffi-"Ah!" whispered a malicious dowculty in securing specimens, even ager, "I knew he was no chicken."

when he goes hunting for them in places where they exist in immense Etroscan Art in Perugla.

numbers. They invariably resemble The queen city of the Umbrian hills, in structure the trees or other plants Perugia, is a city replete with the

One bouquet to the living is worth a A woman may believe a man loves her dearly, but she prefers being told dozen laurel leaves on the coffin of the dear departed.

Some people pray for their daily always more swift and powerful than brend and then grumble if they do not get pound cake. You can generally count on the

A ST IN ZAS

children are not afraid to "go to." Don't worry. A gnat of trouble may evolute into a camel of calamity or an elephant of woe.

Standing on street corners is not the What would we do if we could not destroyed. only way of loafing. Hammock days have gone for a

How the heart bounds with joy on receiving a loving letter from a dear

People who laugh the loudest are the ast apt to know what is the cause of their mirth. After all, it depends on whom we are

Some women will feel very lonely in talking to as to how much talking we heaven if there is not a cook stove or do ourseives.

Some men spend the last half of their Some women think they love a man lives discovering mistakes they made before marriage, but act as if they in the first half.

not dead," It is decidedly poor consolation to those in trouble to say matters might earth. have been worse.

Best for the Bowels.

being determined are in many in-No matter what ails you, headache to a cancer, you will never get well until your bowels are put right. OTCE. unti) CASCARETS help nature, cure you and Fever is a hottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure-no pay. Price, 50c. without a gripe or pain, produce easy natural movements, cost you just 10 cents to start getting your health back CASCARETS Candy Cathartic, the rashness. genuine, put up in metal boxes, every tablet has C. C. C. stamped on it. Be-Sciatica, Sprains, Backache Crick in Neck, Head-ache, Lumbago, Texas Drug Co., Agenta, Dai as ware of imitations.

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STONE IN THE BLADDER. My son has suffered with stone in the bladder eight years. I have taken him to several watering places, also to Cincinnati, New York, Chicago and

Queer Wedding Customs. At the birth of a Jananese haby 5

tree is planted, which must remain un- lar, who escaped from the new Hamptouched until the marriage day of the shire state prison no less than thirtychild. When the nuptial hour arrives five years ago, has but just now been the tree is out down, and a skillful cab-recaptored. It may reasonally be the tree is cut down, and a skillful cab- recaptured. net-maker transforms the wood into doubted if they is another case on retfurniture, which is considered by the ord where success has finally rewardwoman the dogs never growl at and young people as the most heautiful ed so long a search for an escaped conof all ornaments of the hoese. The vict or for any other kind of a fugiburning of the bride's playthings 15 tive from justice. In this case the part of the wedding ceremony in Jap- credit of the recapture is probably due an. The bride lights a torch, which to the wonderful persistency of the she hands to the bridegroom. With it American Bankers' association, who he lights a fire, n which the toys are never let up until they catch offend-

Denies He is Dead.

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constant blessing.

The Oskaloosa (Ia.) Independent re- The youngest reader of manuscripts ported a former citizen. Dr. W. H. in New York city is the grandson of Ridgeway, as dead at Topeka. Kan a partner in a big publishing house Whersupon the dead man wrote and For the past three years, and ha is now a partner in a big publishing house. "I went home and told my wife only 16 years old, he has real manu-I was dead and produced the copy of scripts, chiefly boys' stories, and his your paper in proof. While she is a judgment has been verified by the suc-good woman and all that, she thinks cess of the books which he has acceptyour paper lied. And she showed the ed. One would naturally think that a ourage of her convictions by making Doy would be the best judge of a boy's me carry in a lot of coal and water. So, story, but no other publishing house Mr. Editor, I may say that I am has submitted such manuscripts to He should rejoict with pays. A bright future is predicted for great joy at still being on top of the this little fellow by those in the same

house.

woman who had bragged she When we have malaria it is surpris-'made" her hunband, now seeks a di- ing how many bad tastes we can have in our mouth at one time.

Caught After Thirty-Five Years.

Maximilian Shinburn, the bank burg

An Early Start.

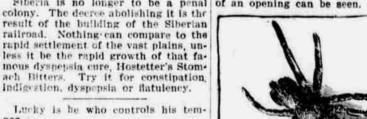
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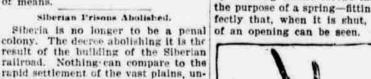
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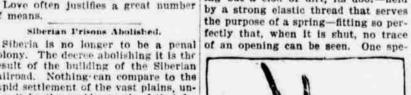
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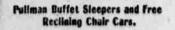


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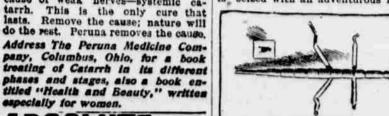


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"Walking-sticks" are rare in entarrh I can cheerfully recommend Petomological collections, and few perruna. I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for over six years. I sons have beheld more than one or had tried several remedies without re-lief. A lodge friend advised me to try two in their lives; yet the woods almost everywhere in this country are Peruna, and I began to use it faithfull of them-mostly moderate-sized fully before each meal. Since then I have always kept it in the house. I species, two or three inches long-and they might be gathered readily by am now in better health than I have been in over twenty years, and I feel sure my catarrh is permanently cured." thousands if it were not for the disguise they assume. Even the knots of the twig and the appearance of the Peruna cures catarrh wherever lo-

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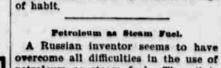
bark are copied by the insects, so that cated. As soon as Peruna removes systemic catarrh the digestion becomes there is no way in which they may be detected, unless they move, and d, nerves strong, and trouble vanthey are usually stationary or nearly ishes. Peruna strengthens weak nerves, not by temporarily stimu-lating them, but by removing the so. Now and then, though very rarely, an imprudent member of the tribe is, seized with an adventurous fit and cause of weak nerves-systemic ca-



A WALKING-STICK INSECT OF BRAZIL. It stimulates the appearance of a twig. By comparison in size the common SECURITY,

house fly is shown one-half life size.) wanders from its arboreal home into the road, thus inviting capture. In tropical countries are found a number of species of insects that coun-

terfeit leaves in a wonderful way and some kinds among them are said actually to assume in dying the changing hues of the decaying leaf. The untutored natives of the regions where these creatures abound commonly be-Little Liver Pills. lieve that they are in reality transformed leaves, in other words that a bud developing into a leaf becomes at length a leaf insect by a mere change



petroleum as steam fuel. The oil is vaporized by hot water under pressure. In consequence of this invention and the growing scarcity of coal the use of oil as fuel has greatly increased in Russia, over 7,000,000 tons of petro-FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION leum products having been used last year to generate power. Steamship panies have equipped their vessels for the consumption of liquid fuel, and have established supply stations be-

tween Suez and Yokohama, to which the oil is carried by freighters, with a capacity of 3,000,000 gallons each.

When a women first falls in love with a man she tries to make him believe that she never eats like other copie, but just pecks at things.

on which they occur, so that they are story of feudal sm and with the genius Nashville, where he was put under to all intents and purposes invisible of artists, scholars and painters. A eminent physicians, with no improvemountain town, situated 1800 teet ment; on the contrary, it was graduto the eye, their ingenious disguise renabove sea level, on what was originally ally getting larger, until I lost all hope dering them safe from detection. And this is true even of the largest kinds, it that antedate Rome. a rocky acropolis, there are parts o. of getting him cured, when I was told The foundasuch as one found in Brazil, which is tions of the walls were laid more than of Smith's Sure Kidney Cure. I had eighteen inches in length. On certain 3000 years before Christ by the Etrusspiny plants in tropical America big can-a mighty race in their time, but spiny "walking-sticks" dwell, adapt-ing their aspect as usual to their en-for their art. It may be said that, dying, they have never died.

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and 3.500 engravings, has just been is sued which must interest all who read this notice. It is issued by the Mermod & Jaccard Jeweiry Co., Broadway, cor-ner Locust st., St. Louis and it is full of new and desirable articles suitable for Christmas stirs, ranging in price from An envious nature is certainly to be Christmas gifts, ranging in price from 25 cents to 11.000. It is so complete that one cannot buy Christmas goods to ad-vantage without consulting it, especially TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROND QUININE TABLEITS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the box. 25c.

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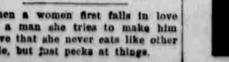
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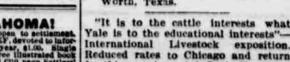
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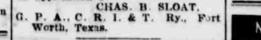


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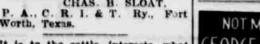


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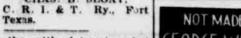
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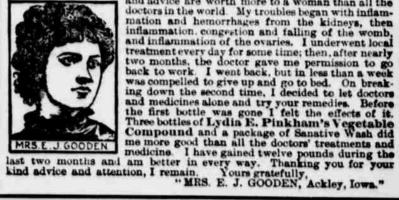
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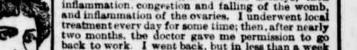
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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:-I am very grateful to you for your kindness and the interest you have taken in me. and truly believe that your medicines and advice are worth more to a woman than all the

The ordinary every-day life of most of our women is a ceaseless treadmill of work. How much harder the daily tasks become when some

him try it, and to my surprise he pederangement of the female organs makes every movement painful and keeps the nervous system all unstrung !

One day she is wretched and utterly miserable ; in a day or two she is better and laughs at her fears, thinking there is nothing much the matter after all; but before night the deadly backache reappears, the limbs tremble, the lips twitch -it seems as though all the imps of Satan were clutching her vitals ; she goes to pieces and is flat on her back.

No woman ought to arrive at this terrible state of misery, because these symptoms are a sure forerunner of womb troubles. She must remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is almost an infallible cure for all female ills, such as irregularity of periods, which cause weak stomach, sick headache, etc., displacements and inflammation of the womb, or any of the multitudes of ill-

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LOCAL DOTS.

-Go to T. G. Carney's for choice Earl Park, daughter of Mr. M. E. family groceries.

Tuesday night.

-Miss Eva Coker was visiting in one and the couple left next morntown a day or so this week.

saddle see Riddel.

-Fresh Oranges, Apples and confectioneries at Williamson & Martin's place.

-Miss Ethel Mason came up from Anson to spend Thanksgiving at home

-Fresh Groceries-almost every thing you can think of at S. L. Robertson's.

-Judge D. H. Hamilton has purchased Mr. W. B. Anthony's old residence

New crop Louisiana Molasses at W. W. Fields & Bros. Try it if you want somthing good.

-Boys make a date with your girl for Baker's opening.

-Mr. McIlvane is here buying large mules. He wants a carload or more.

-Cheese, Kraut, Apples, Cabbage, fine, large Greely Potatoes. red and yellow Onions at S. L. Robertson's.

-Quite a number of Stonewall county farmers sold cotton and bought goods in Haskell this week.

-I want 100 head of cattle to pasture through the winter on my farm 14 miles northeast of Haskell. E. BIVINS.

-D. L. Dalton of Seymour was at district court here this week.

-Ladies you should see the handsomely decorated tea and dinner sets and figures. at Fields & Bro's.

-Lawyer J. F. Cunningham of this week

-Rev. A. H. Norris requests us to state that he regretted not being able to meet his appointment last Sunday, being prevented by sickness from doing so.

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for Green ville, which place will be their future home. May prosperity -For a good, honest hand made and happiness attend them.



An Invitation!~

fabrics in beautiful designs and colorings, some choice Crepons in 4 yard patterns for skirts, a nice line of Cash-Abilene attended our district court meres, Sattines, Covert Cloth, Ginghams, Chambrays, Prints, etc. in great variety.



On the above date I will have opened up and ready for public inspection the largest and choicest sel-- HOLIDAY GOODS evening, 28th inst. at 7:30 o'clock p. in Haskell and I take this method of extending a cordial invitation to everybody to visit my store on that night

For Tuesday Night, November 4th.

place, Mr. Coles M. Kaigler of and see the many beautiful and handsome things our good old friend Santa Claus has provided for you to sel-Greenville, Texas, and Miss Lela ect presents for your loved ones. This invitation is to all, the children as well as the grown folk. You will Park of this place, were united in not be asked to buy anything on that occasion; I simply want you to come and enjoy a pleasant social hour or -Ask to see Baker's Swinett marriage, Rev. J. T. Bloodworth so looking over the many pretty things, you will then know what there is in store to select from.

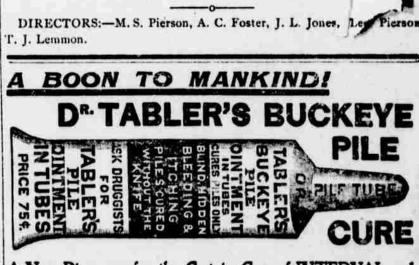
YOURS FOR A HAPPY XMAS,

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-I am receiving this week new dry goods in every department of my stock, filling in all the gaps made by my heavy fall sales. My customers

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-C. C. Riddel has more and better buggy whips-a new lot, ro cents and up. Go and get yourself one.

-Judge J. H. Glasgow of Seymour had business in our district court this week.

-Trade has been splenoid and we had to stock up again-come and S. L. ROBERTSON. sec.

- Dr. Lindsey reports the arrival of a new daughter at the home of Mr. W. H. Scott on Tuesday night. - New lot of ladies dress and skirt patterns just received at S. I. Robertson's.

-The "frying size" enjoyed an entertainment given them by Mr. and Mrs. Jno, E. Robertson on Thursday night.

-It's Chille now instead of ice cream at Williamson & Martin's. Boys, take your girls around and warm up.

-They say that Prof. Hentz is authority on hotel bills in Aspermont and can give you a pointer on making change.

-A nice new line of ladies', misses' and children's shoes at S. L. Robertson's

-There were numerous dinings in town Thursday in celebration of Thanksgiving day and there are fewer turkeys now by a score or so.

-Galvanized iron Wash Tubs, Washboards, Buckets, Wash Pans, Dish Pans, Dippers, Oil Cans, Lamp Chinneys, Etc., at S. L. Robertson's.

-Rev. W. C. Young is assisting in holding a meeting at Stamford this week and there will be no preaching at the Presbyterian church tomorrow.

-My stock of groceries has just of choice, iresh family groceries. As to prices-well, they are below the other fellow's- Come and see!

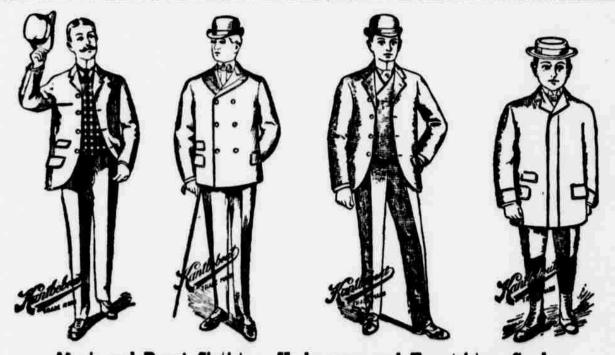
> Respectfully, T. G. CARNEY

-The election is past and the end of the year is near

AND the time to pay debts is also here, hence we have to say that we want our money and will expect every one to come forward and square up by Dec. 24, as we are under obligation to do so with those we owe.

> Respectfully, F. G. ALEXANDER & Co. vices.

We have juite a large line of trimmings, having taken great pains to select the latest and best that were suited to our varied line of Dress Goods. There are Silk and Tinsel Gimp braids in various widths, black and amine these new goods before buycolors and gold and silver gilt. Fancy colored Beaded triumings, and Silk fringes in various widths. An exing. tensive line of ribbons, embroideries, insertions, laces, braids, cords, etc.



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In gentlemen's custom made clothing we have the best to be had in the market in material, make and style. We bought from one of the leading manufacturers whose improved system of cutting insures as neat fitting suit as you usually get from a tailoring establishment, and whose reputation for reliable workmanship and honest goods insures durability and service. We have suits in all the latest patterns of tall and winter weights. Cassimeres. Disgonals, Serges Kerseys, etc., in various grades and prices. And as to prices, we guarantee them to be right and that you will get full value whether you buy a cheap or a higher priced suit.

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Boots, Shoes, Hats and Gloves

been filled up with a complete line we have a large assortment of styles to suit all tastes for men, women and children. Our goods in these lines are standard makes and we offer them to the public in full confidence that they will give satisfaction.

> We have many kinds of goods not mentioned in this advertisement and will be pleased to have you call and see them. The prices will be right. Very Respectfully,



-WANTED-A live agent in Has-Have you a cold? A dose of BALkell to sell the "BEST" Vapor Lamp. LARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP at bed-Best made. Hundred candles. cts. at J. B. Baker's drug store. Southern Gas Lamp Supply Co.

-Ladies jackets. There's been Dallas, Texas. -Bro. Townes informs me that we can hold services in the church

next Sunday, therefore we will hold- the latest in this line for ladies and forth at the church in all our ser- misses. His line of jackets are J. T. BLOODWORTH. splendid, be sure and see them.

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tunate if you have not bought your see these goods if you want anything valued at \$14,127,538 and at the the present Wildhorse school and by the Ladies' Home Journal. It winter wraps, as S. L. Robertson has in that line. The prices are right.

Yours &c 220,188 was produced. W. W. FIELDS & BRO.

vill now find my stock tresh and T. J. Lemmon. complete in all lines of winter goods. Buyers will do well to call and ex-

> Respectfully, S. L. ROBERTSON

-A Mr Bryatt and family from Wise county arrived here this week and are temporarily residing in the upper story of Mr. T. G. Carney's store. Mr. Bryatt was here some time since and bought 100 acres of land about one mile east of town. which he will now improve.

The disposition of children largely A New Discovery for the Certain Cure of INTERNAL and depends upon health. It they are troubled with worms, they will be irritable, cross, feverish, and perhaps seriously sick. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is a worm expeller and JAMES F. BALLARD, Sole Proprietor. - - 310 North Main Street, ST. LOUIS, MO. tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts at J. B. Baker's

-Messrs J. W. Hartzell and E. B. Robinson of Navarro county ar- session during the week. Besides rived here yesterday and are figuring empaneling the grand and petit jur- Ralston Health Food with our people on a proposition to ies, sounding the docket, setting put in a first-class flouring mill at cases and passing on motions little this place. They are moderate in has been done. their proposition and we hope it will One judgment was rendered for come to a successful termination, as the state on a delinquent tax case a good flouring mill would be a great and the civil suit of the Casners vs. convenience to our farmers as well Pittner was dismissed at cost of for sale by S. L. Robertson.

as furnish them a home market for plaintiffs on demurrer. their wheat. It would also be of considerable advantage to the town. felony indictment, being a charge of

McLennan county, arrived here yes- Jim McFarland, also three misdeterday and are out now looking over meanor indictments-names of par- EVE PILE OINTMENT. Relief follows the county with the view of buying ties not yet made public. farm lands and locating if they find it to their liking. When we saw them they were very well pleased with what they had seen and still had the finest portion of the county to see. They were a substantial, prosperous looking set of men and we hope to see them become citizens of our county. We understand that they are the forerunners of probably a hundred families who will come if they carry back a favorable report.

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-The district court has been in **Ralston Pancake Flour** Pearl Cracked Hominy

The grand jury has returned one -Eighteen men, prospectors from assault with intent to murder against

-We were told the other day that twenty new residences could be seen from Wildhorse Knob and Mr. A. C. Foster told us yesterday that he had

sold twenty-one tracts of land, ranging from 100 to 200 acres, out of the Wise county four league survey of school land, in northwest part of the

which will be put into that number a serial in which she portrays girl-life of new farms the coming year. All in the Old Dominion, of the anteof the purchasers intend to build bellum days. Into her story she has residences and other improvements woven the social and domestic life of Prior to the seventies cotton seed during the winter and several of the Virginia gentry, pictured their was almost a waste product, but be- them are now hauling out lumber fetes, festivals, courtshipt and martime will remove it. Price 25 and 50 line of queensware, both decorated ginning with 1872 when 547,165 and other materials for improvements. riages, giving most interesting glimpgallons of cotton seed oil was manu- These as families will form a com- ses of the descendants of those pat-

> have one established there. Virginia."

ed, also a nice line of glassware, factured, the production of the oil munity large enough to require ano- rician pioneers who settled on the no cold weather yet and you are for- lamps and lamp chimneys. Call and rose to 46,902,390 gallons in 1899 ther school, about midway between James. The serial has been secured same time 1,143,704.342 pounds of the Mesquite school, and we under- will have early publication, under the cake and meal valued at \$11,- stand that steps will be taken to the name of "Those Days in Old

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