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#### The Old Stager's **Family Medicines**

Test oy Twenty Years Use. Guaranteed to Cure.

I hereby guarantee every bottle of the Old Stager Remedies to give perfect antisfaction. If not relieved or cured after giving any of these medicines a fair trial according to directions call on the dealer of whom you purchased They are sold to him under that agreement by

Following is a brief description of the "Old Stager Remedies." If affected with any of the maladies mentioned, try a bottle of the medicine That is enough said and there is no need for me to go into the lengthy usually found in patent medicine, advertisements, further than to tell

Old Stager's La Gripp Specific This medicine has no equal for La Gripp,

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is the most reliable cough medicine on the market. Gives prompt relief, and permanent cure when its use is persisted in. Give it a trial. ·.·

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\* \* McLemore's Guaranteed Prairie Dog Poison This preparation is too well known in Western Texas, where he prairie dog pest abounds to require comment here. If you have dogs to kill don't fail to get it, because it's the best. I want a reliable dealer to handle these remedies in every town, address A. P. McLemore, Manufacturer. · Texas. Haskell. The following dealers are selling these dicines: W. H. Wyman & Co. (Racket Store) Raskell Chapman Bros. Marcy Cousins & Howard. Munday .

# OVER \$90,000 LOANED ON LAND LAST YEAR.

Officialdom is feeling the public

where a convention or assemblage of

any kind of the common people-a

representative body of the over-

whelming mass of the people of this

country, ever approved or endorsed

the proposition to raise the salaries

of these already well paid people who

are supposed to be their servants and

and who fawn upon them for a pur-

Proposed Salary Grab

We did that last year in this territory and we expect to put out \$150,- pulse on the question of a general 000.00 this year, so don't sacrifice your land by selling in order to meet raise of salaries for all the offices of what you owe on it, for we can take up and extend the time of your pay- much importance in the Federal ments, thereby relieving you of any payment at all until next fall, and government, that is the President, likely until next fall year (1904) if you prefer, or make you a straight loan members of the cabinet, judges, repif your land is not a homestead and the security and title is satisfactory to us. We can give you from a five to a ten year equal annual installment resentatives to foreign countries, etc. loan, or striaght five or ten year loan, with 8 per cent interest payable an- A Washington item says: "The issue nually. No loan for less than \$500. Any one wanting a loan between has been under consideration a long now and the first of March will have to see us and make application be- time and has been so generally aptween now and the first of February. Do you want any of the \$150,000.00 proved it is strange the increase has we have to put out this year? If so the sooner you take it up with us the not been made long ago." better. It will not cost you any thing to see or write us regarding the mat-We would like to be told when and ter. No red tape or foolishness about it, we mean just what we say.

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#### We have received Bulletin No. 5 are working for them? There has of the University of Texas Mineral been no such approval. The trouble Survey, entitled the Minerals and with these fatted hirelings is that Mineral Localities of Texas. It is they rarely ever hear the voice of the the fifth in a series of publications real people. Their consciences are designed to set forth the mineral re- smothered with the fallacy that their sources of the State, and will be tol- own desires and the approval of the lowed by other publications on this few with whom they come in contact While the resources of the Univer pose is the voice of the people. And sity for these investigations have been the trouble with the people is that limited and the work done in most they too seldom express themselves of the counties has been of a cursory -in any effective way, at least-on nature, it has been fairly thorough such questions. One reason for this in the Trans-Pecos section and in a neglect is that there is too little apfew of the more promising counties preciation of the fact that "Eternal

here and there over the State. While vigilance is the price of liberty" and this is the case, there is no doubt of honest and good government as that the work done, as set forth in well. Another reason is that they these publications, will serve as a have too often found that their provaluable guide in the development tests or recommendations have been of our mineral resources and will ignored and have concluded that it help prospectors to locate paying is useless for them to speak out. They are unheeded because they are properties

Glancing over the summary given not united and prepared to make of the minerals in the various coun- their strength felt. It is the policy, ties we find the following credited of the politicians and office holders with the largest list of minerals: to keep them thus devided.

Brewster, Burnett, El Paso, Gillespie, But coming back to the salary Llano and Mason. Of these Llano question-there is no demand for a is credited with the largest number, raise and no reason for it, outside the 104. Among them are amethyst, selfish ones of the office holders. asbestus, gold, graphite, Jasper, opal, There is no lack of an ample supply, pearls, pottery clay, turquois and one a large surplus in fact, of capable of the largest and purest deposits of men ready and willing at all times iron ore in the United States. Our to accept any of the offices, elective

would be salary grabbers.

Waverly, Texas, writes. "Of a

morning, when first rising, I often

find a troublesome collection of

phlegm, which produces a cough, and

is very hard to dislodge; but a small

quantity of Ballard's Horehound Sy-

rup will at once dislodge it, and the

trouble is over. I know of no medi-

cine that is equal to it, and it is so

pleasant to take. I can most cordial-

He says that silver is the metalic

# Alexander Mercantile Co.

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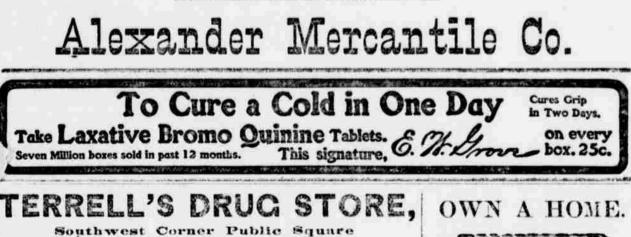
having succeeded the firm of F. G. Alexander & Co., wish to say to the friends and customers of the old firm that they will it and he will promptly refand your money. continue the business at the old stand and on the same principles of equity and justice to all that characterized the dealings of the old firm.

We shall do business on a cash basis until the accounts growing recommended for it-no cure no pay! out of last year's business are settled in some satisfactory manner. and we shall expect every one owing us to come forward prompt- description of diseases and symptoms ly and adjust their accounts.

This is purely a business request and is necessary in order to what each remedy is good for. put our business in a business shape and, while we have not found fault with those who have not been able as yet to pay up on account of crop failures, we trust none will give us cause to com- Colds. Neuralgia, Headache and plain of bad faith by ignoring this, our reasonable request.

To relieve the former manager Mr. F. G. Alexander of some of Old's ger's Liniment. The best the work and pressure of business the collection department has for Swelling, Bruises, Cuts and Sores been placed in the hands of Mr. W. L. Hills, who will be fair to all. of any kind.

Soliciting your further friendship and patronage, we are yours old stager's Cough Medicine This in the hope of a prosperous year for all.



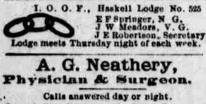
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Every Bottle of Chamberlain's in conflict with private investment Cough Remedy Warranted. We guarantee every bottle of Cham- ing and manufacture of iron, and 3 3 1 berlain's Cough Remedy and will re- even if,as intimated by both the Govfund the money to anyone who is ernor and the News, it is not made to not satisfied after using ,two thirds pay an actual dividend over the cost of the contents. This is the best rem- of manufacture and maintenance of edy in the world for la grippe, coughs, the Rusk penitentiary, the indirect colds, croup and whooping cough and benefit to the people in affording is pleasant and safe to take. It pre- competition with the iron monopoly

county, Haskell, is credited only with or appointive, at the salaries at prespermean copper ore. due doubtless ent provided for them. This in itto the fact that the Survey has done self is a sufficient answer to the no actual work here, for it is known that other minerals exist here, among Rev Carlisle P. B. Martin, LLD them a large quantily of red mineral clay suitable for making a fine quality of roofing paint. It is hoped that the legislature now

in session will provide for more extensive and thorough work on this line by the University. Persons desiring copies of these Bulletins should address Wm. B. Phillipps. director, Austin, Texas. ly recommend it to all persons, need-

## A Liberal Offer.

ing a medicine for throat or lung The undersigned will give a free troubles." Price 25c, 5oc, \$1 bottle sample of Chamberlain's Stomach at J. B. Baker's.

and Liver Tablets to any one want-United States Senator W. E. ing a reliable remedy for disorders Chandler, republican, says that the of the stomach, biliousness or con- simple and true way to enable China stipation. This is a new remedy and to pay her indemnity is for the countries demanding gold of her, which a good one. All Druggists she cannot pay, to remonetize silver ----at a ratio of 20 to 1.

The State's Iron Industry

money of more than half the human We are with Gov. Lanham on the race and has been sinking in value ever since it was demonetized-just proposition to look well to the facts and conditions which have made the treated. And as it has sunk it has iron industry at the Rusk peniten- brought poverty and distress to half tiary unprofitable and see if some- the people of the globe. Moreover, he says, it is best for the United thing can not be done to make the States to be wise in time. When the industry profitable before deciding present bubble of fictitious capitalito abandon it. The Governor prezation, exaggerated values and insents cogent reasons for this course, flated currency bursts and a money and we also approve an apparently panic follows, there will be a mad well considered editorial on this sub- rush for the only real money-metalject which appeared in the Dallas ic money-and that money has been News of the 28th inst. reduced one-half during the last third

The possibility is not touched upon of a century.

by either, however, that the monopo-To lessen the evil of the bad times ly controling the iron industry of the coming, silver should be remonetized country may have had some undue by a consensus of the nations. or indirect influence in making the He holds that the United States State's enterprise at Rusk appear unis in a position to take the lead and bring this about.

There is no industry in the State in which convict labor will come less attacks on Venezuela is nothing never in my life have I witnessed an more nor less than a deliberate event so fraught with disaster to the think it the best liniment on earth." of capital or labor than in the minscheme to test the Monroe doctrine various nations of the globe. In this she can do over here before we will key, the upsetting of Greece, the dessay "quit," lay a precedent for fu- truction of China, the humiliation of with us while she has England in- -Ex. volved with her.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY



Haskell, Texas.

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..... Handles only the Purest and Best drugs. Carries a nice line of

#### I SOLICIT A SHARE OF YOUR PATRONAGE.

A gentleman invited some of his Best Liniment on Earth. friends to dinner and as the colored Henry D. Baldwin, Supt. City servant entered the room he accident-Water Works, Shullsburg, Wis., writes: ally dropped the platter that held the "I have tried many kinds of liniment, turkey. The gentleman in most imbut have never received much bene-Germany's bulldozing and brutal pressive tones said: "My friends, fit until I used Ballard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism and pains. I property.

-The many old Haskell friends

The secretary of State of Tennes- married to a lady there a few weeks see is named Crocket and he is said ago. Our informant could not give wents any tendency of a cold to re-sult in pneumonia. All Druggists and keeping prices down may amp-is us the lady's name or other parficu-bary Crocket is to cure. No be a great grundson of the famous is the lady's name or other parficu-bary Crocket is to cure.

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THE PANTHER CITY CO OPERA-TIVE HOME COMPANY will buy you a home or pay the Mortgage on the one you now have and allow you to pay back the amount, without interval, is mosthly payments of iess amount than the rental value of your property. Investigate this Proposition

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-Baird Star.

The Star is right in this matter; the man whose property is to be sold should have the privilege of having it advertised if he so desires. As a thusiast on the sugject of milo maize. rule, very lew think of or see the In spite of the drouth of last year, posted notices, outside of the lew who make it a business to watch for and of Indian corn, he raised a large pick up property at judicial sales, amount of maize and has fattened where there is only friendly bidding would bring them to the attention of the general public and give the un- more per acre.-Leader. fortunate owner a chance to get something like actual value for his

to the extreme limit; see how much calimity we see the downfall of Turture conduct, or, actually pick a row Africa and the chagrin of Americans." of Mr. Percy Lindsey, now in busi- exempting a lot of counties, as has drouth or hot winds it may be plant-

We like the earnest, straightforward and forceful ring of governor Lanham's message to our lawmakers.

We believe the trouble with the Federal anti-trust law is that it is a good one and would bust the trusts if the United States attorney general

would make an honest and energetic The 23d legislature passed a law effort to enforce it. The trust gang requiring lands sold under execution | know it's loaded for game, hence we to be advertised in some newspaper hear the propaganda that the law is published in the county. The 24th insufficient and that it is useless to legislature repealed this law at the try to enforce it. They say let conrequest of the land agents and loan gress enact a better law, or, better companies of the state. The law still, amend the constitution so as to should be reenacted with a proviso give congress more power-better for that if the defendant so desired the them, as it would take two or three sale should not be published. The years to submit the amendment, get law as it stands today is soelly in a vote of the States and action by the interest of the land grabbers who congress. That is what we believe do not want land sales made public. about the present republican agitation about trust legislation.

-Mr. Slater, who lives about two miles northeast of Graham is an enwhich caused such a complete failure his hogs on it this winter. He claims among the set. Advertising the sales that it is in all respects as good feed as corn, a sure crop and will produce

> Western Texas has in the dwarf milo maize a grain product of ines-

timable value, not yet fully realized. With it two plantings and two tull When the legislature passes a law crops may be made on the same land ought to embrace all bisds and the wheat or millet as a fall crop, and afwhole State and not be crippled by ter common corn has been ruined by frost coming at the average date in

the fall, it may be planted as late as Trade goes largely where it is hid- the first week in August and make a any other known plant.

ness in the State of Colorado, will be been the case with the game and fish ed and make a full crop, as, with interested in learning that he was laws heretofore.

<b>JONZALES IS DEAD</b>	DANS TA DIVORCES NULL.	THEY GET FIDGETY	EVERYWHERE.	ALL READY TO ACT	FOR THE FARMER.	ALL OVER TEXAS.
	Divorces Obtained by Non-Residents Declared lilegal and Null and Vold.		Gainesville is undergoing a siege of burglary.		Representative Sheppard Introduces a Bill of Much Importance.	Dallas 400 is organizing a ridin
e Columbia Editor Dies Frem The	Washington, Jan. 20 The United	German Vessel Makes Unprovoked	An Elks lodge of 43 members was or- ganized at Waco Saturday night.	the incode of orienter oujers un	Washington: Representative Shep-	Bonham is undergoing a "hold up
Murderous Pistol Wound.	States supreme Court again passed upon the validity of divorces granted	Attack on a Fort.	A negro preacher has a fally develop-	Exhaustive Document.	pard has introduced a bill enlarging the work of the division of statistics	season. Poll tax payments are coming in a
	in South Dakota to non-residents in		ed case of smallpox at Gatesville.			a rate never before equalled in Texa
ILLMAN HEARS IT UNMOVED	the suit of Annie Andrews vs. Kate H. Andrews over the estate of Charles	THREE OF THE GARRISON HURT	Celeste is an incorporated city, hav- ing passed the 1000 mark in popula-	APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES	bill provides that government statist- ical reports shull hereafter include sug-	The citizens of Terrell are takin
	S. Andrews, whom both claimed as husband.		tion.		ar, rice, fruits, vegetables and all oth-	steps to get a federal building in th city.
vicians Resort to Every Known Expedien	Andrews secured a divorce from	The Panther Attacks a Fort on Lake Maracalbo		owner ouspension of Aures, prio,000 in Reg-		A movement has been on foot amon
to Prolong the Wounded Man's Life, But All Efforts Did Not Avail.	Mrs. Kate Andrews, the first wife, in South Dakota, after remaining there	Which Defends Itself With Four Guns Until The Vessel Retires.	cottonseed meal to Denmark a few days since.	ular, and \$20,000 for Contingent Expenses Are Appropriated.	rice, fruit, vegetables and truck indus- tries have become so important, and	the colored people at Paris for sever weeks to emigrate to California.
bilumbia, S. C., Jan. 20After four	six months, as required by the statute of that state. The Massachusetts		It is currently rumored that the		especially in Texas, that Mr. Sheppard	The hog shipping business is flou
ys of suffering death same shortly	courts held that the decree had been	Maracaibo, Venezuela, Jan. 19Fort	Houston and Texas Central will build to Glen Rose.			ishing at Mount Vernon and the far ers are fast taking up hog raising.
er noon Monday to Narcisso Gener	frauduently secured and recognized	San Carlos, at the entrance of Lake	The town of Graneland voted on in-	Contraction of the contract of	the government.	McKinney is making a most her
nzales, editor of the Columbia State,	the first wife as the legal widow of of the deceased Mr. Andrews. Mon-		corporation Saturday and it carried by	hearing Gov. Lanham's message read		fight for the location of Texas Presi
to was shot last Tuesday by Lieuten-	day's opinion, which was delivered by	cruiser Panther. The fort returned	to for any is against.		ical agents of the national government shall devote their entire time to the	terian University at that place.
t Governor James H. Tillman. He	Justice White, affirmed that holding,	the fire with four guns, and the Panth-	Italy has proposed to establish the Marconi system of wireless tele graphy	and lieutenant governor. The official	work, and also provides adequate sal-	John Wright, a cotton handler.
s uncoascious when the end came.	the state of South Dakota did not con-	er withdrew in the direction of Cur-	between Pekin and Taku.	count was as follows:	aries for them. It also provides that the government shall make special bi-	Ennis, stuck a cotton hook throu his hand, inflicting a most pain
s wife, three brothers, his sisters, unbers of the editorial staff of the	stitute legal domicile. It was evident,	Fort San Carlos is twenty-one miles			weekly reports on cotion, corn, wheat	wound.
its, and the surgeons were present.	residence in South Dakota had been	from Maracatoo, and commanus the			and oats, such reports to be posted con-	The city of Marshall complains t
e morning papers had informed the	Itaken up for the sole purpose of se-	and the set of the sheet of the sheet only		I make a second se	spicuously in the postoffices for the information of the people. The ob-	city taxes are coming in very sl as only \$20,000 out of \$58,000 have b
andoned. A few minutes after the	curing a divorcet that temporary change of residence did not amount to	Press here has received the following	Inter wheat crop in Young county is	4041.	ject of the provision is to give the	paid up to date.
I came it was known all over Col-	domicile, nor to a change of citizen-	inter non den beno, the communer	ise of a fine yield. More date than		farmer accurate knowledge of condi-	The choir and members of the C
ibla. There is no apparent anger, no	ship. For this reason he held that the	The approximation of the second and the second and the second sec	usual are helpe sown	read it through, consequently there	tions affecting the principal products.	berland Presbyterian church at M
let is noticeable throughout the city.	South Dakota court was without jur- iediction in the divorce proceedings,	and shelled, without any provocation	The World's Fair committee will	are no opinions expressed, except as	Cattle Convention Closes.	shall have decided to purchase a la pipe organ for the church.
When the news that the end had	and its decree wholly void.	on our part, without previous notifica- tion or the delivering of an ulitmatum.		feetuin portione of its incore opinions	and being i more and brack Bullion	Dallas has an ordinance against
me was bulletined to Charleston inday the flags on the buildings of		by the German cruiser Panther, which		are favorable. Gov. Sayers leaves it to his succes-	convention of the National Live Stock Association adjourned Friday to meet	lowing horses to stand at one place
News and Courier and Charleston	the second	tried to force the entrance. After a	two more of the battleship locomotives,	sor to address the legislature on the	next year at Portland, Ore. Before ad-	asphalted streets longer than 30 n
st were at once placed at halfmast	to be hopeless of successfully negotiat-	fight lasting an hour, during which the		subject of platform demands. It is understood that Gov. Lanham will dis-	Journment an and outlets were the	utes. Friday 14 arrests were made der this law.
iroughout the day and Monday right	ing with Columbia for the construction of the Panama Canal, and auxious to	Interest and it is a second of a	Harry Hunter, a youngster of Ennis,	man work of these demands including	i creeces, and the inclusive was taken in	
ve poured in, not only from com	or the Panama Canal, and auxious to	ternee was obliged to abandon	since and chat himsalf through the	the expression in favor of anti-free	against the proposed packinghouse	
inities, newspapers and citizens	President Roosevelt is reported to be	the fight, and retreated in the direc	hand	pass legislation. In this connection it has been pointed out that Article	merger. Hon. William M. Springer,	Graham is a considerable grain n
om all over South South Carolina	inclined to give Colombia more time.		Shamman in the contract of the bound of the second se	4574 of the Revised Statutes, on the	general counsel of the association, in a spirited address, outlined a bill which	ket and this institution will be great benefit to the town.
d South. Among them were expres-	hoping that when the little republic finally concludes Uncle Sam can not	wounded." There have been popular	rural mail delivery, with six routes.	subject of unjust discrimination, lim-	he said was merely an adaptation of	
us from Hugh S. Thompson of New	be "shaken down" any further it will	demonstrations on the streets here as a result of the shelling of the fort.	lighted with the movement.	its by implication the state officials who may receive free transportation.	the spectrum were at that were that	A telephone line, under man ment of Kemp McGinnis and Lu
ark, ex-Governor of South Carolina	do business. Senator Scott of West Virginia, who is backing the Darieu	The second production of the date of the second	A recent overhauling of the books		rivan but now penuing in the senate.	Wellborn, is being put up between
inister at Washington.	route (that is the one which would	Fearful Explosion at Gun Practice	by expert accountants reveals the fact	who receives free transportation shall	proposed merger was ever consum-	rell and College Mound, eight n south of the former town.
	necessitate a tunnel five miles long	San Juan, P. R.: Six men were kill		receive mileage from the state when he uses such free transportation, and that	inated the Manoual Distance associa-	A STORE IN ATTACK TO AN A TACK THE AND A STORE
Doings at Austin. Austin: The statues of Stephen F	through solid rock), manifests a dis position to come to the front with	also approximation of a manufact charges at		it provides that no person who re-	LIGH WOULD BUILDS PACKINGHOUSES ITOM	A late telegram from Paris s Sheriff Carpenter and his depu
stin, the father of Texas, and o	f another proposition to investigate	an eight-inch gun on board the United	the invitation to the inaugural ball,	ceives free transportation shall receive	in an appeal from the executive com-	have made forty-nine arrests wi
n. Sam Houston, the liberator o	the second	States battleship Massachuseets Fri	which specified that only those in full		mittee for a legislative working fund	the past two days on the charge
xas, which were executed for th ite, were unveiled Monday night in		and the back of the back of	areas notice or permittee on the more	Senator Wilson introduced a bill ap-	\$7500 was subscribed in less than thir-	C. G. Morgan, a Dallas alderman,
first floor corridor from; of th		The dead: K. J. Platt. Troy, N. Y.:		propriating \$110,000 for pay of mileage	The officers are: J. W. Springer of	resigned a position on the finance of
pitol building. The statues wer		S. E. Mallowski, Chicago; E. H. Loes ser, New York; Andrew Hendrickson	ordered strict quarantine established	and per diem of the members and om-	marter, president, John M. Holt of	mittee because he claimed that an
veiled by Mrs. Joseph B. Dibrell o guin, chairman of the monumenta		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	against all lumines where the disease	also a bill appropriating \$20,000 for	Miles City, Mont., first vice president; F. J. Hasonbarth of Salt Lake City, sec-	tempt was made to coerce him measures that were obnoxious to l
mmittee of the Daughters of the Re		, cinnati, and A. S. Tacke, St. Louis.	The financia committee of the Con-	contingent expenses of the present ses-	ond vice president; George L. Goulding	
blic, who presented them in th	o ing in which W. H. McDonald was in	A set of the set of th	fadorate Veterane' rounion homes on	sion. Both hills were reported favor-	or benver, treasurer, charles r, hat-	T. H. Weir, colored, of Galves was convicted in the criminal dis
me of the Twenty-Seventh legisla re. Gov. Sayers, in accepting th	<ul> <li>stantly killed with a shotgun. John</li> <li>Lenhart was arrested. Mr. Lenhart</li> </ul>		Monday to raise a fund of \$100,000 to	Senator Stafford secured the adop-	tin of Denver, secretary; Fred P. John- son of Denver, assistant secretary,	court of killing Isaac Hughes, colo
atues on the part of the state, pai	d is an old decrepit man and an ex	. Pittsburg.	entertain the veterans who attend the reunion.	tion of house concurrent resolution au-		on Oct. 29, and given a life sentence
	f Union soldier, who came with hi e brother Henry to this city five year			thorizing the governor to make all ar- rangements for the unveiling of the	Calanan County Happy.	the penitentiary.
		a linch turret and was due to the accord d dental discharge of a percussion prim			Baird: With rain on the night of the 13th and 14th and all day on the	At the regular meeting of the council at Waco, Hon. Allen D. i
ork in securing these momorial	s, and placed in jail.	er while the breech of the gun was	to transact a general credit business	evening of the 19th instant.	14th and again on the night of the 15th,	ford, who was elected mayor the
ie expressed hope that such success ng legislature would make an appro-		opened. The full charge exploded if the turret and killed or injured all the	Contraction of the second s	Killed by a train.	Callahan county is coming to the front	before, was inaugurated, took the of of office and presided over the
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printion to provide a memorial for took three Syrians off a train at Lare crew of the gun, numbering nine men. There is a move on foot for the pur-Hale, about 50 years of age, who has

\$3,000,000.

the best white citizens

Gold Galore in New Field.

A financial Institution will soon

Corsicana: The dead body of W. M.

which was warm when found, was ly-

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rnoon in the senate chamber under tagious eye disease called tacoma, so of the explosion, the anspices of Albert Sydney John they were returned to Mexico. ston chapter, Daughters of the Con-

federacy.

The Schoolhouse Wins.

Orange: An election was held here pany of Dallas, corporated and having gress, died at 6 o'clock this morning Monday to decide upon the issue of a capital stock of \$250,000. The busis in his Sist year, after having been bonds for \$22,000 to be used in crecting ness of the new company will be that a new brick school building and for of conducting a savings bank and doreparing two now in use. The vote ing a general loan business. was light, but a majority went in favor of the Issue.

While playing with fire Monday afternson the little child of Jes Walker

Pooh Bah in Real Life.

Had She an X-Ray Eye?

They had not been married very

Four steamers loaded with coal starts of Hugo, I. T., had her clothing all ed from Blithe, England, Monday for burned off and is in a critical condition. America. The coal trade of Northum berland has been much stimulated by Six new rural routes will be started the American demand.

from Greenville on March 2: Enoch Pendleton, while out hunting

Death Preferred to Disgrace. Saturday, near Okiahoma City, was ac-Spokane, Wash .: Rather than be identally shot with a Winchester. Monday he contracted lockjaw and

held a prisoner for burglary, John Lee, a junkman 52 years old hurled him. died self to death over the cliffs of the A bill has been introduced in the Spokane River and into the maelstrom below the falls. Lee was arrested on ball a charge of breaking into a freight car and stealing grain sacks. He

broke away from the two policemen and hurled himself over the cliff into vail it should show more signs of be vestigated and verified by several of and the majority of the inhabitants are coming prevalent.

#### Col. Mickle Succeed Adgt. Moorman.

the river.

Honor for Famous Frenchmen. New Orleans: Contrary to the ex-Among the hills which the French pectation of all who had made up chamber of deputies is soon to dis has never been equaled since Bob Hentheir minds in advance, Col. William curs is one to transfer the remains derson told his wonderful story of the E. Mickle of Mobile, Ala., was elected of Balzac, Renan, Michelet and Ed- Klondike, has been made eighteen adjutant general of the United Confedof an amendment in the shape of an erate Veterans association. It was additional clause to include the reeverywhere conceded that Capt. mains of the late M. Zola in the pro-Wabshe would be General Newman's successor, until the name of Col. among its signatories being M. Briser, and M. De Pressense. Texas.

#### Made \$2000 Within four Minutes.

Glibert's pool hah does not com-pare with Lord Hagian, governor of El Paso, Tex.: The great five steer the Isle of Man. He is president of roping and tying contest between Clay both houses of the island parliament, McGonigle of Carlsbad, N. M., holding the world's championship, and Elis chancellor of the exchequer, presilison Carroll of Oklahoma took place Monday and was won by McGonigle in three minutes and twenty seconds. The contest was for \$2000 and the gate receipts. Carroll roped and tied avested with such multiform authorhis five steers in three minutes and thirty-three and one-half seconds. lordship has been a wise ruler.

#### Waterworks for Ardmore.

Ardmore, I. T.: The city council in spc al seasion Monday afternoon awarded the contract for the construction of the waterworks to an Indianin each other had not yet been broken. But one morning wifie meekly reapolis concern. The plant is to cost

about \$150,000. Recently the citizens marked: voted almost unanimotely to build waterworks and erect schoolhouses, and city bonds for the payment of thoughtful little wife?" Husband (dubiously): "Waren Hico, Hamilton County, several days same have been sold at a premium.

The contract specifies that the water works shall be completed by July 15 discover that there was a hole in my been his vocation at Hico. Velasco and Brazoria.

Hon, Abram S. Hewitt Dead,

New York: Abram S. Hewitt, years been treated as a part of Dallas

make its debut in Dallas, to be known former mayor of New York, and by the postal department, which desas Continental Savings and Loan Com-for many years Representative in Con-ignates it as "Station A." Dallas. A report from Blum says a proposition is being formulated by citizens critically ill for ten days. With him of that town to present to the Cotton at the moment of death were his wife, Belt for an extension of their road his three sons and three daughters.

from Hillsboro to Blum and thence to

Glen Rose. New Road in Oklahoma and B. I. T.

Oklahoma City: Contracts have A Syrian couple were married at been let for the construction of the the Catholic church in Paris Sunday. Texas and Oklahoma Railway from According to custom among them, the this city to Coalgate, I. T. The road day before was given to feasting, and is a Katy project, and will cost about a number of Syrians from a distance

were in attendance. D. E. George, an old man reputed to

Can Pick Some Cotton. be wealthy, died at Enid, Ok., from Waxahachie: John Williams, a polson. He owned land in Indian Teryoung negro of Nash, this county, last ritory and Oklahoma and at Dallas, Wednesday picked 513 pounds of cot. Tex. Before his death he declared that ton from 9:30 a. m. to dark, and has he was John Wilkes Booth.

picked this season as high as 863 There were seven deaths from the Missouri legislature to prohibit foot pounds of cottes in one day. He has plague at Mazatlan, Mexico, Saturday, on deposit at one of the banks here and the number of patients in the laz-\$100 made by picking cotton this sea- areto is fifty. The situation continues If the truth is mighty and will pro- son. Williams' statements were in the same. Business is practically nil

still away.

Eugene J. Conklin, of Chicago, in a fit of jealousy, shot and instantly killed Seattle, Wash .: A tremendously Miss Jennie Dwyer and painfully inrich strike, the magnitude of which jured her escort, Frank Fay Merritt, Friday night. He then shot himself and died at Englewood Union hospital ing in a heavy sea, and was saved from gar Quinet to the pantheon. Notice miles north of a point on Tanana River, at 7 o'clock Saturday morning.

300 miles from its source. The district At a meeting in the vestry of St. is in American territory. Circle City Paul's church at Waco the resignation posed translation has been given, has been depopulated, and a wild stam- of Dr. Frank Page was accepted and pede of prospectors from all the sur- he immediately wired his acceptance Mickle was spring by Col. Fall of son, M. Jaures, the chief socialist lead- rounding country is in progress. As of the rectorship of St. John's church yet few have reached the discovery. of Brooklyn, N. Y.

> Now it is reported that the Cuban soldiers are dissatisfied and will start Fought With a Lighted Lamp.

Paris: Euna Robinson, colored, was frightfully burned Saturday Swift & Co. have taken out a buildhe can initiate laws and taxation, he night. In a difficulty with another ing permit to erect a brick storage dent of the government board, chief negro woman a lighted lamp was selz- and market house in San Antonio, to justice of the couris, admits members ed and hurled at her. The bowl of the cost \$10,000.

to the bar, is head of the military lamp struck her in the center of the forces and police, besides being com-mandant of the prisons. In fact, he is became ignited and ran in streams of let a contract Friday for the erection ity that he may be regarded as an ab- Nquid flame down her body, burning of a two-story brick building. The onarch. So far, however, his her from her head down to the waist, contract price was \$16,500.

The saloon men of Bonham have ea-

Fort Worth: T. J. Wood, tered into an agreement pledging a aged about forty years, died in fine of \$100 for each violation, to not ong, and that complete blissful trust the hospital department of the city hall sell nor allow to be sold any intoxwhich young husbands and wives have this morning about 10 o'clock. It was leating liquor in their houses on Suna case of death from the effects of an day. The agreement holds good for overdose of morphine administered one year. All but two saloon men of I mended the hole in your trousers. from his own hand with suicidal in the city signed an agreement not to booket last night after you had gone tent. The deceased swallowed the allow any gambling in or above their ever been raised in this county. This Crutcher says the razorback is vanish- dition. John dear. Now, am I not a drug at a hotel. He came here from places of business.

yees, for a s thoughtful enough, my ago, with a view, it was said, of enter. The next session of the Live Stock dear. But how the mischief did you ing the saloon business, that having convention will be held at Portland, Ore.

The annexation of Oak Cliff to Dallas an early hour Friday morning. The seems to be to plant enough to feed the passenger and baggage coaches at the is again discussed. Oak Cliff has for body was terribly mangled, one leg

Engineer John Cox Killed.

ing to one side of the track, while took place on the Cotton Belt between the dissevered limb was between the two freight trains eight miles west of

ing with disastrous and fatal effects. Forced to Come into Town. Engineer John Cox was instantly Lampasas: After many months of delay the Santa Fe railroad has completed a track from its main line, about one mile from the public square, to and perhaps fatal injuries. Brakeman Harris was also badly though not danits new yards near the business portion of town, and the first train ran gerously hurt. Sventeen cars loaded with general merchandise were totally over to town Friday evening. This train constructing the new depot.

#### Fanatical Suicide.

San Antonio: Miss Nora Carl, a on a Texas and Pacific eastbound tee is negotiating, meets the approval novice at the Convent of the Holy freight, was killed accidentally Thurs- of the St. Louis and San . Francisco Ghost on Nolan street, died Friday af- day afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock railroad management, the Frisco systernoon at 4 o'clock of starvation. Six near Arlington. He was about 36 years tem will be extended to the Texas weeks ago Miss Carl decided that she old. It is said that the fireman was coast city. must do extra penance for the salva- leaning out of the cab window when

tion of the people addicted to the drink the train passed the water tank near habit. From that time until her death Arlington, and the heavy water inshe existed on a scanty diet of bread jector struck his head, caving in the 1903 issued to any fraternal insurance skull and killing him almost instantly. and water.

Edgar Robinson, Col., Shot. The Spanish steamer Novembre, Henderson: In a difficulty five miles from Galveston, Jan. 8, for Rotterdam via Newport News, with a general car- west of here Edgar Roberson colored, completed the new cut-off near Pine go, ran ashore on False Cape shoal was shot and killed. John Rainey was Ridge and passenger train No. 2 passnear Norfolk at 6 o'clock Friday morn- jailed here Thursday.

what seemed certain destruction by Mary Connor College Enlargement, long and is laid with new fifty-six the appearance of the revenue cutter Paris: Ground has been broken for pound steel rails, Onandago, Capt. Worth.

three of them will probably die. The remission of tariff on coal im-

fected the Eiglish markets.

#### One Hundred and Fifty Millions.

London: Members of leading firms representing South African Interests held an important meeting Frinay and definitely agreed on a war contribution of \$150,000,000, payable in three annual installments of \$59,000,000 and ecvered by a loan not redeemable before ten years. The first \$50,000,000

child was appointed to choose the date of the issue.

Some Hogs Pay. Brady: A slow, steady, warm rain McKinney: J. A. Crutcher of near began failing here Tuesday and has McKinney marketed a bunch of 8continued ever since. The farmers months-old Poland-China shoats here here say they are almost sure of one which averaged 180 pounds each. They the wheels passing over his head. The of the finest crops this year that has sold for \$5.65 per 100 pounds. Mr. boy is reported to be in a critical con-

lasting from two to five days each we gaining in popularity have and since Dec. 1.

of the corn market.

These will perhaps prove a total loss. Dallas: Michael Madden, a fireman

> The first certificate of authority to do business in Texas during the year society in America, was received at the supreme office of the Modern Order of Practorians at Dallas.

> ed over it for the first time Friday morning. This cut-off is five miles

ty was finished up Friday for the November term. A very fine record was made at this term. Out of twentyseven cases tried, there were eighteen

The Dixie Irrigation company beof the Pecos river about thirty miles ed up and carried to a drug store and rigable land.

everything was done for him that A farmer, who went to Paris to rencould be done, but death resulted at 6 der his property for assessment gave

> 6-months-old pup at \$50. He gave in felony to steal it.

Boom was seriously hurt. With his older brother he was hauling coal, when he fell from the wagon, one of

pox raging around Santo. Some of the doctors claim that it is smallpox and others claim that it is not, but will Sweden has 324 co-operative socie not diagnose it. The ties, with a membership of over \$,000 has been exposed to it. not diagnose it. The entire country.

very hot oven is required. Brady Crop Prospects Good.

It takes a toper to get the juice out

will be issued in 1904. Baron Roths-

Cotton Belt track east of the city, at against them this year. The idea pany is building several combination weevils and have plenty left. shops in the city of Marshall to be used on the fast trains. By using was cut off below the knee and the other torn almost to shreds. The body,

these cars the trains are shortened one car, which makes them much easier to Texarkana: A rear-end collision handle.

A suit has been filed by J. F. Schuthere at Rattlesnake Hill Friday morn- tee of Honey Grove against the Houston and Texas Central railroad, asking for \$40,000 actual and \$10,000 exemkilled, his neck being broken, and plary damages for the alleged killing Fireman Smith sustained dangerous of his son at Plano, on Oct. 17, 1901.

The commissioners of Galveston county accepted the proposition of the seawall contractors, O'Rourke & Co., to adopt granite for the riprap in front was loaded with material to be used in wrecked and subsequently took fire. of the wall, at a cost of \$6000 for substituting granite for sandstone.

> If the mission of the citizens of Galveston, representing whom a commit-

The Texas Southern railway has

The District court of Johnson coun-

ple, and the building will cost \$10,000. convictions and nine acquittals.

ball, gymnasium and art department will be located in the annex The conported to the United States has not af. tract was let to G. W. Collier of Tem-

**Died From Concussion.** 

a three-story annex to Mary Connor college. A large auditorium, science

Beaumont: Michael Creagh, aged gan work Monday on its dam and caabout 30 years, fell Thursday afternoon nal, water for which will be taken out and struck his head against the concrete pavement with such force as to north of Pecos. This canal will open cause brain concussion. He was pick- an entirely new section of the best ir-

in a pair of mules at \$25 each and a o'clock in the afternoon.

If you cook meat a second time, a the dog at the high figure to make it a

At Mildred, a small son of Mrs.

is the third spell of slow, rieady rain ing and that diversification is fast There is a disease similar to small-Sweden's Co-operative Societies.

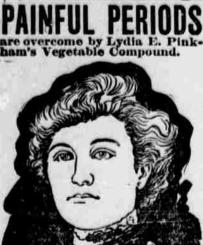
a revolution of their own unless the government pays them back salarles.

the truth is mighty and will pro vail it should show more signs of becoming prevalent.

A woman need not be at all clever both houses of the island parliament, to win a man's love, but she must be he can initiate laws and taxation, he mighty clever to keep 't.

Counterfeiters are not very particular about their work. They are satpfied if it is passable.

No man may expect to enjoy him-solf fishing unless he has something otter than worms in his bottle.



cured after doctors failed to help her.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me after doctors had failed, and I want other girls to know about it. During menstruation I suffered most intense pain low in the abdomen and in my limbs. At other times I had a heavy, depressed feeling which made my work seem twice as hard, and I grew pale and thin. The medicine the doctor gave me did not do me one bit of good, and I was thoroughly discouraged. The doctor wanted me to stop work, but, of course, I could not do that. I finally began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and felt better after taking the first bottle, and after taking six bottles I was entirely cured, and am now in perfect health, and I am so grateful for it." - MISS GEORGIE MENARD, 537 E. 152nd St., New York City. -

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TAYLORS

Pooh Bah in Real Life. Gilbert's pooh bah does not com-pare with Lord Raglan, governor of

and other contagious diseases, once the Isle of Man. He is president of they have fastened their deadly grip upon their victims. It will do much, however, toward preventing their is chancellor of the exchequer, presispread. dent of the government board, chief It is a well recognized fact that cerjustice of the courts, admits members to the bar, is head of the military tain wall coatings do much to harbor

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disease for months and years.

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forces and police, besides being com mandant of the prisons. In fact, he is invested with such multiform authority that he may be regarded as an ab-solute monarch. So far, however, his

ordship has been a wise ruler. Calls for Interpretation. The Washington wits have a story

to the effect that two army officers made up a bet that the president would have in his message some reminder of his recent bear hunt. One of the officers is now claiming a dinner and in support of his side of the wager that the hunt would not be forgotten he quotes triumphantly this igorous and peremptory passage: The senseless slaughter of game which can by judicious protection be preserved on our nationpermanently al reserves for the people as a whole, should be stopped at once."

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astrology which they contain. The Many people take a melancholy desubject of astrology is a very attraclight in viewing all life through green tive one to most people. The articles goggles. on astrology in the Peruna almanac

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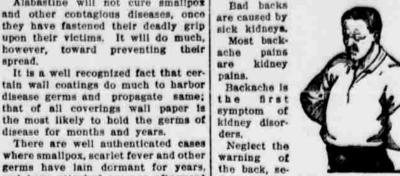
York and Pennsylvania in vigorous action against the ticket scalping thleves and forgers, three having been sentenced on Saturday, in Chirago, after a fortnight's trial, one of whom, profiting by his experience, Cures Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, LaGrippe and pleaded guilty to a second indictment, while the trial of the others will all Throat and Lung Troubles. MADE of Pure SWEET doubtless proceed to another convic-GUM, MULLEIN & HONEY. Your Druggist sellsit 25 & 50c tion. Chicago has long been a favorite field for ticket speculation, and a blow against the nefarious practice could nowhere have been landed more effectively. The persistent and united efforts of the leading railroads of the country to exterminate the business, which is simply one of petty larceny, robbing the poor and the wage earners, are bringing most satisfactory results .-- From the Brooklyi Standard-Union. High Prices at Washington Scie. At the sale of the household goods of M. Cambon, the retiring French ambasador at Washington, many articles exposed for sale brought fancy prices. Chairs that M. Cambon paid \$16 or \$20 for sold for \$75 and \$100, and so on. Fashionable society was represented and men and women bid against each other with acrimony. The Persian minister paid a high price for lace cur tains. Some said similar curtains can be bought new at half what Gen. Khan Well-worn rugs were bought by Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney for her fine collection. Their Slight Request. In Haverhill, Mass., the home town of Secretary Moody of the navy, there is an informal association of gentlemen whose object is the very definite pursuance of any old scheme which involves a good time. When the press dispatches an-nounced Mr. Moody's appointment the members of the association drew up a telegram as follows: "Dear Bill: We're glad you've got the job. Please send up the Dolphin; the gang wants to go fishing."-New York Times. Had She an X-Ray Eye? They had not been married very long, and that complete blissful trust which young husbands and wives have in each other had not yet been brok-en. But one morning wife meekly remarked: wishes. "I mended the hole in your trousers pocket last night after you had gone to bed, John dear. Now, am I not a thoughtful little wife?" Husband (dubiously): "Well-eryees, you are thoughtful enough, my dear. But how the mischief did you discover that there was a hole in my Very Peculiar, Indeed. Sensible Housekeepers The class in geography in one of the Brooklyn schools was undergoing will nave Defiance Starch, not alone because they get one-third more for examination when the teacher asked: "What are some of the natural pethe same money, but also because of cultarities of Long Island?" The pupils indulged in some hard thinking, but none responded. Suddenly a fat boy with a red face, who had been shifting superior quality. One may not sing and yet have music in his soul. The most of the songs of life are unsung. uneasily about in his seat, raised his hand. "I know," said he. "Well, what Storekeepers report that the extra are they?" asked the teacher. said the fat boy, "on the south side you see the sea, and on the north side quantity, together with the superior quality, of Deflance Starch makes it you hear the sound." next to impossible to sell any other brand. Her Apology. The discharge of every duty to-day The local singer was resenting mildincreases the opportunities of tomorly to the hostess the large amount of praise which her guests was bestowing upon the visiting vocalist. "They didn't applaud me that way," PILES CURED. By using Smith's Sure Kidney Cure he complained. "Oh, well, you know," she said apolhas made a radical cure for me. I suffered severely from bleeding piles ogetically and sympathetically, "he is a visitor whom we don't hear often, while we think of you as the Bible seventeen years, and although I tried every well recommended remedy, failed says, "The poor we have with us alto receive any relief other than the most temporary. Finally I commenced the use of your medicine, and a very short course of treatment, with it has Never confide a secret to a woman with a pedigree. Blood will tell.

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a cough cure. - J. W. O'BRIEN, 523 Third Ave. | layers. N. Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1900.

We cannot control the tongues of others, but a good life enables us to Christian. despise calumnies.-Cato.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. allays pain cores wind colic. Lie a bottle.

It is more difficult for a man to behave well in prosperity than in adversity .-- Rochefoucauld.

He Asked A-Miss. "What's the trouble, my boy?" queried the minister of a young member. You look sad." 'And I feel sad," he replied. "I ask ed Miss Silverton to be my wife, and

she declined." "That's too bad; but it's in accord with the Scriptures, which says, 'Ye asked and received not, because ye asked amiss."

"Well, what would you advise me to do?" queried the youth. "Next time ask a widow," replied the good man, with a suspicious twinkle in his eye .- Chicago News,

#### For Resuscitation.

They were just concluding a series of "first aid to the injured" lessons in one of the settlements, and the worker in charge thought it might be a good idea to have a written test. Among other questions she wrote:

"How would you restore conscious ness to a person who had been res-cued from drowning?"

In answer to this a maiden with an "When the resuscitation of anima-

Conscription in Europe.

The compulsory enrollment of citl zens for military or naval service is unknown in this country as a perma government for the purpose of raising A FREE TRIAL of this great kid- and increasing the armies in cases of ney medicine which cured Mr. Calmes special urgency, in 1814 during our war with Great Britain and on May 1 1863, when every able-bodied citizen of military age must enter service, or pay a commutation fee of \$300, under penalty of being treated as a deserter

#### Frizzled Fowls.

Frizzled fowls are the most gro sque members of the poultry family Their name is applied from the pecu-liar manner in which their feathers

curve upward and backward at the ends, as if in defiance of nature's ous in the backle and saddle feathers As these birds vary in color, there is cept that it must have the peculiar upward curve, and any color is ad missible. Frizzled fowls are reported Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as to be hardy and very early and good

A Roman collar and a clorical cut is not always the trademark of a

Never bother about what other peo de say or do, but be careful that you do not do worse.

To win a woman's love is often a hot Scotch for a man. The reaction a

fizz thoroughly frappe.





Rev. H. Stubenvoll, of Elkhorn, Wis., is pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles St. John's Church of that place. Rev. Stubenvoll is the possessor of two bibles presented to him by Empero. William of Germany. Upon the fly leaf of one of the bibles the Emperor has written in his own handwriting a text.

This honored pastor, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, says concerning their famous catarrh remedy, Peruna:

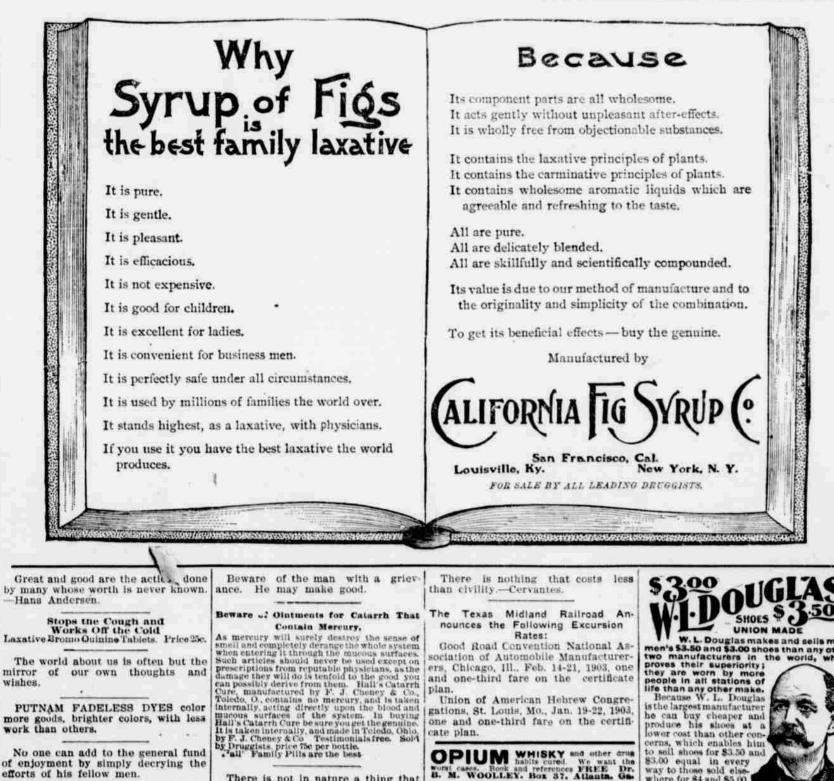
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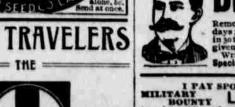
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Brocade Evening Slippers. Exceedingly beautiful evening slip- ange velvet, which made a lovely early spring, although many square pers and boots are made of rich bro- touch of color, and the skirt had a ones are shown. cade and floral sliks to match those for plain front panel with a deep boxevening gowns. White silk and satin pleated kilt at the bottom graduating slippers are trimmed with applique of in a point behind. A good deal of black lace and seed pearls, and the double hemstitching is also employed silk and lace hose match the leading on the white gowns, the edge if the

The Latest Ideas



An exquisite petticoat to wear with | dion plaited chiffon edged with narrow a black evening gown has a closely black lace. Heading the upper ruffle is fitting skirt of black and white striped a band of black lace insertion through taffeta, with bunches of cherries be- which an inca-wide cherry satin ribtween the stripes. There are three bon is run, ending in a bow and ends deep graduated ruffles of white accor- at the side. 

high "Fedora" to be worn over opera this fashion, while the skirt is often and dancing slippers are als) made of finished by a double row of hemthe lovely sliks, lined with white fur stitching. or fleece, and finished with # narrow band of beaver fur.

A Winter Costume.

An Epicure's Opinion. Very few people really understand the art of making a good salad. An Here is a nice all-round, useful dark epicure declares that ell should thorblue coat and skirt, for the winter, oughly coat saind before vinegar is used. If vinegar is used first oil does not cling to wet vegetables.

Worn on the Wrist.

Other bags are of the flowered pom-

padour silks, with background of

white, pale blue, old rose and Nile

"wrist bag" novelties.

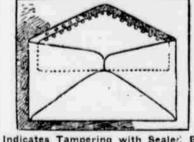
#### POPULAR SCIENCE

the rod extending toward the player's Detonating Burglar Alarm. A new burglar alarm is one for right hand. On the right wrist is sewhich the inventor claims simplicity, cured a bracelet, having an eyelet to durability, cheapness and capacity for slide on the rod, and it is obvious ready application to any window or that, while free movement is permitdoor. It comprises a leaf spring of ted in the proper direction, there is considerable expanding force, the no chance for the hand to swing lower half of which is firmly secured downward toward the neck of the into a vertical rectangular frame. The strument,

upper half of the spring carries a As soon as the natural tendency t small cup for the insertion of a cart- move the hand improperly is over ridge or percussion cap. The two come there is no further need for the ends of the spring extend beyond the guide and the pupil is then free to devote his time to fingering practice. frame, and are thin enough for insertion in the crack of a window or door. Harry S. Strauss and Edward S. Schwerdtle of Bridgeport, Conn., are With the upper member in a depressed position, and both terminals of the the inventors. One of the newest vells is of open spring clamped into the crack of a

door, the two ends of the spring will Detective Inside the Envelope. fly apart when the door is opened and There are two ways in which it is To wear white effectively a woman throw the cartridge holder into viocustomary for mail thieves to tamper must be either a pure blonde or a de lent contact with the hammer suswith sealed envelopes to ascertain

whether there is anything inside worth appropriating-one by forcing the flap open with a thin metal blade. and the other by steaming the envelope until the mucilage no longer holds the flap. In either case, it is difficult for even the person to whom the let ter is addressed to ascertain whether the envelope has been opened, unless something has been extracted. It is to serve as a sure indicator of wrong doing that the envelope illustrated in the accompanying drawing has been designed by Harry G. Starmer of Newark, N. J. The improved envelope differs from the ordinary kind only in



velopes.

having a sheet of tissue paper attach ed to the flap and extending down inside the pocket. This sheet attaches itself to the surface of the envelope with the sealing of the letter, and it is obvious that any attempt to force the envelope will lead to sure detec-

#### To Foretell Thunderstorms.

Father Odenbach of St. Ignatius col ege in Cleveland, Ohio, has invented an instrument to foretell the coming of distant thunderstorms, utilizing the principles at the base of wireless teleg raphy. The various parts of the apparatus arc a relay, a sounder, a co herer, a choking coil, two batteries, a recording chronograph and a coppe: collector on the roof, connected by : copper wire with the observatory. A lightning flash sends out in all direc tions rays of electromagnetic waves These strike the collector and descend through the wire to the primary cir cuit of the relay. Their way is blocked ent species are entirely friendly. Cer- by the choking coil, and, therefore, they pass in great part through the

approach of distant storms.

A Problem in Digestion.

The Niagara Power Tunnel.

For the first time in five years the

great tannel of the Niagara Falls

Power company was emptied during

the past summer in order that it

Power of Radium.





For nearly one whole day last week | Commonwealth's Attorney Franklin, Henry E. Youtsey, now serving a life but this was afterwards denied. sentence for complicity in the murder Youtsey in his testimony before the of William Goebel, was before the grand jury is said to have implicated grand jury of Franklin county, Ken- not only those who are under indictment but others whose names have

been mentioned only in the testimony It is believed that he had carried of witnesses at the several trials. out his expressed determination to tell all he knows, and to lay bare all

Brief History of the Crime.

Youtsey was convicted of the murder of William Goebel and sentenced Youtsey was on duty on the day of to life imprisonment. The state mainthe assassination in the private office tained that it was he who procured the of Secretary of State Powers, from rifle bullet that killed Goebel and which the fatal shot was fired, and dithat he gave them to the mounrectly after the shooting he ran to the taineer, "Jim" Howard. Their belief office of Gov. Taylor, going not across was that he or Howard fired the shot. the hall, but by way of the basement, Youtsey was clerk and stenographer and reported the shooting to the Govin the office of the state auditor. All ernor and those in the room with him. the state house employes were very Youtsey refused to appeal his case much excited when Goebel filed his and set about serving his life sen- election contest. When it became evitence. He has steadfastly refused to dent that he would win the excitement tell who was in Powers' office with reached fever heat. To them all it him and who was in Gov. Taylor's meant loss of office.

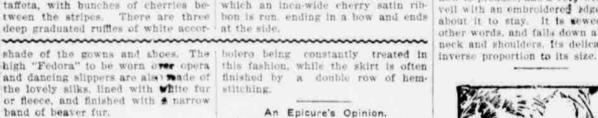
Youtsey was of a high strung and nervous temperament. The excite-Though Jim Howard has\_been conment affected him greatly. He provicted of being one of the assassing. posed the killing of Goebel to several there are many who believe that it people. The evidence was very cle against him and he was arrested, con victed and sentenced to a life term.

Some time ago it was reported that After a few months in prison Yout-Youtsey had made a clean breast to sey, it was reported, became insane.

LOVE MATCH ENDS UNHAPPILY. ENGINEER OF HIGH RANK.

#### Former Crown Princess of Austria Ralph Modjeski Elected President of the Western Society. Deserted by Her Husband

A dispatch from Vienna last week Ralph Modjeski, recently elected contained the information that the president of the Western Society of



give an oriental effect.

color contrasting with that of the of these elaborate costumes it may be well to mention the new yell hat which is a very effective addition to with care," however, as it is rather too striking to be recklessly worn. It con-

Use of Floral Designs.

Some of the largest and most strik

From Paris

The furry heads of cunning little an

imals top some of the newest hatpins

mesh with black stars in each corner

Of colonial blue glass ornamented

with silver pretty little lace and veil

A new shade in velvet is a claret,

and is neither red nor yet purple, but

lights up wonderfully well for evening

The most popular and most becom-

ing hats for afternoon wear are of

beaver or fur, and are much be

A rich-looking collar of black velvet

is trimmed with rows of white baby

over of white satin with long tabs ex-

of the mesh.

cided brunette.

pins are formed

wear.

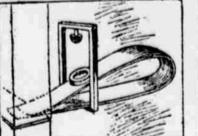
plumed.

touch

sists of a large hat made in some other words, and falls down about the

neck and shoulders. Its delicacy is in





Will Guard Any Door or Window. ribbon briar stitched in back; a turn pended in the top of the frame, causing an explosion, the force of which tending down on the waist, trimmed is governed by the size of the cap with fancy buttons, is the finishing used in loading the alarm.

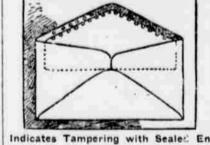
All the colors of the rainbow and a The Sensations of Insects. few other kinds are in the new belt Investigations of the intelligence of buckles. Some of these buckles are the lower animals are always of deep in black metal and set with many interest. We seem to gain some its colored stones-red, green, blue, yelsight into our own natures in this low and different combinations-to way. Dr. Forel, the celebrated neu-

rologist, has paused from his researches on the diseases of the human brain to study the nervous systems and the sensations of ants and bees. ing effects are in the carefully consid His book has just been printed at

ered use of enormous floral designs. Paris. Some of his results are sum either woven into the fabric of the silk marized in what follows. Dr. Forel or appliqued in lace or embroidery of concludes, with Muller, that the vision of insects is in "mosale." That is, gown. While deafing with the subject an insect perceives an object like a mosaic-as if it were made up of bits separated by dark lines, the lines cor-

responding to the edges of the facets some tollets. It must be "handled of the insect's eye. The image is usually not sharp, though when the number of facets is considerable (12,000 to 17,000), the definition is cases of those wonderful swirls of good. It is by sight that flight is chiffon, which only milliners know directed. When the eyes are covered how to produce, and a very wide gauzy with a thin layer of varnish the inveil with an embroidered adge draped sect is powerless to direct its moveabout it to stay. It is sewed on, in ments. The antennae serve as organs of touch and almost as if they were smelling organs also. By them insects find their food and recognize their companions and their enemies. The enmity of certain species of ants for others is well known. If they are

put in the same pen a fight to the death at once ensues. When the antennae are cut, however, the differtain insects cease to lag eggs the moment their antennae are cut. They coherer. The moment they do so this can no longer "smell" the decaying tube becomes a conductor for the prineat that is fit for a nesting place for





The striped silk introduced into the collar and at the waist is a very happy thought, and may be black and white. or dark blue and white, or emerald green and white, or red and white, whilst if there would be difficulty in getting the evact striping one wanted the effect would always be obtained by running narrow ribbons or braids of the required color on to white silk. Of course, striped silk would be far better and more pliant.



Never pierce meat while cooking. Add a dash of salt when whipping ERRS.

Moist salt or moist tea leaves sprinkled over the carpet before sweeping will renew its brightness. Always break eggs one at a time in

a saucer in case you come across a bad one, in which case all the rest would be spoilt.

Never use soap in cleaning sleves or saucepans --- Bianche Gillette in Amerdcan Queen.

If you cook meat a second time, a very hot oven is required.

You cannot cook anything nicely in utensils which are not serupulously clean.

To prevent milk curdling when mixed with tomatoes, add a pinch of blearbonate of soda.

Never wash meat. Clean it, if nec carary, by rubbing with a damp cloth, or by scraping with a knife.

#### A Reception Gown.

A beautiful carriage or reception gown is of thick white cloth, made with three flat shoulder capes caught down on diher shoulder with wide

mitred straps, adorned with nacroworange and white silk braid, from coat as sets the soul of woman long- plain rose pink silk, over this is a which depended coarse knotted tas- my for one its exact counterpart. A plain ruffle of chiffon, and over all sola of white cord. The bodies was closefitting white silk skirt strews comes the chiffon ruffle trimmed with pouched on either side of a emert lite with most test huds, rufile upon ruf narrow lace and haby ribbon. The

To dress a salad properly, rub every portion of the salad bowl with a crushed clove or garlie. Then put in the vegetable, lattuce, cross or whatever it may be, and add the oll, which has been mingled with the salt and pepper. Toss the leaves about lightly, never crushing them, until every por tion is covered. Then pour in the vinegar and repeat the process. The result should be a light, crisp salad. "Haste makes waste" in nothing more surely than salad making. White satin fitted with storling silver trimming and wrist chain, and embroidered in seed pearls, in a small running pattern rather resembling true lovers' knots, is the bridal combination that goes to make up one of the vest handsomest of the Black moire, with gold classs and ball link chain, is used for dressy afternoon wear to hold cards and handkerchief, as well as money.

green, with resebuds and violets massed in bouquets or scattered over Pale Rose Taffeta Coat with Yellow the surface. The shape is still oblong, Lace Medalion.

JUST A PETTICOAT OF WHITE SILK.



Just a petitions, but such a petil- bons. The skirt under the ruffles is of the face west, the yoke of which what the of white chillen loce and pink the "dust" ruffe is of rose pink inffate.

the egg. Dr. Forel concludes that the instinct to lay eggs is not destroyed: the sensorial impression that sets the instinct at work is no longer operative. It is his conclusion that insects have more than instinct; they have a soul, so to say, at any rate, a mind capable of forming judgments, of choosing. Bees have, for example, an astonishing memory of localities. Instinct and automatism are far from constituting all their mental life.

#### Electric Heating.

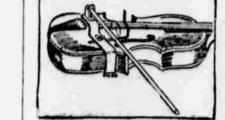
For electrical heating, the appara tus is simple, being nothing more than a suitable form of resistance, and its cost should not be excessive. For continuous heating, the advantage-the question of cost not being considered -lies with the electric system.

advanced by Howard B. Baker in Considering the final test of the ap-American Medicine as follows: "The plicability of any system-the cost of 'secretions' that are manufactured by operation-we find the reason for the cells are substances that they do not poor showing, comparatively, of the need-are, in fact, their excretions electric heating system. When the Bacterial cells are poisoned and their question of cost is the deciding one, processes brought to a standstill by electric heating cannot compete with accumulation of the products of their any of the other systems, with the own activity. It is probable that this is price for electrical energy at its presmore or less true among living things. ent figure. It seems evident that the It would seem from Beaumont's electric power companies are not tryobservations that the stomach is noring to build up this branch of their mally empty without food. If this is business. Electric heaters may be opso, then undiluted gastric juice does erated from a power circuit and stanot normally lie on the lining memtion. But electric heating of buildings brane of the stomach. The essential can hardly be considered at this time, idea is that in the glands there is an except in very special cases, such, for inhibition of cell activity when the instance, as in a hospital, where the normal excretions accumulate." cost is a small matter compared with

the convenience. For cooking, however, the intermittent work, a slight concession from the central stations would result in a greatly increased use of electric heaters.

might be thoroughly inspected. The managers wished to know its condi-Bowing Guide for Violins. tion after 32,400,000 cubic feet of Heretofore the most difficult thing water had rushed through it every for beginners to acquire in violin hour for five years. Accordingly the playing has been what is termed 'bowing"-that is, the art of carrying tunnel was inspected for signs of wear. Every one of its 19,000,000 the bow squarely across the strings bricks was in place and perfect. No and at right angles thereto, and also signs of wear were found, although at a certain distance from the bridge. one-thirtleth part of the stream of This is absolutely necessary in order to get the proper tone effect, and un-Niagara is constantly in use. til the pupil has acquired the art of bowing he cannot become an accom-

plished player. In some cases this has required years of constant prac-



ice, but with the aid of the invention shown in the illustration it is claimed that the task is simplified to the point where no effor is required, as with its use there is no chance of the hand the regulation type by the addition of getting out of position. As will be seen, a supporting

clamp is secured to one side of the inbeen slipped through the hat. strument, to carry the adjustable wire tongue, which prevents the bow

A bachelor who has been rejected from traveling too far from the by seven girls says that feminine bear bridge, and also providing a pivot, for ty is on the decline.

mary current; the relay acts and Crown Princess Stephanie of Austria was separated from her husband, closes a secondary circuit; the record-Count De Lonyay. He was said to ing magnet moves a pen and makes a have left his wife and given no inrecord; and at the same time the grounder in the secondary circuit dication of his whereabouts. Just what the cause of the rupture clicks, shakes the coherer and all is

shooting.

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the details of the conspiracy which

office when he went there to report the

was Youtsey and not Howard who fired

came within his knowledge.

over until a second distinct flash sends is no one knows, but it is not a hard puzzle to solve. The Crown Princess out a wave to be recorded in the same manner. The first form of the apparais the widow of Archduke Rudolph and a daughter of King Leopold of tus has been improved by using a graphite coherer, and records distant Belgium. The latter bitterly opposed her second marriage. Although Count thunder storms from one to three hours before they reach Cleveland. It De Lonyoy was a diplomat of high appears that at least an hour's warn standing, the King maintained the ing can almost always be given of the match was not a proper one.

Her marriage resulted in a complete breach between the King and herself. He refused to speak to her or to com-A theory as to why the digestive municate with her in any manner. fluids of the stomach do not act upon The Countess denies in the most em the stomach walls and intestines is phatic manner that her husband has left her. She telegraphed to the Vienna Neues Wiener Journal from



COUNTESS LOWINY Cape Martin, near Mentone, France, as follows:

"Stories untrue. Count here. Deny impertinent rumors."

Twain's Views on the Coal Famine. Quite a youthful reporter asked Mark Twain for an interview on the coal situation. The newspaper man versity of Pennsylvania, has shown have been instructed to interview you on the humors of the coal famine." possesses the power of throwing off veteran humorist gasped feebly for a

"Young a cheaper substitute for X-rays to man, you go back to your editor and photograph concealed objects. No tell him if he emptied all the short energy has to be expended upon the and long dashes in his composingradium, for it acts spontaneously and rooms, into the forms he would then

One of the Kaiser's Many Duties. The kalser has issued a decree which is the death knell to the black overcoat of the German officer. After A safety hat pin is one of the sea April 1 only the light gray overcoats son's novelties. It differs only from are admissible. These are worn a an ornamental cap, which is adjusted good deal already, but many officers

to the point of the pin after it has still prefer the black coat with its neat red collar and cuffs. His majesty desideration and spaction or disapproval. Rome and Vienne.



Engineers, is a noted American engineer who has held many important positions, particularly in the construction of great bridges, notably the Rock Island bridge. At present he is the engineer of the bridge that is going up at Thebes, Ill., which, when completed, will have cost \$2,500,000, and will be one of the greatest structures of its kind in America. Mr. Modjeski was born in Peland, and was graduated from the Ecole des Ponts des Chaussees, Paris. He is a son of Mme. Modjeska, the celebrated tragedienne.

#### A "Flying-Bird Cage."

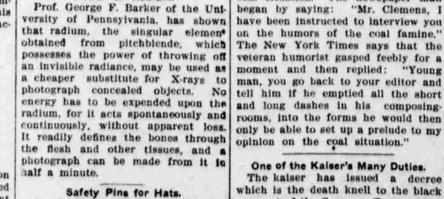
A very unique institution in the New York "Zoo" is what is know as the "Flying-bird Cage." This cage is the largest of its kind in the world, being 55 feet high, 72 feet wide and 155 feet long. Large oak and other trees grow in this cage, and the birds live within its wire-netting bounds in the utmost freedom. The frame of the cage is built of iron pipes, which are covered over with thin-meshed netting.

Another Scientific Discovery. It has been discovered that the strings of a double-bass parated nitric acid are almost as sensitive as began by saying: "Mr. Clemens, I M. Paderewski. A German scientist discovered that on playing a second double-bass with true Teutonic energy obtained from pitchblende, which The New York Times says that the the strings of another so treated broke with a tremendous report. It is not stated what the German scientist hopes to prove by this discovery.

#### Time's Vicissitudes.

William Tecumseh Scott, president of Franklin (Indiana) college, and William Henry Harrison McCoy, the janitor of the institution were in the same graduating class of 1861, the present janitor proudly carrying the honors of the class, while the presidten went trailing in the intellectual dust.

Death of American Adventurer. Major Horace Glenthworth Devandre, the only American serving in the cides upon the uniforms of all his Austrian army, has just died in many regiments-not a button or inch | Vienna. He was at one time engaged of gold braid but has the kaiser's con- in the American diplomatic service at





A New Scissors Feat. very quick, finishes the complete word Take a pair of scissors (not too , with another "l." He is then sent large) and hang them on your little down to the foot, to stay until the next nger, as shown in Fig. 1. one finishing a word comes below The trick is to throw them upward him.

and toward you in such a manner that when you have brought the backs of the letter which finishes a word. It your hands together the blades will be pointing upward, as in Fig. 3.

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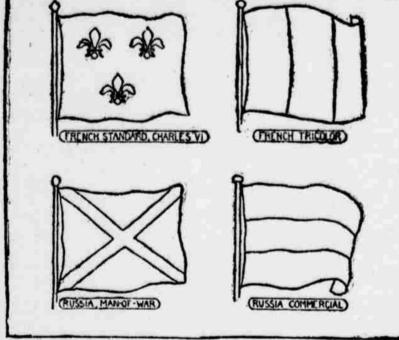
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simple tricks, but a key is required to unlock it, as you will find by repeated "franc" must go. "Q" is a difficult letexperiments before it is given you.

as explained above, simply throw them given for "Quaker." The next one upward and toward you, with the hands held open and placed together no getting out of it for the next one, reach them they (the scissors) will

. The object is to keep from adding takes some ingenuity to do this. Sup pose the word "France is thought of, This is another of those seemingly and it is spelled to the "c," someone ter with which to start a word. "U," When you have hung the scissors of course, must follow and then "a" is may say "c" for "quack," and there is

in such a way that when the scissors as nothing but "k" can be added. Supposing, though, that the fourth rest on the hands for an instant. in thinks of "Quaker" and says "e," and FLAGS OF FRANCE AND RUSSIA.



Above are two of the flags of | flags, the first the sign of the Russian France: the first, the standard of man-of-war. It bears upon a white Charles the Sixth, being a very old field the cross of St. Andrew in blue, flag, while the other is the modern St. Andrew being the patron saint of Russia, as well as of Scotland. The French tricolor. The flag shown here is one which Russians believe that it was he who

brought the doctrines of Christianity was in use in the 14th century. It is into their midst. blue, with yellow fleur-de-lys. The well-known tricolor of France The flag of the Russian merchant

dates from the French revolution, and came into existence in 1789. It has, flag, with the top stripe white, the except for a short period, been the flag middle one blue and the lower of France for over a century, although | red. it underwent a few changes before it

settled down to its present form. Great, and was originally borrowed The stripe near the flagpole is blue, from the Dutch, although now the the center one white and the end red. stripes are differently placed. Paint

Below we see two of the Russian the pictures. 

this position only the first joints of is at once sent to the foot, as he has the little fingers will be in the scis- completed the word "quake." sors, as you will observe in Fig. 2. Now

tertainment:

The Day of All Saints Solemn Ceremonies Mark Its Observance in European Countries--Prayers For the Dead and Decoration of Graves. -----

#### (Special Correspondence.)

The festival of All Saints had its

origin in the seventh century, in the

ment of heathenism. Pope Boniface

Phoeas to re-dedicate the Pantheon to

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cation twenty-sight carriages



decorate to the memory of "the souls IV, obtained permission from Emperor of all those who have died in the communion of the body and blood of the Virgin and all the martyrs. Old our Lord." Chancing last November church annals relate that at this dedito be in Munich-the heart of German Roman Catholicism-I had the opportunity in participating in some of the

interesting old-world observances of these festivals.

During the last week of October the ity underwent a transformation. Long lines of scaffolding sprang up along the street curbings and quickly their bases were hidden under wreaths of lilies and immortelles and masses of chrysanthemums. The business thoroughfares were deserted, while women and men flocked to the cemeteries, working like bees among the serviced graves. By the close of Oct. 31 every grave had its floral decoration and Munich's whole population was prepared to divide the time during the two holidays between the churches and the burial places.

On the morning of All Saints', not knowing what places would be the most interesting, I decided just to follow the largest crowds. The stream flowed into St. Boniface, an immense church copied after the early Italian basilica. Counting their beads the people hurried down the long aisles and descended stairways under the choir. I found myself in the vault beneath the church, where monastic orders bury their dead.

The arrangement of this subterranean burial place was like that of the staterooms of a ship. Compartments rapidly that it was impossible to dedi-

which lead into the center aisles. walls, making the heavy air of the spread to England, France and Gervault more oppressive with their odors. many, but has not yet become a uni-The multitude paused to pray in the versal holiday. aisles and to sprinkle holy water on service is a tricolor, or three-colored



# **MILLIONS LEFT AS** PRIZE FOR LAWYERS



\$30,000,000. But one grandchild lives to claim a share of the estate. She is Augusta Eleanor Thomas, who resides in New York with her mother, Mrs. Harold E. Thomas. Mrs. Thomas is the wife of the end of which time Harold Thomas the General's son, who resides in Chi-

in Kansas City, and became deeply im-Col. Burry and Herbert E. Bradley, pressed with his uncle's pretty bride. who represented Mrs. Thomas in the divorce proceedings of last winter.

will make a fight for an equal division of the great estate, while it is almost equally certain that Harold Thomas will insist on receiving the entire turned on the gas.

The divorce suit filed by Harold E. Thomas married the widow at Coun-

story of love, romance and some trag-

Mrs. Thomas before her marriage to sertion he declared that his child had Vines and flowers festooned the white tury the observance of this day Thomas was the wife of his uncle. Da- died and that another had been subvid Porter, a wealthy druggist and stituted, but he afterward admitted manufacturer of Kansas City. Porter the falsity of this statement on the was 60 years old. His bride, who be- stand. The case was closed suddenly, fore her marriage was Miss Ada however, by the judge, who dismissed Blandy, was 19 years old. the jury, declaring that they were They lived together for a year, at prejudiced in favor of Mrs. Thomas,

> VON STERNBERG IS POPULAR UNION ARMY LEADER DEAD

> New German Ambassador Will Be Major General von Vegesack Passes Welcomed at Washington. Away at Stockholm, Sweden. Mai, Gen. Ernest von Vegesack, offi-

> Baron Speck von Sternberg, who succeeds Herr von Holleben at Wash- cer of the Swedish army and former ington temporarly and may be made ambassador, was formerly secretary of the German embassy at Washington. He came into much prominence as one of the German commissioners in the Samoa conference three years ago, and later figured in the negotia-

TEMPTATION OF THE DEACON.

He Came Near Getting Into Trouble a Few Nights Ago.

"Bredren," said Deacon Snowball st the experience meeting, "I cum moughty neah backeliding las' Sate urday night. De temptah cum ter me and put er wheat sack in ma han" and led ma sinful feet to'd Mistah Johnsing's tubkey coop." "Amen!" moaned some one in

back seat.

"I done tried my bes' ter resist," went on the deacon, "but all de time mah conscience said 'stop' de temptah said 'Go on'; and so I kep' a gittin' closah ali de time."

"Glory!" came from the back seats. "But, praise de Lawd, just when I's gwine ter climb de fence and maik foh de coop mah old houn' dog trees a 'possum in Mistah Johnsing's wood lot, an' de back-slide leabe me dat minnit."

"Amen!" roared a brother in the PAT

"An' 'fore I git up dat tree " coninued the deacon, "de moon cum out frum behind de clouds, and dar stood Mistah Johnsing behind dat coop, wif er shotgun in his han'."

"Um-m-m! Lawd!" from the elders' corner.

"An' I call to Mistah Johns'ng and ast him, 'Please, sah, won't he come an' shoot dat 'possum?" and dat he io; an' an I want ter say det dere was a mos' powerful tig load ub shot. n dat gun.

"Go on, bruddah!"

"An' dat's why I say dat w'en de emptah cum ter us an' show us whar dere's er turkey coop we oughter rejlice dat Providence done. gib er houn' dawg and er 'possum appertite to de po'r brack man."

#### WAX MINES OF GALICIA.

One of the Most Curious Fields of Industry Imaginable.

Mineral was-generally known as sent by his father on a visit, appeared czocerite-has taken the place of oceswax in making candles, and is obtained from Utah and California, in Whether Porter felt this or not will America, and from Wales and Galicia never be known. One day he was and Roumania, in Europe. When found dead in his store. He had taken found it is a dark, rich brown color, four different kinds of poison and then translucent in thin films, but when refined it resembles well-bleached three weeks after his death Harold beeswax. The wax mines of eastern Galicia, which a syndicate of American capitalists leased, form one of the When Thomas brought proceedings most curious fields of industry imagagainst his wife on the ground of deinable. They are at and around Boryslaw, which is also the center of the eastern oil district of that part of Austria.

The wax lies in beds, like clay, at depths of from 250 to 600 feet, and shafts are sunk to the beds. The Boryslaw wax field is only 50 acres in extent, and upon that 1,000 shafts were sunk. Six thousand men live and work on that tract. The owners of the deposits have made immenue fortunes from the products, as it is very valuable, fetching fourpence a pound at the pits. The manifold uses to which parafin has been adapted bas given this Galician deposit a very wide utility. It is found in veins 16 inches thick, and is dug out with shovels, and then raised from the shaft with buckets and a windlass.

#### Tired of Duplication.

A teacher in a national school, who

celebrated in Rome on May 1. The number of saints having increased so estate for his own. six feet through divided the sides and cale a day to each one individually. Thomas brought out an interesting cil Bluffs. centers of the vault. On either side the rites of the feast of all the marof these partitions were narrow aisles | tyrs were changed to include the wor- edy. ship of all saints. In the eighth cen-

In \$35 Gregory IV, induced Emperor the flowers. I peered around to find Lewis, the Pious, to decree a general

the graves. A big German pointed a observance of the Feast of All Saints. finger toward the wall. A funeral The first of November was the day

cago Madonna of the Grotto. (Carl Muller.) the bones of martyrs from all the

cemeteries in Rome to the Pantheon. The anniversaries of this day were



bring your hands still closer together and roll your knuckles outward, bring ing your hands toward you till the backs meet, then downward, outward and upward, and the scissors, if you have mastered the trick, will turn blades upward as already explained in Fig. 3.

In handling the scissors be careful that no one gets hurt by carelessly tossing them toward their eyes or face, as some are apt to do unless warned.

#### Our Presidents.

George Washington, the chieftain, First of the line he came. John Adams followed him, His policy the same. Tom Jefferson, Republican, He tacked the ship of state, While Madison, the next in line, Filled out the war-time date. Monroe, Virginian, good and brave, Then John Q. Adams, friend of slave.

Next Jackson, laurel-crowned b fame:

Van Buren had his aims the same. Then Harrison, who died in chair; His vice was Tyler, not so fair. Then Polk and war with Mexico, Then Taylor, who made it go. And passed away in honor firm, While Millard Fillmore closed the

term. Pierce. Buchanan came along

T.en Abraham Lincoln, brave and strong.

And Andrew Johnson, always wrong Then Grant, the great war hero

And Hayes, whose choice came near to blows.

Next Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland,

And again, after Harrison, Cleveland's due.

McKinley then, third martyr, came; None ever can forget that name. A blow most tragic had been dealt, And that blow brought us Roosevelt

#### Novel Spelling Match.

Line up the players in a semicircle nd let the person at the head give the rst letter of a word say, "D," think-

f "dance," and the next one, probably hinking of "durce," say "u." The have been bored with a red-hot iron. These shoes can also be used in travhird with "dull" or "dulce" in mind, eling over boggy ground in the sum sys "1," and the fourth, not being so mer

First---Make a lis\*, from memory, of words that are pronounced alike, but spelled differently. Fix the time limit at, say, thirty minutes, when the lists are handed in and the boy or girl having the longest list wins a prize. Examples: Bale, bail; bate, bait; faint, feint; fane, fain, feign; vane, vein; wave, waive. Second-Make a list, from memory,

It dates from the time of Peter the

Word Pastimes.

pleasant and profitable evening's en-

Here are a few suggestions for a

of words that are accented on the first syllable as nouns, but on the second syllable as verbs. Same time limit, and the longest list wins the prize. Examples: Affix, compound, conflict, escort, export, insult, survey, transfer. Third-Make a list, from memory, of words that are spelled alike, but pronounced differently. Same time limit, and the prize awarded as before. Examples: Courtesy, does, gill, lead, learned, live, poll, read, slough, tear, wind, wound.

#### Where the Wind Comes From.

How many boys and girls know how o find the direction of the wind? Of course, if it were blowing a gale any. one could tell, but suppose only a genbreeze were stirring-hardly tle enough to make the fickle weathercock decide which way to point-then what would you do?

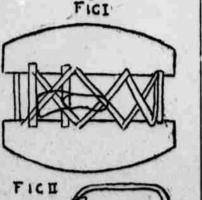
In such a case a woodman or hunter will thrust one finger into his mouth, wetting it well, and then hold it up in the air. The side which feels coldest shows from which direction the wind comes. The reason of this is plain, the more rapid movement of the air from one direction causes the moisture on that side of the finger to dry more quickly, thus giving the sensation of coolness.

#### Home-Made Snowshoes.

Each . hoe consists of two barrel staves set far enough apart to allow the sole of an old shoe to rest between them.

The slipper is screwed firmly to the second cross stick. The back part of the slipper is allowed to rest upon and is fastened to the network made of clothesline or any other kind of small rope.

The rope is strung through holes made in the sides of the staves, which





Catholic countries.

Many believe that the beginning of

religion was ancestor worship-wor-

ship of the dead. Certainly, in all

the spirits of the departed. In the

early times to have annual offerings

for the dead. It was the duty of rela-

tives to observe the anniversaries of

illes. The first dedication of a par-

was as late as the tenth century. This

initiation is attributed to Odilo, abbot

of Clugny. In Peter Damiani's life

of Odilo he records that a pilgrim

returned from Jerusalem, told the

abbot of a fearful vision he expe-

rienced on his journey, of the suffer-

ing of souls in purgatory. Odilo,

the church, and the day soon came

to be generally kept without any de

for visitors to eat. An old proverb

cree from the pope.

will repay you."

runs thus:

into the calcimine: "Hier legt Bru- men and women were resting from der Johannes." Nothing more, Sealed the harvests. From this time All up in the wall, "Bruder Johannes" lay | Saints became one of the great church with only this meager inscription to festivals and was observed in all

mark his narrow resting place. It was a relief to come from these tombs into the light and air of the street. The people were wending now into old St. Michael's, where during ancient religions there are traces of the feasts the royal vaults are thrown days and observances consecrated to open. Soldiers stood in the aisles and marshaled the crowd into single Catholic church it was the usage from

file. Walle the head of this line in the rear end of the church was going down into the crypt, the people were stepping into place out on the street. the deaths of members of their fam-The Southern cemetery of Munich, which contains the finest monuments | ticular day to the memory of All Souls fr. Germany, is one large flower garden for All Souls'. So costly are the decorations of the rich that they often



#### Head of Infant Christ.

(Murillo.) must hire watchers to guard them by night. Fashionable people vie with each other in getting up striking floral designs. I saw a large winged angel of white roses on one handsome monument. Among other artistic designs of yellow chrysanthemums.

On many of the graves were photographs of the decedents. On some were evergreens decorated with burning candles, like a Christmas tree.

There was no grave so humble that use one grave and one monument, be- | famous.

ons following the boxer outbreak in China. His wife is an American, the daughter of Charles Langham, an Ida ho mine owner and a niece of Arthur Langham of Louisville, Ky, They were married two years ago in Lon-

When they were both in subordinate positions in Washington Col. Roosevelt and Baron von Sternberg used to hunt, walk and ride together. They became quite chummy. Similarity of tastes drew them together. Each liked boxing and fencing, and they had many a friendly bout. The leaiser knows this, and has shown considerable tact in shelving the pompous von Holleben and naming Speck as

his successor. Especially in view of wreath encircled an inscription cut appointed as being the time when the fact that England is to be repre-



Baron Speck von Sternberg

sented by Herbert, who, likewise, moved by his representations, instituted in the churches under him the while an under-secretary, formed simconsecration of the day following All ilar relations with Roosevelt. Now Saints to the service of the the German and English ambassadors 'poor souls in purgatory." His examwill be in a position to slap him on the back and call him Teddy. ple was followed by other rulers of

#### Statesmen Have Narrow Escape.

Senator Frye, president pro tem of On All Souls day everything is quarantined by the board of health done in the honor of the sanctified, or for the sake of the souls in purgatory. In German villages the chil dren go in bands from house to house A dozen or more senators and representatives live there, and much unon this day, crying out: "Oh, please a cake for the poor souls!" The housewife is prepared to fill their baskets but the children offer no thanks, takhad the disease, would have to be ing leave with these words: "God quarantined. Mr. Thompson was re-

English times. In country places it Representative Thompson was placed was the practice for hostesses to keep in quarantine in a building near the

Rhodes Scholarships.

"A soule cake, a soule cake, have Apropos of Cecil Rhodes foundswere doves of white lilles and crowns mercy on all Christian soules for a tion at Oxford, Goldwin Smith gives state at the capital in Richmond, is soule cake."

On the day of All Saints the pic- rule, a young man had better be ture galleries of European cities are brought up in the country in which crowded with visitors viewing the he is to live, and that, even if the masterpleces of the great painters. superior, he will probably lose more Those dealing with sacred subjects than he will gain by expatriation. wheat in that section. This must to a it had not some kind of festal dress. naturally attract the most interest. Moreover, Prof. Smith declares that As in Germany whole families often We reproduce three of the most as good instruction is now to be had



GEN SAMUEL THOMAS

GEN VON VEGESACK

general in the Northern army during the American civil war, died last week at Stockholm. Sweden at the age of 82. a sore throte. Gen, von Vegesack was a distinguished Swedish soldier, who had in his veins the fighting blood of sev

eral generations of Northland nobles He held the rank of brigadier genera in the Union army and participated in all the big battles of the civil war. At Antietam he particularly distinguished himself. On his return to Sweden he was highly honored by the government and since that time he held numerous important positions in King Oscar's army. In 1900 Gen. von Vegesack sent a letter of sympathy and comradeship to the meeting of the Grand Army the Republic at Chicago.

#### Cost of Mobilizing German Army. A German review has lately pub

lished some striking figures as to financial burdens incident to a general mobilization of the army. The total of the armed forces in the empire is rather more than ten millions. Taking as a basis the seventy pence per man per day, which was the average

cost during the Franco-German war the "Berliner Tageblatt" points out that the daily cost of the German army on a war footing would be \$16. 000,000.

### Jay Cooke's Costly Hats.

Jay Cooke, the venerable financies the senate, narrowly escaped being always wears a felt hat of a pale fawn color. Three or four of these hats when a case of smallpox was found in are given each year to Mr. Cooke by the Hamilton hotel, where he lives. his friend and neighbor, John B. Stet son. They are made of the fur of South American squirrel that is only easiness was felt until the health office | to be captured among the heights of decided that only Representative the Andes. They have to be so care Thompson of Alabama, whose brother fully and slowly made and their ma terial is so costly that to buy and sell them would not pay.

Senator Vest Corrects a Statement.

Senator George G. Vest of Missouri corrects the statement recently made that he is the only surviving member of the confederate senate. A. J. Max still alive at the age of 83 years.

Will Soon Affect United States.

Reports from Manitoba show an im mense increase in the production of greater or lesser extent affect the

had been much annoyed by truancy. has recently been stringent in epforcing the rule that her scholars, on their return to school after an absence, must bring her a note stating in full the cause of such absence, the note to be in the writing of a parent or guardian.

The following is a note brought by one of her pupils after two weeks' absence:

"Louisa was absent monday, please excuse her.

"Louisa was absent toosday, she had a sore throte. "Louisa was absent wensday, she

had a sore throte. "Louisa was absent thursday, she

had a sore throte. "Louisa was absent friday, she had

"Read this over again for the next

week."-Stray Stories.

#### Uncle Ben Was Ahead.

"I was in a small village in the interior of the state," said a Chicago man, "and one night at the postoffice I heard a man making certain historical statements that I knew to be incorrect. I felt it my duty to tell him so, and he resented it, and the crowd was with him.

"A day or two later I got hold of a history and attempted to show wherein the man was wrong, but the villager I was talking with replied:

"Yes, history agrees with you, but I can't. I've got to stick by Uncle Ben."

"But is Uncle Ben better authority than history?"

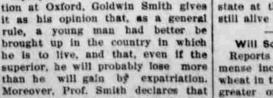
"Well, he killed five rattlesnakes while he was mowing this summer, and I've never heard that history has even killed one."

The Nestor of Engineers.

Charles H. Haswell, whose "Engineers' and Mechanics' Pocket-book" is known to engineers all over the world, is in his ninety-fourth year, but a hale fellow yet. By way of accounting for his remarkable mental and physical condition he says: "I take a great deal of exercise. I never drink ice water or touch condiments and I use stimulants only in very moderate quantities. After a hard struggle I gave up smoking three years ago. It's for the heart, you know." At their convention in 1897 the Institute of Naval Architects of Great Britain gave Mr. Haswell the title he has worn ever since-"the Nestor of engineers."

Dr. McCosh's One Joke.

President Woodrow Wilson Princeton university says that his predecessor, the late President Mc-Cosh, is known to have made just one well of Florida, who represented that of the Evangelical alliance. In comconscious joke. It was at a meeting mencing the exercises the presiding officer, a Baptist, said that though there might be differences of denominational belief it could be safely said that the apostles' creed was a platform upon which all could stand, Whereupon Dr. McCosh whispered to a Methodist minister who sat next to him: "I should not care to descend into hell with an Episcopalian."



production of this grain in the United in America as enveners in Europe.

This custom was in vogue in old "soul cakes" in the house on Nov. 2 hospital.

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# THE GOVERNMENT BOLL WEEVIL FIGHT

Basis of a Practical and Effective System of Producing Cotton in Spite of this Most Destructive Parasite. Its Territory and Damage.

hopelessly reduce the margin of profit.

of entomology has been engaged in

was scarcely noticed, and the leaf

worm did not appear in sufficient num-

The following is a summary of the

ultivation produced one-ninth of a

tivation produced one-half bale per

5. Late planted cotton with narrow

The evident conclusions are:

ture in Texas for twenty-five years.

bers to warrant poisoning.

of a bale per acre.

bale per acre

acre.

results of these experiments:

During the past season the division

work was conducted on the plantation the boll weevil. Several specifics in the

1. Early planted cotton with thor-ough cultivation produced two-thirds time none of these devices have been

2. Early planted cotton with careless found to be practicable or offer any definite hope of being successful. The

3. Early planted cotton with fair cul- wet weather, will probably always pre-

4. Late planted cotton with wide profitably without the use of a ma-

ows, sprayed thoroughly, yielded the staple without the use of any other

1.5 acres, the average production in the ton leaf worm with which planters and

This field produced one bale to for destroying and poisoning the cot-

Following is the report of the chief [than now. Nevertheless, it has been enterinclogist, Dr. Hunter, who has demonstrated that cotton can be grown about the boll weevil in Texas: profitably by means of a few expedi-ents in planting and managing the about the boll weevil in Texas: The division of entomology has worked with the boll weevil since the first appearance of the pest in Texas in 1894. Practically continuous obser-

vations have been made upon its nat-ural history, habits and the means means, such as poisons and machines. of its migration. It was not, however, which aside from their doubtful utiluntil the last season that the funds ity under many conditions, involve ex-at the disposal of the division per- penses for labor or material that soon mitted extensive field work.

A special appropriation, which be came available on the 4th of June. of entomology has been engaged in Weevil-in order to save the cotton 1902, made it possible for the division field experiments to demonstrate that growers useless expenditure of time to conduct field work on a large scale, and according to a system that gives tangible and presentable results. The arrangement consists of a contract of Col. E. S. Peters in the Brazos val-whereby certain planters agree to ley, near Calvert. This valley is, on the boll weevil have been widely adplant, cultivate and care for the crop. exactly in accordance with the directions of an agent of the division.

In this way 200 acres at Calvert and 150 acres at Victoria were used for experimental purposes. A complete field 'aboratory was established at the latmultiplication of insects are there in the remaining stages almost excluter place for work, breeding parasites and testing operations, as well as for alluvial deposit of the valley, and prac- be reached by such means. investigating every feature of life histically identical throughout the 120 It can not be stated too emphatical acres included in the experiment. The that money paid for these ingenious tory of the weevil that may afford any advantage in fighting the pest.

Though somewhat handicapped by the late date at which the appropriaseed was the ordinary seed of the re- advertised substances is wasted. the late date at which the appropria-tion became available, the work of the past season has demonstrated many such previously acquired information as constitutes, it is believed, the basis practiced. In none of the fields did practiced. In none of the fields did riety can possibly have over another is of a practical and effective system of any of the insects aside from the weeproducing the staple anywhere that the boll weevil occurs: Territory Effected - Though still confined to Territory the sharpshooter

confined to Texas, the territory occupied by the cotton boll weevil at present includes about 28 per cent of the cotton acreage of the United States. This acreage in 1900 produced 34 per cent of the total crop of this country. or one-fourth of the crop of the world for that year. This region is bounded on the north by Red river, and on the east by the pine forests of the divide between the Trinity and the Sabine rivers. It includes all of the twenty-one countles which, in 1899. according to the twelfth census, produced 40,000 bales or more each.

rows produced about one-fourth of a bale per acre. In the new invaded region, however, between the latitude of Dallas and Red river, the insect, though scatteringly present, has not multiplied to about one-fourth of a bale per acre. such an extent as to cause much dam-

1. Profitable crop in the most unfa-vorable situation can be produced by early planting and thorough cultiva-fate as the many complicated devices Amount of Damage-Various estimates of loss occasioned to the cotton planters during the past year have tion. been made. They range from 350,000 to 500,000 bales, representing from United States is one bale to 2.3 acr== entomologists were especially concern-\$8,000,000 to \$25,000,000. In the very The experiment, moreover, was per- ed about twenty years ago, the wrecks nature of the case such estimates nust be made on data difficult to ob-erally destructive season for cotton cul-of the older plantations in Texas. tain, and in the collection of which many errors must inevitably occur. As is well known, there is a general thorough cultivation, is of no avail, powerful attraction for the weevil, and tendency to exaggerate damages that is a result of a combination of many influences. Before the advent of the greatest care to avoid allowing a tenis a result of a combination of many influences. Before the advent of the boil weevil in Texas, unfavorable weather at planting time, summer drouth and heavy fall rains as well ttacks of many other noxious influence, jaused very light crops to be resulted to be a remodied by wide snacing by in the plant would kill the pest. The divis-tion of entomology has experimented

tween plants in the row is fully as im- a very bad policy from the boll weevil portant as the distance between the standpoint. Taking a series of years ows. The nearer the soil area to each into consideration, it will not be found plant approaches a square the greater too early to plant cotton in the latitude the yield will be. At the same time of Houston and southward by the 25th too great spacing, besides decreasing of February; in the Brazos valley as the yield, actually delays the fruitage, far north as Waco, by the first week in and is therefore especially to be avoid. March, and at no place in northern ed. As nearly as a rule can b. formu lated it may be stated that on the river Texas later than about the 20th of March. bottom soil, which produces the bulk 2. Cultivate the fields thoroughly. of the Texas crop, a distance of five The principal benefit in this comes

In

bear in mind that the distance be-

dealers. The only advantage one va-

Machines-Many attempts have been

made to perfect a machine that will

assist in destroying the weevil. The

division of entomology has carefully investigated the merits of representa-

tives of all these classes, beginning in

1895 with a square collecting machine

at Beeville that had attracted consid-

difficulty and expense of working a

machine when most needed, as in very

vent them from coming into use. If

it were not possible to raise cotton

chine the situation would be materially

changed. But since it is possible, as it

is shown in this bulletin, to produce

means than those that enter into cot-

ton clutivation everywhere here seems

in point of early maturity.

and a half feet between the rows in a from the influence that such a practice series of years would not be too great. has upon the constant growth and con while there are very few upland fields sequent early maturing of the crop where four feet would be too great. Very few weevils are killed by cultiva-Another point in this connection is tion. Much of the benefit of early Another point in this connection is tion. Much of the benefit of early frequently overlooked, i. e., the saving planting is lost unless it is followed by of labor when the rows are wide. For thorough cultivation. In case of uninstance, it costs about one-third less to crop a field with rows six feet apart avoidably delayed planting the best hope of the planter is to cultivate the than one with rows four feet apart. field in the most thorough manner pos-Ineffective Means of Combatting the

sible. Three choppings and five plowings constitute as thorough a system of take a sail on the river; and I shall Weevil-in order to save the cotton cultivation as is necessary in most lend you my new green parasol. I do mijn kind! mijn kind! mijn liefste cotton can be produced successfully in and means, attention is called to cer-spite of the boll weevil. Some of this tain ineffective means of combatting cases

3. Destroy by plowing up, windrowtry. og and burning all the cotton stalks in the field not later than the first week n Octobar.

account of its low and moist situation, vertised. At the laboratory in Victo-the presence of timber, and the almost ria these have all been tested and exclusive production of cotton, the found absolutely useless. The weevil, In some cases turning cattle into the fields is advisable. Aside from amount ing to practical destruction of the plants, grazing of cotton fields furmost seriously affected portion of the being an insect that in all stages exboll weevil territory. In fact, the most cept one feeds well protected in the nishes considerable forage at a time favorable conditions possible for the square of the boll, takes nourishment when it is generally much in demand. 4. Plant the rows as far apart as present, and Col. Peters' plantation is sively by inserting its beak well with-a typical one. The soil is the typical in the tissue of the fruit, and will never experience with the land indicates is minutes afterward she was going feasible and thin out the plants in down the terrace steps with him; and the rows thoroughly. It can not be stated too emphatically

#### Lake of Immense Depth.

A recent geological survey report on Crater Lake, in Oregon, proclaims scarcely touched the low, white steps, as untrue the assertion, commonly and she was some sort of glorified important points. The principal ones are presented herewith, together with No means of fighting the weevil whatmade, that this remarkable body of Katherine Van Heemskirk, who never, two thousand feet long, however, to reach the bottom of the deepest part, Hyde did not want a third party near, making this probably the deepest in any capacity. The lower steps fresh water in the United States. The were shaded by great water beeches, lake was formed in a former geological and the turf under them was green age by the collapse of a volcano.

#### Slang in the Pulpit.

A West Philadelphia clergyman mentioned church money matters in a public prayer in this wise: "O, Lord, you know that we are up against it now, and our only hope is from you." He closed abruptly, but the break did not escape unnoticed. The university president who had advocated a little slang for children has never urged its ance, but gradually resigning her use by ministers in the pulpit.

#### The Same Old Girls.

How are we to reconcile the declaration of a Philadelphia pastor that girls prefer work and independence to all the sons of men. matrimony with the formation of a matvimonial club by the young women need to try, for the girls are just about the same now as they have been all through the ages; bless them!

#### Good Use for Fur Boas.

A girl with a fur boa rescued a man Cottonseed Meal-Recently the refrom drowning in New Jersey. Hereafter we shall make no criticisms about the length of these fetching articles of feminine wearing apparel. If den, framed lovely living pictures of they are to be used as ropes when occasion requires every woman may carry her own fire or water escape.

#### Hospital as a Memorial. Friends of the late Rev. Richard S.

Makes Gift of Public Documents.

Literary Censor Criticised.

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# The Bow of Orange Ribbon A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK

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One

CHAPTER IL

Oranje Boven.

fathers, like all the rest; and, as for

what comes after it, everything is in

the love and counsel of the Almighty

This was Joris Van Heemskirk's last

thought ere he fell asleep that night.

an "eventful day" We say the words

often and unreflectingly; seldom paus-

ing to consider that such days are the

results which months, years, per-

chance centuries, have made possible.

Thus, a long course of reckless living

and reckless gambling, and the conse-

quent urgent need of ready money.

had made Capt. Hyde turn his

thoughts to the pretty daughter of the

"She is a homespun little thing."

Also, in her father's case, the mo

rich Dutch merchant

"Well, well, to-day goes to its fore-

1 kirks discussed the matter-a little CHAPTER I .- (Continued.) On a lounge an elegantly dressed reluctantly, he thought, on their partwoman was sitting, reading a novel Katherine talked with Joanna of the "La, child!" she cried, "come here and Gordons. Joanna had not a suspicion give me a kiss. So you wear that of the joy and danger that had come sweet-fancied suit again. Is that the to the dear little one at her side. She Dutch style, then, child? It must be was laughing softly with her, even extremely charming. La, here comes while the fearful father stood at the Richard! He is going to ask you to closed door, and lifted up his tender soul in that pathetic petition, "Ach, believe it is the only one in the counkind! Almighty God preserve thee from all sin and sorrow!

"I came to sit with you, and work with my worsteds. Perhaps my mother-might not like me to go on the river with-any one."

But Katherine had no time to de fend herself; for, with his cavalry cap in his hand and a low bow, Capt. Hyde entered the room. In a few minutes afterward she was going he was looking into her face with shining eyes, and whispering the commonafter Elder Semp s's cautious discloest words in such an enchanting mansure and proposition. In his calm, methodical, domestic life, it had been ner that it seemed to her as if her feet They did not go on the river. Capt. and warm. A sweeter hour, a lovelier maid man could never hope to find: and Capt. Hyde was not one to neglect

his opportunity. laughed the colonel's fashionable wife, "Let us stay here, my beloved," he "and quite unfit to go among people of whispered. "I have something sweet our condition. But she adores you, to tell you. Upon mine honor, 1 can Dick; and she will be passably happy keep my secret no longer."

with a house to manage, and a visit The innocent child! Who could from you when you can spare the blame her for listening to it?-at first time. with a little fear and a little reluct-It was in this mood that Katherine and her probable fortune had been diswhole heart to the charm of his soft cussed; and thus she was but one of syllables and his fervent manner, unthe events, springing from lives antil she gave him the promise he terior to her own and very different begged for-love that was to be for from it. him alone, love for him alone among

ives influencing his decision stretched What an enchanted afternoon it backward through many generations. was! how all too quickly it fied away, None the less was their influence poof Troy, N. Y.? Fortunately we don't one golden moment after another! tent to move him. In fact, he forgot In a few minutes Joanna and the entirely to reflect how a marriage beelder came in. He had called for her tween his child and Capt. Hyde would on his way home; for he liked the be regarded at that day; his first society of the young and beautiful, and thoughts had been precisely such there were many hours in which he thoughts as would have occurred to a thought Joanna fairer than her sister. Van Heemskirk, living two hundred Then tea was served in a pretty parlor years before him. with Turkish walls and colored win-Joris' age was not an age inclined dows, which, being open into the garto analysis, and he was still less inclined to it from a personal standblossoming trees. Every one was eatpoint. For he was a man of few, but ing and drinking, laughing and talkpositive ideas; yet these ideas, having ing; so Katherine's unusual silence once commended themselves to his was unnoticed, except by the elder, faith or his intelligence, were emwho indeed saw and heard everything, braced with all his soul. Semple's teristics-belief in compulsory worand hear by that kind of prescience Storrs, the eminent Brooklyn preacher to which wise and observant years atwho was for many years president of tain. the American board of commissioners

kind she has been to me! She will say I am ungrateful, that I am rude, and know not good manners. Yes, mother, I may go once. A young girl does not like to be thought ungrateful and rude."

"More than that, Eatherine; a young girl should not like to disobey a good father You make me to feel aston ished and sorry. Here is the key of the best parlor; go now and wash carefully the fine china-ware."

So Lysbet turned and left the room, She did not notice the rebellious look on her daughter's face, the lowering brows, the resentment in the glance that followed her, the lips firmly set to the mental purpose. "To see her lover at all risks"-that was the purpose; but how best to accomplish it was not clear to her.

She lifted the key given her and went to the parlor. It was a large, low room, with wainscoted walls, and a big tiled fireplace nearly filling it. The blinds were closed, but there was enough light to reveal its quaint and almost foreign character. The oval tables were full of curious bits of china, dainty oriental wicker-work, exquisite shells on lacquered trays, wonderfully wrought workboxes and fans and amulets. As she moved about among the strange carven toys and beautiful ornaments, she couold think only of him-of his stately manner and dark, handsome face. She recalled every word he said to her as they sat under the water beeches. More vividly still she recalled the tender light in his eyes, the lingering clasp of his hand, his low, persuasive voice, and that nameless charm of fashion and culture which perhaps impressed her more than any other thing.

Among the articles she had to dust was a square Indian box with drawers. It had always been called "the writing box," and it was partly filled with paper and other materials for letterwriting. She stood before the open lid thoughtfully, and a sudden overwholming desire to send some measage of apology to Mrs. Gordon came into her heart. She could write pretty well and she had seen her mother and Joanna fold and seal letters: and, although she was totally inexperienced in the matter, she determined to make the effort.

All difficulties were overcome, one by one; and the following note intrusted to the care of Diedrich Becker, the old man who worked in the garden and milked the cows:

"To Mistress Col. Gordon-

"Honored Madam: My father forbids that I come to see you. He thinks you should upon my mother call. That you will judge me to be rude and ungrateful, I fear very much. But that is not true. I am happy, indeed. I think all the day of you.

Your obedient servant. "Katherine Van Heemskirk." (To be continued.)

#### WHY HE SAID "PANTS."

Rather Fine Distinction in Language Used by New York Tailor.

Ex-President Gates, of Amherst college, says the New York Times. mmunication regarding Capt. Hyde ship as a means of grace, nicety of hunting that was almost feminine. As illustrative of the latter it is told that on a certain occasion Mr. Gates bought for \$3 a pair of trousers that bill came in:

Now, however, the tendency is to atcount of the very serious work of the count of the very serious work of the rath-insect, but also on account of the rath-er unfortunate previous condition of 4. In case the main crop can be 4. In case the main crop can be and cotton leaves. In no case during It seems well within the of the boll weevil. Moreover, the ex-perience of many counties in South Texas shows that a locality can. In a similar situations planted about the Egyptian Cotton and the Boll Weeweevil reached it, it is clear that the the crop of Victoria way in which county varied, showing that crop con- than in fields planted late (week endditions which affected the entire cotton belt have been a much more im- been in cotton, and which, moreover, ton belt have been a much more than the weevil in re-portant factor than the weevil in re-cotton fields. There are two methods

aspect of the situation lies in the fact ing after uprooting, by plowing and that the pest is constantly spreading grazing. and will undoubtedly eventually be distributed all over the cotton belt. There difficulties in the way of grazing. are no influences that can check it 1. It is not at present feasible in the vestigations of the division of entomology, as well as the the Mexican government, indicate that the only factor in limiting its distribution is that of altitude. In the famous La-guna district of that country, includ-transpled upon by cattle, would make it impossible to carry on thorough cul-tivation the following season. But ing a portion of the states of Coa-hulla, Chihuahua and Durango, the weevil is unknown, notwithstanding broods, as well as destroying many That this region, under the circum-stances, has never become infested, seems only to be explained by its alti-tude, which is disastrous to an insect which probably originated in a region of very low elevation. The average elevation of the Laguna district is about 3500 feet above sea level. Un-fortunately, in this country, there is no land at all adapted to cotton cul-ture in the belt now constituted that approaches such an elevation. Basing the estimate on a careful study of annual increase in territory

Basing the estimate on a careful study of annual increase in territory eince the insect reached Texas, as well as upon careful attention that has been paid to the means whereby it reaches as uterritory, it seems safe to predict the department's experiments show torritory, it seems safe to predict the department's experiments show to that the matter of spacing the rows is rather uncertain. The discontinuance depends upon the nature of the soil and the variety of the cotton grown. Much depends on the season. During a very wet year plants will grow to such as it is in Texas now. Much depends on the season. During a very wet year plants will grow to such an extent as to make the greatest est feasible distance unimportant from the planters and since reaching Texas, as well as the history of many related in the variety of many related in the island. It will be well, however, to

not be remedied by wide spacing, by ion of entomology has experimented subsequent thorough cultivation, nor exhaustively, not crly in the laboratribute all of the shortage to the by spraying. But, nevertheless, late tory, but in the field, with cottenseed weevil. Nevertheless, not only on ac-planting with thorough cultivation is meal, and finds that it is totally useconfined in cages with meal and

the cotton producing industry, the boll planted early the trouble and expense and cotton leaves. In no case during weevil is among the most favorable of planting trap rows for the weevil is continuous watching for several days menaces to an agricultural industry entirely unnecessary. Without fully was a weevil found leaving the squares that ever arose in this country or else- going into details, it can be said that or leaves to feed upon the meal. where. It seems well within the bounds of conservatism to state that has demonstrated several other very different cotton; fields where weevils during 1902 the insect caused Texas a important points. Among these is the loss of at least \$10,000,000. In spite fact that the use of northern seed and made daily for cleven days, but only of the generally serious outlook, it the seed of especially early maturing a single weevil was found on the meal. must be stated that the fears of dam- varieties will increase the advantage and that one seemed to be merely seek. age the weevil may do are often, and especially in a new invaded district, very much exaggerated. It is by no means necessary to abandon cotton. about a very noticeable decrease in meal, but in no case were they found The division of entomology has dem- the number of weevils. For instance, there the next day. It i difficult to onstrated the past season that the as late of Oct. 10, in a field upon which see how a more forcible demonstration crop can be grown profitably in spite plants of previous years had been de- of the futility of cotton seed meal as

Texas shows that a locality can, in a similar situations planted about the same time, but upon which the plants system of cotton raising made necessary by the weevil. The experience of Victoria county illustrates this point well. Besides showing it generally a well. Besides showing it generally a cotton cut a continuation of cotton cut a cotton cut and the Boil week about the same time, but upon which the plants ing one of the department's experi-mental fields of Egyptian cotton at San Antonio gave rise, during the past season, to a belief that such cotton is successful continuation of cotton cul-shown at Victoria that the weevils exempt from injury by the boll wee-ture in Victoria county since the caused less damage to cotton planted vil. Unfortunately this mistaken idea crop of the United States at large has March 10), on land upon which the agents of this department. The resultplants of preceding season had been ing interest is still manifested in fre-destroyed by burning early in the fail, quent letters received from planters regarding the obtaining of "immune ing April 30) on land that had never Egyptian seed." As a matter of fact numerous observations made during 1901 and 1902 on several varieties of Egyptian cotton growing at different Future Prospects-The most serious for destroying the plant, namely burn- places show that they are particularly susceptible to damage by the boll wee-In fact they are much more likely to be injured than the ordinary varie

ties of American upland cotton. The tendency of the varieties of Egyptian short of the limit of its food plant in portions of Texas where the bulk of cotton observed, including Matim and this country. In Mexico, where the the cotton crop is produced on account Jannovitch is to grow a very large insect has existed as an important en- of the small number of cattle present, stalk. Absence of irrigation does not riod than in the United States, the in-started, cattle, by spreading it, would Egyptian cotton is therefore invariavestigations of the division of ento-mology, as well as the the Mexican good; and

Coa-burning the stalks by Oct. 1, thereby cotton and in Texas in sea island cot-the preventing the maturing of many fall ton, both as far removed botanically from American upland as is expedient. the that i'rt large quantities of seed weevils that take refuge in the wind- In the field at San Antonio by the midthe fast of the large quantities of seed weeving that take refuge in the wind-in the held at San Antohio by the mid-contain and antohio by the mid-rows as soon as the plants are uproot-grinding and milling from the lower regions, where it is very numerous. That this region, under the circum-ticed. The tendency of some planters

Capt. Stephen Henton of the Boston police force retired from the department on New Year's day after a contipuous service of twenty-cight years, arrest.

jamin Franklin.

Good Cause for Indigestion. As it was apparently suffering from indigestion, a bullock was slaughtered near Spalding, England, when its illness was found to have been caused by a tennis ball it had swallowed.

The Trade in Canaries, The export of canary birds from Germany is very large. Every year about 130,000 of these birds are sent to America, 3,000 to Great Britain, and

At an inquest on a case of a suicide recently held in England the foreman returned this remarkable verdict: "The jury are all of one mind-temper arily insane."

To Commemorate Dewey's Victory A monument designed by Newton Thorp and to cost \$45,000 is to be erected in San Francisco in commemoration of Dewey's victory at Manila.

To Teach English in China. Oscar Gorroll of the University of Oregon has been elected instructor of English in the Tung-Wen Institute, at Amoy, China.

Some brokers make it a point to se that their patrons go bro

Joanna was talking to Nell Semple for foreign missions, are planning to in the recess of a window; but Nell's honor his memory by the erection of face was white with suppressed anger, a mission hospital in Foochow, China. and, though he seemed to be listening to her, his eyes-full of passion-were fixed upon Hyde. Perhaps the young Senator George S. Vest has donated soldier was conscious of it; for he octo the University of Missouri a comcasionally addressed some trivial replete file of all public documents of mark to him, as if to prevent Neil value issued by the federal govern- losing sight of the advantages he had ment during the past twenty-four over him.

years, the term of his service in the "The vera air o' this room is gunpowdery," thought the elder; "and ane or the other will be flinging a spark o' passion into it and then the deil will Another storm of abuse is sweeping be to pay. I'll e'en tak' the lasses over the English literary censor be- hame mysel'; and I'll speak to Joris cause of his refusal to license a play for his daughter-as good now as any called "Paradise Lost." It is founded other time."

on Milton's poem and the censor bars Then he said in his blandest tones. it because in his opinion it is "scrip-"Joanna, my dearie, you'll hae to tell Neil the rest o' your tale the morn; and, Katherine, put awa' now that bit o' busy idleness, and don your hoods The two grand old men of Germany and mantles, baith o' you. I'm going just now are Professors Theodor to ta' you hame, and I dinna want to

get my deathe wi' the river mist." "Pray, sir," said Hyde, "consider me at your service. I have occasion to go into town at once, and will do your duty to the young ladies with infinite pleasure."

Miss Walnwright and Miss Schroe-"Much obliged, captain, vera much der, the latter a daughter of the govobliged; but it tak's an auld wiseernor of Guam, have just entered headed, wise-hearted man like mysel' to walk safely atween two bonnie Washington society. The young ladies are great-grandqaughters of Benlasses.'

While he was speaking, Neil left the room. He was glad to escape from a position which he felt to be both painful and humiliating. He was in a measure Capt. Hyde's host, and subject to traditions regarding the duties of that character; any display of during which time he never made an anger would be derogatory to him, and yet how difficult was restraint! So his father's interference was a welcome one; and he was reconciled to his own disappointment, when, looking back he say the old gentleman slowly taking the road to Van Heems kirk's, with the pretty girls in their

> The elder was very polite to his charges; but he noticed that Katherine was silent and disappointed, and that she lingered in her own room after her arrival at home. Her subsequent pretty cheerfulness, her delight in her lilies, her confiding claims upon her father's love-nothing in these things deceived him. He saw beneath all the fluttering young heart, trem bling, and yet happy in the new, sweet feeling, never felt before, which had come to it that afternoon.

But he thought most girls had to have this initiative; it prepared the way for a seberer and more lasting affection. In the end Katherine would perceive how imprudent, how impossible a marriage with Capt. Hyde must be; and her heart would turn back to Nell, who had been her lover from boyhood. Yet, he reflected, it would be well to have the matter understood, and to give it that "possibility" which is best attained on a money

So, while he and the Van Heems

and his daughter had aroused in him | language, and a fondness for bargain certain feelings, and led him to certain decisions. He went to sleep, satisfied with their propriety and justice. He awoke in precisely the same mood. Then he dressed and went into his had been marked at \$6, and had them garden. It was customary for Kath- charged. The first of the month the erine to join him there; and he frequently turned, as he went down the path, to see if she were coming.

But this morning she did not come. He walked alone to his lily bed; but his face brightened when he heard her calling him to breakfast and very soon he saw her leaning over the halfdoor, shading her eyes with both hands, the better to watch his approach.

Lysbet was already in her place; so was Joanna, and also Bram. Joris and Bram discussed the business of the day; Katherine was full of her visit to Semple house the preceding evening. Dinorah was no restraint. The slaves Joris owned, like those of Abraham, were born or brought up in his own household.

And yet, this morning, Joris waited until Lysbet dismissed her handmaid, before he said the words he had determined to speak ere he began the work of the day. Then he put down his cup with an emphasis which made all eyes turn to him, and said:

"Katryntje, my daughter, call not to-day, nor call not any day, until I tell you different, at Madame Semple's. The people who go and come there. I like them not. They will be no good to you-Lysbet, what say you in this matter?"

"What you say, I say, Joris. The father is to be obeyed. When he will not, the children can not."

Katherine had drawn her chair close to her father's and taken his big hand between her own and was stroking and petting it; then as she answered she feet, for there you will see the pleleaned her head upon his breast.

"Father, I like to see the English lady; and she is teaching me the new stitch." "Schoone Lammetje! There are

many other things far better for thee to learn. In these things the best of all good teachers is thy mother.

"I can do these things also, father. The lady loves me and will be unhappy not to see me."

"Then, let her come here and see thee. That will be the proper thing. their courtiers at their necks. Then Why not? Always honor thyself, as well as others. That is the Dutch way; that is the right way. Mind what I tell thee."

His voice had gradually grown sterner, and he gently withdrew his hand from her clasp, and rose as a man pressed with affairs.

When he had left the room Lysbet instantly began to order the wants of Lave not yet succeeded in finding a the house. Katherine still sat at the table; her eres were cast down, and she was arranging-without a consciousness of doing so-her bread crumbs upon her Delft plate. Roused from her revery she comprehended in a moment how decisive her father's orders were intended to be. Yet in this matter she was so deeply interested that she instinctively made an appeal against them. "Mother, my mother, shall I not go

once more to see Madam Gordon? So are alona.

"To one pr. pants, \$3."

Mr. Gates crossed off the "pants" and substituted "trousers," then remailed the bill. The first of the next month another bill came in: "To one pr. pants, \$3."

This time the bill was returned as before, but with the following legend: "Dear Mr. Thompson: I am always careful about the language I use, and like other people to be the same." The first of the third month Mr. Gates received a bill: "To one pr. pants, \$3."

This time he went in person to visit Mr. Thompson. He explained his position. Thompson looked at him a moment, and then replied:

"President Gates, I've been in the clothing business for 25 years. An' during them 25 years everything in my shop above \$5 has been trousers and everything below \$5 has been pants. It's pants you got, and egad, sir, it's pant you'll pay for."

ODDEST OF ALL FADS.

Lovers of the Day Seek to Have Their Pictures on Sweethearts' Shoes.

It is said that the fashionable girl or the present day carries the picture of the young man she most loves in her shoe and the secret of her heart may therefore be learned by looking at her feet. There is nothing occult about it. Hypnotism, mental telepathy and things of that sort are not concerned. If the girl is up to date all you have to do is to look at her ture of the happy man.

She wears it in the buckle of her slipper, so that the best time to learn the truth is when she is at a dance. At a function of the kind in Wissahlekon recently a half dozen of the girls had their sweethearts at their feet, which, according to amatory tradition, is right and proper.

When the miniature fad originate the modish girls were pleased to wear the counterfeit presentments of they moved to the belt buckle, but If is the prerogative of a woman te change her mind, and man is once more lowered.

Already the new fancy is gaining supporters and many slipper minia tures are being made with the por traits of "matinee idols." This is for the accommodation of those girls who map to admire at close range.

Navigation of St. Lawrence The St. Lawrence river is frozen four months of the year, and its navigation is so difficult that an average of one steamer a month is wrecked in its waters.

A philosopher says it is better to be alone than in bad company; but some men are in bad company when they

some 2,000 to Russia. All of One Mind.

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quilted red hoods, one on each side of

he Haskell Free Press	The Magazine Club.	The Country Schools	AMPLE BUDGET.	<b>Geeecece</b>	ecceccccccccccccccccccc	
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J. E. POOLE.		in starting the country schools on the		() INEAA CL	OTHING	
Editor and Proprietor.	Feb. 7th, Miss Alpha Rogers, Hostess.	1902-3 term, owing mainly to the		I have just put in a new lot of clothing, greatly increasing		
rerusies rates made known on application	Life of Wm. Dean Howells-Mrs.	unprecedentedly late cotton and the				
me ma Bi 50 per annum, invariably cash in	W. C. Young	necessity of keeping the children at	others have a good deal of last year's	ing ever offered t	to the public in this section. Like everything	
vande.	Reading from Howells-Miss Eth-		crop to gather yet, the yield being	(?) else I handle, the	prices are right. Just come and see when	
intered at the Post Office. Haskell, Texas. Second class Mall Matter.	el Mason.		better than was thought in the fall.		ng in this lineI will make it pay you to do so.	
Sucond diasa Mail Matter.	Compare Lowel's opinion of How-	name and number of school, date of			2	
Saturday, January 17 1003.	ells with that of Maurice Thompson.	beginning and name of teacher was			ND HATS	
and the second second second	-Mrs. J. F. Jones.	procured from the county judge's				
LOCAL DOTS.	Original paper: Kindergarten	office:	The Ample camp of W. O. W. held		e of these for men, women and children,ex-	
	Movement, its History, Growth and	School No. 2 in district No. 2,	their annual installation of officers	() tra good values f		
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-Gloves.	Instrumental solo-Mrs. W. L. Hills,	frony teacher.	following officers being installed:	No.		
-Best line of cigars in town-K.	Game-Miss Ada Fitzgerald.	The Brushy school, No. 1 in dis-		y Dry Goods an	nd Ladies Dress Goods,	
ones, south side.	Galler Hiss Hus Philiperato.	trict No. 3, started Dec. 15, with	J. B. Wadlington; Clerk, D. D.		(e)	
-Heavy gloves.	Feb. 14th, Mis. S. W. Scott, Hostess.	Miss Sallie Montgomery teacher.	Cooke; Banker, W. R. Condron; Es-	(r) us I want to redu	ice stock before putting in my spring goods.	
-Mrs. Clarence Lemmon is visit-	Origin of Velenting's Day - Miss	The ward school, NO. I In distinct		And don't f	loiget my	
ng her mother, Mrs. F. C. Wilfong,	Hudson.	No. 4, started Dec. 29th, with Miss Hallie Norvill teacher.	Patton, W. W. Patton and Earnest	CROCERV	DEPARTMENT	
this place.	Registrion "That Old Smootheast	and the second sec	Allen. J. C. Turner is past consul commander. After the installation	() anourn		
-Heavy gloves at Racket Store.	of Mine."-Mrs. Marshall Pierson.	The remon benoon and a district	commander. After the installation ceremonies a recess was taken and	which is always up	p-to-date with everything fresh and choice in	
-Mr. T. G. Carney is remodeling	Story-Mrs. J. F. Posey.	Miss Maud Ishell teacher.	the tables were spread with a boun-	the eatable line, at	nd, if you have ever bought of me, you know	
he grocery department of his store	Vocal Duet Mrs. H. R. Jones		tiful and excellent supper, and we	(9) the prices are the	lowest. YOURS FOR BUSINESS	
ouilding	and Miss Rogers.	trict No. e. started Monday, eth with	can truly say the assemblage enjoyed	(3)	T C CADNEN'	
-If you want CORN see me. 1		E. C. Couch teacher.	a royal good time.	à	T. G. CARNEY.	
will have a car-load at Stamford	Fine ArtMrs. W. E. Sherrill.	The Flat Top school, No. 2 dis-	Our camp now has 24 members	U		
within five days. T. G. Carney.	Game-Mrs. W. C. Young.	trict No 5. started Monday, 12th,	and bids fair for a large increase.	~ <u>&gt;</u> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>	<i><b>NEGEGEGEGEGEGEGEGEGEGE</b>EGEGEGEGEGEGEGEGE</i>	
-Mr. Will Baker of the Baker-	-It will perhaps be of interest to	with Fred Sanders teacher.	We are glad to see the interest			
	the triends here of Mr. J. V. W.	The Lake creek school, No. 1 dis-	that is being demonstrated among	man man	- THE THE THE	
Thursday.	Holmes, who was a citizen of Has-	trict No. 17, started Monday, 12, with	the citizens of Haskell county on the	PHUIUS.	THE LINDEL - HOTEL,	
	kell for a number of years and cash-		subject of farming and farming inter-		ALL ALL ALL ALLANDING	
	ier of the old First National bank, to	I ne westphalia school, No. 1 dis-	ests generally. We believe that the	Low proposed to do on	Haskell Texas.	
who wants it? See T. G. Carney.	know that he has sold his interest in		successful development of Western	I am prepared to do as		
	the First National (Trammel) Hani		Texas greatly depends upon the in-	high-grade work as can	Having taken charge of this Hetel and refund and referriched by	
at the Rackey Store.	at Sweetwater and contemplates leav	No. 10, started Monday 12th, with	telligent diversification of crops and grading up of our stock. As a good		Having taken charge of this Hotel and refitted and refurnished h, now offers to the	
-Dr. M. T. Griffin moved into	The second	R. C. Ismin teaches	grade of stock can be raised as easily	cities.	Local and Traveling Public	
his new residence in the northeas		The Plancant Vallay school No. 1		T. F. Majors,	the best and most comfortable accommodations to be had in Hashall, bat	
part of town this week.	worth of Clothing and Shoes nex	distaint No No. 12 started Day with	than the common kinds, there is lit-		and the set of a second s	
-You can always get good apples	and the second sec	Double F. & Surfah runshaw	the excuse or reason for a man to	Photographer.	Your Patronage Respectfully Solicited.	
or oranges, bananas and lemons a	you want in this line.	The Midway school, No. 1 district		HASKELL, TEXAS.		
K. Jones', on south side.	T. G. Carney.	No. 12, started Monday, 5th, with			M. H. GOSSETT, Proprietor.	
-The cold, rainy, disagreeabl	-Mr. T. A. Norris has sold hi	Miss Annie E. Pope teacher.	as is especially adapted to the rais-	Well Drilling.		
weather several days this wee	Finland sight miles north of town he	The wind riorse school, No dis-	Turk of sectors of the sum sectors and a	wen brinnig.	Entran entran militate anticate antication anticate anticate	
checked the movement of cotto	we failed to learn marticulars.	thet No, started alonday, 5th	Berner of the state of the stat		J.W.BELL	
from the farms to the gins and man	-Mr. J. H. Pevetoe of Orange	with B. M. Whitaker and Mrs. Eula	The supervised of another life of another	I have a complete well drilling machine in operation in Haskell		
ket	Tay is here looking after some lon-	d Vork teachers	been demonstrated here and there	county. Can drill 500 feet deep.	Manufacturer & Dealer In	
-Mr. and Mrs. Paris c	interact he has in the county	Heads Should Never Ache.	that most all kinds of crops will grow	Will take contracts to drill wells		
Pickett county, Tennessee, are visi	the set of the set	Never endure this trouble. Use at	here. What is mostly lacking in most	anywhere in Haskell or adjoining		
ing their granddaughter, Mrs. J. W	Couch, Lee Pierson and S. W. Scott	e once the remedy that storped it for		counties and guarantee satisfactory work.		
Collins, of this place.	Langthalders in the View Marian	al Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va.	moisture and climate with which we	It you want a well see me or	Full Stock, Work Promptly to Order.	
Parties owing accounts at th	bank of Aspermont, will go over to	-she writes "Dr. King's New Life	baye to do and as the meeting togeth	write to me at MARCY, TEXAS.		
meat market must settle on th first of the month, otherwise we can	Internet to attend a meeting of it	is Pills wholly cured me of sick head	ar and discussion of all these ones-	and an article and a second	Repairing done neatly and substantially.	
not continue their accounts.	stockholders to be held on the zot!	h. taches I had suffered from for two	tions tends to bring about their sol-	L. L. Hameld.	Prices reasonable and satisfaction with goods	
Cunningham & Ellis.	-A good two seated hack, prac	e- years." Cure headache, constipation	ution or an understanding of them.	From the Abilene Reporter	and work guaranteed.	
	tically non-forcale chase. Call	Discoverness are of Kapers Stricestore	we enter our endorsement of the	arom the Achene Reporter	Your Trade is Solicited.	
←Try K. Jones for the best cig in town—south side.	Free Press office for particulars.	LAND FOR SALE.	Farmers' Institute.	"The Haskell Free Press enters	Ensurementer I our I rade is policited.	
	N Day C N Williams of the Chai			upon its eighteenth year, ten of which		
-The professional card of Dr	"I tian church arrived here Friday niel	ke county, under wire fence the acre		have been under its present publish-	M. S. PIEPSON, LEE PIRESON, G. B. COUCH, Chap.	
Neathery & Griffin is changed to	lof last most and conducted service	es is open prairie and remainder ha	s If Unwell, Try a 50c bottle of HERBINE, notice	er and editor, Judge L. E. Poole. It	Wassiliant Vice Development M DIVDEON Asst Ober	
G. Neathery, M. D., this week. I					THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK.	

retains the same office, corner of the square. FOR SALE.

Four full-blood shorthorn bulls one good horse and 8000 bundles of good sorghum. A P. McLemore.

will return to Haskell, probably in -All kinds of nuts, candles and two weeks

fruits at K. Jones,'-south side. -K. Jones will have an extra choice -Mr. Lee Pierson spent several line of the celebrated Loose Bros. days out on his ranch this week. He candies in for the holiday trade. says he has been plowing and sowing

oats, but-

-----Best Liniment on Earth. Henry D. Baldwin, Supt. City

Bank Officers Elected.

And at, a meeting of the board of

Pierson and H. S. Post.

 A party of six negroes from Albany arrived and went into camp on Water Works, Shellsburg, Wis , writes the spring branch south of town Wed-"I have tried many kinds of liniment. nesday evening. They told someone but have never received much benethat they are waiting here with the fit until I used Ballard's Snow Liniexpectation of getting work on the ment for rheumatism and pains. think it the best liniment on earth. Haskell railroad.

-The presbyterians have let the 250, 500 and St bottle at J. B. Bakcontract to paint their church edifice er's. to Mr. J. F. Farley.

-Mr. S. W. Scott, Masonic district deputy organizer, goes to Moran today to install a newly chartered lodge at that place.

-Mr. W. C. Stanton and Miss Lena Williams of the southern part S. Pierson, G. R. Couch, Lee Pierof the county drove in Wednesday, 14th inst., and were married by County Judge D. H. Hamilton.

The Free Press joins their friends in wishing that their life's voyage may be pleasant and prosperous.

-We were missinformed last week ensuing year: M. S. Pierson, presi-Hunt-it was Miss Mattie Comegys | son, assistant cashier. who came, and she is visiting at Mr. Grissom's.

byterian young people's society, are addition of several of our leading (Feb. 14) for the benefit of the among them Messra. T. E. Ballard, will be given later.

-Mr. McCulloh says that since most of the dogs were poisoned the the volume of its business is showing coyotes have gotten several of his a gratifying increase. There is no chickens. He didn't know whether more safe or responsible institution two legged or four legged variety.

-Mr. W. T. Hudson of this place cially and their course in business and his brother A. J. Hudson, of matters is marked by conservatism Dickens county, left Sunday for and judicious management, and the Brownwood to attend the trial of Sam officers of the bank are likewise men Cole for the murder of their brother C. C. Hudson of Coleman county. last fail. Cole was a son-in-law of the man he killed, and on account of the strong public feeling against him | earned dollars or accumulated wealth.

thial was changed to Brown county. of mules to ship to Arkansas,

uel. House of two 16 by 16 foot the improvement speedily effected in nesday night, when, by action of the rooms with hall between and gallery your appetite, energy, strength and ity the size of Haskell and Haskell church, he was dalled as its pastor, which he accepted. He left Thursday for his home at Jennings, La. miles of a school. Write the Free tion and debility! to close up his affairs there, when he

Press for price and terms. (NO 4)

It appears that a republifreezing poor of the northern cities. it." Sold by J. B. Baker. This notwithstanding the fact that the price has been run up to exhorbiant figures and the further fact that it has been proven to them that there

is much actual suffering and that several persons have died from cold. tion with my store and will carry realize the benefits of free trade sen-

it will force an all round tariff reduction. In theory, elected and put in At the annual meeting of the stockoffice by the people (their representa-

holders of the Haskell National Bank tives), they are in reality bought and on Tuesday, 13th inst., the following put in office by the monopolistic and board of directors was elected: M. trust beneficiaries of the tariff and -possibly it is right for them to serve son, F. M. Morton, S. W. Scott, M. their masters, last mentioned.

Croup.

directors on the 16th inst., the fol-The peculiar cough which indilowing officers were elected for the cates croup, is usually well known to the mothers of croupy children. in stating that Miss Murray of Al- dent; Lee Pierson, vice-president; G. No time should be lost in the treatvord came home with Miss Maud R. Couch.cashier and Marshall Pier- ment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal

The Free Press is pleased to note approval than Chamberlain's Cough that with the recent increase of the Remedy. Do not waste valuable time -The Earnest Workers, the Pres, bank's capital to \$60,000 and the in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how highly they may arranging to give a Valentine party citizens to its list of stockholders, be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms church. Place and other details S. W. Scott, F. M. Morton, H. S. of croup will quickly disappear. For Post, A. C. Sherrick, Oscar E. Oates sale by All Druggists

and J. S. Econe, its popularity and DURHAM BULLS FOR SALE.

I have for sale two short-horn bull the depredating coyotes were of the of the kind anywhere. Its board of calves, splendid individuals and directors are responsible citizens of breeding. They will be registered in the best standing morally and finan- name of purchaser.

Call on or write. G. B. LANDRUM. (NO 4) Simple Colds.

of unquestioned honesty and integri-Cease to be simple, if at all proty, men in whose hands none who onged. The safest way is to put know them fear to trust their hard them aside at the very beginning. Ballard's Horehound Syrup stops a in Coleman county the venue of the -Mr C. M. Brown is buying a lot cold and removes the cause of colds. are, nor and bottle at J. B. Baker's.

full length. Has fine tank of water. vigor. Watch how it brightens the county. It is conducted on a high Is on public road and within two spirits, gives freedom from indigesplane, always standing for the right and battling earnestly for the best

Isaac Story, Ava, Mo., writes.Sept. interests of its constituents. Long toth, 1900. "I was in bad health, I may it live and prosper." had stomach trouble for 12 months The source from which the above

can senate is really not going to even also damb chills. Dr. J. W. Mory temporarily take the tariff off of an- prescribed HERDINE, it cured me in thracite coal and run the price down two weeks. I cannot recommend it a little for the benefit of the shivering, too highly, it will do all you claim for

New Clathing Department.

its forces are on the watch-tower and I am arranging a new and com plete clothing department in connec. its shoulder to the wheel to help a along every worthy enterprise affect-They are afraid of laying a prece- larger and more complete line of ing its town or county's, interests, dent, straid that if the people once clothing than I have heretofore, and frequently leading out by suggestion. will in consequence be in position to That the Reporter is such a paper, timent will grow so strong for it that make better prices to my customers. and sees something of the same spir-I will make it pay you to call and it in the Free Press, is what makes us examine my stock when you want appreciate the item quoted above. any thing in the clothing line.

The contract for furnishing sum-T. G. Carney. mer clothing for the inmates of the several Texas asylums has been let New Century Comfort. Millions are daily finding a world to a Texas house that will employ Texas labor in making them out of of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. cloth woven by a Texas mill of Texas It kills pain from burns, scalds, cuts. bruises; conquers ulcers and fever grown cotton and wool.

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notice comes makes it highly appre-

clated by us. The pages of the Re-

porter are never sullied by an im-

moral or questionable item and, edi-

torially it stands for Christian prin-

ciples, clean politics and the higher

civilization, while, as a local paper,

It is stated that the Texas house sores; cures eruptions, salt rheum, boils and felons; removes corns and won over competitive bids by some of the largest manufacturers in the warts. Eest Pile cure on earth. Only United States. Good for Texas.

Our strenuous president seems to SEED OATS-SEED CORN be able to play politics as strenuously We have a supply of the genuine as any thing else, even to the extent Texas Red Rustproof seed oats, warof using a she nigger postmaster down ranted clear of johnson grass seed. in Mississippi to further his interests with the nigger voters in some of the We will also have several kinds of close states. Many persons at one he best recommended seed corn, intime thought Mr. Roosevelt was made cluding Texas grown and northern varieties. These seeds will be sold of better stuff and cast in a larger mold than his acts have proven.

W. W. Fields & Bro. Finds Way to Live Long. -I'm after your cigar trace-try

with weak lungs. Having this won- be chosen by state legislatures during derful medicine no one need dread this month will be men who will serve pneumonia or consumption. Its re- the people instead of the tariff rob lief is instant and cure certain." J. bers. B. Baker guarantee every 50c and -Prof. L. T. Cunningham is off 10 pounds of coffee for it-acat-suey-

Si bottle, and give trial bottles free. on a business trip to East Texas.

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-The W. H. M. society report a very interesting meeting on last Friday at Mrs. F. M. Morton's. The subjects assigned to and discussed cifixion, Burial, Resurection and Aswill be held at the residence of Mrs. L. T. Litsey. It is hoped that at least some of

and grip. It's invaluable to people the thirty United States senators to

The Secret of Long Life-Consists in keeping all the main organs of the body in hea'th, regular action, and in quickly destroying by several members were, Judas, Pet- deadly disease germs. Electric Biter, The Passover, The Betrayal, Cru- ters regulate Stomach, Liver and kidneys, purify the blood, and give a cension of Christ. The next meeting splendid appetite. They work wonders in curing kidney troubles, female complaints, nervous diseases, constipation, dyspepsia and Malaria. Vigorous health and strength aiways follow their use. Only soc, guaranteed by J. B. Baker druggist.

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The startling announcement of discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by editor O. H. Downey, of Churubusco, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption is the most infallible remedy that have ever known for coughs, colds

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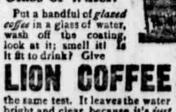
Put a handful of glazed coffee in a glass of water, wash off the coating, look at it; smell it! Is It fit to drink? Give COF the same test. It leaves the water bright and clear, because it's just fure coffee.

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