Professional Cards.

A. C. FOSTER.

Land Lawyer,

Texas.

H. G. McCONNELL,

Attorney - at - Law. HASKELL, TEXAS.

OSCAR MARTIN.

Attorney · at · Law,

HASKELL, - - TEXAS.

E. E. GILBERT. Physician & Surgeon. Offers his services to the people of Haskell

and surrounding country.

Office at Terrell's Drug store.

J. E. LINDSEY, M. D. Chronic Diseases

Treatment of Consumption a SPECIALTY. Office in Wristen ballding

Dr. R. G. Litsey. DENTIST.

ABILENE,

Office over the Bank.

All kinds of Dental work neatly and substantially done Prices moderate

Oscar E. Cates. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Haskell, - Texas.

S. W. Scott.

Office over BANK.

Attorney-at-Law.

Offers large list of desirable Furnishes Abstracts of Writes insurance.

All kinds of bonds furnished in a S. W. SCOTT.

Haskell, - Texas. Drs. Coston & Warwick Office at Baker's Drug Store. Do a General Practice.

Special attention to diseases of Eye Ear, Nose and Throat. I. O. O. F., Haskell Lodge No. 525

H H Nisbett, N G. D M Winn, V. G. J W Meadors, Secretary Neathery & Griffin,

Calls answered day or night. Specially Prepared fer Surgery

OFFICE-Terrell's Drug Store.

Announcements. For District Judge

> H R JONES L B ALLEN

for Attorney 39th Judicial District CULLEN C HIGGINS' Of Scurry County.

For county Treasurer

R D C STEPHENS A G JONES

E W LOE

For County Judge

H S WILSON D H HAMILTON

Cor County and District Clerk

J M JOHNSON C D LONG

For Sheriff and Tax Collector BERT BROCKMAN

J W COLLINS

JNO F JONES. J W BELL

For Tax Assessor J C BOHANNAN

J F VERNON

J S FOX

JOHN E ROBERTSON J H HICKS

R H McKEE

C M BROWN

For Gounty Attorney
OSCAR MARTIN

or State Representative S R CRAWFORD

For Public Weigher
W T JONES For Gommissianer, Pre. No. 1. J. T. BOWMAN

C C FROST

181 Dry Counties in Texas.

State Revenue Agent After the Liquor Sellers

Instructions to Sheriffs

Austin, Tex., Aug. 29.-J. Cunningham, State revenue agent, was advised today of the fact that Trinity county had gone dry, which makes a total of 177 counties in Texas which have entirely banished liquor. Mr. Cunningham is actively in pursuit of the liquor dealer who is selling his wares in a local option county without State license, though he is not in any sense attempting to enforce the local option laws, as that is a duty devolving on county officers. What is desired is the protection of the State in the collection of taxes due to be paid by those engaged in selling liquor. With that purpose in view, the revenue agent has secured a list of the persons who have purchased United States internal revenue licenses to sell liquor in certain local option counties and is today sending the list to the county tax collectors of the respective counties. The letter fully explains the situation and one addressed to the

collector of Montague is as follows: Knowing that your county is a local option county, and that you are not making reports to this office, I take this occasion to hand you the names of fourteen individuals who have obtained internal revenue licenses for the purpose of selling intoxicating liquors in different places

in your county since July 1, 1902. "In this connection I desire to state that the law of 1897 levies an occupation tax against whisky dealers in local option counties, and it makes no difference whether the parties are selling on prescription or without prescription, they are subject to the tax, and if they do not pay the same they must be indicted.

"For decisions covering this last proposition see Snearly vs. State, 52 opening the penitentiary door for standard guaranty company at rea- S. W. 547, and Watson vs. the State, himself if the State had evidence to 578 S. W. 501 Article 411C of the prove he sold the liquor, and Penal Code makes the possession of the United States special license prima facie evidence that the person liquors.

"In this connection, you are instructed whether or not the drink sold is an intoxicating drink is a question of fact and that all intoxicating drinks are prohibited from being sold and that if malt tonic, hop ale, blackberry cordial or grape cider Physicians & Surgeons. | are sold and if they intoxicate, it is a violation of the law, or if any drink contains 4 per cent of alcohol, whether you see anybody drunk from them or not, it is a violation of the law.

"These last propositions are sustained in the following: "Johnson vs. the State 66, S. W. 55. Bailey vs. the State 66 S. W. 781, and 47 S. W. 980, and 43 S. W. 989. These authorities you can hand to the County Attorney.

"It is the desire of this department that all of the parties who are in possession of this stamp and sell these drinks or sell intoxicating liquor of any kind be required and forced to pay the tax as prescribed for local option districts under the law of 1897, and if they fail to pay the tax that they be prosecuted."-Dallas News.

Add to the above 177 counties the four that held elections last Friday and Saturday and went dry by good majorities, to-wit; Smith, Ellis, Trinity, and Van Zandt, and we have 181 counties in Texas under the local option law-nearly three-fourths of the State. There are in the State 247 counties, 181 of them are under the prohibition law leaving only 66 counties out, but many precincts and

towns in these have local option. It is seen from the above article sent out from Austin that the way of the transgressor of the local option law is going to be made a very hard

In the first place it is a rare thing when one of the "blind tiger" or "hop dive" scamps dare to try to sell liquor without first procuring a United States internal revenue license, because they stand in dread of getting Uncle Sam's marshals and secret service men on their backs. In -Bulk turnip seed at the Racket the second place our state revenue agent is furnished with the name and -In 500 pound lots we will fur. county of every man who buys a U.

them the state and county occupation tax amounting to \$300 a year, the law making the possession of the U. S. license prima facie evidence that they are engaged in selling liquors. Now if one refuse to pay the occupation tax and can not prove that he is not engaged in selling liquor-the burden of proof being on him to do so under the prima facie

iffs who are required to collect of

case-the sheriff must proceed in the courts to collect the occupation tax, and, in event of conviction, it is not a mere money judgment that is given against him, but a judgment in the nature of a fine of double the amount of the occupation tax that he should have paid, and this fine must be paid or worked out on public roads or laid out in jail like any oth-And this don't end the matter-

don't relieve the party from prosecution for selling the liquor in violation of the local option law, but only strengthens the case against him, and the county officers must go ahead and prosecute him for selling the liquor, the law giving them a prima facie case just as it does the sheriff or collector in enforcing the collection of the occupation tax.

Ah, but you say the accused will go on the witness stand and swear that he did not sell the liquor, as a man who will do it cares nothing for his oath-thus ridding himself of the prima facie case and shifting the burden of proof back on the State. Will he? Let us see; a prima facie case means that he goes into the court already convicted unless he introduces evidence of at least equal weight that he is not guilty, and he must do this before the State is required to put a single witness on the stand. Now, in most instances he would not know what evidence the State had against him to prove his guilt, and he would know if he was guilty and he, or any one for him, swore falsely that although he had bought a U. S. license he had not sold liquor, that he would simply be stated, as he would have to do the first awearing-before the State disis engaged in selling intoxicating afraid that it had evidence to prove closed its evidence, he would be his guilt and he would be afraid of

opening the door of the penitentiary. If you think the foregoing is mere campaign talk and does not correct ly state the procedure and the law. ask any lawyer in whose honesty

you have confidence. Now with the liquor seller in local option territory so hedged about by the laws, it is plan that any set of officers who will just half try can enforce the law against the traffic and

soon break it up where it is attempted. A few years back there were many loop-holes and slipping out places for the liquor seller, but the last two or three legislatures have so amended and strengthened the law as to make it very hard to dodge it.



I have had occasion to use your Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medi-cine and am pleased to say that I never used anything for stock that gave half as good satisfaction. I heartily recommend it to all owners of stock.

J. B. BELSHER, St. Louis, Mo.

Sick stock or poultry should not est cheap stock food any more than sick persons should expect to be cared by food. When your stock and poultry are sick give them medicine. Don't stuff them with worthless stock foods. Unload the bowels and stir up the torpid liver and the animal will be cured, if it be possible to cure it. Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine unloads the bowels and stirs up the torpid liver. It cures every malady of stock if taken in time. Secure a 25-cent can of Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine and it will pay for itself ten times over. Horses work better. Cows give more milk. Hogs gain flesh. And hens lay more eggs. It solves the problem of making as much blood, flesh and energy as possible out of the smallest amount of food conproblem of manning possible out of flesh and energy as possible out of flesh amallest amount of food conthe smallest amount of food control your dealer. ed. Buy a can from your de

-A fine line of gentlemen's driv-T G Corney. | and he gives their names to the sher- the Racket Store.

QUALIFIED...

By an experince of twelve years of

....GENERAL MERCHANDISE....

for the Fall and winter of 1902, in the selection of which we have given our personal care and exercised the judgment resulting from long experience in filling each department.

Our Line of Dress Goods

we think will meet every wish of our customers as it has been chosen with a full knowledge of their tastes and is complete in all the old standards as well as in the new things that have been added by the dyers's usually found in patent medicine and weaver's arts since last season to tickle the fancy of the ladies.

We Call Special Attention to Our

Ready to Wear Skirts. Quite an assortment of these. Come and make your choice of the best \$5.00 skirt to be found any



Ladies' and Children's Jackets. Top Goats and Monticostoes. We have a stock of these that is unexcelled in quality and style any-

where at the prices we ask.

But we can not enumerate everything and instead will invite you to come and see a

In conclusion we will say to our lady customers that we have been fortunate in securing the services of a lady to preside over our millinery department who is skilled in constructing all the latest styles of fashionable head gear. Old Stager's Catarrh Medicine This You are invited to meet her in the person of MISS BEATRIS MCDILL after Sept. 10, when she will be ready to show the latest things in her line. F. G. ALEXANDER & CO.

TERRELL'S DRUG STORE,

Southwest Corner Public Square

Haskell, Texas.

...... Handles only the Purest and Best drugs. Carries a nice line of Jewelry, Notions and Sundries; Stationery, Watches, Clocks, Spectacles, Etc.

Prohibition is sweeping the State nearly every county and precinct County of Haskell. that holds an election on it adopts it. including Livingston the county seat on left shoulder. Appraised at \$12.50.ther of Polk county, also went dry, also ed to come forward, prove property, lons

counties already under local option directs. make 181 local option counties, besides many towns, precincts and counties of the state!

Here is more than three-fourths of the State of Texas today under the local option law. Can it be possible that this vast majority of our

And what is it for? Is it in the interest of good society, of morals or principle, or, is it for the money there is in the traffic? Weigh these questions as a good citizen, as a man who feels an interest in humanity next Monday.

A Cure for Choiera Infantum. "Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwalter, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbor's was suffering from cholera intantum. The doctor had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days' time the child had fully recovered, and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recomfred of any kind at very S. revenue liquor stamp or license ing and work gloves just recieved at single instance." For sale by J. B. not continue their accounts.

County of Haskell, Last week elections were held in and Estrayed before J. T. Knowles hile Ellis, Smith, Van Zandt and Trinity Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1 d to counties, each of them going dry by Haskell county: One iron gray mare, a good majority. And precinct No. 1, about 14 hands, and branded H 2 her

the town of Colita in same county. pay charges, and take the same away, her These four counties added to the 177 or it will be dealt with as the law Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 20 day of August 1902. new

C. D. Long, Clerk school districts in the remaining 66 SEAL County Court Haskell County. kill By J. W. Meadors Deputy.

To My Friends.

It is with joy I tell you what Kodpeople are mistaken in their views in ol did for me, I was troubled with this method of dealing with the my stomach for several months. Up-idliquor traffic and trying to do away on being advised to use Kodol, I did atcwith or minimize its vast evils? It so, and words cannot tell the good it the is not reasonable to believe that so has done me. A neighbor had dys-hore many people are wrong on this great pepsia so that he had tried most but question that is so farreaching in its everything. I told him to use Kodol. tger.

influence on society and morals. A Words of gratitude have come to me man should think twice before he from him because I recommended it. head goes against the judgment of so great |-Geo. W. Fry, Viola, Iowa. Health face and strength, of mind and body, de-The saloon and liquor interest is pend on the stomach, and normal iring badly scared over the situation and activity of the digestive organs. Ko-> the is making a desperate fight against dol, the great reconstructive tonic, him not the tidal wave of moral sentiment cures all stomach and bowel troubles, that is sweeping their demoralizing indigestion, dyspepsia. Kodol di-from and brutalizing traffic from our fair gests any good food you eat. Take a une's cast us out from society. For the dose after meals. Terrells drug store.

LISTEN HERE!

Mrs. Martin will again go to St Louis to purchase my fall and winter stock of dry goods, etc. She will leave Monday and from that date and its uplifting, before you vote until my new goods arrive, we will make you the lowest prices ever offered to you in this town. I will just simply cut the prices to fit your pocket book. Come and see for your-T. G. Carney.

Shatters all Records.

Twice in hospital, F. A. Gulledge Vergena, Ala., paid a vast sum to doctors to cure a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve soon cured him, Subdues Inflammation, conquers aches, kills pains. Best salve in the world. 25c at Baker's drug

mended this Remedy frequently and meat market must settle on the have never known it to fail in any first of the month, otherwise we can-

Cunningham & Ellis.

Had it been so in those days of ye Head. Gives quick relief. Fedora would never have willingly g

hoped the day might come when easy to apply. could tell you so. Often I have wep remember your despair. It has b EMOLLINE This is one of the world's the one black spot upon my life. hold this wretched remembrance makes it soft and smooth. longer against me. Be my friend. brother. You already respect my !

the world seems dark and your not have revenge upon me without cause it's the best. juring my children," she said, sude and how a child had never appeale

vain so long as he had a sou left. This was a harder task than the er, and the indomitable marquis compelled to grit his teeth in the deavor to stem the signs of retreat threatened to overwhelm him.

"I regret exceedingly that they n suffer, for I am not that cruel to de through their hold on your heart to flict pain on you; but as I, an inno party, once paid the penalty of sin, so they, too, must inherit the

"Is there no way in which you be satisfied without the burden fal

when you do, all being member one family. It is fate.

"Jack, have mercy!-see, knees I beg you to forgive. It is to wronged you most fearfully. knows, I am wretchedly sorry. Bu of that wrong has come your b fortune, and, perhaps, Jack, some your heart I once occupied. Forge past and live for the future. them before they have flown.

-Miss Sallie Montgomery arrived Tuesday on a visit to her sister Mrs.

-Mr J. J. Stocton brought the first bale of this year's cotton to Haskell Wednesday. It classed as middling and was bought by Messrs F. G. Alexander and Co. at 8 cents a pound. The merceants made up a premium of \$15 for Mr. Stockton.

-Mr C. D. Long went to Albany Sunday for a little change and recreation after his long tug with the fever. He returned wednesday night.

It Needs a Tonic.

There are times when your liver needs a tonic. Don't give purgatives that gripe and weaken. DeWitt's Little Early Risers expel all poison from the system and act as tonic to the liver. W. Scott, 531 Highland ave., Milton, Pa., says: "I have carried DeWitt's Little Early Risers with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and Parties owing accounts at the with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and easy to take purely vegetable. They never gripe or distress. Terrells

The Old Stager's Family Medicines

Tested y Twenty Years Use. Guaranteed to Cure.

I heroby guarantee every bottle of the Old Stager Remedies to give perfect satisfaction.
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 it and he will promptly refund your money.

Following is a brief description of the "Old Stager Remedies." If affected with any of the maladies mentioned, try a bottle of the medicine recomended for it-no cute no pay! That is enough said and there is no need for me to go into the lengthy description of diseases and symptoms advertisements, further than to tell

> Old Stager's La Gripp Specific This medicine has no equal for La Gripp, Colds, Neuralgia, Headache and Fever.

> Old S ger's Liniment. The best liniment on earth for man or beast for Swelling, Bruises, Cuts and Sores of any kind.

> Old Stager's Cough Medicine This 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.

> is better than all the nostrums and patent medicines advertised for Catarrh, Hay Fever and Cold in the

"You speak of heaven in the sa Old Stager's Fistula Cure No case breath with vengeauce-surely I has ever been reported in which this believe, Jack, that God preparation failed to cure Fistula. proves of such things. I did wre On the other hand many old and bad you, oh, most grievously; but I he bitterly repented it ever since, cases have been cured by it. It is

kept me from being truly happy. I best and most elegant applications Jack, won't you forgive if you for chapped hands, face or lips. Kenever forget-see, I plead with y moves roughness of the skin and

band; why be the means of his rut McLemore's Guaranteed Prairie forgive. You have not yet begun well known in Western Texas, whereknow what suffering means. W the prairie dog pest abounds to require comment here. If you have "But, Jack, stop; consider; you dogs to kill don't fail to get it, be-

I want a reliable dealer to handle ly remembering his weakness of these remedies in every town, address A. P. McLemore.

> Manufacturer. Haskell, · Texas.

W. H. Wyman & Co. (Racket Store) Haskell Consins & Howard

ABILENE, TEXAS.

"I know of none. They must s OGT. 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18th. 1902. For premium list address,

> Max R. Andrews, Sec. Watch for a Chill.

However slight at this time of year and in this climate, it is the forerunworthy woman may fill the plat ner of malaria. A disposition to yawn, and an all tired out feeling even comes before the chill. Herbine. above this spirit of revenge up by its prompt stimulative action on weak, wretched woman, who in thoughtlessness did you harm the liver, drives the malarial germs lived to repent. Already you has out of the system, purifies the blood, you say brought ruin upon us tones up the system and restores hat for God's sake health, 50c at J. B. Baker's,

-Be sure to save the tickets you get when you trade at my store. I will soon have the prettiest line of dishes I have ever handled with which to redeem your tickets.

T. G. Carney -For Sale-houses and lots in Martin & Wilson,

Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

C. E. TERRELL



THE WEEKLY **ANORAMA**

NOW MRS. FREDERICK SCOVEL.

Miss Vivian Sartoris Married at Co-

burg. Ont., on August 23. Miss Vivian Sartoris is now the bride of Frederick Roosevelt Scovel, cousin of the president. The wedding 'ne United States four years hence



Mrs. Frederick Roosevelt Scovel. Miss Vivian, who recently was report es to have renounced society in order that she might devote all her attention to art, is the oldest daughter of Nellie Grant Sartoris. She was engaged to be married to Archibald Baifour, a London barrister, but the engagement was suddenly broken to June, 1901, after Miss Sartoris' croussemy had been prepared.

"THE DOGS OF WAR."

Employed to Get Communications Through Hostile Indians.

There are numerous instances of record where dogs have displayed wonderful intelligence in war, when carrying messages while in action, and when acting as carriers to points or stations at a distance. An officer of my acquaintance, while campaigning against Indians in the Northwest, would always collect a few dogs from each settlement as he passed through and take them along to the country of the hostiles. When important to send back messages at a time when it was impossible to get a soldier through died at Schwanberg, Styria, where he the surrounding tribes, these dogs, had lived in retirement after his exwith papers attached to their collars, were dispatched to the settlements from which they came, and thus offictal communications were passed along to headquarters.

LUTHER R. MARSH DEAD.

Famous Lawyer at One Time Associated with Daniel Webster. One of the most extraordinary char-



away in the person of Luther R. Marsh. the noted lawyer and jurist, and the most prominent spiritualist in the United States.

Mr. Marsh was in his 90th year, having been born at Pompey, Onondaga county, New York, April 4, 1813. He was educated at the Pompey academy and at the Partridge millitary school, Middletown, Conn., and studied for the bar, to which he was admitted at Albany in 1836.

Mr. Marsh soon acquired a high reputation as a lawyer and was for some time associated with Daniel Webster, the great statesman. His practice was of the highest order: he was consulted in public and private affairs of the greatest importance and he achieved distinction and wealth.

In his later years Mr. Marsh took a remarkable interest in spiritualism and became a sincere and devoted believer in supernatural manifestations.

Memorial to Bishop Whipple.

The widow of the late Itishop Henry B. Whipple of Minnesota, has had a chime of ten bells cast in Baitimore which are to be placed in the tower of the Cathedrai of Our Merciful Savior at Faribault, Minn. Each bell bears a suitable inscription and is said to be of superior tone. One hundred tunes can be played upon the



The picture shows how the head of a mosquito looks under a microscope. The feather-like objects are his feelers and the point in the middle his

President Is Not Superstitious. President Roosevelt alarmed the superstitious among his friends by making the thirteenth person at table at Oyster Bay. While others of the party exhibited much concern the president treated the matter with indifference.

PEOPLE AND **EVENTS**

NAVIES OF THE WORLD.

United States Soon to Be Third Among the Great Powers.

According to the German naval year book, it is estimated that the navy of took place in Colourg. Out., August 23. will be the third in the world, only Great Britain and France having a more powerful one. This estimate is based on the number of ships authorized to be constructed within the next four years. Great Britain will then have fifty-seven battleships of 765,650 tons, and seventy large cruisers of 648,440 tons. France will be second with thirty two battleships of 349,720 tons, and twenty-eight cruisers of 243. 171 tons. The United States will have twenty battleships of 249,294 tons, and sixteen crulsers of 176,155 tons. Russia, the fourth in the list, will have twenty-five battleships of 247,241 tons. and eighteen cruisers of 100,606 tons.

PROF. SCHENK IS DEAD.

Will Be Remembered as Advancing

New Medical Theory. Prof. Leopoel Schenk, who claimed to have discovered a method of determining the sex of children before their birth by prescribing a diet to be followed by the mother, and to whose prescription male births in a number of royal families have been attributed,



Prof. Schenk.

pulsion from the Vienna university two years ago. His peculiar theory cost him a place

in the university, which he had held for twenty-six years. His dismissal under circumstances which amounted to nothing less than disgrace broke his spirit and undoubtedly hastened his death. Dr. Schenk had devoted his energy

for thirty years to the study of emacters the country has known passed bryology. He published a number of special works on the subject, and these constitute the standard authority on embryology throughout the

MISS ROCKEFELLER TO WED.

Niece of Standard Oil Magnate En-

Announcement has been made from Cleveland of the engagement of Miss Helen Rockefeller to Mr. Walter S. Bowler. Miss Rockefeller, who is 20 years of age, is the youngest daughter or Frank Rockefeller, and a niece of John D. Rockefeller. Her fiance is photograph of Miss Cassin, published



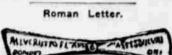
Miss Helen Rockefeller cashler of the Lake Shore Savings and Banking Company of Cleveland.

Teach Girls to Swim

This is the season when the water appeals to one, when the morning dive or the evening swim is as healthy as it is pleasant, and when Venus emerging from the waves should be girls are sadly neglected. Who of the many maidens paddling their cance. or using the punt pole at Henley, could swim, or even save themselves if they fell overboard? Swimming curriculum of study.

Build Their Own Monuments.

It has become the fashion for wealthy Americans to rear their own monuments in the form of institutions of learning or charity. From the days of Stephen Girard down through Smithson, Cooper, Harvard, Peabody, Corcoran and others the country's beneficences have been liberally endowed. Rockefeller's operations along these lines are well known. Schwab is building a seaside resort for working people, and now John W. Gates will found a great technical school for boys from 10 to 15 on his father's farm in Illinois.



The picture shows a letter sealed and folded, with its direction as represented by a painting on the walls of a house at Pompeii.

From Statecraft to a Monastery. The Russian consul at Salonika has suddenly resigned his appointment to enter a monastery.

HEAD of GREAT HARVESTER TRUST



D. C., and was graduated from Prince in that of the Commercial club.

······ PHOTOGRAPH LED TO MARRIAGE | EPITAPH ON MEXICAN TOMB

Now Mrs. McClure.

Mrs. Archibald T. McClure, who



Mrs. McClure.

in a magazine, that attracted the at tention of Mr. McClure, who retraced his steps half way across the continent to secure an introduction, which latterly resulted in marriage.

A Free Criticism. Some time ago Sir Charles Wyndham presented London's Green Room club with a chair that had been the property of David Garrick. It happened to be at the time when Wyndham was acting the part of Garrick in the play of that name at the Criterion theater, and had settled down for a long run. At luncheon one afternoon soon after the presentation, Wyndham was discovered sitting in the Garrick chair in an attitude distinctly belonging to the period of periwigs and knee breeches. By his side stood a famous critic and a famous

"Ah, Wyndham," remarked the critic, admiringly, "you grow more and more like Garrick every day." "And less and less like him every night," growled the poet.

New Silk from South Africa.

Gold and sliver silk is coming from South Africa, says an English publication. The fibres are spun by two rethe ideal of every English girl, says markable spiders of Rhodesia, and an the London Graphic. Parents ought experimenter has found that the creato encourage the love of swimming in tures may be reared in captivity and their children. Boys, perhaps, are that the slik can be utilized. Both taught the art at school, but the filaments have a brilliant metallic luster and are very fine and strong, the fineness of the golden silk being about mercial interests. He has for several that of the silkworm's thread, but the strength being much greater. A thread of steel of the same size, in fact, has should be made compulsory in every only two-thirds the strength of this spider's thread.

Best Marble From Foreign Countries. The best marble quarried comes to the United States from foreign countries. Some comes from France, but most from Italy. For some reason the American marbles, quarried in New York and Vermont, Georgia and Tennessee, are not nearly so fine grained, or even in quality, as are the foreign marbles. They are more unreliable, apt to split and not nearly so pretty. And the difference in price is not so great as might at first be imagined, counting in shipping and duties, for foreign labor is so much cheaper than

Notable Family Reunion There was a notable family reunion at Welland Ont., last week at which the six children of the late Jacob

Pound assembled to celebrate the birthday of "the baby of the family." who had attained the age of 80 years. Policeman's Pictures Sell.

Two landscapes painted by Constable E. T. Jones, the Leeds (England) policeman-artist, have been pur--based at the Royal Cambrian exhibiered.

Cyrus Hall McCormick, the presi- ton in 1879. Since that time he has dent of the newly organized Interna- been connected with the McCormick tional Harvesters' company, is the son Harvesting Machine company, of of the late Cyrus H. McCormick, the which he has been president since possession was certain to be convictinventor of the famous reaping ma- 1884. He is one of Chicago's most chine which bears his name. Mr. influential business men, and has been McCormick was born in Washington, prominent in club life, particularly

Romance in Life of Miss Anna Cassin, Neatly Worded Eulogy Over Grave of Notorious Outlaw.

Mexicans are fond of epitaphs, they was Miss Anna Austin Cassin, is now | rejoice in eulogies, they like to honor in Newport, the summer home of our their dead. Their attachment for American aristocracy. It was the relatives is great, and monuments and flower-strewn graves show that the departed are not forgotten. The deceased may have left a bad record, and his friends may be anxious that his conduct should be forgotten; still this does not debar him from a neatly worded enlogy

Just outside the cemetery at Vera Cruz there stands a fine monument which marks the resting place of a notorious outlaw, whose cruelty and violence made his name a constant menace to all peace and order. His wife, in spite of harsh treatment, was his faithful servant to the last, and after his death thought that she should show her respect for his mem-

She could not speak of his nobility and worth, and so, after much consideration, she caused the following inscription to be engraved upon the tomb:

"Juan Fernandez has passed to his reward; he was an unerring shot and knew no fear; owing to circumstances over which he had no control his talents were perverted from their proper course, but the world should be grateful for his life, as his example stands as a timely warning to the rising generation."

MAY SUCCEED HIS FATHER

Eldest Son of James McMillan Talked ly described in the letter. of for Senator.

There are rumors that Gov. Bliss of Michigan will appoint W. C. Mc-Millan to the seat made vacant by the death of Senator McMillan. W. C. McMillan is the late senator's eldest



son, and manager of his large com years attended to a great dea! of his father's work as head of the Republic an state organization. It is said he has a good chance of being elected by the legislature next January.

Pay of Australian Governors. The governor of New South Wales

receives £7,000, with a private secretary and orderlies paid for by the state. The governor of Victoria receives £5,000. Queensland's governor receives the same amount. The governor of South Australia, who is at the same time commander in chief of the forces, is paid £4,000. This is the salary also of the governor of Western Australia. The governor of Tasmania receives £3,500, while the governor of New Zealand gets £5,000 and £2,000 extra in respect of traveling and other allowances.

Improvements at Boulogne Harbor Among other improvements at the port of Boulogne a French government scheme provides for a construction of an Atlantic steamer berth 920 feet long and 100 feet wide, with a water depth of twenty-five feet.

Cucumbers a Profitable Crop. Cucumbers for pickles are a profitable crop in lows, when the flood does not drown them out. The average yield is 400 bushels an acre, and the price is 50 cents a bushel

HORSE STEALING A LOST ART.

readence of a Crime That Was Common in Illinois.

"Horse stealing has become almost a lost art in Illinois," said a sheriff. Twenty-five years ago the crime was one of the most common, but it gradually became uppopular on account of the measures taken to suppress it. "In the first place, the sheriffs of the different counties formed an association, held meetings, and made plans o art in harmony. Farmers and stock deal, ra organized anti-horse-thief asso-

ciations, and dealers in horses became

more cautious in their purchases. "As soon as a horse was stolen the members of the association in the neighborhood started in pursuit of the thief, and, there being so many of them, every road, cartway and bypath was followed, and it was a smart thief who escaped them. In the meantime the sheriff of the county, having been notified, sent out telegrams and postel cards to brother sheriffs, chiefs of police and village and township constables, and the description of the stolen horse was soon in the hands of so many watchful people that it was almost certain to be seen and recov-

"Sometimes the pursuing parties returned with the horse, but without the thief, and then dark rumors spread abread as to the fate of the criminal Stories of a grave in a lonely creek bottom or of a body found floating in the river became current, and thus a certain horror was added to the crime, pus.

"The nunishments for horse stealing were made severe, and, what was of more importance, were rigidly on- at a hotel in the custody of their counforced. Legal quibbles never saved a man, and it became a common saving that a man found with a halter in his ed. The juries, made up largely of farmers, might be fooled into acquit ing a murderer, but a horse thief could not escape conviction at their hands. So it was that the business became unprofitable, and the number of horses stolen these days is comparatively small.

HAD THE BUTTON SEWED ON.

Mother's Solicitude Over a Missing Attachment to Her Son's Vest.

At 6 o'clock in the morning of the wedding day in a town up York state a postoffice messenger rang the doorbell at the home of the bride-elect and handed a special delivery letter to the servant who responded.

It was addressed to the best man, who had come 400 miles to second his best friend in the ceremony, and was, with several others, the guest of the bride's parents.

The best man was still asleep, but he was promptly awakened, on the supposition that the letter must contain something of importance. It did. indeed. Rubbing his eyes in an ... fort to understand he tore open the envelope and was astonished to find a sheet of letter paper, with a large needle of the sort men always choose when emergency compels them to sew, thrust through it, nad a foot of louble black thread trailing in a loose tangle down the page.

The best man thought it was a joke, Elks of Park City, Utah, was given about to become resentful when, up Each member was arrayed as a miner, on turning the sheet over, he found this hastily written note:

"Dear Brother-Mother says there is in your right-hand vest pocket. Sew

it on. Crawling out of bed the best man examined his coat and laughed to see lowing a float laden with cotton bales, that the situation had been accurate-

"Just like mother," he said, "I'll wager she lost a whole night's sleep thinking about that confounded but-

Later in the day four bridgemaids gleefully assisted in making the repairs, and this telegram went to moth-

"Button sewed on. Don't worry."

Mines of Wax. Austrian Galicia, and on an island expect a sea serpent in the Seine. on the west coast of the Caspian sen. In mining this mineral wax shafts are sunk until a bed or "nest" of ozocerite is struck. Then connecting galleries their future husbands or wives until are driven. There is considerable dan- the marriage ceremony occurs. Minger, and many lives have been lost lister Wu has related in his inimitable in consequence of the sudden forcing manner how with a little planning and up of the soft wax into the shafts by the assistance of a few friends he manthe enormous pressure to which it aged to obtain at a distance of thirty is subjected. It is used largely for feet a glimpse of the young lady who manufacturing ceresin, which is em-

manufacture of phonographic cylin-

ders, and for many similar purposes

-Brooklyn Citizen.

A Boy and a Pup. The Clayesmore School at Enfield, England has tried a novel experiment in allowing its pupils to keep dogs. A kennel club has been formed, of which a master is president and the boy dog owners are members. Each boy is responsible for his own dog and for the state of his kennel. Buildings suitable for this purpose were and he has no personal or pecuniary opened by the Countess of Warwick some years ago. Of the success of the experiment the head master says: "It has been found that the care of dogs is a sound means of moral discipline to the youth of mankind, while thor oughly agreeable to boyish inclina tions. Every one knows how dearly the English boy likes to keep a dog, and under proper supervision the pos session of such a pet tends to make him kind to all animals, while it also enables him to enjoy the open air and in the most sensible and natura manner to learn a great deal of the common laws of nature and the ways of animal life."-New York Tribune.

The tree of knowledge is not the tree of life.

The sun that bleaches sanctity whiter tans sin darker.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLERS SET FREE



troubles and litigation has stood by Mrs. Gaynor was with her hust and him, always ready to aid him when opat Quebec, and through all his portunity offered.

ELKS MAKE GRAND DISPLAY Meeting at Salt Lake City a Most Suc-

For a while they were confined in

jail, but were recently allowed to live

cessful One. Wearing the prison stripes and keeping the lock step of the convicts, the delegates from Joliet, Ill., to the meeting of the grand lodge of Elks marched in the monster street parade of the Elks at Salt Lake City. They attracted much attention and were awarded third prize in the contest for the oddest uniform. To the Park City



George A. Cronk. is a button off your dress coat. It Pickers" of Greenville, Miss., with black faces and garbed in outlandish rags of a southern plantation negro, cake walking and dancing, and folwas awarded second prize.

The grand lodge chose Baltimore as the place of meeting for the annual reunion of the grand lodge in 1903. a great deal, and these three men George A. Cronk, Omaha, was elected Grand Exalted Ruler.

Parisians Excited Over Nothing. Paris papers of saffron hue are infulging in serious comment over a chameleon horse" said to be in the Jardin des Plantes. This horse is reported to have changed his color In several parts of the world a in a single night. Inquiry at the Jarresinous substance, called ozocerite, din des Plantes finally brought forth and bearing considerable resemblance an official explanation. The authorito beeswax, is found, usually in con- ties explained that this zoological nection with rock salt and coal. There | marvel is simply a wild horse, which, are deposits in Austria, Russia; Rou- like many other animals, loses its hair mania, Egypt, Algeria, Canada and at certain periods. The horse in ques-Mexico, but ozocerite has, so far, not tion is now changing its coat, which been discovered in sufficient quanti- is at present slightly lighter in hue ties to pay for mining anywhere ex- than formerly. So much for the cept in the district of Roryslav, in "chameleon horse," and now Parisians

Courtship in China. In China persons of rank do not see had been chosen to be his wife. Mrs. ployed, together with beeswax, for Wu, who is a sister of Ho Yow, Chimaking wax candles, as well as in the nese Consul General at San Francisco, was unacquainted with English when she arrived in this country, but she has been a diligent student and now speaks our language almost fluently. She is a typical high-caste Chinese

> Public-Spirited Statesman. State Senator J. Henry Cochran, of Williamsport, Pa., has achieved a unique distinction. He has proposed to the Council of that city to pave one of the streets at his own expense, interests in the particular pavement to be laid.

beauty and is finely educated.

Point Never Free from Ice. There is a point near the famous Stony cave, in the Catskill mountains. where ice may be found on any day in the year. This locality is locally known as the Notch and is walled in on all sides by steep mountains, some of which are more than 3,000 feet

Suez Canal Ducs. Four millions sterling was paid last year in dues by 3,699 vessels which used the Suez canal. Of the total number of ships 2,075 were British.

Butterine Men Will Fight. Butterine manufacturers of Ohio have decided to contest the recently enacted oleomargarine law as legislation.

LIGHT IN RAILROAD CARS.

Contemporary Points Out Danger In Use of Oil and Gas.

Another accident in the west in which a railroad wreck caught fire with the result that several persons were cremated whose lives otherwise might have been saved calls attention anew to a condition which, as the New York World has repeatedly pointed out, has the remedy immediately at hand.

The lighting of railroad trains with gas or oil is a relic of the past and should not be tolerated longer. Efficient and economical electrical appliances for lighting the cars are being used on the finest and fastest rallway trains. The explosive gas tank and the deadly oil lamp have been relegated to the scrap heap on many of the up-to-date railroads; and in the interest of the safety of the traveling public electric lighting should become universal. If the railroad companies fail to look after their own best interests and extend the protection, state and national legislation in the end will compel them to do so.

WOULD HAVE ALL MEN MARRY

Chancellor Andrews Gives Advice to Chicago University Students.

Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews of the University of Nebraska in a lecture to summer students at the Unibut he couldn't see it; and he was the first prize for the best display. versity of Chicago, told his hearers. most of whom were unmarried school and each had with him a burro laden | teachers, that the marriage relation with all the supplies necessary to a was the only one in which the inprospector or miner. The "Cotton dividual became fully developed. He said that in an ideal society there was small place for the individual, and that history had proved that nine tenths of the crime committed in the world had been done by the hands of the unmarried. He pointed to Washington, Lincoln and McKinley as examples of men who had accomplished



Chancellor Andrews were married men. The lecturer pointed out the fact that most desperadoes are bachelors.

Plan Great Engineering Feat. The Strait of Canso, between Cape Breton and the mainland of Nova Scotia, is to be bridged. The task is an

immense one, involving great engineering difficulties, and the outlay of about five million dollars. The bridge will be a cantilever, with a span of 1,800 feet, the longest in the world. True Daughter of the Revolution. On the 27th of the present month Mrs. Langdon Dunham, of Southington, Conn., will have reached the exe of 102 years. Mrs. Dunham was born

in Southington, July 27, 1800, and has

spent her entire life there. She is the

daughter of Capt. Giles Langdon, who

served in the continental army. Lost Wealth Found in Hay. A year ago, in haying time, William Sale, of Arcade, N. Y., lost a pocketbook containing \$750. A few days ago he sold a load of hay to Ira Parker. of that town, who found the money in the middle of the load.

Advised Against Drugs. Too blind a faith must not be placed in the all-curative effects of drugs, declared the president of the annual congress of the British Homeopathic So clety recently.

Honored With Two Decorations. Major Sir Claude Maxwell Macdonald is a K. C. B. twice over, having had conferred upon him both the military and civil distinction of the Order of the Bath.

CHANGE OF LIFE.

Some Sensible Advice to Women by Mrs. E. Sailer.

" DEAR MRS. PINERAM: - When I passed through what is known as change of life, I had two years muffering, — sudden heat, and as quick chills would pass over me; my appetite was variable and I never could tell for



MRS. E. SAILER, President German Relief Association, Los Angeles, Cal.

a day at a time how I would feel the next day. Five bottles of Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound changed all that, my days became days of health, and I have enjoyed every day

"We have used considerable of your Vegetable Compound in our charitable work, as we find that to restore a poor work, as we find that to restore a poor mother to health so she can support herself and those dependent upon her, if such there be, is truer charity than to give other aid. You have my hearty endorsement, for you have proven yourself a true friend to suffering women."—Mrs. E. Sallier, 7634 Hill St.

Los Angeles, Cal. - \$6000 forfeit if above tes-timonfai is not genuins.

No other person can give such helpful advice to women who are sick as can Mrs. Pinkham, for no other has had such great experience—her address is Lynn. Mass., and her advice free-if you are sick write her-you are





THE LADY WHO IRONS

knows how important it is to use a good starch. Defiance Starch is the best starch made. It doesn't stick to the iron. It gives a beautiful soft glossy stiffness to the clothes. It will not blister or crack the goods. ? It sells for less, goes farther, does more. Ask the lady who irons. Defiance Starch at all grocers. 16 oz. for 10 cents.

THE DEFIANCE STARCH CO., OMAHA . . NEB.

EDUCATIONAL.



THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME,

NOTRE DAME, INDIANA.

LL COURSES IN Classics, Letters, Ecoles and History, Journalism, Art, Science,
macy, Law, Civil, Mechanical and Elecel Engineering, Architecture,
orough Preparatory and Commercial coms Free to all students who have com-ted the studies required for admission into Junior or Senior Year of any of the Collegi-

Ro ims to Rent, moderate charge to students for some to Rent, moderate charge to students for soventeen preparing for Collegiate Courses A limited number of Candidates for the Ecolenastical state will be received at special rates. St. Edward's Hall, for boys under 13 years, is in the in the completeness of its equipment. The 59th Year will open September 9, 1902, stalogues free. Address REV. A. MORRISSEY, C. S. C., President,

ST. MARY'S . ACADEMY.

NOTRE DAME, INDIANA.
ulle west of the University of Notre Dame.) Phorough English and Classical Education, cluding Greek Latin, French and German. On mpleting the full course of studies, students ceive the Regular Collegiate Degrees. The Conservatory of Music is conducted on a plan of the best Classical Conservatories of Irope.

The Art Department is modelled after the rest Art Schools of Europe.

Free arctory and Minim Departments, Puls y'e here carefully prepared for the Acamiliand Advanced Courses. Gymnasium untre Circotion of Graduate of Boston Normal thool of Gymnastics. Bookkeeping, Phonosphy and Typewriting extra. Every variety of they Needlework taught. For catalogue ad-

Section This Paper

Ten Vacation Commandments. Resolve that you are going to

nave a good time.

2. Do not worry about anything. Cultivate simplicity in every way. 4. Give your mind a rest as well as

he open air. Make friends of all you meet. Determine to be happy. Help others to have a good time.

10. Forget yourself. Try it and see. - From the New York Borrowing in many cases is a second class style of begging.

Count your blessings every night.

New sleeping car service via Santa Fe to Colorado. Leave South Texas every evening, North Texas next morning. Arrive Colorado Springs, 12:05 noon the following day. The best meals are served by Fred Harvey. Send 2c. postage for "A Colorado Summer." W Keenan, G. P. A.

An assessor's visits make taxable values shrink faster than a suit of

HAMILTON COLLEGE is one of the oldest and best colleges for girls and young women. Thirty-three years of uninterrupted success is reference and guarantee of present efficiency. Its faculty is composed of men and women not only graduates of the world's greatest colleges and universities, but who have many years of successful experience. B. C. Hagerman, President, Lexington, Ky. A scholarship, all expenses paid for one year, may be secured from Kennedy's Monthly, Mexia, Texas, for a few days work.

There is no danger of a woman being too modest.

To Cure a Cold in One day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A man in trouble grins and bears it; a woman bears it, but grinneth not

Don't you know that Defiance Starch, besides being absolutely superior to any other, is put up 16 ounces in package and sells at same price as 12-ounce packages of other

Both rich and poor are after the ame thing-plenty of cash,

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO.

LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my prosence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1884.

[SEAL]

A. W. GLEASON.

Motory Public.

Hall's Catarrh Gure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY. & CO., Toledo, Q. Solf by Druggists, 70.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best

others do so.

DEFIANCE STARCH should be in every household, none so good, besides 4 oz more for 10 cents than any other brand of cold water starch.

Girls are just as apt to sow their affection: as a young man is to sow his wild oats.

fother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse the Children's Home in New York. Cures Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Ad-Allen S. Olmsted, Leltoy, N. Y.

The sanctity of a home should never

DREIST SPECIFIC HEADACHE POWDERS-Pay a man a compliment and he will

yearn for another.

ONLY \$25.00 TO CALIFORNIA. The Southern Pacific has again opened the doors to cheap travel from Texas points to California. During the months of September and October, oneway second-class tickets will be on sale from all main line points on the Houston and Texas Central railroad and Southern Pacific, at a rate of \$25.00, except at stations east of Houston, from which points rate is made by adding local fare to Houston, and from Galveston, where the rate will be

These tickets give stop-overs at California points, and offer a splendid means of making a trip to California at lower rates than ever. Consult your local ticket agent or write for litera ture and other information. M. L. Robbins, G. P. & T. A., Houston, Texas; T. J. Anderson, A. G. P. A., Houston,

It takes a woman to wish she could hear the disagreeable things other women say about her.





BEFORE THE **PUBLIC EYE**

Bishop Coleman of Delaware Rebukes

His Congregation. That women should be bonneted in church is the belief of Bishop Leighton Coleman of the Protestant Episcopal dlocese of Delaware, and the remark which he recently made during



Bishop Coleman. or several young women with uncovered heads has attracted a great deal

of attention. It was at the summer resort of Re hoboth that the bishop delivered his rebuke, which was the more sensational because he changed his subject on the entrance of the women and directed his remarks almost directly to

them. "Such a practice of entering a church is unscriptural and ungodly," he said. "It looks worse than for men to attend divine service without their

RABBITS RUIN A CITY.

Undermine Foundations of Embank

ment and Cause Flood. Rabbits were directly responsible for the terrible disaster which overwhelmed the populous Spanish city of Lorca some time back, according to the Detroit News-Tribune. By burrowing and tunneling under the foundations of the vast embankment. which had been built high up in the hills to dam back the waters of a mountain lake, they so weakened it that it gave way. The resultant deluge wiped Lorca off the face of the earth, drowned some 1,200 of its Respect yourself if you would have inhabitants and inundated the country for more than twenty leagues. similar catastrophe which befell a number of isolated towns and villages in the Mississippi Valley in March, 1890, was attributed to rats having undermined the levees near Green-

SAYS SPAIN IS PROSPEROUS.

Minister to This Country Talks of Conditions at Home. Spain lost everything but honor in



Yet Senor Ojeda, her minister to this country, tells in an interview that Spain really gained a great deal by losing the burden of her colonies. The Spanish nation, he declares, needed all its strength and resources to develop its own country. There is, he says, no surviving ill-will among his people toward ours on account of the war. Certainly there is none in this country toward Spain, and Americans will note with sincere pleasure Senor Ojeda's assurance that his country "is to-day more prosperous than at any time during her recent history."

Honorary Post in Demand. The post of lieutenant of the tower of London, which has been held by Sir Whiliam Stirling since 1900, is about to become vacant by the retirement of the incumbent. The duties of the position are not onerous, and the emoluments are small, but the post is much sought after, for it is regarded as an honor to hold it, since it is usually given to an officer of distinction. It is tenable for three



Mosquito eggs are laid on the surface of stagnant water in bunches like this, though the picture here is greatly

Novel Controversy in Kansas. J. W. Rout, a militiaman, has been arrested at Emporia, Kan., for wear ing his soldier trousers while doing manual labor. "These trousers," says a local paper, "belong to the state." Rout's defense is that he had no other and had to wear the state's trousers or stay in bed, and if he stayed in

bed he would starve. Important Work in Preparation. P. D. Harrison of Manchester, N. H., has been for three years gathering data for a history of the stars and stripes. The volume will consist of ill important first raisings of our nalonal emblem during war and peace in this and foreign countries.

Persons, Places and Things

Spend as much time as possible in WOMEN MUST WEAR BONNETS. FIND A REVOLUTIONARY RELIC.

Part of Chain Stretched by Washing-

ton Across the Hudson. Two young men from New York, who are summering at Greenwood lake, while rambling over the Ramapo mountains last week, came across an old relie of the revolution which they prize highly. These young men, E. L. Greene and T. McCabe, had strolled on the Sterling mountains, which a few years ago afforded a favorite picnic resort for Rockland county people, when they came across an iron link wedged tightly between two rocks. This was near the old forge where the iron chain was made which was stretched across the Hudson river at West Point to prevent the British ships from reaching Albany, and the link found last week probably belonged to that chain. The iron mine in the Sterling mountains was the first opened in the United States, and a remnant of the furnace constructed there many years before the revolution may still be seen .-- Albany Argus.

NEW TYPE OF RIFLE.

Invention Enables Marksman to Aim While Under Cover.

The British war office is examining the advantages of a new invention



THE INVENTOR

The "Hyposcope." called the hyposcope, an instrument which can be attached to an ordinary rifle, and enables the rifleman to view the enemy, and even to aim and fire, while still remaining under cover. The instrument is very light, is carried in a pouch attached to the belt like a revolver, and can be fitted to the rifle and made ready for firing in less time than it takes to fix a bayonet. In shape it is like an inverted letter L. and when ficted to the rifle the crossbar rests on the barrel behind the sights, the upright hanging down below the barrel. By the juxtaposition of prisms in the instrument the marksman is enabled to see and fire at ob- my life three years ago. - Mas. Thos. ROBINES jects with his eyes nine inches below Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900. the rifle sights. Whatever object he sees in the small prism at the bottom of the long arm of the instrument, that is the object at which his rifle is directly pointing. The view exposed to the prism behind the sights is reflected down to the prism into which the marksman gazes. The inventor is an Englishman, Mr. William Youlten.

TYPE OF AMERICAN BEAUTY.

Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Jr., Wins Digtinction at Newport. Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Jr., is said to



Mrs. Oliver Harriman, Jr.

port. Such a distinction is no empty honor for the rivalry in that line is keen in the American center of idleness and luxury. The Harriman wealth, fortunately, is sufficient to maintain this lovely representative of the family in style commensurate with the distinction she has gained.

Once Too Often. A professional burglar in Berlin found a new and original way of adding to the ordinary profits of his profession. After each burglary he sent a full account of it to one of the daily newspapers, and for this he received payment in the usual way. But he tried his plan once too often. The editor became suspicious and gave information to the police, who soon found how this amateur reporter was able to beat all rivals in the way of early information.



found near Constantine.

Heavy Weight Bowling Club. Milwaukee has a bowling club, four of whose members weigh 1,000 pounds

What makes people tired is not overwork, but overconcentration, overniceness in clinging to one settled rule till

the nerves rebel. What is most needed for recreation is relaxation. In carrying burdens, sither mental or physical, there is nothing like "changing hands" often. Recreation need not always consist f social diversion—of going to the heater or the show. One must vary his routine, if nothing more than to change his position while at work. Routine kills more Americans than anytoing else.

A Sloux Band Leader. Naglyanpe, a fullblooded Sloux Inlan from Fort Shaw, Mont., has just peen elected leader of the municipal and of Carlisle, Pa., and thus enjoys he distinction of being the first red man to assume dictatorship of a muical organization composed entirely f whites. Nagiyanpe, who is a modst and unassuming young fellow, has saumed the name of Robert Bruce in is intercourse with the paleface. He s an excellent performer on the tromone, and has been a professional muician for some time. He is also very

Business and Love. "Mr. Graynes," said the operator with the iron gray beard, "my son wants to marry your daughter."
"I know it." replied the operator with the ingrowing chin, "but my daughter has refused him.

"I advise her to reconsider."
"What will you do if she doesn't?" "I'll squeeze the life out of you in hat sorn deal. You know I can do it. The other raised his head proudly. his cheek affame with indignation and his eye kindling with resolution.
"No, you can't," he said. "I can stop you with an injunction!"

"Air you havin' a good time on you vacation?" asked Uncle Hiram. "Yes, Indeed," answered Mr. Glum leigh, "Yesterday I got a letter from my sweetheart saying that she had net the nicest fellow and he had prososed. She was to give him a definite answer to his proposal tonight. Then this morning I got a letter from my employer saying the clerk they hired to take my place was giving such good satisfaction that they thought it would se unnecessary for me to return to the store. Yes, indeed, I'm having a love ly time."

As They Understood Them. To scientific investigation of the ig-norance of children as to the meaning of the songs they sing in public and private schools these two examples are submitted. Both are the experience of a teacher in a Philadelphia primary school. Her class was singing "Amer-ica." When they came to the line. "My heart with rapture thrills," little girl was heard shouting lustily. "My heart with rats are filled." In her Sunday-school class a ltitle girl sang the line in a hymn, "A charge to keep have," as "Eight years to keep

Defiance Starch is put up 16 ounces in a package, 10 cents. One-third more starch for same money.

A high roller is not necessarily an

Much that is said could readily be I am sure Piso'sCure for Consumption saved

A lady is a woman, but a woman is not in every instance a lady. THE BEST RESULTS IN STARCHING

can be obtained only by using Defiance Starch, besides getting 4 oz more for same money-no cooking required. Never accuse another of evil doing if you are not in possession of proof to prove it.

STREET'S WELLS.

The famous and original Tioga mineral wells; the wells that have made Tioga famous; a positive cure for rheumatism and similar diseases; clegant bath houses; trained attendants; competent medical staff; open the year round. For the Tioga Mineral Wells Co., Tioga. Texas, box 85.

A pretty girl bears the same relation to womankind that an Elberta peach does to other fruit.

LOW RATES,

Rates 'way down via Great Rock Is land Route to Chicago, Kansas City and all resorts in Colorado, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, New York, Cauada and Pennsylvania. Long limit. Through sleepers to Denver and Chicago, W. H. Firth, G. P. & T. A., C. R. I. & T. Ry., Fort Worth, Texas.

The defense some people make for a friend makes him appear a worse

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

If we knew the future some start ling affairs might worry us.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoeseasy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. All aruggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address Allen S. O msted, LeRoy, N. Y.

No woman is a heroine to her dress

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.'
For children techning, softens the gums, reduces in-flamination, allays pain cures wind colle. 25c a bottle. Many a man makes a fool of himself because he knows no better.

HAMLIN'S WIZARD OIL TOOTHACHE ALL DRUGGISTS SELL



AN ITALIAN CAPTAIN

Cured by Pe-ru-na of Catarrh of the Stomach After Doctors Failed.

Hon. J. D. Botkin, Congressman from Kansas Writes an Interesting Letter.



CAPTAIN O. BERTOLETTO. Captain'O. Bertoletto of the Italian Barque "Lincelles," in a recent letter

from the chief officer of the Italian Barque Lincelles, Pensacola, Fla., "I have suffered for several years with chronic catarrh of the stomach. The doctors prescribed for me without my receiving the least benefit. Through one of your pamphlets I began the use of Peruna, and two bottles have entirely cured me. I recommend Peruna to all my friends."---O. Bertoletto.

In catarrh of the stomach, as well as catarrh of any part of the body, Peruna is the remedy. As has been often said if Peruna will cure catarrh of one part. it will cure catarrh of any other part of

Catarrh is catarrh whever located, and the remedy that will cure it any-

where will cure it everywhere.

The following letter from Congressman Botkin speaks for itself:

House of REPRESENTATIVES, ! WASHINGTON, D. C. Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, O.:

My Dear Doctor-It gives me pleasure

to certify to the excellent curative qualties of your medicines-Peruna and Manalin, I ave been afflicted more or less for a quarter of a century with catarrh of the stomach and constipation. A residence in Washington has in-

creased these troubles. A few bottles of your medicine have given me almost complete relief, and I am sure that a continuation of them will effect a permanent cure. Peruda is surely a wonderful remedy for ea-tarrial affections - J. D. Botkin.

This is a case of entarch of the stom ach which had run for twenty-five years, according to his statement, and Peruna has at once come to his relief, promptly accomplishing for him more benefit than he had been able to find in all other remedies during a quarter of a century.

It stands to reason that a man of wealth and influence, like a Congress man of the great United States, has left no ordinary means untried and no stone unturned to find a cure.

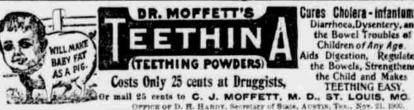
If such cures as these do not verify

the claim not only that dyspepsia is due to catarrh of the stomach, but also that Peruna will cure catarrh of the giomach. it is impossible to imagine how any

evidence could do so.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna. write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus,



Cures Cholera - infantum. Aids Digestion, Regulates

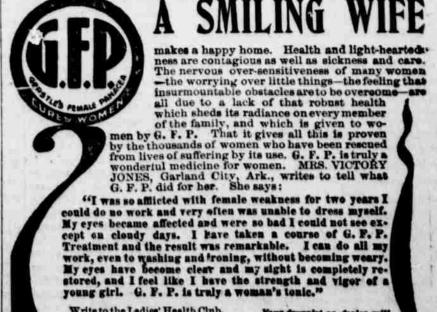
DON'T SUFFER

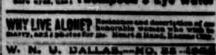
Mexican Mustang Liniment For MAN OR BEAST



AINTY SUMMER GIRLS USE CUTICURA SOAP assisted by DAINTY SUMMER CONTINENT for preserving, purifying and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands, for irritations of the skin, heat rashes, tan, sunburn, bites and stings of insects, lameness and soreness incidental to outdoor sports, for sanative, antiseptic cleansing, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery.

Much that all should know about the skin, scalp, and hair is told in the circular with CUTICURA SOAP.





A FEW POINTS ON PROHIBITION

Furnished by the W. C T. U.

W (

9

ır.

ling

s of

h t

ma

the

he t

1113

inin

ma

n ba

be

rost.

er a

may

slips

ie: 81

resp

we

y loss

ther

Che

elton

rou

Ever

eve:

elops

i gr

as I

epe

free

ie m

ed v

its c

H. I

is

et. J

unde

~~

e ba

rmi

ilk t

confu

lk n iirin Il is d de actly

hows by n

of t

ties

sed

At the first prohibition' election, Haskell went "anti" by a majority of fifteen. A year later, it went "pro" by 25 votes, which is a difference of forty votes. "This shows that there is a healthy growth of public sentiment among the citizens against the licensed dram shop.

At the last election in Jones county, the Stamford precinct went more than two to one for prohibition, the exact vote being 39 for and 89 against the saloon. In the whole of Jones county, the vote was more than four to one against the saloon, the vote being for, 157; against, 654. Showing that Jones county people after a trial think prohibition a good thing.

With the sentiment in these two towns against having the legalized retail dram shop in their midst, we submit the question: is it fair or right for the industrious, hard working farmers of Haskell county, by their votes, to force it on them? We believe that if the different communities in the country had saloons which they wanted to rid themselves of, the people of our town would be generous enough to give them a chance to do without it. Can the good citizens of our county afford to do less for our town?

When the commissioners court ordered the present election on the prohibition question, one of the saloon keepers, who was in the court at the time addressing a citizen who was standing by remarked: "You fellows can't have prohibition until we say you can have it; you can't get i, until we are ready for you to have it."

He was asked if he thought he had Haskell county by the throat so that it could not shake him off, but failed to give a satisfactory answer to the query.

With such a boasting assertion from those who are engaged in the business, is it not time for the people of the county to calf a halt? It would seem that the creature of the law has become masters of the situation, and can not be dislodged from its stronghold. Let our wives, mothers and daughters get to work, and, assisted by the vote of every good citizen who will come to the 'rescue, show the saloon that it does not occupy such an impregnable stronghold in this community as it imagines.

There are very few people, indeed, who uphold the saloon as a good thing in a community, but most of its supporters try to justify their position on the question by switching off onto some collateral issue. It is not the merits of the saloon, but the claim that it won't prohibit, or that there will be hop joints, or that it's a political scheme, or that it deprives a man of his rights to vote the saloon out. Brother, don't let any such "mare's nest" as any of the above, lead you off from your duty as a good citizen, to vote right in removing from our midst its fountain of im-

We ask you'to investigate, in a fair spirit, as to whether the hop joints in out sister countles of Jones, Shackelford, Throckmorton, Knox and Baylor dispense thore of the liquid poison withou the legalized saloon than they would with it. We ask you, can'it be proved that there is more poverty, vice, crime and misery in our sister counties because they have voted out the saloons, than they would have if they had 'the saloons legalized and made respectable places for dispensing whiskey and other intoxicants? If there is not, then in common fairness, you should unite with every temperance worker in an effort to be rid of the places where the stuff is lawfully supplied.

A NEW ENTERPRISE

Headed by Leading Citizens

There has just been organized under the general laws of Texas a company, with its place of business and general offices at Haskell, Texas, to be incorporated under the provisions of article 642 of the revised statutes of Texas.

ist. Under this charter there will be carried on a general business, authorized by law, of the manufacture and sale of ice, the sale and supply of light, heat, water and electric motor power to the public, the purchase and sale of such goods, wares and merchandise, as may be used in 'the utilization of the products of said business, the owning and 'operating of ware rooms for cold storage purposes, and the owning and operating of such machinery, buildings and grounds as may be necessary in conducting said business.

and. The capital stock of this corporation, which has all been subscribed, is \$12500.00, divided into 125 shares of the par value \$100.00 each.

3rd. The directors of the corporation, which have been elected for the first year, are seven in number, viz: F. G. Alexander, W. E. Sherrill, R. E. Sherrill, F. M. Morton, W. P. Whitman, Marshall Pierson and H. G. McConnell.

4th. The officers of the company are F. G. Alexander, President; W E Sherrill, Vice President and General Manager; Marshal Pierson, Secretary and Treasurer.

5th. The life of this charter, under the articles of corporation, will continue for 50 years, and the name of the enterprise is The Haskell Power

the north and south railroad to Has

-Miss Sallie Chapman of Marcy is visiting the family of Dr. Griffin this week

-Mr. C. D. Long's friends were glad to see him able to come up town Wednesday after his long confinement with a slow fever.

-Miss May Fields arrived home Saturday after an extended visit to relatives in Eastern Texas.

The Courts Are Enforcing the Law

One of our attorneys looking over the reports of the court of diminal appeals found that since Det. 18, 1981, seven local option cases had gone up on appeal and all but doe of them was affirmed by our highest criminal court.

Following are the citations: State vs. McDaniel, from Lamar > county-convicted of selling peruna and lemon ginger, case affirmed. (Tex. Reporter, page 783.)

State vs. Johnson, from Hunt Co. -convicted of selling Malt ard Dallas tonic, affirmed. (4 Tex. Court Rep. p. 87.)

State vs. Young, from Ellis Co .convicted of expressing whiskey C. O D: to party in local option precinct, case affirmed. (4 Tex. Ct. Rep. p. 90.)

State vs. Penn, from Bell Co., convicted of selling hop ale, case affirmed. (4 Tex. Ct. Rep., p. 893.) Proof in this case showed that the hop ale contained only one-fourth as much alcohol as beer contains, yet the conviction.

State 'vs. 'Mullins, from Parker Co. A doctor giving prescription to person not actually sick, reversed. (5 Tex. Ct. Rep. p. 14)

State vs. Hartsel, from Dallas Co. convicted of selling malt tonic, affirmed. (5 Tex. Ct. Rep. p. 53)

State vs. Skitwith, from Dallas Co., convicted selling malt tonic, atfirmed. (5 Tex. Ct. Rep., p. 54.)

Facts like these from 'the' actual court records are worth all the blank assertion and bluster that dan be printed on a sheet as big as the side of a house.

-Rev. Edward Pilley, who has been a missionary 'for' the 'M. E. church in China for a number of years, preached or lectured here on Tuesday night. He opened with an earnest and feeling reference to the great need of missionary work among the multiplied million's of benighted beings in China. His picture of their desolate condition-living without an inspiration in life or" a hope in the hereafter, was pathetic. "

He next told something of the manners and customs of the people as related to their social life and their religions, Budism and Confusciahism, which they themselves have little respect for and only follow as customs. At the conclusion he exhibited a number of curios, including a little image, which he said was one This is the first fruits of securing of the many gods of the country, a pair of woman's shoes about 31/2 inches long and a plaster cast of a foot showing how they are bent ' and bound up to make them small, chop sticks, money and ghost money and specimens of the gilt paper and sweet incense which the heathens burn before their gods. 'He distributed specimens of the incense as souvenirs.

> Taken as a whole the discourse was interesting and instructive.

Rev. Pilley returns soon to China.

to bind and form a voter foundation

morality and vice.

ment



Necessiay for Drainage.

If there was ever a year when the advantages of good drainage were manifest it is this year, especially in the territory bordering on the Great Lakes, where rains have been very copious during the past two months. In the vicinity of Chicago many of the mar t gardens are this year made unprofitable by reason of lack of drainage. Most plants cannot grow with their roots immersed in water. The plants that are cultivated for food are at a standstill in growth while the water stands at the level of the ground. Not 'ill the water has settled in the soil to some distance below them is it possible for them to resume their normal condition of growth. Around Chicago, on the level lands devoted to truck growing, the water has been standing for a month past. The vast fields of ga den vegetables seen on them are to a large 2xtent spoiled. An immerse amount of work and manure has been expended on the fields, but no returns are possible. Yet proper drainage would make the rains a blessing. Land should be so well drained that water will not stand at all, but will leave the soil in a usable condition a fe ? hours after even the heaviest rains. When lands are not drained not only do the plants stop growing while the soil is water logged, but the fields cannot be tilled for days afterward. The soil remains soft and soggy so long that no crop can be properly tended. The land needs attention, especially after the surface has been packed by heavy rains. If the land is in a condition to pass the surplus water into underground drains the surface can be cultivated in a comparatively short time after the rains have fallen. We have no doubt that the water-covered fields near Chicago represent the condition of thousands of planted fields in the states bordering the lakes.

It seems strange that after so long campaign in favor of draining there should exist such large areas still undrained, especially areas that are devoted to the growing of expensive and profitable crops. The writer has year after year noticed the fields on one farm where water works havoc. Sometimes the fields of this farm are planted in corn and sometimes in potatoes, but during every year there are seasons when the crops stand in the water for weeks at a time. The natural inference is that even when the water drains from the surface it remains so near the surface that little can be expected in the way of crops. And little is realized in the way of crops. The wonder is that any man should continue to plant on such land. Drainage helps in both rainy and dry weather, but is especially necessary in rainy weather.

Dr. Gernault's Experiment. Some time ago we told our readers

of the experiment being made by Dr. Gernault of Paris to demonstrate to the world the correctness of the theory of Dr. Koch that tuberculosis was not transmissible from animal to man. The physician named declared that he had the utmost confidence in Dr. Koch, and to demonstrate to the world that Koch was right he would attempt to inoculate himself with the virus of bovine tuberculosis. This he did, applying the vaccine to one arm The result has been that the arm of · the experimenter now contains several of the deadly tubercles, and the victim announces himself as fully convinced that bovine tuberculosis is transmissible to man. The doctor declares cheerfully that he expected to lose his life as a result of the experiment, but that his death will save the lives of others, who would otherwise have relied on the theory of Dr. Koch that the disease possessed by cattle and known as tuberculosis is not transmissible to man. The doctor will attempt to save his life by having his arm amputated, but the question will then be confronting him as to how far the disease has penetrated his system. If he lives he declares he will spend much time warning the people of the danger from this disease, which some are accustomed to treat so lightly. The war against tuberculosis should be pushed. Every person that has cows should ascertain whether or not they are affected. The people that use milk from unknown cows should sterilize it. In our creameries the skim-milk should be pasteurized before being sent back to

Hili or Level Culture.

Under perfect conditions of soil as relates to drainage level cuture is best. But there is so little land where the conditions of drainage are perfect that some hilling is necessary. So our forefathers were not far wrong when they hilled up everything. In their day drainage of any kind was unusual except such as was given by surface ditches. When the corn was hilled up a natural drain was left by the removal of the dirt. This condition helped matters every time there was a freshet. The man that has a avy soil that has no artificial drainte must hill or ridge up to save his crop in the case of a heavy fall of water. Even though the land be high or rolling a heavy soil needs some treatment of this kind. Clayey hillsides hold water to such an extent that crops are often lost from too much water. The usual inference is that the drainage is good because there is a slope. This is a mistake, as heavy clay holds water for a very long period unless there be means for drawing it away from beneath. In case of heavy clay on a hillside being underlaid with gravel or sand we have a condition that may be counted as an exception. Where the land is sandy of course level culture may be followed, unless there are obstructions to the draining away of the water.

Water in Wood.

Green wood contains fully 45 per cent of water, and thorough seasoning usually expels but 36 per cent of



An Asparagus Pest.

A bulletin of the Geneva station says: In 1896 many asparagus plants were found to contain, just below the surface of the ground the little flaxseed-like bodies which form one stage in the life history of some of the flies, like the Hessian fly. Adults have now been raised from these "flaxseeds" and found to be small, metallic-black flies about one-sixth of an inch in length. They are found to be quite common on the flowers and branchlets of the asparagus, especially on plants that have been eaten into by the asparagus beetle. The maggots, or larvae, of these flies are about onefifth of an inch in length, somewhat flattened and of a transparent-white color. They are found in mines in the asparagus stems, just beneath the epidermis, the mines usually beginning near the surface of the ground and extending diagonally downward about the stem below ground for a distance of three or four inches. On seedling beds and newly set beds, the mining of these maggets has caused some injury, especially during 1900; but no serious trouble has been observed on cutting beds, though they are probably numerous enough to cause some weakening of the plants. The seedlings turned yellow and died much earlier than they would naturally do. The maggots changed to puparia-the "flaxseed" stage—in the fall and show on the infested stems as small, oblong, dark-brown, raised spots beneath the epidermis of the stalks near the base. Though the insect is not vet a serious pest, it will be well to adopt some repressive measures should it appear upon a bed. The eggs of the first brood are probably deposited early in June, so no small shoots should be allowed to grow on the cutting beds to receive these eggs. Pulling the old stalks in the fall and burning them when dry will destroy many of the puparia.

Harvesting Potatoes.

The time for harvesting pot oes is indicated by the dyin; of the vines. The ripening process in the tubers goes on up to thi. time, and it is therefore not wise to attempt to harvest before that time. If dug while immature the quality will not be so good as it will be if the tubers are left in the ground till mature. On the ther hand, if left too long in the ground decay is likely to set in. We have known potatoes lett in the fields too long-till he ground froze too hard to permit of digging. This is not likely to occur, but has occurred some years when winter came very early. The man with a small patch of potatoes will dig his by hand but the man that has a large quantity to be harvested cannot afford to do it in the old-fachioned way. He must depend on some of the first-class potato diggers that are on the market. Plowing out the tubers is practiced by the work.

American Packing Bad.

The State Department has published the following report from Richard Westacott, acting consul general at London: "I have recently received a communication from W. E. Boyes, of Leicester, chairman of the conference of the National Federation of Fruiterers, at Cardiff, May 12 and 13, 1902, transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by the federation, which reads: 'This federation wishes to call your attention to the unsatisfactory way in which American apples are packed, and asks if it is not possible for you to adopt the same system as Canada, and have all the apples graded and stamped with the government stamp. By so doing, you will largely increase the demand for best quality and, consequently, the price of Ameri can fruit.' Canadian apples are now graded and stamped with the government stamp, and for all barrels sent out without the stamp the sender is liable to a fine of \$1 for each barrel."

Winter Protection of Strawberries. In the case of strawberries it is not the 'reezing that does the injury. On many rolls, especially clay, when the ground freezes all night and thaws the next day under the influence of and expands, and thus heaves the plants up, pulling the roots loose, which weakens .nem. Now .. we place some coarse litter over the plants merely to shade them from the sun to prevent thawing during the day, and the frost comes cut very slowly, no injury can result. The plant must have air for its foliage even if frozen solid, hence, any heavy, dense mass like manure will smother and injure the foliage, and it should never be placed directly on the plants, but it may serve a good purpose in conserv ing moisture between the rows. Light chaff, straw, or marsh hay may be used.-R. M. Kellogg.

The Gardener's Friend, the Toad. From Farmers'2 Review: While not an object of beauty, the humble toad will please the most fastidious gardener's eye if he will watch toady at work of an evening. If one is very quiet the toad will gather in his supper of insects before the onlooker, and the number of these pests that are required to satisfy toad's appetite is date culture on a large scale. At the more than a few. If they do any harm at all, we have never discovered what it was, and we do know they do an amount of good, so don't destroy any of them. We have the children bring into the garden all toads they find in the byways, and as it is sel dom one gets accidentally destroyed, they are quite numerous.

If one will cultivate toads around the house the number of roaches and files will be many less. A toad is good in the cellar, too.-Emma Clear-

Clay soil to do its best must be thoroughly pulverized.



Value of Mature and Immature Fod-

A report of the Nebraska station relative to the composition of feeding stuffs at different stages of growth says: The conditions of growth of the crops this season were about equally favorable for each of them, and some tentative conclusions may hence be drawn from the result of this (1900) season's work. The mixed crop, oats and peas, improves in composition as it grows older and should probably be allowed to stand as long as the pea vines will remain fairly erect. The proportion of flesh-forming to fatforming constituents in the fodder obtained from this crop is very nearly the correct one for a well-balanced ration for most classes of animals, and it would probably be found unnecessary to supplement this fodder with grain or other foods.

Field corn, millet, sorghum and Kafir corn decrease rapidly in protein content while heading out. The percentage of crude fiber also decreases scmewhat. Both of these changes are probably due to the rapid accumulation of starch and sugars in the plant juices at that time, as shown by the increased proportion of nitrogen-free extract. In order to obtain a fodder having as parrow a ratio of flesh-forming foods as possible, the crop should be cut at as early a stage as it can be well-cured. For roughage to be fed in connection with highly nitrogenous foods it may well be allowed to grow until seeds are formed. After that period, however, the stalks rapidly become woody and the proportion of waste is greatly increased.

No very significant change in composition of the cowpeas is apparent. This year's experience would seem to Indicate that consideration of chemical composition is of minor importance in the selection of the proper stage for harvesting this crop for fodder. As compared with the other fodders analyzed this year, this one is by far the most desirable on account of its high proportion of nitrogenous material and small percentage of diffi cultly digestible fiber.

Poor Cattle Impose on Mexicans. Reports from Mexico indicate that some live stock dealers there are with marked emphasis, "I'll serve her working a confidence game on the badly informed natives and are selling them poor American cattle at high prices. Some Mexicans are enterprising enough to c e to this country and buy their own breeding cattle. Such men get the best there is and are satisfied, though they have to pay good prices for everything in the breeding line. But the Mexicans that order American cattle through native or resident dealers get some very poor stuff. This has been the case to an extent that threatens to injure the sale of breeding bulls from this country. The Mexicans pay for some farmers, but this is hardly a de- first-class animals, but get scrubs. One sirable method, as by it a great many result is seen in the turning of the potatoes are injured. It is better to Mexican buyers to the Brown Swiss invest in a tool made expressly for cattle. Switzerland does not permit cattle to be exported without a certificate showing breeding and so forth. Thus no animals of interior quality have so far gone to Mexico from Switzerland and the confidence of the Mexicans has been won for the Brown Swiss. The United States has had a number of lessons of this kind. Prob. her voice cultivated." ably after the Swiss have taken all the trade the United States may wake evening paper): "Send her now." up and do something. But there is danger that the lesson we had when Canada took our foreign cheese trade will not be remembered in connection with our cattle trade. We had a magnificent cheese trade with England till American sharpers were permitted to swamp the English market with filled cheese, and then we lost it, the Eng- on that all summer. lish traders turning to Canada, where there were laws absolutely preventing such frauds. The Canadians took the trade and have kept it. We have a good trade in cattle springing up with Mexico and the other countries to the south of it. We should foster it by making fraud impossible.

Hope for the Hog Crop. The short corn crop of last year !s very largely responsible for the high prices that are being paid for hogs to-day. These high prices, if long continued, are certain to affect the hapits of the people as to the eating of hog meat. It is for the benefit of the bright sun, the ground contracts the pork producer to have prices at a medium point but have a market for an enormous number of hogs. In this way the profits are widely distributed through the farming communities. The whole country is happier for it. Certainly no one wants to see an era of high prices for foods and congested money centers. The outlook for the corn crop is now good. Farmers that have hogs will not need to send them to market before they it. The strong ammonia washing are at a size to be marketed to the down from manure is very bad for best of advantage. A 250-pound bog is far more profitable under ordinary conditions than is the 150-pound hog. The short swine supply to-day is largely due to the fact that last year and this spring hogs too light in weight were marketed. The rapidity with which swine multiply will save the situation. Meantime every farmer and every citizen is interested in having a good big crop of healthy hogs.

> A Government Date Orchard. A dispatch from Phoenix, Arizona. to the Chicago Packer says: The government is going into the business of experimental station near here has just been planted the largest date orchard in America, and perhaps in the world. Five acres have been planted with various kinds of date trees imported from Africa, besides about 1,000 seedlings. The Department of Agri culture seems to have no doubt that the date palm will ultimately solve the problem of what to do with the arid and alkali lands of Arizona and ther parts of the West. Experiments have demonstrated the great possibiliies of the industry.

Draining helps both in time of frought and in time of freshet.

HUMOR OF THE DAY

JOKES AND WITTICISMS THAT HAVE PLEASANT FLAVOR.

foungster's Ingenious Device for Keeping Baby Quiet-Bachelor's Idea of the Family Sceptor-Her

The Bachelor's Idea. "Of course," said the bachelor, thoughtfully, "there can be no such thing as joint rule in a family. Someone must be the head." "True, but the scepter passes from one to another."

"How?" "Well, at the beginning of married life the husband holds it; then it gently and unobtrusively passes to the wife, and he never gets it back again."

"She keeps it for ever?" "Oh, no; the baby gets it next."

An Oxygenarian.

"There is an acquaintance of mine, remarked the doctor, "who gives himself air: because he was given up to die thirty years ago and has kept himself alive till now by taking oxy-

"How old is he now?" asked the professor. "Over so."

"He's what you would call an oxy-genarian, is he?" said the professor, looking at him with half-shut eyes.

The Small Brother. "I heard him call you 'Duckie,' " anounced the small brother. "Well, what of it?" demanded his

sister defiantly. "Oh, nothin' much," answered the small brother. "I was only thinkin' maybe it's because of the way you

walk, but it ain't very nice of him." Recrimination.

"Do you suppose that it was a crait

apple?" asked Eve as they were dis-

cussing the unfortunate contre temps "No," sneered Adam, with a pointed glare, "It was a lobster apple!" Cuffing little Abel, he passed out into the night, while Eve wept bitterly, realizing that slang was now to be

added to her other troubles. And the Joke Was Ruined. The facetions boarder had the train all laid for a killing joke.

"It's a wonder," he said, "that you didn't serve up this duck feathers and all. "The next time," said the landlady

up bill and all."

His Private View. Wederly-Here's an Item about a

man who kept his bank account in his wife's name. Mrs. Wederly-That's as it should

be. All men are not fools. Wederly-Of course not, my dear. There are still a few old bachelors left.

His Blunder.

"Say!" she cried suddenly, as the bashful young man backed into the nearest chair, "you must think you're

"Beg pardon," he stammered, "I ion't understand what "You're on my hat!" she shricked.

Couldn't Go Too Soon. Fond Mother (listening to baby's cries): "What a sweet-toned voice she has, dear! She'll be a splendid singer. We must send her to Italy and have Husband (irritably, from behind the

Knew It Was a Fraud. He (doubtfully)-There's a-little freckle on your cheek, don't you know. I-I have heard that freckles can be

removed by kissing. She-Oh that is a fraud. Cousin Tom and I have been experimenting

A Catastrophe. A prim maiden lady of Gloucester Met a bull which ran after and touces

Though she landed all right, She was near dead with fright And the shock to her feelings it coucester.

Sassible Resolution. "What," asked the dreamer, "would you do if you could be a king for a

day?" "I?" answered the practical man "I'd borrow enough money to live on

for the rest of my life." Reason Enough!



Justice (refusing to marry couple because the man is drunk)-Are you not ashamed to marry a man in such a state? Lady-But he won't come here

when he's sober.

Perhaps Meant for Sarcasm. "Yes." said the head of the firm. Miss Addle is a good bookkeeper, but she makes some queer mistakes."

"What, for instance?" asked the si lent partner. "Well, she enters our messenger boy's wages under the head of 'running expenses."

Overcrowded Already. "She's just crazy to go on the "Then she'd better not. What the

stage needs most is sane actors. Judge-What proof have we that this man is absent-minded? Attorney -Why, he actually stopped his auto

bile at a watering fountain.

Evidently Used Up.

Mrs. Meadowland (early morning)guess that city gentleman we took to board for the summer ain't much used to travelin in the cars. He must a' been all fagged out when he got here yesterday, though he didn't say nothin' about it. Farmer Meadowland-Ho looked

cheery enough. Mrs. Meadowland-Yes, but here it is 'most 4 o'clock, and breakfast all ready, and he hain't waked up yet."

The Skin and the Graft.

"Truly," says the patient who is being skin-grafted, "surgical science is a wonderful thing."

"It is," says the friend who is helping out with the required skin. "First they skin me and then they graft you; but after you get well and they send in the bill you'll find that you've been skinned for their graft."-Judge.

Keeping Him Quiet.



"What are you making that terrible noise for?"

"I'm keeping baby quiet." "Where's the baby? "Under the tin."

Example.

example?"

enough to be harmed by my example."

"Such carelessness is little short of criminal," thundered Dr. Price-Price, tion, the cannon were placed in the

Lieder's nurse girl, "do you blame me for the baby's illness?"

ment. Different Kinds of Lives. Mr. Pitt"Since your friend Blinkins

married Miss Bonds he has been lead ing the life of a dog." Mr. Penn-"I'm sorry for him.

"I'm not." "Don't you sympathize with him?" the life of a pet pug dog he leads."

Nothing to Live For. Mrs. Benham-The paper tells of

bad accident. Benham-What kind of an accident? Mrs. Benham-A woman's dress took fire and was ruined and the woman was so badly burned that she will not recover.

Benham-I don't suppose she wants to recover if her dress is ruined.

His Sympathetic Nature. "Well, i'm glad this rag-time music is getting out of date," remarked the asked Jones. business man. "I'm sure it gave me indigestion."

"Nonsense!" "Fact. The orchestra at the restaurant where I take my lunch always played it, and I couldn't help keeping time with my jaws."

Plausible Supposition. "Isn't it awful how thin Mr. Henpeck is now?" remarked Mrs. Gabble to her husband. "And he used to be so stout!"

"Perhaps," chimed in little Willie. remembering his trouble with his bicycle tires-"perhaps his wife forgets to blow him up regular, like you said she used to."

Cane Vs. Beet. "Why do you call him Cain?" in quired Adam.

"Because the little darling can't be beat," replied Eve, with feminine logic. Thus was the Sugar Controversy started in Paradise; the young man's

subsequent career leaving it an open When You Put It That Way. Argumentative Person-It seems to

me this theory of the immortality of the soul is based merely on a selfish hope. It has no philosophical basis. Can you see any reason why I, for instance, should be perpetuated in another state of existence?

Conciliatory Person-No, I confess

Delicate but Pointed. "What I object to," said the young woman who wants to vote, "is taxation without representation."

"If it's all the same to you," said the young man who is too bashful to propose directly, "I should be only too happy to represent your sentiments at the polls at every election."

Squared Things. Maid-I tell you, ma'am, that you'll miss me when I am gone! Mistress-Certainly I shall, but then I sha'n't miss so many other things.

A Mania. Ottinger-My wife has a perfect mania for collecting antiquities. Henriques (wearily)-So has mine. She is always ready to buy any old

Rather Rough on Pa. "What is a vacuum, ma?" "That part of your father that is directly under his hair."

PAWNING A \$1,000 BILL

experiences and took him to the verge fact, one man who had nothing small- | me." this city a few nights ago.

Ten of these covered promissory. He said to the clerk only this: notes of the United States had been paid to him in the afternoon. In the puranit of business and a modicum of pleasure he had, after the receipt of his \$10,000, spent the last dime he ey for his needs, but a discussion arose about what he would do if he were a stranger in the city and had no money other than that which was in his pocket

"I wouldn't care if I were dressed as a beggar," he said. "I can get all keenly for a second and then said: I want so long as I have a one-thou sand-dollar bill in my pocket."

down if you tried to use it." said one, the one-thousand-dollar bill. our pockets."

with the bunch that I can spend my tion.-New York Tribune.

Of a man with a thousand-dollar money as freely as though these were bill in his pocket and no smaller five-dollar bills instead of what they amount of money, a story has been are, and I won't have any trouble written that traced him through many about it, either. I'll get change the tirst time I try it, too, or lose the bet. of starvation. But, as a matter of And I won't go to any man who knows

er than a one-thousand-dollar bill got. The wager was accepted, and the through the difficulty very easily in man with \$10,000, taking one friend with him, walked out to a pawn shop.

"I have received \$10,000 in ten bills, They are mine and were come by honestly, it is difficult for me, a stranger, to get a one-thousand-dollar bill changed liere are the ten bills. possessed other than the big bills. Look at them. I need some money, He was with some friends, any one and I want to pawn one of these bills of whom could and would have ac. for \$25. If you are alraid of me, call commodated bim with sufficient mon- up police headquarters and I will satisfy the people there by papers that I can show that I am honest. Or, if you like, call up Mr. ---, who paid the money to me, and he will tell you if I am all right."

The pawnbroker looked at bim-"I never took money as a pledge, but you are sober and seem all right, "You would be arrested or turned and you can have the \$25. Give me

There are not many places where The pawnbroker examined the bill \$1,000 in change is kept handy. Be- carefully and then, to the astonishsides, most people would be shy of ment of the others, took another onetaking such a bill from any of us. thousand-dollar bill out of his safe We don't look as though we carried and compared them. Then, just as one-thousand-dollar bills around in he would make out a ticket for a ring or a watch he issued a ticket for a "Well," said the man with the \$10,- "one-thousand-dollar bill," turned 000, Til bet a basket of champagne over the \$25 and closed the transac-

CANNON OF GEORGE III.

"Oh, that's all right, my dear," re- peaceful industrial pursuits in that plied her husband, easily. "If they same country, is the remarkable tranfollow your example of carrying pins sition through which two large canin your mouth they'll never live long | non now in the works of the Keystone | tured, it is supposed, by Gen. Gates at the battle of Saratoga, one of the most important engagements of the revolu-"Oh, doctor," sobbed Mrs. Sasslety- century and remained there as souvenirs until 1893, when they bought by the old Shiffler Bridge Com-"Most assuredly. You should know pany and placed in the mill to be used better than to leave it alone in the as compressors. There for almost 33 care of its mother even for a mo- years the old guns have done service, and no better tools of their kind could be found.

to the old touchholes of the guns. in- burg Leader.

"You ought not to smoke right be | From deadly implements of war stead of powder there is now inserted fore the children, Henry," expostu- turned by the enemy against the sons | in the touchholes of both pieces a prolated Mrs. Chinner. "Can't you see of the land in which they have for saic water pipe that in no way seems that you're setting them a very bad more than a century reposed to instru- to belong there. Before they enlisted ments useful in the furtherance of in the industrial service of the Keystone Bridge company the heads of both cannon were removed, so that they are now open at both ends. Through the great sixteen inch bore Bridge Company have passed. Cap- water is pumped and is forced out by long cylinders that are burdened by 60,000 pounds of steel. This tremendthe cylinders, forces them through the Pittsburg arsenal early in the last bore of the cannon. Before them goes the water that is thrown through the pipes against a machine known as an "upsetter." At the other end of this machine the "T" bars used in bridge construction are placed and the ends. heated to a white neat, are locked into the "upsetter." The force of the water from the cannon pushes the machine In a dark corner of the dingy plant, against the end of the bar and starts hidden from sight, the greater part of the head, that is later finished in the the time by the great weights sur- big five-ton hammer. Day after day rounding them, and smeared with these huge guns have performed this grease and grime, the old cannon still | humble work, and when one looks at retain their usefulness, and beneath the proud crest of the King of Engall the grease the royal coat-of-arms land he wonders if, were they pos-"Not at all. He has nothing to do of the proud King George III, stand sessed of life, they would not feel hubut eat, sleep and amuse himself. It's out, the sole reminders of the days in miliated at this sad fall from their which they boomed in the service of former calling-that of battling for the king. The royal crest is close glory and victory and empire.-Pitts-

A MILLIONAIRE'S REPAST

at the same table in a restaurant. "Do you dine at this place often?"

"Quite often," said Smith. "It is moderate in price, at least for the common dishes; the cooking is excellent, the service good and everything

"It is pretty well patronized, too," chserved Jones. "A good many merchants and stock exchange men come here for their meals."

"Yes. What are you going to orof claret and a pudding, or something

of that kind. A man on a small sal-

ary can't afford a swell dinner." "That's a fact. We've got to curb cutlets, breaded, a few vegetables, an

THREE STORIES IN ALL.

How Witty Guide Described Mr. Cleveland's Boathouse.

During Cieveland's first term as president he had built for himself a handsome boathouse on the shore of Upper Saranac Lake, near the Saranac Inn. It was a long, low affair, with a deep excavation beneath for the storing of boats and fishing tackle. Dave Cronk, a famous guide of the region, never tired of describing the glories of the president's boathouse, which he regarded as the real wonder of the neighborhood. On one

been sent with his wagon to drive the guest to the inn. "There's Mr. Cleveland's new threestory boathouse." he said, passing the structure.

occasion Richard Harding Davis, then

a reporter in Philadelphia, visited the

president socially, and was met at the

station by a native, who said he had

"Three-story?" asked Mr. Davis. "1 see but one." "Well," said the native, "there's the story you see, the story underneath. and the story Dave Cronk's allus tel-

lin' about it.' High Prices Paid Singers. The highest figure ever paid to a singer at Covent Garden was the sum of \$48,000, paid to Mme. Adelina Patti in 1870 for sixteen appearances. Mme. Patti has, however, beaten this record

obtained, as she did at New Orleans, as much as \$6,000 a night. M. Jean do Reszke holds the record for male singers, his contract for sixteen appearances being \$36,000, while the famous Polish tenor never fails to stipulate for free hotel expenses and a certain sum for carriage and horses. The famous Lasalle has always

drawn his \$2,000 a performance, and

in her American tours, when she has

Jones and Smith happened to meet; omelet fouffle, and a pint of porter. I can't spend more than three or four

"That's about the figure for me.

shillings for a mere lunch."

Now, if I could afford such a meal as Tubbles over there at that table in the corner is about to order. I'd have something worth talking about." You bet. What do you suppose Tub-

bles is worth?"

"He's worth \$1,000,000." Jones and Smith looked enviously at the table in the corner, where the rich man, with the bill of fare before him. was knitting his brows and pursing up his mouth in the effort to decide what "I think I'll take a steak, a glass he wanted. After studying the printed slip from top to bottom several times he seemed to have come to a con-

clusion. "Waiter," he said to the official our appetites. I'm going to try veal standing respectfully by, "bring me a roll and butter and a cup of coffee

during the Golden Jubilee of 1887 he appeared with the two De Rezkes at one time on the stage, the aggregate of their nightly salaries amounting to over \$5,000.

One Way to Spend a Holiday.

Last year a young English barrister published a fascinating account of the four weeks' holiday he had spent among the gypsies as one of themselves, leading the caravan norses, sleeping in the open, helping to cook the primitive meals, and exploring, under the most delightfully unconventional conditions, some of the prettiest byways of the southern counties. "I returned from this holiday," he says, with a store of health and energy and a fund of happy memories which no other conceivable holiday could have given me, and if my readers wish to have an ideally enjoyable time, every hour of which is crowded with novel and delightful experiences, let them do as I did, and go 'a-gypsy-

A Futile Mercy. The Society for the Prevention of

Cruelty to Animals means well by its distribution of a couple of thousands of bonnets for horses. But there will be no real diminution of the aggregate suffering of the world as long as tha society contents itself with giving bonnets to horses. A horse cannot talk at night or go through a man's pockets when he sleeps of exhaustion in the gray dawn. Nor can a horse obtain credit at a milliner's, to the despondency of the man who has acquired the right to pay some one's bills. What is needed is a Society for Distributing Bonnets to Indignant Females. A mere horse has not soul enough to know if its hat is co

Baskell Free Press.

A. E. POOLE, Publisher.

HASKELL - - - TEXAS

Perhaps "Miss" Yohe in Paris can soothe her grief by buying some new gowns.

No man is smart enough to land in a strange town and pick out a good 5-cent cigar.

There is talk of an incubator trust. What scheme will these trust promoters batch out next?

Carrie A. Nation says her initials spell "Can." But to the man who drinks they may spell can can.

The man who invented the noisy Ah' years ago she came to earth circus calliope is dead. His invention does not entitle him to a monument.

A New Jersey politician was almost eaten by a hog. Think how hungry the hog must have been to do a thing like that.

Mr. Usual Still is a rallway conductor in New York. His parents seem to have made a grammatical error in naming him.

It was thought at first that Gen. Kitchener was going to hang up the sword, but now it transpires that he is to get married.

New York people should always carry parachutes, so that when they are blown up they may have a chance to come down easy.

A Louisville boy went insane after eating a gallon of ice cream. There must have been other crazy people around where he got it.

A London paper says May Yoke has arrived in Paris, "where she expects to be joined by her husband." Who is May's husband now?

Now that a train robber has been killed and Tracy is no more, perhaps Mr. Pat Crowe will have the kindness to feel a trifle worried.

Some papers are surprised that the new sultan of Zanzibar is fond of Boston baked beans. It simply proves the sultan is a man of good taste.

In some parts of Kansas the people are complaining of a plague of "ankle bugs." There are drawbacks, of course, to the pleasure of going bare

Russell Sage is showing signs of age. He has just collected a dollar that a man owed him for 25 years, and didn't say a word about the in terest.

Women who bring \$20,000 pearl necklaces home from Europe have a right to feel aggrieved at the inquisi tive manners of the custom house officers.

Dr. Garnault has disproved Dr. Koch's theory that bovine tuberculo sis is not contagious, but he finds the experiment rather trying to his con-

says it is only a little flyer on the side, as he doesn't expect to make more than \$10,000,000 or \$15,000,000 An Iowa man bas \$10,000,000 which

he says he can not dispose of judiclously. He ought to form a partnership with Mr. Carnegie and try the library plan.

Joseph Chamberlain will now have a chance to ponder over the cause and effect problem presented by the Boer war and his failure to be appointed premier of England.

The picture postal card fad is causing Austrian stationers to fear they wing of the paper again, to point S towill be ruined, but the tradesmen ap- ward the center axle (Fig. 6), and pear to forget that love letters will take care that you get the folds at never go out of fashion.

What's the use to worry about the price of meat now when the chief concern of the household is the manu- two lower points (a) to form the hind facture of currant jelly and the prospects of peaches for canning?

Chicago proposes to double its popu lation in the next quarter century and is setting about it in a systematic way. Thirty-six brace of twins were born in the city in the past four

The old joke regarding a lover's an- 8d.?" tipathy for his flance's pet dog will have to be changed. A Paris swain, wishing to communicate hastily with his sweetheart, scribbled a message on the back of her pet pug.

There is a truthful ring in the announcement that lectures at the Wis- by money. You may repeat a smaller consin Chautauquas have been at sum of money as many times as it is tended by audiences composed of contained in a larger sum of money, "hundreds of intellectual persons and but that is a very different thing. If millions of thirsty mosquitoes."

The words "month" and "silver," long supposed to have no words to rhyme with them, have now been before l'ever mind; you need not be found to possess one rhyme each. ashamed of your ignorance, for it was "Oneth," a term in mathematics, and "chilver," a ewe lamb, supply the former deficiency.

"It is the absurd, short-sighted, cheese-paring economy which is one of the defects of woman that makes a hotel run by a woman uninhabitable." declares a London writer. In other words, serving prunes during the berry season is an unpardonable sin.

An Ohio man shot and killed himself the other day because a young woman refused to be his wife. This is an improvement upon the common practice of shooting the girl first.

It is reported that the Rev. "Billy" Sunday, the ex-ball player, has laid up \$12,000 since he began his career as an exhorter. It's a good business.

A New York farmer's wife has just because we have no desire to further to attempt to make a forecast of the have them evened up. the interests of the gold brick artists.



Auntie "June." Spinster. She was the first to rise at morn And start the hitchen stove; She'd bake a dozen lonves of bread Refore the rest would move.

She'd cook a most for twenty men When harvest came around. Our spinster, June, who was so strong Where work was alway found.

She cured the bables of the croup In measies she arose.
The sleepless watcher or the night While others found repose.

She made the decrees for the brides Who went from out the door; For them she robbed the flowerbeds Of all their precious store

When breezes all attune Went merrils assown the path Of tragrant ways or June. They called her "June," she was so

sweet.

And crowned her golden head.

They named her "June" in days agone,
The month when brides are wed. Bestde the stream whose waters cool

Sung peacefully of rest. This patient little spinster wolked Alone and unmolest

Now littles nod and datates bend To kiss the grave of this Old-fashioned spinster who has found More love than marthly biss.

There children tread the gravel path There collidren fread the se.

When breezes are attans.

And whisper soft as zephys are:

"This is our Auntie June."

Horace Seymour Keller.

Riding Upon a Knife. Split a match at one end and insert into the split the flattened end of a second match, to form an acute angle. Place the two matches on the sharp edge of a knife held horizontally in such a way that the heads of the matches touch the surface of the table. No matter how hard you try to hold the knife steady, to everybody's surprise the matches will begin to move up and down.

To render the experiment more effective, crack the matches in the middle to form the legs of the rider, then cut the upper body out of paper and insert it into a split made in one of the

Green Paper Frog. A friend from Japan has taught us

to make a frog of green paper in the following way:



a perfect square (Fig. 1 of explanatory Gates is in a new coal deal, but he design). Fold the paper along the diagonals a-a, turn it around and fold along the lines b.b. When this is done Fig. 2 can easily be made. Fold the ends b and a as shown in Fig. 3. You will now have got a series of eight small wings around o-a as axle. Fold the paper at point a and fold it carefully in such a way that you get two With the exception of a little tuft of new regular points as shown in Fig. 4. After going through the same operation with all eight wings of the folded paper, you will get Fig. 5. Fold each



point a as correct as possible. To finish the frog (Fig. 7), unfold two of the upper points (a) and bend them to form the front legs, while you fold the legs. The left side of Fig. 7 shows the points not yet folded, while the right side gives the shape of the finished legs.

Mr. Gladstone's Catch.

"How many members of this house," asked Mr. Gladstone once in the course of a debate on electoral qualifications, "can divide £1,330 17s. 6d. by £2 13s.

"Six hundred and fifty-eight!" shout ed one member. "The thing cannot be done!" ex claimed another.

A roar of laughter greeted this last remark. But it was true, nevertheless. You cannot multiply or divide money you repeat five shillings, as often as there are hairs in a horse's tail, you do not multiply five shillings by a horse's tail Perhaps you did not know this shared, as has been demonstrated, by the entire house of commons (bar one member), including the then chancellor of the exchequer-American Boy.

Work of the Plodders.

If we were to examine a list of the men who have left their mark on the world, we should find that, as a rule, it is not composed of those who were brilliant in youth, or who gave great promise at the outset of their careers, but rather of the plodding young men who, if they have not dazzled by their day's work in them, who could stay by a task until it was done; who have had grit, persistence, common sense and honesty, says Success.

It is the steady exercise of these ordinary, homely virtues, united with average ability, rather than a decep- scissors without breaking the cord tive display of more showy qualities in youth, that enables a man to achieve inherited \$250,000. We omit her name greatly and honorably. So, if we were down. The ambitious one tries to

successful men of the future, we should not look for them among the ranks of the "smart boys," those who thin's they "know it all," and are anxious to win by a short route.

Children's Amusement.

"Head, body and legs"-a game that cially those innocent games that, with one wants to make a business of playgame of "Head, body and legs," the origin of which is lost in the past. Take a slip of paper about two inches wide and four inches long. Draw two



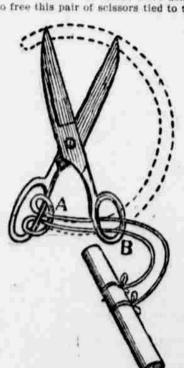
into thirds. Let the first player draw at the top of the slip a head, using only the upper third of the paper. This head may be that of any imaginable or unimaginable creature. If it's something mongrel and absurd, it's all the funnier. The first player then folds the paper down, so as to cover up what he has drawn, but leaving the neck extending just below the fold He then passes the slip on to the next player, who in turn draws a body on the middle third of the paper, joining it to the neck, and then folding the paper, just so as to leave enough of the body showing to indicate where the legs should join on. A third player then adds legs and feet to the strange being, to suit his fancy. It will add to the fun to have a fourth player name the portrait. Finally, the paper is unfolded. To say the least, the company will be surprised at the queer composite. It may be that the head and legs will disagree over the direction the creature is supposed to be fronting. Oftentimes one of the members will be so out of proportion with the rest as to make the whole effect very ludicrons. The best way to see the possibilities of the game is to try it. You needn't be an artist to make a success of it, since the most awkward hand will frequently produce the most laughable results. The combinations may not always be so comical, but out of half a dozen trials there are sure to be several roaring successes. When there is quite a company assembled, each may be given a piece of paper and a pencil; each draw a head, fold the paper, pass to the next; then each draw a body, fold, pass; then each draw legs, fold pass, and the next name it. In this way all those present will be occupied in the sport, nd the large variety of portraits will increase the entertainment.

This Calf is Bald.

Charles H. Anderson, near Frazey burg. Ohio, owns a bald calf which is attracting hundreds of people to his farm. Mr. Anderson says the calf, now two months old, is a thorough bred short horn helfer and that it has been bald from the day of its birth. hair on each ear, a bit at the end of its tail and a little hair on each leg below the knee, the animal is wholly devoid of hair and it is a curiosity which has prompted many flattering offers for its purchase. The calf is of the usual size and is as sound as any animal. Its flesh looks like that of a new-born baby.-Cincinnati En-

Fuller's Close Shave by Lightning. In the storm yesterday evening David Fuller, a well-known farmer of Henrico, was struck by lightning and knocked to the ground senseless. All the hair on his head was burned off. He has been in an unconscious condition, but the physician who is attending him says he will recover. Fuller's head is said to have been shaved as close as if a barber had done it .-Washington Post.

Trick With Pair of Scissors. If Alexander the Great were asked to free this pair of scissors tied to the



back of a chair, without untying the brilliancy, have had the power of a cords, he would perhaps draw his sword and cut the cords with one blow. We will show him how the trick can be done without force, as follows: Take hold of the cord at A, pull it through the handle B and carry it over the dotted lines. This will free the

The lazy man wants things leveled

STYLES AND MATERIALS THAT ARE NOW CORRECT.

Effective Evening Toilette for Warm Weather Wear-Appetizing Dishes Composed of Tomatoes-Pretty Things to Wear.

Pretty Things to Wear. Silk understips of taffeta and India silk to wear with thin gowns and all the transparent materials are made will afford amusement. Good games with deep godet flounces, having a are always worth knowing about, esper little fulness at the edge. This gives fulness around the bottom of the skirt, their funny consequences, offer such which is needed under gowns of light real relief from the day's cares. No texture. The linings to wear under the bodices are made with fulness at ing games, but the greatest minds ars the waist line in both front and back. not above simple diversions; nay, they These slips may be of any color, and must have them. One of the best pas- are really the most economical way of times of the kind is the old English making a summer gown answer many purposes, as it may be worn with different colored slips on as many occasions; but the sash, belt, bows or stock must correspond in color with that of the slip.

For early fall wear the covert coat, in short box styles, will be a leader. For overcoats there is a demand for the long, loose Chesterfield in friezes, kerseys and meltons. The smi-ulster, belted effects in rough cheviots, Scotch plaids and mixed materials make a close second.

Effective Evening Toilette. Many of the evening frocks are as weather wear, as in the more costly

travel much, it has certainly gone far to simplify, if not entirely to solve the question of excess of lug INGENIOUS DEVICES TO SAVE gage. This is a pretty blouse, simple in style, but hardly to be denon inated a shirtwaist. It is of Liberty satin, cut with a long shoulder seam, which is overlaid with a strap, below which the so-called "Gibson" pleat descends to the girdle. The front is



made after the "Duchess" model, that capable of development in mercerized is opening over a vest which is almull, or cotton grenadine, for warm | most invisible. The finish is of tan cloth carefully stitched with Corticelli chiffons and crepe de chines which go sewing silk of self color, and terminatto make up the original models, in- ing at either side in straps buttoned

A CHIC MODEL FOR A SUMMER FROCK.



Summer frocks are the chief burden on most feminine minds at present. This little model is good in its suggestions and could be made up in linen combined with a thinner material, or entirely in one of the many cotton novelties or gingham.

The points can be outlined with velvet ribbon, with braid or merely with stitching, as taste and the material employed dietate. The hat is one of the woody straws that have somehow a rather

Chinese effect. It is raised from the face by a wreath of Michaelmas daisles set under the brim. tended for the ball room. This gown over a lace scarf. The sleeves are

lawn slip exactly matching in color. This frock shows quite a new effect on the skirt by means of the unusual arrangement of the tucks, stitched with green Corticeili sewing silk. The flounce heading rises to a point in front and slopes downward at the back. Edging the flounce and the groups of tucks are placed rows of



ecru applique, which is also used to define a bolero of plain material on the tucked blouse. The pretty sleeve and shoulder-knots are of velvet

Add to Summer Toilets. Huge boas and voluminously ruffled capes in chiffon form a conspicuous feature of the summer toilet. Those in mousseline de soie, lace, tulle and Liberty silk are smart and beautiful. They are all perishable. But so marvelously do they enhance the charms of the wearer that every girl and woman who can become the proud possessor of one of these accessories pays the price without one moment's hesitation or pang of con-

The Fashionable Blouse. The odd waist has become a necessity, and one would not know how to

science.

might be charmingly reproduced in quite new, tucked from the shoulder pale green silk mull. This material to several inches below the elbow, must not be confused with mousseline and falling free from there to form de sole, or silk muslin, this being all a sort of glorified bishop's puff. The silk and requiring a silk foundation, little cuff is fitted very closely, and while silk mull is silk one way, cotton | finished with straps of cloth, stitched | hands are left free to drive the staple. edge of the pointed collar. This blouse is pretty enough for any ordinary occasion, and being without bouffant trimming, has the further advantage of permitting the coat to be readily slipped on and off.

An Appetizing Dish.

Tomatoes, because of their pleasant acidity, are suited to a great variety of combinations. An appetiizng breakfast dish is prepared with eggs and the vegetables. Wash as many round, apple shaped tomatoes as there are persons to be served. Cut a thin slice from the top of each for a cover and scoop out a sufficient space to admit the egg. Put in each a little butter, drop in the unbroken white and yolk, salt and pepper, place a dot of butter on the top of the egg. replace the cover and bake for about twenty minutes, or until the tomato is tender. Grated cheese may be sprinkled over the egg before the cover is put on.

Thre is no end of delicious stuffings for tomatoes. They may be filled with rice seasoned with salt, pepper and butter, and a dash of curry or paprika if it is wanted with a forcement made of chopped meat flavored with onion juice and parsley or with bread crumbs mixed with the tomato pulp and seasoned to taste. They will need to bake in a moderate oven about twenty minutes.

Plenty of Color.

Have you seen the new cherry red? This vivid hue will be conspicuous in gowns and hats in the early fail modes. It's a perfectly delicious color -just like a shimmery reflection of the fruit flushed into luscious ripeness. Little splashes of this color combined with pale blue are seen in the new Parisian ribbons.

His Reward. Cohenstein (rescued from the surf)

-Mine friendt, you haf haved my life Life Saver-Dat's about de size of Cohenstein-Mine friendt, nodding

is too good for you! Eef I die before you I vill sbeak apoud dis in heaven!

Work, and see how cheerful you will be. Work, and see how independent you will be .- Judge Haliburtos.

TIME AND LABOR.

Cuban "Cigarette Cartridge" May Appeal to Smokers-Convenient Barb-Wire Stretcher-Cause of Volcanic Explosions.

.ridge." Cuban "Ciga Smokers who enjoy a small cigar or elgarette better than a large cigar may find the "elgarette cartridge" shown ir the accompanying drawing to their liking. It is the invention of Alfred Leblanc of Hayana, Cuba, and the idea is to provide small cartridges of tobacco, ready to be inserted in a non-



Cartridge Inserted in the Holder Ready for Use. combustible holder, the cartridge be

ing thrown away after the contents are burned. The holder consists of a metallic or esbestos tube, with a coiled spring mounted at the base of the opening and air ducts leading from the mouthpiece to the outer end of the tube. The outer end is fitted with a conical cap having slanting sides to hold the tobacco in the cartridge against the

pressure of the spring inside the tube.

The cartridges are to be furnished in

quantity, either loaded or empty as tn s smoker may desire. To place a charge in the tube the outer cap is removed and the cartridge inserted and pressed downward until the spring is contracted, when the cap is replaced. The cigarette is then lighted through the perforation in the cap and the smoke drawn through the air ducts to the mouth. As fast as the tobacco is consumed the spring forces the ashes out of the cap and renews the supply of the weed in proximity to the air ducts. When the cartridge has been emptied the cap is again removed and the empty tube thrown out. The tubes are made with a slight taper toward the rear end, in order that the spring may slide the to

Barb-Wire Stretcher. A barb-wire stretcher which weighs only 12 ounces and can be carried in the pocket is the invention of Col. James H. Birch of Plattsburg, Mo., formerly member of Congress from the 4th district. The features claimed for this device are its simplicity, cheapness and effectiveness. With a bar of wood inserted in the ring to give the necessary leverage the wire can be drawn as tight as a drumhead and securely fastened in that position,

bacco from the tube without clogging.



keep the lever in place, while both

of the device.

Water Supplies in Texas. The flow of Texas rivers has been studied by the hydrographic parties of the United States Geological Survey. Daily records of water heights and frequent measurements by current-meter of the velocity and volume of water carried by each stream are made. The economic value of such hydrographic surveys is well illustrated by two examples. The flow of the Brazos River at Waco was the lowest on record during the past season and the Waco dam, with a head of 30 feet, pipe is connected with a suction pump developed only 139 horse-power. The or other exhaust apparatus. ! his minimum flow of the Colorado was draws the water from the soil and alfound to be only one-fifth of what was popularly estimated at the time the bonds were issued for the dam at Austin. The comparatively small cost of pregnated by drawing the cement into such surveys repays taxpayers and in-

vestors a hundred fold.

New Idea in Reporting. According to Electricity, a novel departure in boat race reporting was introduced by F. B. Howard, the agent of the Associated Press in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., with the co-operation of the Hudson River Telephone company. Mr. Howard and Manager Rupley of the telephone company were on board of the judge's boat at the finish, with a telephone connected by under water cable with the telegraph station of the Associated Press at the finish line on shore. In this way the positions of the crews crossing the line and the official time were tele phoned to the shore, and immediately telegraphed all over the country. The telephone was also used to receive the progress of the crews as they came down the course, and this information was megaphoned from the judge's boat to the yachts anchored in the neighborhood. It was a very clever arrangement, and successfully carried

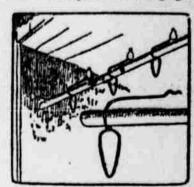
Causes of Volcanic Explosions. In the Archives des Sciences Physiques et Naturelles M. Brun sets forth a heory of the causes of volcanic exlosions based on the experiments of M. Gautier and himself. A few of his results, only, can be referred to here. They have a direct bearing on the phepomena lately displayed in Martinique His experiments at Stromboll showed

HOME AND FASHIONS. get on without it. For people who WORK OF INVENTORS that the lava flowing from the cratewas at a temperature not above 1,230 degrees C., and that the explosions arise in the superficial layers. Those of M. Gautier prove that all rocks of the earth's crust when heated above redness give off gases, principally hydrogen. The hydrogen is the principal cause of the explosions. Heated to about 1,000 degrees in the crater, it becomes explosive the moment it is mixed with air. A rock containing a per cent constituent of water is shown by calculation to give off enough hydrogen to throw twice its weight for a distance of three miles. The results quoted indicate the main lines of the theory proposed. For its full development the original paper must be consulted.

> The Tuberculosis Bacillus. According to cable telegrams Prof. Behring has just printed a book in Berlin proving that the bacilli of human and bovine tuberculosis are identical, the seeming difference between them resulting from the capacity of the bacilli to accommodate themselves to the organism in which they live. The writer announces that he has successfully infected cattle with virus from human beings, producing in this way fatal animal tuberculosis. He also declares that he has rendered cattle immune to tuberculosis by vaccinating them when they are young. Further reports of these experiments will be anxicusly awaited.

> > Divides the Poultry Roost.

The illustration shows a novelty which will recommend itself to the poultry keeper for two reasons-first, because it will prevent the fowls from crowding each other off the roosts, and, secondly, owing to the provision it makes for bringing a vermin destroyer within close proximity to the fowl while roosting, without the latter touching it. These devices can be brought into use in connection with the roosting poles already in position in the henhouse, and consequently there is no expense for changing the



Prevents Crowding and Carries Vermin Destroyer.

roosts. The invention is a simple one, consisting of a single piece of wire, which is formed into a loop near one end, with the shorter end formed into a screw to aid in inserting it in the wooden roost. The longer end is not bent to its final position until after the screw is inserted in the wood, when the loose end is twisted into the location shown, below the roost. It is an easy matter to attach a smallrag or a piece of sponge to the depending end, which can be saturated from time to time with any liquid vermicide, and the vaporizing of this liquid will serve not only to keep the vermin from crawling over the roosts, but drive the lice from the bodies of the fowls, as the odor will permeate the feathers when the birds are on the roosts at night. The inventor of this device is John H. F. Eversz, of Walla Walla, Wash.

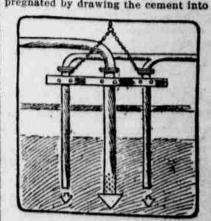
Prepares Solid Foundations. It is not entirely new to render loose soil, such as sand and gravel, stable enough for building purposes by impregnating it with thin fluid cement. which binds with the sand and forms a sufficiently hard concrete mass to serve as a foundation; but this process is always dependent apon certain conditions. Thus, for instance, the soil must contain no water, because the water fills out the interstices of the sand and renders the penetration of the other, and does very well over a with Corticelli silk, as is also the A staple-puller is a valuable feature the cement difficult, and, in addition to this, the water still further dilutes the cement, which is thin fluid already, so that it is impossible for the cement to bind and form a good foundation. Now comes a Russian inventor with an apparatus to exhaust the water from the soil simultaneously with the forcing into it of the liquid cement. This enables the cement to be properly distributed and also renders it possible to force it into the soil with less pressure than when a single forcing tube was used. As seen in the drawing the two smaller tubes pour the cement

into the sand, while the larger central

lows the liquid cement to replace it

readily, also serving as an indicator

to show when the soil has been im-



Impregnating Sand With

Cement. the tube after the water has been exhausted. The pipes have pointed heads to aid in their insertion in the earth. Nicolas Schletkiewics of St. Petersburg. Russia, has the patent on this apparatus.

"I tell you," said the landlord of the summer resort near the op of the mountain, "a man can't get too much of this pure air." "No!" gasped the tenderfoot, who

was unused to the elevation. "I can't get half enough of it!"

Parsnips, it is contended by scientists, possess almost the same virtues claimed for sarsaparilla.

HASKELL FREE PRESS SUPPLEMENT, AUG. 30.

The Breweries and the Editors.

The scheme of the Fort Worth brewery under the cover of the packeries, and in connection with them, to get the editors of Texas to go there and be entertained and be tanked up on beer and in turn go home and give them a lot of free advertising. was nearly a complete failure. When the editors caught on to the brewery attachment to the proposed entertainment most of them quietly staid at home. Many of them expressed indignation in their papers that the brewers should mistake them for sur porters and advocates of the swill tub Following are samples of the "kicks ' they made:

"It now develops that the invitation given by the Fort Worth Stock Yards Co. to the editors was really froin the Fort Worth Brewery. The press gang accepted the invitation to see how hogs are killed, not how they are made - Brownwood Banner-Bulletin

The Fort Worth Mail-Telegram resented the above and severely critleised the Banner Bulletin for giving the snap away. In retaliation the Bulletin truthfully remarks that many editors were prevented from accepting the invitation by the fact that the testivities were to be wound up at the brewery, and continues: "The great majority of the editors of this country are not in sympathy with the breweries; they have used their columns treely to teach abstinence from the use of figuors; they are identified with the churches and "religious in-"stitutions of their nome towns, and could not in good conscience be come the guests of the brewery and have their names' paraded in the daily papers as such. As a consequence, of the 200 papers that signified an intention of being represent-"ed at the reception tendered by the sions vards and packerres, only about 35 outside of Fort Worth and Daltas days were represented when the brewery teature of the programme became sknown "The editors just stayed at

The Bulletin might have added in that some of the leading country weeklies, which are strong advocates of total abstinence, were not honored (?) with an invitation to the blowout. This just happened so, of course, but to a man up a tree it looks significant. To the honor of the press be it said, however, that they were not taken in by this green goods game. They are willing to give the packeries a little free adver she good it will do the 1. Stare, but it must stop at that - the breweries must toot their own horn And now it is said there is much disassistaction expressed over the very asmall attendance .- Merkel Mail

> Mr. J. A. Couch came in "Monday from Lubbock county He'snys they have good grass since the July with his family.

The "Blind Tiger" Law.

1500 124

a discourse

the law enacted by the Twenty-sev- renewed the contract of his company onth legislature and which went into with us for another year. His comeffect Dec. 24, 1901. Prior to this pany has heretofore used only the law the "blind tigers" could lock weekly papers in Texas but, we were their doors and tefuse to allow their informed that it will spend \$20,000 premises to be searched. This law the coming year with Texas dailies. throws them wide open to the officers. The manager named one leading It is as follows:

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the for \$1500.00. Legislature of the State of Texas: There are a half dozen big propri-That Article 406 of the Penal Code etary medicine concerns in the Uniof the State of Texas be so amended ted States that pay to the newspapso as to hereafter read as follows: "

Ar de 406. If any person shall run, or shall be in any manner interested in keeping or running a blind tiger in any county, or in any justic preginct, city, town, school district, or any other subdivison of the county, in which the sale of intoxicating liquor has neen prohibited under the laws of this State, he shall be punished by confinement in the than jail not less than twelve nor more months and by a tine of not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars. Each and every day such blind tiger is run or kept snall be a separate, offense.

A blind tiger within the meaning of this article, is any place in which intoxicating liquors are sold by any device, whereby the party selling or delivering the same is concealed from the pereon buying or to whom the same is delivered. Upon complaint being filed to any justic peace descriping the place where any blind tiger is kept or run, such justice shall issue his warrant directed to and commanding the sheriff or any constable of his county to search i such place, and if the law is being violated to arrest the person so violating it; and it shall be the duty of the officer to whom such warrant is delivered to search the place described in the warrant, and to arrest and bring before the justice who issued the writ all persons found by him therein; and it admission into place is refused, the officer executing said warrant is hereby authorized to force open the same. In prosecutions under this article where it is proven that there is posted up at the place where such blind tiger is kept or run United States internal revenue liquor or matt license, to any one, it shall be prima facie proof that the person to whom such dicense is issued is keeping or running such blind tigen ?

It Needs a Tonic,

There are times when your liver Little Early Risers expel all poison from the system and act as tonic to the liver. W. Scott, 531 Highland ave., Milton, Pa., says: "I have carried DeWitt's 'Little Early Risers with me for several years and would not be without them." Small and rains and the people are in good easy to take porely vegetable. They spirits. He will return next week never gripe or distress. Terrells drug store .

-The advertising manager of the DeWitt medicine company called on Below we give an exact copy of the Free Press a few days ago and daily with which his contract was

> ers more than a million dollars year for advertising space. They are doing a legitimate business selling many valuable remedies to the people, and they are well up to their business in the advertising line, usually selecting the leading daily and weekly papers throughout the country through which to present the merits of their goods to the public. The Free Press is advertising for four or five of the largest concerns and gets the cash for it-and not sour grapes!

Women and Jewels

Jewels, candy, flowers, man -that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous effort to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consuption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G G. Green's reliable remedies at Baker's drug store. Get Green's Special Al

-Mr. W. J. Long brought in some specimen heads of milo maize from his field the other day that weighed a halt pound each.

... -Mr. A. Marchbanks sold his farm of 480 acres this week at \$8 per acre to a Mr. Strange from Collin county, who will move here this tall. It is Mr. Marchbank s intention to buy another farm in this county, and a

-A party at Avoca has written to Mr. E F. Springer that he has taken up a dark brown or black mare, about that gripe, and weaken. DeWitt's r6 hands, one white hind foot, shod all around, small sear on each fore foot. He thinks she is owned by some person in Haskell.

-Mrs. J. A. Couch and daughter Miss Stella and Miss Florence and Alvah Couch visited relatives at Munday this week.

-We were glad to see Mr. Hollis Fields up and out this week after his rug with the fever.

to Bary HA TO

agin

Bt. Louis plumbers want \$5 a day. There are 25,000 American troops is the Philippines.

Colombian revolutionists captured the gunboat Boyaca.

A storm in the vicinity of Pana, Ill., did \$150,000 damage. Hot winds have damaged cotton

around Lexington, Ok. Forty young ladles became Sisters

of Mercy at Knebs, I. T. Christoval Fruge fell dead on his

doorstep at Crowley, La. Shah of Persia has been given a warm welcome in England.

Mrs. Denny and her lafant child

were fatally byrned at Tuscola, Ill.

ton, Ky. Campaign statisties show there are in southwestern Oklahopia 1300 naturalized Indian voters.

The main building of the Marietta Paint and Color company at Marietta, C., burned. Loss, \$50,000.

Ike Wiggins was fatally stabbed by his neighbor. Leslie Garrison, in a fight near Hopkinsville, Ky.

Rev. David Hodges, for twenty-five years a prominent Baptist ciergyman, passed away at Rushville, Ill. Three fatal accidents, due to reck-

less automobile scorching, have happened in Germany the past few days. The dend body of Peter Anderson, known as the "hermit prospector" of a distance of five seats, when he Park City, Utah, was found in his

eabin. The Indiana Association of Spiritvalists held its annual compressiing at Anderson. The attendance was large.

Northern and Southern Methodist joint publishing house at Shanghal. 22-caliber. China.

Near Birdseye, Dubols county, In-

Mitchell. Prof. Agassiz of Harvard college has been knighted by the emperor of were expressed by the surgeon for his business. Merit.

King Edward has donated the gift of 50,000 pounds sterling received from the maharajah of Gwallor to the hospital fund.

Thomas Deveraugh, 78 years old after an unsuccessful attempt to kill his wife at Davis, L. T., fataily slashed his own throat.

Moses Patterson, on trial at Pine leged to have been committed twen- violent quarrel last spring, returned est in Texarkana.

Charles T. Riley, a prominent hard train at Fulton, Ky. He was en route

Because he twisted her wrists, Mrs. Mary C. McIntyre has brought suit for divorce at Logansport, Ind.

ville, S. C. Carey Styles shot and killed Walter McCarrell, and sevious, wounded his own brother Emmet

Roy Gibson, a merchant of Mills boro, Tenn., and Miss Cora Stokes, a Missouri maiden of sixteen sweet summers, who was on a visit to reatives, eloped to Arthur and a clergy

As the result of the dropping of a lighted match by a tramp into a lumber pile, 500 feet of cottonwood, gum and ash lumber were burned in the tle shipments from the new world lumber yard of the Sondheimer Lum-

More than 250 railroad blacksmiths were at Chicago last week in attend ance on the tenth annual convention of the National Railroad Master Blacksmiths' association. W. P. Sal vage of Palestine, Tex., was presid

Edward Lenehan died at Detroit Mich., from hemorrhage, caused by a bullet from Officer F. J. Lemond's revolver. Lemond discovered four met entering a grocery store. eH had a

Will Grady, 17 years old, an attache of a whiskey boat, the Kiondike, ar chored at Rosedale, Miss., shot and killed Ham Burt, barkeeper on the craft. It was a duet, in which each fired four shots. Grady was not hurt save by a blow.

of Jacob Sager & Co., at Kell, Ill., three miles south of Salem, was de-\$1000 worth of apples were consumed

The body of Mrs. J. Tuman was patory course will be sent to sea. found in a ravine near Muscatine, la

tween himself and the judge, the sheriff of Cleburne county, Alabama, declined to open court at Anniston, There is no legal method to open atives of those departing had gathered visit to the United States, and while court in Alabama except through a to say farewell and tex. and amiles in San Antonio he was the guest of Dr.

An Insane Man Attempts to Kill a fellow Passeuger

By Blowing Out His Brains-The Party Who Was Wounded Was Looking

Denison, Tex., Aug. 25 -There was a tragedy on Katy passenger train No. Schneider, a farmer, was drowned. 1 Saturday morning which shocked the Junius Allen slashed Lula Williams passengers and frightened many of with a knife at Fort Worth and then

Irbn ore of fine quality and in McDonald, a pump repairer, shooting cottonseed for the season of 1902-03 abundance has been found near Ful- him in the back. The man then on the 21st. It was shipped from Holmitted suicide.

> the man, only that he became suddenly that no one had an idea of his inten. afterward.

McDonald was leaning out of a wincupying the seat behind him, suddenly Hammer severely wounded, drew a revolver and fired at his victim. the ball striking him just above the k dnevs. The sound of the shooting caused great consternation, which was A New Jersey Man Dies From a Sin-Intensified by Ra'ra running down the aisle brandishing the revolver. He ran

The bullet had struck him just beabove his left eye. His brains and Fleidner's skin became as if scalded, blood were spattered over everything and his nurses had to swathe his enchurches have agreed to establish a around him. The revolver used was a tire body in cotton.

shooting.

FEARFUL REVENGE.

Shot His Father and Stepmother and the bid. Took Own Life.

Saturday, broke in the house, shot his father through the breast, fired ware drummer, dropped dead on a two shots into his stepmother's Greenville, Tex.: Ola Taine, 11 years breast and then blew out his brains of age, was shot and dangerously

Cudahy to Be Manager.

Omaha, Neb.: Edward Cudahy, it

Requires Much Feed.

Portland, Me .: The largest shipment of cattle ever taken across the ing of the Northwest Texas Fair asso-Atlantic left Saturday night on the ciation closed Saturday night. The atsteamship Norseman of the Dominion tendance was good and the races were line. In all, there were 1179 head of excellent, some of the fasiest horses cattle and 1308 sheep. This, accord- in the south taking part. The potato ing to Dr. F. W. Huntington, inspec- race was very interesting, being new tor of port, breaks all records of cat- to the people in this country.

Hereford, Tex.: In an altercation here T. H. Collins, an attorney, was severely cut by W. H. Rayson. There denly gone insane. are seven wounds, the most dangerous of which is one extending from near the spine to a point just below the county, was fatally stabbed. left nipple and penetrating to the to Deputy Sheriff Jewell.

OFF FOR FRISCO.

Sixty-Two Dallas Boys Enter Uncle Sam's Sea Service.

Dallas: Sixty-two Dallas boys who Texas' Executive and One From Mex have enlisted for four years' service in San Francisco Sunday night via the Texas and Pacific in two special sleepwill be sent to the naval training school near that place, and after a pre-

Among the number are some young fellows well known locally and a very In a shanty near by the unconscious large crowd gathered at the union deform of the woman's husband was pot to see them off. The embarkation found with blood flowing from several for the trip occurred at the down-town depot and every aspirant to be a "jack tar" yelled and cheered until the din was deafening. It was resumed with San Antonio to New Orleans, his ultiincreased intensity when the stop at mate destination in this country being east Dallas was made. Here the rel- New York. This is the governor's first

TEXAS TOPICS.

Matters of Interest Coming to Pass In Lone Star State.

The Central Texas Negro fair, held at Corsicana last week, was a success. Several diptheria cases are reported in Lamar county between Petty and

Citizens of Hall county resent the scatement that rangers have been kept busy in that county.

secure the International and Great Northern Railway extension.

While bathing in the Medina river two miles above Castroville Louis

shot himself to death. Both colored. As the train was passing Chill, L. T. In a difficulty at Ballinger between a small station cixty-eight miles north | Bob Pace and Bob Dees the former was

land and sold for \$11 per ton.

had a little daughter scalded so badly and murderously insane, Ills action by falling in a vessel containing boilwas so quick and so utterly unexpected ing water that she died some hours

A freight engine on the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio rilway dow, when, without a word of warning, turned over near Alpine. Engineer the maniae, George Raira, who was oc- Schwartz was killed and Fireman

PECULIAR AILMENT.

McDonald was taken off the train at May. Specialists were called, who party leaped from behind the vehicle. Atoka, and his wound was examined studied the case with much interest, and, throwing himself upon the half diana, Serman Shields was shot and by a local surgeon. At first it was not but could do nothing to relieve him recumbent passenger, sounded the killed by his father-in-law, Thomas thought to be dangerous, but a second and he died from exhaustion. He slarm. and more thorough examination show- was 44 years old, and starting as a ed a serious wound, and grave fears factory laborer had built up a large

Hospital to Be Built.

aboard the Katy flyer. 'McDonald was Texarkana, Tex.: The Cotton Belt a stranger to the man who did the has advertised for bids for the erec-

It is understood that work in the building will be commenced as soon as Salem, Mo.: William Upshaw, 20 the contract is awarded. The edifice

Did Not see Cotton Pickers.

on the railroad tracks near their wouded while she was picking cotton near Commerce. The physicians pick-The only cause that can be as ed thirteen shot out of the girls body. signed for the tragedy is that the son The charge came from a shotgun in opposed his father's second marriage the hands of an 18-year-old boy, who he shot at a bird and did not see the Deople picking cotton.

Shot by a Texan.

Ceneral City, W. Va.: John Sneed, packers' combine with \$100,000 sal- a wealthy young man, was fatally shot ary, and the Nelson Morris plant at by Edward Thomas of Texas. They quarreled over a woman.

Quanah. Tex.: The four days' meet-

Murdered His Grandmother. It will take eighteen carloads of Oklahoma City; Near Lexington, in grain and hay to feed the cattle dur- Cleveland county, a young man shot ing the ten days passage to Liver- and killed his grandmother as she lay asleep beside the murderer's sister. escaped. He is believed to have sud-

Cole Crabtree of Elmott, McLennan

A number of diphtheria cases are reported at Waxabachie.

A woman arrested at New York for begging has \$50,000.

GREETING OF GOVERNORS.

ico Meet.

San Antonio: Gov. Joseph D. Sayers of Texas, who is at the hot wells in this city for his health, and Gov. Pedro Benitz Leal, governor of the state of Nneva Leon, Mexico, one of the prosperous frontier states of the neighbor ing republic, met in the Mexican con gulate Saturday afternoon and exchanged the most cordial greetings. trip, and proposes to visit the leading cities of the United States before returning to Mexico. He goes from P. Ornecias, Mexican consul.

An American Nabob.

A Remarkable Story of Love, Gold and Adventure.

By ST. GEORGE RATHBORNE

This extraordinary meeting was one

He had in a fashion made search for

sentences-he had taken a wife and

This pleased his companion more

where money will flow into your pock-

ets. God bless you for a true-hearted

against it-I won't hear a murmur.

Go home to your wife and babies, and

luck to meet you after searching in

act of Providence. When you come to

the hotel to-morrow send up your

name to the Marquis of Montezuma."

Whereupon the McGregor was actu-

ally compelled to lean against a house

"It beats a'," was all be could mut-

When safely landed in his hotel h

The marquis had a strange feeling

yearned all through those dreary

discomfiture, and if he had hoped to

continue cruel and relentless he must

CHAPTER XIX.

Mazette Makes a Discovery.

Affairs could not continue much fur

There came the day when the mar-

The marquis was taken by surprise

when, upon entering the little studio.

exclaimed in dire dismay, for, lise all

"Why did you not tell me before?"

"Oh, Jack, how dreadfully cruel of

you," as she dropped her head in order

that he should not see the tears of

"To conceal my identity all this

time-ves, in one sense it was, but I

"What does it all mean-I hope,

that is-" and there she stopped con-

Upon which he laughed almost bois

terously and possessed himself of her

"Have no fears, little woman-my

round sum-I am the genuine article,

sess amazing gold mines in the new

from the old Montezumas of Aztec

They talked of old times, and the

many memories they had in common-

since the flight of years how predious

these recollections became-a halo

seemed to surround each incident in

those days of yore, making romantic

Really the marquis enjoyed the half

hour in Mazette's society more than

he might have cared to confess while

still hugging that determination for

vengeance in his heart-while that

grim spectre haunted his life he could

And when he said good-bye he must

needs take both her hands in his and

press them—as such an old familiar

friend should have the privilege of

doing, though it startled him a little

a see the blush that flashed athwart

what at that time had been exceeding

ly prosaic happenings.

never be wholly happy.

Mazette's cheeks.

world. I assure you my money

other hand-they were such good

she asked, as he took her hand in his.

that she was no longer blind.

She looked up troubled.

men, he felt his utter impotence under

take no chances in that direction,

ther without coming to a crisis.

one pair of eyes, at least,

such conditions.

tic disappointment.

Mazette had remembered.

napping in such a reckless way.

from him in his hour of victory.

for support, so wonderful was the in-

telligence thus communicated.

started in bravely to increase the

agreeable surprise.

crush his jolly spirits.

CHAPTER XVII (Continued.) He soon discovered that his driver of the most pleasant things that had had chosen a far from delectable route occurred to the marquis since striking to the hotel-true, it might be short- London, er, but he could not remember ever having heard of a Jehu ready to cut down the length of his journey when he had a good paying fare inside.

The marquis experienced the first little sensation of alarm, or, rather unensiness, just then. His curiosity having been aroused the marquis found means to look out of the vehicle, and was not greatly surprised when he discovered that an unknown man sat bedde the driver.

some one was riding behind, having heard various thumps that gave the secret away, and once upon twisting his head around he had a fleeting glimpse of a human eye glued to the W. E. Schubert, living at Giddings, little glass in the back canopy of the vehicle.

A very pleasant outlook, really, Being a philosophical man to a as to make as game a stand as the oc- anything you ask. Meanwhile take casion would admit. He remained perfectly cool and self-

possessed-when a man had passed through such astonishing adventures remember me in your prayers. Such as had fallen to his lot of late years he is hardly likely to show the white feather because for sooth a few London blackmatters and footpads conspire to entrap him.

He gathered his energies together and watching his chance, quietly opened the door to the left, intending to drop out without attracting the atten-A very clever little idea, and one ease of the skin, known to science as that might have worked to a beauti-

The marquis, with an agillty he had acquired from long years of athletic practice, had successfully made the drop, and was in hopes that his move Mr. Fleidner first became ill in had not been seen, when the third

> CHAPTER XVIII. In Due Time.

No doubt the Kilkenny cats had a very salubrious time of it when they indulged in their little engagement. but such an encounter could not bear comparison with the scramble in tion of its hospital at this place. The which the marquis engaged when bids must be received by Sept. 15, and these three London footpads set upon

ing with his blows as much as he possibly could, and as a result the others were enabled to throw themselves upon him.

Matters were in this mixed-up state Bluff, Ark, charged with a murder all years of age, who left home after a when completed will be one of the final result in doubt, when a he found Mazette in tears. new element was precipitated into the

> of tremendous muscular strength to:e shoulders, though he clung with such | face reproach, delight and keen artispertinacity that he carried away the collar of the marquis' coat.

The newcomer gave him a toss that sent him down a nearby area, where

announced his prompt arrival. his feet and tossed through the open door of the four-wheeler as though

Upon this the last of the trio.

row street. Thus the field was suddenly cleared of enemies in double-quick order, and friends, such old friends, there could

"Gang awa' wi' ye baith, and dinna' forget the puir de'll who lies in a Then he ran to the house of Frank muckle yonder. Man, they were mair Clines, a neighbor, and attempted to than ye could weel handle, but it did shoot the latter. He was disarmed, but me good to be of assistance to ye, and all been honestly acquired and also that's no lee," he exclaimed, assisting taken from mother earth, a present

The marquis at sound of his voice time. was stunned, but he recovered in time to cry out:

"Aweel, ye seem to know me, sir, hough I confess the honor is all on your side. Still, there is something familiar in your voice I dinna ken—it's

aged to get hold of his honest hand, and was squeezing it with much emo-

"Ah! McGregor, you're always doing something for others. The last I saw of you, my dear fellow, was when I offered myself as a target for Captain Livermore's bullet, and declined to murder him afterward."

The man from Scotia wared a roar and insisted upon embracing the other, much to the amuseriesi of the crowd that had gathered.

Wederly-My dear, is it possible

An Enchantress.

"Oh, my!" exclaimed the pretty

"Ab, no," sighed her enamored em

Trying to Shift Blame.

many good people will fall under sus-

Tired Tatters-"Wot would you do ef you wuz er millyurair, Dusty?" Dusty Rhodes-"I'd hev er privet car wid er feather bed on de trucks, dat's wot."

many a long day he had felt so lighthearted and cheerful.

The Marquis of Montezuma whistled

softly as he ran down the steps from

apology sprang to his lips, for his the following account of the phenomawkwardness seemed to have alarmed ena in a gaseous mine,

Senorita Juan!ta. should cause the marquis to tremble gerous vapor was discovered. this old and tried friend, but as yet had been unable to get track of him, this Spanish girl so far as his own so that the encounter came as a most McGregor's story was told in a few there were others:

Magette! population of Her Majesty's people

but beastly luck had swooped down mystery, since she had vowed to disupon him, and he was having a hard cover who the authoress of his wrongs avenge them.

But what had that to do with Mathan words could tell, since it opened | zette, since she was not concerned in | water.

a way for him to assist his old friend. his misery of the past? "Ah! the interest of this jealous Worry no longer, McGregor, for there is a bright future ahead. I am woman had more to do with the pres-

in a way to put you in a position ent-the future. And that was why he trembled, because suddenly overtaken with the marked degree, the marquis at once friend. There is my card—call on me overwhelming consciousness that Maset to work pooling his resources, so at ten to-morrow, and you can have zette's happiness was precious to him. The shock did more to tear away the this for a temporary loan-not a word | cobwebs with which he had concealed | lamp.' He thereupon lit his safety and the truth than anything else that could have happened.

Besides he could not forget the blush that had swept over her face as he vain-it must have been an especial said good-bye.

Dona Juanita was the first to speak -she had made a half-frantic struggle to lay hold of her veil, doubtless in the expectation of lowering the filmsy gauze in time to conceal her face, and when she found it was too late, her hand fell to one side, and she met the astonished gaze of the marquis with

a defiant smile, saying: "I have not had the pleasure of talk resolved never again to be caught ing over old times such as you promised, Senor Jack. I sadly fear you find After all, it had been an eventful other attractions too great a tax upon day, and brought both joy and regrets, | your time."

"Ah! I am a very busy man, senorita; you can readily understand that. famous man was governor of Massaas though that for which he had They shower attentions upon a suc- chusetts. The tale sounds like a recessful man in London-once I might vival of a newspaper yarn contemyears was about to be snatched away have starved to death upon the streets. The little germ was working, and in and a few lines in the morning Times it is worth retelling. due time it might leaven the whole would have been my ,soor obituary. lump-a few more such rude shocks as Now, it takes columns to chronicle my of Maine plodded a French-Canadian most simple doings, how I live, what with a trained bear, making his way he had received when those two little cherubims captured him in Fedora's I think and such stuff; Bah! I am to a county fair. At a cross road he house would certainly complete his disgusted with it all."

> en up your design for vengeance?" she and were continuing on their ways asked, fixing her great black eyes upon him as though there might be much more in this question than appeared upon the surface.

'Not yet," he answered slowly. "Ah! then there is still hope," she muttered, and he did not comprehend at the time just what this meant, quis found he could no longer blind though later on the full importance of

it burst upon him. Hope for what?-her designs were all selfish, since it never entered her head to think of others, and the future as connected with her own fortunes er, indifferently.

"Come, what has gone wrong?" he was all that concerned her. The marquis was glad when at last he saw her into a cab, and raising his hat, pressed her hand in adieu, hoping She came toward him, smiling that he might set eyes no more on the through her tears-there was upon her | belle of San Jose.

How Fedora Heard. The Livermores had vanished from "Teil you-indeed, if I only knew the sphere which they had for some what you meant I would only be too years adorned, but it was no mystery glad-this is, I-then you have dis- to the marquis, who had kept track covered all?" for it dawned upon him of their movements through those who

served him well. (To be continued.)

AFTER HUGO, SILENCE. The Great French Author's Immense

was a quarter of a century that the writer of this paragraph first saw Victor Hugo, the centenary of kiss. What is it but a pretonce to whose birth was recently celebrated, bite? It is an action plainly intended It was at a congress of European au- to convey the meaning: 'I could bite pray you are doing what is right- thors, assembled in Paris to discuss you, you see, but I won't.' the question of international copyright. Nearly all the distinguished and slaps which a lover gives to his authors then living were present at sweetheart are obviously a mimicry this congress. Ht go presided. On his of blows, regarded simply as privi right was M. Leon, the French min- leged marks of endearment. When ister of public instruction, and on his he clasps her in his arms it is the left was Turgenieff, the g eat Ru sian sense of capture which thrills him, novelist. It was the opening day of and of being captured which thrills the congress, and Hugo delivered an her."-London Tit-Bits.

address of welcome to the delegates. At the conclusion of his address, a delegate arose and began to discuss the question before the congress. He had not spoken a dozen words when an ironclad in the tropics is nearly a the presiding officer rapped him to or-"Silence!" said the president. "Nobody speaks after Hugo. The con gress is adjourned until tomorrow!" There was no dissent from this ruling crete. The aqueduct for the conveyof President Hugo, and the delegates

dispersed. It was an impressive demonstration of Hugo's tremendous appreciation of miles, is provided with what are techhimself, as well as of the profound respect in which he was held by his lit- tervals of thirty feet, to enable the erary contemporaries.

A sawmill is successfully run by a woman near Plainfield, N. J. Mrs. David Blackford carries on this industry, performing the part of engineer, and hiring a man and boy for kept in the Blackford family. Mrs. Blackford is a comely young woman, mechanical parts of the sawmill, turning out extra fine work.

Owner Goes With It. Mr. Gabble (reaung paper)-"Oh, the shirt-waist is going out!" Mr. Henpeck-"It is so; almost ev ery evening and leaving its owner's

husband home to clean up the dishes and things." Mr. Slopay-I want a neat business

suit; something in the way of s small plaid, I thought. Tailor (significantly)-I was thinkGAS IN COAL MINES

the studio. It was the first time is Dangerous Explosive Accumulates in

Spite of Greatest Care. Being reminded of some of his own As the lower steps were a little experiences by the recent disaster in gloomy he almost ran over a lady in the Cambria mine, Frederick E. Sathe act of ascending. Of course an ward of the Coal Trade Journal gives

her. The next instant the Marquis "I had been invited," said he, "to uttered an exclamation of astonish- visit a property which was said to ment in which there was also a trace possess a seam of coal of unusual of alarm, for, as he turned to the lady thickness and purity. It was, neverhe found himself looking into that theless, a notoriously gassy mine, inbeautiful but dangerous face of the somuch that the fire boss made regular rounds to test the working places Why the sight of a lovely face and calk up warning signs if too dan-

might seem a mystery, but he knew "Going down a 200-foot shaft on a the reason—it was not that he feared platform elevator without sides (simply the guide rods), in company with personal safety was concerned, but the tire boss, I walked along the main entry for one-halt a mile, viewing the coal by the light of our little tin-cup That Dona Juanita had been dogging lamps. Presently, on appreaching a his footsteps of late he had no doubt visibly cracked roof, my guide said with a pair of twins as a beginning, and her motive in doing so was no that he would show me what gas was and how it was put out. He held his lamp up near the crevice in the roof Before now he had known that pull at present, though nothing could in the past might be in order to and forthwith there was a floating of blue gas along the roof near the crevice. like burning alcohol in a basin of

> " We will not let it get ahead of us,' said the guide, and with that he took off his coat and brushed out the haming gas, driving it away from the crevice. If he had driven it toward the crevice the roof might have come down. As if this were not enough, the guide said: "I will show you where it is not even safe to go with an ordinary blew out the other tin-cup lamps. We walked along the entry until we came to a place which led up the face of the coal. Climbing upon that which had been broken down the guide lifted his safety lamp and the blue flame began

> to dance around the gauze. "This daily tour of the fire boss no doubt saves many lives, but there is often a quick accumulation in places where he has found nothing danger-

ous."

HIS PRIDE WAS HURT.

And Frenchman Threatened to Take a Mean Revenge.

A story was told at a recent dinner of a New York literary club which goes back to the time when a certain poraneous with its hero. At any rate,

Along a country road in the north met a long-whiskered yankee driving "Tell me, Senor Jack, have you giv- a mule. They nodded to each other when suddenly the Frenchman pricked up his ears.

"G'long there, Napoleon!" the farmer drawled to his mule. The Frenchman stopped short and

listened again. "Git ap, Napoleon," called the yan-

"I say, ma fren," called the Canadian, bringing his bear to a halt, "what for you call ze zhackass Napoleon?" "That's his name," replied the farm

"Well, he is no name for a zhack ass. Napoleon was a great general. "So's my mule," replied the other, good-naturedly. "Geddap, Napoleon, The Frenchman lost patience, "Look 'ere, me fren." he said, "you call zat zhackass Napoleon wance more time I tell you w'at I do. You see zat black bear? Wall, I poke his one eye out

an' call him Ban Butler."-Youth's Companion.

Two Startling Suggestions. It is rather startling to find that all the most effusive signs of affection in use to-day are nothing more or less than relics of barbarism-a modified form of attack. Such, at least, is the opinion of "Student" (Oxford), who claims to be an authority on the sub-

"Take, for example," he says, "

"In the same way the playful pats

Iron and Concrete Must Breathe A battleship is over six inches longer in summer than in winter, and foot longer than her sister ship in a more northern sea. One of the most powerful breathing materials employed for engineering work is conance of the water for London, extending from Bell Weir to Hampton, a distance of about eight and three-quarter nically termed expansion joints, at in-

Men and Women Workers. Nearly all the British census re-

material to breathe.

turns prove that man works more and woman less toan they did ten years ago. Thus the figures for Staffordrough work. Her husband spends six shire just issued show that the nummonths of each year in South America, ber of men (i. e., males over ten) searching for lumber, and thus he employed has increased from 83.6 per profits of the lucrative business are hundred in 1891 to 84.8 in 1901; whilst the number of women (i. e., females over ten) has decreased from who supervises al. the financial and 30.1 per hundred in 1891 to 28.5 in 1901. This is evidence of prosperity, since when times are really good the woman is not forced into the labor market. True in many directions more and more women find employment-many more are teachers and clerks, for instance—but the great decrease in the number of domestic servants brings down the general percent-

> The man who takes up a lot of your valuable time is seldom able

mouta shut when you have nothing w

ing of something in the way of a say.-Atchison Globa.

Haskell Free Press. SHOT ON A TRAIN

AND ENDS HIS OWN EXISTENCE High.

Out of a Car Window.

them almost out of their wits.

suddenly sprang from his seat, drew a to sew him up. pistol and fired point-blank at I. E. turned the weapon on himself and com-

There is no explanation of the act of

to the floor of the car dead.

Germany with the Prussian Order of life. It was decided to send him to the Sedalia hospital, and he was put

Conductor Kelley o fthe St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern railroad was seriously injured in a wreck be tween Wagoner and Fort Gibson, I. T.

Styles, and Ernest McCarrell.

ber company at Cairo, Ill.

round of shots with them and wingo | pleual membrane. Raysor surrendered

The fxdt evaporating establishment stroyed by fire. Loss, \$4000. About ingears. From San Francisco they

Waxahachie is making an effort to

of Denison, about 11:25, a passenger so badly cut it required 125 stitches Temple received her first carload of

gular Skin Malady. New York: Rudolph Fleidner of stopped and pointed the weapon at his New Brunswick, N. J., is dead, after tion of the two cronies upon the seat own head, pulled the trigger and sank a lingering illness from a rare dispemphigus vulgarus. No other case ful issue only for one thing-he had low the right side of the jaw and of the disease has ever been known in forgotten the fellow who was riding in passed through his head, coming out the United States, it is asserted, the rear of the "growler."

each one must be accompanied by cash | him. or certified check for 10 per cent of The fellow on his back was interfer-

and took a bitter dislike to his step- was hunting near by. The boy says a crash of glass and startled screams Then this unexpected ally turned his attention to the others-the marquis, freed from his tormentor in the rear, had opened his batteries upon them afresh, and was dealing out his blows with reckles abandon, when he mortification. saw one of them snatched bodily from

> had an object in it all, I assure you, he might have been a mere sack of he declared sturdily. proved to be no other than the driver. uttered a yell of fear and, scrambling in haste to his scat, laid the whip on | fused. his horse and clattered down the nar-

the manner of their disposal seemed be no harm in this natural and innoto greatly amuse the muscular, redcent action. bearded giant who had come so opportunely to the assistance of the bepatent of nobility was issued in the regular way at Madrid, for the usual the Marquis of Montezuma. As to my wealth, you have heard that I pos-

to brush the gentieman off. 'Donald McGregor, by my life it is!'

verra curious." The marquis by this time had man-

Mrs. Wederly-What month is it that people consider unlucky for marthat you have forgotten we were married in June? typewriter, "I'm afraid I'm a wretched ployer, "you are mistress of all sorts

Enthusiastic Poet: "I intend to publish my poems under the name of Smith."

His Friend: "But just think how

MISSION OF MILES

The General Will Ere Long Visit the Philippine Islands.

GOES ON A TRIP OF INSPECTION

His Enquiries Will Relate Chiefly to the Discipline Maintained by the Army and Its Supplies.

Washington, Aug. 27.-The war department Tuesday evening gave but the order issued to Gen. Miles to go to the Philippines. It is signed by William Carey Sanger, acting secretary of war, and is as follaws:

Sir: I have the honor to state that purchasers. your application for authority to inand to supplies of all kinds"

in a set of reports.

In the absence from Washington of Gen. Miles, no one at army headquarters is fully authorized to discuss the details of his projected trip. But it is believed here he will be accompanied These Were the Missiles Used in by at least two members of his staff, namely, Lieut, Col. Whitney and Col. Reber, the latter his son-in-law. Col.

THROUGH THREE STATES.

President Was in that Number of Commonwealths Tuesday.

Augusta, Me.: President Roosevelt Tuesday passed through three states. delivered eight speeches and received the plaudits of a quarter of a million of people. The greeting which has marked his progress through New England has been flattering in the extreme.

The day's journey was not without ing about two miles west of Mansfield, its incidents. As the president was died Monday night from the effects of about to board his car at South Law- a dose of carbon-bisulphide. rence, Mass., after delivering his adold friend. The man, evidently desir- but got the wrong bottle. ing the president to know that he had profited by his advice given some years ago, said to him: "You told me to get married and settle down, and I did. I have got six children myself." This afforded the president no little

Leaving about Sept. 15, and allowing a month for a tour of inspection of the principal islands of the archipelago. Gen Miles should return to Washington early in January next.

City Bombarded.

Caracas, Venezuela: Cludad Bolivar, capital of the state of Bolivar, has been bombarded by a Venezuelan government warship and many persons were killed or wounded. The place has a large British population and the British subjects have requested that a warship of Great Britain be sent for their protection.

both the government troops and the matter. revolutionists.

Cotton States Association.

sociation of Commissioners of Agricul. self. ture began its fourth annual convenber at the state capitol.

B. C. White and W. A. Orten are also in attendance, representing the son was admitted to bail in \$750. United States department of agricul-

Commissioner Thomas H. Paine of Tennessee called the meeting to order City says that Sergt. Coon of Troop and introduced President S. L. Pat. H. Thirteenth cavalry, was drowned terson of North Carolina, who pre- while attemptaing to swim Yellowsided.

TOWN RETAKEN.

Limbe is Now in Possession of the Provisional Government.

Cape Haitien: The town of Limbe,

The defenders of Limbe were regunboat Crete A. Pierrot, which is the Firminist vessel.

to take command of the troops of the provisional government. battle also took place Tuesday a Marmelade, but details of this engage-

United States cruiser Cincinnati arrived here from Laguayra

DISCOVERED DEAD.

The Tragic Fate of a Galveston Ladat Beaumont Tuesday.

Beaumont: Miss L. M. Vogel of Galveston was found dead in her bed at the Oaks hotel in this city at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Vogel came to Beaumont last Wednesday and went to the Oaks hotel, where she registered and was assigned to a room on the second floor. During her stay there she has not mingled with the people in the hotel, except in a business way. From what has been learned it seems she either owned or controlled some land on Galveston Island near the oil wells being bored there, and she was endeavoring to sell some of this land to Beaumont operators. It is said that she had about completed some sales and was to have conferred with Col. Henry Exall Tuesday morning for the "War Department, Aug. 26., 1902.— purpose of meeting some prospective

When she failed to appear for lunspect that portion of the army serving cheon the maid went to the room In the Philippines is approved by the about 1:30 in the afternoon and went president. You will sail about the 15th in to awaken her and discovered that of September, and, inspecting the con- she was dead. A physiciar and the dition of the army, will give particular coroner were summoned and an exattention to its instruction, discipline amination developed that she had been dead for some time, possibly It is the understanding that in that eight or ten hours. She was lying on capacity, though of superior rank, Gen. the bed in her street clothes. Her Miles will not interfere in any way knees were slightly drawn up. About with either Gen. Chaffee or his suc- her neck was a handkerchief drawn cessor, Gen. Davis, in the direction of so tightly that the cord-like fabric was the army in the Philippines. He will buried deep in the flesh. The handcritically examine the conditions as he kerchief was securely tied with a finds them, devoting his attention en. double knot and her hands were tighttirely to matters of army administra- ly gripped in each cord of the handtion and not to political affairs, and the kerchief. The physician who was callresults of his work will be embodied ed was not requested to make an examination into the cause of death.

Miss Vogel's mother was communicated with.

JUGS AND MUGS.

Fight About a Dog.

Northup, Tex.: Monday at Warda, Mads, who is the inspecting officer of a colored man and white man began the staff, may also accompany Gen. fighting about a dog which caused general race trouble. When the fight was over one white and three colored men were severely wounded. One white man was cut in three or more places and was compelled to call for medical aid. The wounds were sewed up by the doctor. They were very painful and if just a fraction deeper would have opened the bowels. Two of the colored men were badly bruised on the head with jugs and mugs.

> From Carbonbisulphide. Mansfield, Tex.: John H. Light, an old citizen of this neighborhood, liv-

Mr. Light had got the poison to kill dress, the leader of the band stepped ants and had it in a Peruna bottle, unup and made himself known to him. wrapped. Monday he also got a bot-He said his name was Banan, a former the of Peruna for medical purposes cow-puncher and barber at Medura, and on going home put the medicine N. D., where the president's ranch is away with the poison. He was being located. The president immediately rushed to get ready for his dinner and recognized him and greeted him as an in the hurry went to get the medicine,

Lumber Company Fails.

Kansas City, Mo.: The Culver Lumber company, successor to the Kansas City Southern Lumber company, owning extensive timber forests at Craighead. Ok., with lumber yards in Kansas City, Mo., and a sash, door and box factory at Kansas City, Kan., was placed in receivership hands on the application of H. A. Culver, the company's manager.

Assets are estimated at \$650,000 and liabilities at \$250,000.

STABBED TO DEATH.

Defendant, Witnesses Say, Was Forced to Do the Deed.

Lake Charles, La.: L. Stephenson, chief engineer for the King Ryder Lumber company at Bonami, stabbed It is alleged that atrocities have Charles L. Williams, the mill foreman, been committed at Ciudad Bolivar by to death during a quarrel over a trival

Williams was of an overbearing nature and, witnesses say, assaulted Ste-Nashville: The Cotton States As- phenson and forced him to defend him-

Williams was 47 years old, a Swede tion here Tuesday in the senate cham- unmarried, and had no relatives here. Stephenson is 35 years old, married, and came from Lufkin, Tex. Stephen-

Drowned in the Yellowstone.

Butte, Mont.: A special from Miles stone river.

MURDER MYSTERIES.

Beaumont is Excited Over the Find ing of Two More Bodies.

Beaumont: It seems that Beau eighty-two miles north of Port au mont is to pass through another series Prince, has been attacked and recap- of murder mysteries similar to that tured by troops of the provisional gov- which originated so much excitement ernment. Limbe was in the possession several months ago when five or six of Firminist soldiers from the Arti- bodies were taken from the river in bonite district. The fighting was severe a short space of time. Sunday the and lasted from midnight until mid- body of a white man was found floatday. Many on both sides were killed. ing in the Neches river about half a mile below the drawbridge of the Kaninforced by marines landed from the sas City Southern railway, and Tuesday the second body was found in the same vicinity. The last floater found Gen. Alex Norde has gone forward was buried without identification, but from appearances it was the body of a Mexican laborer between 30 and 40 years of age. The body had evidently been in the water about two days, and ment are lacking. Cape Haltien is when found was among some bushes and logs in such a way as to make

it necessary to tow it up the river be-

fore it was removed.

TALKS OF TRUSTS

President Addresses a Large Gath-

ering on the Subject.

the Chief Executive Impart His Views on the Matter.

men. His speech here was devoted ence and friendly counsel. almost entirely to the consideration of the trust question. From the hall the president went to the Hotel Touraine. where a little later in the evening he was the guest of Gov. Crane at dinner.

At Boston a brisk shower of rain failed to discourage the crowds that stood along the streets through which President Roosevelt passed on his way to the hall, where he addressed an audience of 5000. From the moment of the president's arrival at the North Union station from Lynn he was warmly acclaimed. He was officially welcomed by Gov. Crane and Mayor Collins.

The party was escorted to carriages and guarded by the First battalion of every seat and every inch of standing room had been taken. To the strains of "Hail to the Chief," played on tha great argan, the president appeared greeting.

made a forty-minute discourse on the question of suppression of illegal comthe most effective remedy.

Will Be Abandoned. Brussels: The Boer generals have longer required after the end of Sep-

desirability of his surrender of his position as representative and on the retirement of Dr. Leyds it is thought Reitz will become leader of the irreconciables and attempt to organize an anti-British campaign in Europe.

Two Soldiers Desert.

Laredo, Tex.: Monday two United States soldiers stationed at Fort McIntosh deserted and escaped into Mexico. One was a prisoner under twenty months' sentence at hard labor and the other was his guard.

Crushed by Elevator. Indianapolis, Ind.: Luke E. Ryan, an employe of a dry goods company here, was killed Sunday in the elevator of the Grand hotel. The body was mangled beyond recognition, being forced through a space five inches

wide. The elevator has two entrances. the rear door having been left open. Mr. Ryan leaned back and was crushed instantly. He lived at Brockton, Mass., was 39 years old and unmar-

Diphtheria at Rusk. Rusk, Tex.: An epidemic of diphtheria has struck the town. One child died Saturday and children in four other families in town are thought to be afflicted with the disease. Services in suspended Sunday for fear of spreading the infection,

Shah of Persia was given a grand reception at Paris.

at Philadelphia.

Democratic primaries.

Why They Were Dismissed. Shenandoah, Pa.: The school board of Mahany township removed six of A Prominent Citizen of Dallas Crosses the oldest teachers in the township. The reason given was that members of the families of these teachers July 30.

Crap Game Tragedy. 45-caliber pistol. He was brought to After the war Col. Obenchain came up and is now in jail.

he will spend ten days incognito.

STATE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

First Meeting of the State Executive Committee Soon to Be Held.

first meeting of the executive committee of the State Farmers' Institute will be held in the office of Farm and MASSACHUSETTS' METROPOLIS Ranch in Dallas. Important matters will be considered at this meeting and it is hoped that a full system of institutes may be arranged and agreed Tors Out in Goodly Number to Listen to upon. The friends of institutes or those parties who desire that institutes be held in their communities, are invited to be present and advise with the institute officers. Those who Bonton, Mass., Aug. 26.-The week's can not attend the meeting are rework for President Roosevelt in his quested to send letters of application trip through New England began in wanted for the fall or winter seasons, earnest Monday afternoon when he de- addresed to the secretary. Oswald Wilparted from the summer home of the son. The morning will be devoted to junior senator from Massachusetts, constitution and organization, and in Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, at Nahant, the afternoon a schedule of institutes and amid the enthusiasm of the great- will be definitely arranged and the est number of people he has faced lectures announced as far as practicasince the Pittsburg visit on July 4, ble. It is expected that the services rode into Lynn under cavalry escort of some of the lady lecturers will be and spoke from a platform in the city available for some of the institutes to hall. Then he was taken to Boston be held. Let the friends of this moveby special train and on arrival went ment support the executive committo Symphony hall, there addressing a tee in this important meeting and engreat gathering of Boston business courage these officers by their pres-

The State Farmers' Institute, organized at the last session of the Farmers' congress has received a number of invitations to hold meetings in several communities but it has been found necessary to systematize our efforts and so economize our efforts and so economize the time and energy that will be put forth as to improve the agricultural prosperity of

J. H. CONNELL. Pres. Texas State Farmers' Institute, Dallas, Tex.

OSWALD WILSON.

Secretary, Houston, Tex. CINNABAR DEPOSITS.

cavalry, proceeded to the hall. Here They Are Much More Extensive Than at First Supposed.

Austin: Dr. W. D. Phillips, professor of field geology in the state unisilenced by the spontaneous wave of geological survey, has made some important mineral discoveries in Brews-With a few formal remarks Gov, ter county, according to information Crane introduced the president, who received here. It is stated that while conducting the annual survey in that binations. He declared that greater of quicksilver. The vein of this disof the town of Boquillas, near the Rio Grande border, and about fifty miles east of the Terlinqua quicksliver dis- plause.) trict. It is believed that the new field notified the employes of the Transvaal will develop into one of the richest legation that their services will be no quicksilver districts in the country. The rock formation in which these tember, when the legation will be aban- quicksilver veins are found is believed to extend across the Rio Grande into This is When they conferred with Dr. Leyds. Mexico and a quicksilver district will ast week, the generals suggested the probably be opened up on the other side of the river.

Killed Her Husband.

Austin: Tillie Roberts, colored probable that former State Secretary shot and killed her husband, Howard, Sunday night at their home near Water Station. She surrendered, claiming self-defense, and bears a painful knife wound on her brenst.

Bank Robbed.

Aberdeen, S. D.: The First National bank was robbed of \$3800 in silver Sunday night. The robbers entered the basement, thence going upstairs. They cut a hole in the vault through the side steel. The chest was not opened, the silver being stored in sacks in the vault outside the safe. There is no clue.

SHOT SIX TIMES.

Wells Landrum Killed and His Daugh der Wounded.

Wills Point, Tex.: Wells Landrum living southeast of here, was shot six times times Sunday morning, about 8 o'clock, dving almost instantly. His daughter was struck near the knee by a stray bullet and the wound is a serious one. Joe Burress has been arrested. Landrum was about 45 years old and Burress 25 or 30.

Mandamus Papers Served. Austin: Mandamus papers were served on the city officials, secured in the Federal court by J. W. Hamer, the churches and Sunday-schools were representing the bondholders of the old water and light company. The mandamus directs all city officials to do their respective duties in levying and collecting a tax of one-fourth of 1 per cent to pay annual installments J. C. Bullitt, a noted lawyer, died of \$22,500 in liquidation of \$264,250, which was the purchase price for the Gov. Jelks of Alabama carried the said plant and satisfying judgments for hydrant rentals.

COL. OBENCHAIN DEAD.

the River of Death.

Dalles: Col. O. T. Obenchain died were non-union mine workers. suddenly at his home, 450 North Har-Among those affected is Miss Anna wood street, Monday, aged 76 years. Beddall, sister of Joseph Beddall, A stomach trouble, with which he hes who was killed during the riot of been afflicted a number of years, caused his death. He leaves an only son, Harry Obenchain.

Nacogdoches, Tex.: Lige Price and Near Danville, Va., Mr. Obenchain Henry Randall, negroes, became in- was born in 1826. From 1847 to 1849 volved in a difficulty over a game of he and a brother of Gen. Cabell piloted craps Sunday at Sand Hill church, a newspaper, the Danville Register. fourteen miles east from town. Price He cast his lot with the Southern was shot through the body with a cause and rose to the rank of colonel.

town, and died on Monday. Ran- to Texas. He has been a citizen of dail came to town and gave himself Dallas for more than twenty-five years. He built the Ervay street railway line, London: The shah bid farewell to and was prominent in other railway England after a week's round of gay- enterprises. He was an active memeties. He has gone to Paris, where her of Sterling Price camp of Confes erate Veterans of this city.

VISITS HARTFORD

President Roosevelt Addresses Wage Dallas: On Sept. 6 at 10 a. m. the

Earners at that City.

There Was an Immense Gathering at the Coliseum, Where the Executive Dis-

cussed Government Problems.

sand men and women crowded the go to work in the afternoon, Collseum Friday night to hear the ad- About 2:30 o'clock A. K. Bonta apfested by them when the president al- witness, "it literaly rained niggers." uded to the rights of the toiler aroused "Mr. Bonta must have had 500 men of cholera morbus. good" evoked prolonged laughter.

of Hartford (loud applause) to the president of the United States.

"I listened to an admirable little address by Father Sullivan. Now, in his smoked." speech he was kind enough to allude to me personally, but he laid special stress, as he ought to lay it, upon the fact that it was a gift from the wageworkers, upon whom ultimately this upon the stage, but the organ was soon versity, who is at the head of the state sentence in which he expressed his belief that I would do all I could to show apart. myself a good representative of the

wageworkers. for the position that I now occupy if I with Bonts. section he discovered some rich veins failed to do all that in me lies, to act as light is given me, to act so as to power for the Federal government was covery is about fifty miles northeast reperesent the best thought and purpose of the wageworkers of the United States." (Loud and continuous ap-

The president made reference to the problems of the government.

HANGED HIMSELF.

the Supposition Relative Fate of Marshall.

Russellville, Ky.: Hugh Marshall, the man who was accused of murdering Miss Zoda Vick near here last Wednesday, was found Friday hanging in a barn about one mile from the scene of the crime. Decomposition had set in on the body, and he had evidently been hanging for a day or so.

it is not definitely known whether he hanged himself or was hanged by a mob, but it is thought by most persons that he killed himself. He was found by W. C. Bilyen in his barn near the scene of the murder.

After Wife Deserters. Washington: Gen. Chaffee reports he will dishonorably discharge soldiers

who marry and desert Filipino women.

POSTMASTER ROBBED. Six Hundred Dollars and a Great

Many Stamps Taken. Stuttgart, Ark.: Deputy Postmaster Sockland of this place was held up, bound and gagged by robbers about 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening as he was about to close the office. The robbers then took \$600 in money and about \$800 worth of stamps and made their escape. Sockland's groans attracted the attention of passers-by an hour later, and he was released. The

Trinity Church's New Rector. Norwalk, O. Rev. Charles A. Aves, for sixteen years rector of the St. Paul's Episcopal church of this city, has resigned to accept a third call to Trinity church, Galveston, one of the largest ville. and wealthiest Episcopal churches in the south. He will receive \$4000 a year. salary.

Rains in India. Bombay: Good rains have fallen in east India just in time to save the crops, removing the immediate fears

MADE HIS ESCAPE.

of famine.

W. F. McDonald, the Alleged Bigamist, Gets Away From Officers.

New Orleans: William F. McDonald. a warrant charging him with bigamy sippi, escaped from the officers here.

escape.

"IT RAINED NIGGERS."

Another Interesting Incident in Street car Affairs at Dallas.

Dallas: Friday morning a large force of men were put to work on Argyle avenue, in Oak Lawn, by the Consolidated railway people They dug a PRESENTED WITH FLORAL GIFT long trench down the center of the street for the distance of nearly a cotton buyers this season. mile, in which, it is supposed, they proposed to place ties and rails

But about noon work was stopped and the word went forth that a search \$1,868,600, an increase of \$51,780 over had been instituted by them to secure teams with which to haul ties and rails. They are said to have been un-Hartford, Conn., Aug. 23.-Five thou- able to secure a sufficient number to

dress of President Rooseveit. At least peared on the scene in his automowo-thirds of the audience were work- bile. Thereafter, to quote the words ingmen, and the enthusiasm mani- of H. H. Williams, who was an ere-

he keenest interest. Again and again at work there by dark," said Mr. Willduring his prefatory remarks, which lams. "They did not undo any of the were based on an incident of the after- work that had been done by the Con- been filed at Austin. noon-the presentation of a floral solidated, but merely put their own horseshoe by the workingmen-the lies and rails into the trench that had resident was interrupted by vociferous been made. When the men got to applause. Such side remarks as the work just before dark they were lustfollowing: "I do not care how honest lly cheered. When it got too dark for a man may be, if he is timid he is no the laborers to proceed witout lights every lamp in Oak Lawn was placed "Before beginning the speech that I at their disposal and mesengers were had intended and still intend to make dispatched for laterns. Many a resito you, I wish to aliude to an incident dent took a kerosene lamp and stood that happened during the afternoon by the laborers, affording them all the which struck me as more important light possible until the moon came up. than what I have to say to you. On which it did not do until about 10:30 Springs and was badly hurt. being driven around your reautiful o'clock. Everybody seemed glad to city I was taken through Pope park see Mr. Bonta and his men. The won- Dan Lynn was stabbed in a jaw. A and stopped at a platform, where I en made great quantities of lemonade man named Love was arrested. was presented with a great horseshoe for the workers, and it was served, ice of flowers, the gift of the workingmen cold, by the boys of the neighborhood. several boxes of good cigars. Everybody worked, and as they worked they

By 11 p. m. track had been laid from the grounds of the Dallas Golf and Country club to Oak Lawn avenue and west of the church on the corner many a wagonload of ties had government depends, and he coupled been dumped. The ralls were so weld. two vines this year that average fifty the words of greeting with a certain ed together that it will require almost pounds. They were cultivated but litsuperhuman power to wrench them

At midnight Judge Morgan granted a temporary injunction against the McAleer of Dallas president. The "Gentlemen, I should be utterly unfit Consolidated people for interfering last named city was selected for the

TO BUILD A LEVEE.

People of East Waco Will Be Protect ed From Overflows.

Waco: The people of East Waco, with four railways co-operating, have about completed arrangements for the construction of a levee on the margin of the Brazos river, which will prevent any future inundation on that side of

the river, however high the freshet. The overflow can be counted upon blennially and sometimes it occurs .wo successive years, flooding about fifty valuable blocks. The railways intending to help in building the levee are the Texas Central, the Houston and Texas Central, the Cotton Belt and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas. The levee will cost about \$15,000 and will be a permanent structure.

Returned With a Bride.

Fort Worth: Hon. Less L. Hudson of this city, Democratic nominee for floater from this district, sprung a firstclass surprise on his friends Friday by returning home with a bride. Mr. Hudson left the city some weeks ago and did not confide to even most intimate friends where he was going and when he would return.

Heat on Heart Failure.

Houston: Judge J. C. Matthews, acting as coroner, held an inquest Friday on the body of John McNamara, who was found dead on Clark and Conti streets shortly after noon. Death cific shops and leaves two children about 50 years old.

Fatal Spider Bite. Mexia, Tex.: Dick Wortham, sor robbers had taken his watch. No clew of Hon. John L. Wortham, was bitten International and Great Northern railby a spider while sweeping out his father's barn on the morning of Aug. 21, from the effects of which he died the track just in front of the moving Friday.

> George Lopas, Jr., secretary of Texas Masonic grand chapter, died at Flores-

Charles M. Schwab has gone on a trip to Europe.

BODIES HELD.

There Seems to Be a Mystery Con nected With Affairs.

Paris: There is evidently some mystery connected with the fact that the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fair have not been shipped from Paris. It was originally arranged that the bodies should be withdrawn from the Church of the Madeline Friday afternoon. At that hour two underwho was arrested at Taylor, Tex., on takers' vans were waiting at the door of the vault to receive the coffins, when committed in Madison county, Missis- orders came sending them away until 9:30. At that hour the vans were McDonald was on his way to Canton, again on time, but the removal of the officer permitted the prisoner's brother bodies was again countermanded and to take him out for a talk, when he it is believed their removal has been

took advantage of the opportunity to postponed until an indefinite time. In the meantime lawyers represent-McDonald, it is said, has been mar- ing the families of Mr. and Mrs. Fair ried, eleven times, and eight of his have been closeted at the American wives are still living. He is alleged to consulate here all evening with Consul have married five women in as many General Gowdy, who, it is understood, counties in Mississippi, and have two cabled Washington earlier in the day

Cotton is being picked.

Childress county had a heavy rain on the 19th.

Greenville barbers have organized

Boil worms have destroyel much cotton around Savoy, Fannin county. Taxable values of McKinney are

Taxable rolls of Corsicana foot up \$4,297,860, an Insrease of \$403,365 over

The entire pear crop of Dickinson, about twenty carloads, has been sold

J. A. Templeton, an old resident of Lamar county, dled at Garrett's Bluff

The charter of the Cuero Creamery company, capital stock \$10,000, has

damaged their cotton. Gabino Arango, a Mexican, was

miles southeast of Taylor. Houston sailed from New York last

week for a European trip.

In an affray in a Childress saloon

The Old Settlers' association of Denton county held a successful reunion The men rustled around and procured at Sanger last week. Denton holds

> Navarro county will hold an election in November relative to the issu-

A. W. Hooper of Covington, Hill

county raised nineteen pumpkins on The Ancient Order of Hibernians,

1903 convention. The annual Holiness campmeeting at Big Sandy, Waich began Aug. 6. closed with the night service of the 17th. It was a successful meeting, the

county show the taxable values for 1902 to be \$11,712,000. This is an increase of more than three-fourths of a million dollars over last year.

who lived between Brookston and High, Lamar county, was thrown from his wagon one night last week while returning home from Paris and killed. Rev. George W. McDonald, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church of Temple, has accepted a call to the

Baptist church, Dallas, to become effective Sept. 1. Dr. T. C. Osborn, one of the best known medical writers in the south and discoverer of the bichloride treatment of smallpox, died at Clebarne on the night of the 19th. He was a phy-

sician half a century. In an altercation at Dallas Fred Herrling, residing three miles east of that city on the Kaufman road, was struck in the head with a scale weight and his skull crushed. M. T. Slaughter

was placed under \$500 bond.

A great many stockmen west of the Nueces will have been shipping their stock east of that stream to pasturage, Hundreds of the animals have died and many of the living ones are in a pitiable condition.

is attributed to heat or heart failure. Southern Pacific docks at Galveston He was a laborer in the Southern Pa- while assisting in unloading the steamship El Cid. Too much weight was and some other relatives here. He was placed on one end of a truck causing en leg.

Rev. Dr. R. C. Buckner, superinten-

J. A. Brent, a former conductor on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway, has filed suit at Denton in the sum of \$25,000 for damages alleged to have been sustained by him in a col-

meeting of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Daughters of Erin last week at Galveston. There was considerable business of an important character transacted. An excursion on the bay was a pleasing event.

Two contraband Chinamen were caught seven miles north of El Paso by John Graham, a ranchman. He guarded them through the night, but one made his escape. The other one be took to El Paso and turned him ever to Federal authorities.

by Officer Merritt of Ennis, arrested at the latter city a man who is wanted in Van Zandt county. The party who was placed under arrest is alleg to have kidnapped his sister, who is

TEXANETTES.

Greenville has a golf club.

Dallas expects to have twenty-one

to a Chicago firm.

Some farmers of Dallas county report that the boll worm has greatly

stabbed to death at Byersville, ten Judge R. S. Lovett and family of

The 4-year-old son of J. J. Alexander fell from a wagon at Sulphur

ance of \$150,000 bonds to be used for the erection of a new courthouse.

in session at Galveston, elected J. A.

congregations being large. The assessment rolls of Lamar

J. J. Whitley, a well known farmer,

pastorate of the Washington Avenue

A laborer was badly injured on the

it to tip. The man sustained a brok-Wesley Ware, an 11-year-old negro boy, was run over and killed by an way passenger train near Tyler. The unfortunate boy attempted to cross

dent of the Buckner orphans home, six miles east of Dallas, will henceforth give his entire time to the management of that institution. The doctor says he has had the care of over 3000 orphan children.

lision of two freight trains. About 200 delegates attended the

Constable Long of Canton, assisted

J. E. POOLE. Editor and Proprietor.

A svertising rates made known on application Terms \$1 50 per annam, invariably cash in

Untered at the Post Office, Haskell, Texas,

Saturday, August 23 1902.

LOCAL DOTS.

-Turnip seed-Racket Store. -Just received, a full stock pearl buttons, etc. T. G. Carney. -Tremendous racket in falling

prices at the Racket Store. -You want the goods-we want the money at the Racket Store, hence prices are racked way down.

-Mrs. G. H. Morrison who has been spending some time with her parents here left Tuesday for her home at Hico.

-In 500 pound lots we will furnish you feed of any kind at very close prices. T. G. Carney. -A fine line of gentlemen's driv-

ing and work gloves just recieved at the Racket Store. -Everybody compliments Mr. Baker's taste in his selection of an

assistant. No doubt his postoffice will get all the patronage. -The Misses Weibusch who have been visiting Judge Jones' family, left Thursday for their home at Bren-

ham. -Nice, fresh candies at the Metropolitan.

-Fresh pure candies just from the Brownwood factory, also bottle soda, lemonade, etc. at Fred Niemann's, proprietor of the N. W. corner restaurant and confectionery.

-Go to the Metropolitan for choice smoke.

-We will hereafter handle a line of the choicest canned goods.

Bogar and Cummings. -Rev. R. B. Young has gone to the campmeeting at Spring Creek in

fill his pulpit tomorrow. -Everybody read and laughed at "Aunt Lucindy" in the Dallas News butter and cheese on ice, onions, poand will be eager to see and hear tatoes, lard, bacon and hams in stock the other child was only relieved of

-In roping a horse at his ranch 'Phone No. 1. Thursday Mr. T. E. Ballard was so unfortunate as to get the rope twisted around his hand and, as the horse ran misery from Bronchitis," writes J. H. his right thumb was jerked off at the Johnston, of Broughton, Ga., "that first joint'

-Mr. Guy Hemphill brought in a 40lb fish the other day, caught in Paint creek. This is his third 40 pounder this season.

-Miss Anna Watson of Louisiana

-Mr. Will Pierson and wife left Wednesday on their return home to Greenville.

-Miss Althea Rogers arrived Wednesday from Alabama. She is a sister of Mrs. Marshall Pierson and will teach in the coming term of the man, author of "Aunt Lucindy" and public school.

was here this week and made an in- Twain in humor and pathos and the vestment of several thousand dollars portrayal or ludicrous situations, is in land in the southwest part of the soon to visit the family of her brother county, through Mr. A. C. Foster, Mr. D. M. Winn of this place, and who induced him th come out and she has agreed with the ladies of the look at the country.

and Mrs. W. L. Hills will be interest- lic reading and recitations from her dol, the great reconstructive tonic, ed in learning that a daughter was own writings. The Association has born to them on Thursday. She is fixed the date of the entertainment in the rolb class, too.

-We are indebted to Dr. Neathery for the information that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank toward improving and beautifying Sutherland on Thursday morning.

-The Thomas Grain Drills are the latest improved and best now made. They have many new and convenient features not found on any other drills. Write us for catalogues or call and investigate.

2t Ed S. Hughes & Co., Abilene. kell will not begin before Nov. or House. December, hence I suggest to our friends in the country who desire a longer term than they may have at children to our school in town until their schools open. By this means of indigestion. All physicians and the children will get a term of good medicines failed to help him till he length that will be of material bene- tried Electric Bitters, which worked fit to them and it will help to build such wonders for him that he de-

> Respy. L. T. Litsey, Prin.

at Fred Niemann's.

term begins Sept. 8.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a world wide reputation for its cures. It never tails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by J. B. Baker.

-A shipment of new honey, potaand too many other things to menlowest prices and fresh goods.

T. G. Carney. Physician and Druggist.

Ford & Sturgeon, a prominent drug firm at Rocky Hill Station, Ky., write: "We were requested by Dr. G. B. Snigley to send for Herbine for the benefit of our customers. We ordered three dozen in December, and we are glad to say, Herbine has given such great satisfaction that we have duplicated this order three times, and today we gave your salesman another order. We beg to say Dr. G. B. Snigley takes pleasure in recommending Herbine." 50c bottle at J. B. Baker's.

NOTICE.

Monday, Sept. 8, 1902. All new gentlemen. pupils who have come to Haskell at the school building on Thursday Lubbock. Sept. 4th at 9 o'clock, for examinabring their pass books.

> L. T. Litsey, Prin. Il Needs a Tonic.

There are times when your liver the liver. W. Scott, 531 Highland chew. ave., Milton, Pa., says: "I have carnot be without them." Small and at any rate. easy to take purely vegetable. They never gripe or distress. Terrells drug store.

For the hot Weather:

Jones county and will not be here to butter and cheese on ice.

T. G. Carney.

-Comb honey, strained honey, Aunt Lucindy ('s author) when she today--tomorrow and next day-in four worms. It is a most excellent comes here, Aug. 30th. Court House fact any old day you want 'em. T. G. Carney.

All Were Saved.

For years I suffered such untold often I was unable to work. Then, goes to show it is the best croup new boots one year. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Walker. medicine in the world." A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for throat P. O. Box 112, and lung diseases. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$r. Trial bottles free at J. B. Baker's.

Aunt Lucindy Coming!

Mrs. Mary Winn Smoots of Sherother humorous stories that vie with -Judge F. M. Henry of Texarkana the productions of Bill Nye and Mark pepsia so that he had tried most Haskell Cemetery Association that -The many friends here of Mr. during her visit she will give a pubon Saturday night, Aug. 30. A small gests any good food you eat. Take a fee will be charged for the benefit of dose after meals. Terrells drug store. the Cemetery fund, which will help

the grounds and paying the sexton. We would suggest that the country people, especially the young men and young ladies, for miles around row. We understand an effort will might come in and enjoy this literary be made to get him to speak here treat, for the amusement it will af- one night next week. He expects to ford will be worth several times the leave for his work at Chang Shu, bought the same quality. small fee that will be charged, to say China, on Sept. 10. nothing of the satisfaction of contri--I have learned that most of the buting to a worthy cause. The enschools of the county outside of Has- tertainment will be at the Court

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eahome, that they could send their ton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't, because he sufferup your county town school. The clares they are a godsend to suffertuition will be \$2 per month. Our ers from dyspepsia and stomach troubles. Unrivaled for diseases of the stomach, liver and kidneys they build up and give new life to the -Get your candy fresh and pure whole system. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by J. B. Baker druggist.

Motes From Marcy

Editor Haskell Free Press: Since our last writing the boll

worms have tried to eat up the cotton. The farmers were quite blue toes, onions, hams, bacon, lard, flour for awhile, but at this writing, they seem in better spirits as the worms tion, just received. Come to me for are not so bad as they have been. There is yet a chance for us to make all we can get gathered.

The Baptist closed their meeting last Sunday night. They had a very unday afternoon at Mr. Chapman's ley.

Pierson of your city. Where is the attraction, or is it purely a business matter? Mr. Pierson says 'tis a matter of business with him and we suppose 'tis one of pleasure with Mr. Whitman, as when we met him pulling through the deep sand west of Marcy late Sunday afternoon, he seemed to be on pleasure bent-from Haskell Public School will begin the smile on his face! Come again,

One of our merchants, Mr. C. A. since our last session, and all pupils Clemmer and Son from Putnam, left who did not take the final examina- yesterday on a prospecting tour to tion last session, will please report Lubbock and adjoining counties to

Mrs. Dora Camp of Farmersville. tion and classification. Pupils com- Texas, is here on a visit to her sister ing from other schools will please Mrs. Dr. Greenwade; we wish her a pleasant visit.

> The Christian people will begin a series of meetings here next Friday night.

Mr. Hand, a railroad man near needs a tonic. Don't give purgatives Marcy, lost his little boy Monday that gripe and weaken. DeWitt's night from congestion, from eating Little Early Risers expel all poison cane that was green. Green cane is from the system and act as tonic to a dangerous thing for children to

Our daily mail began last Monday: ried DeWitt's Little Early Risers it won't be such a job to put it up with me for several years and would now, but it will be a job every day, Nelly Bly.

A Worm Killer. little twin girls, who have been bothered with worms all their lives. I Please bear in mind that I keep tried everything to relieve them Cream Vermifuge; the first two doses single instance." For sale by J. B. brought four worms from one of Baker. them, the next two doses, twelve, one of them measuring twelve inches; medicine." White's Cream Vermidestroys worms, it helps the child to for another term. perfect growth, wards off sickness. esc at J. B. Baker's.

Repairing-Boots and Shoes.

when everything else failed, I was Boot Shop and get your work done and he has always deported himself wholly cured by Dr. King's New well and neatly. We pay the hack as a gentlemen and a good citizen. Discovery for consumption. My wife charges on work sent us. We make As county attorney he has made a suffered intensely from Asthma, till a specialty of Cowboy boots and good record, having been active and it cured her, and all our experience guarantee good fit. Also guarantee successful in pushing the collection

The Cowboy Boot Shop,

To My Friends.

ol did for me, I was troubled with cases handled by him. my stomach for several months. Upso, and words cannot tell the good it the office. has done me. A neighbor had dyseverything. I told him to use Kodol. Words of gratitude have come to me pend on the stomach, and normal Stomach and Liver Tablets. He cures all stomach and bowel troubles, without relief. For sale by J. B. indigestion, dyspepsia. Kodol di- Baker.

-Rev. Edward Pilley, the Chinese missionary who preached and lectured here last April, is here again on a visit to his brothers who reside in this county. He will lecture at the

to lecture in Haskell on Tuesday

-Several local items have to go inmentioned this week for lack of

A Generation Ago coffee could only be bought in bulk. The 20th century way is the way-sealed packages, always clean, fresh and retaining its rich flavor.

PROGRAM.

Stonewall Association will be held with Prairie View church, beginning Thursday night, Aug. 28, eight miles south-west from Anson.

Introductory sermon by J. A. Scott.

good meeting and several accessions day school superintendent and the to their church. They had baptizing pastor?-I. N. Alvis and A. S. Bark-

We noticed among our visitors last, what characteristics mark those who Sunday were Messrs. Whitman and are free from it?-M. F. Doury, J. F. Walker, B. F. Dixon.

SATURDAY, 9 a. m.-Devotional services led by J. D. Reeves.

to a. m .- What are the duties of pastor to church and church to pastor?-J. P. Siler, C. A. Monsill, Wilkes Scott.

2 p. m.-In whom is the power or son, V. G. Cunningham.

SUNDAY, 10 a. m. -Sunday school mass meeting.

II a. m .- Discussion by B. F. Dixon: How long has the present way of doing mission work existed

All of the brethren are invited, and all are requested to study the questions so that they can participate in

> Prairie View Church. J. H. Edmonds, Pastor

"Last May," says Mrs. Curtis Baker, of Bookwalter, Ohio, "an infant child of our neighbor's was suf- Salve is sure cure. Relieves piles at fering from cholera infantum. The doctor had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days J. A. J. Montgomery, Puxico, time the child had fully recovered, Wayne, Co., Mo., writes: "I have and is now (nearly a year since) a vigorous, healthy girl. I have recommended this Remedy frequently and which failed until I used White's have never known it to fail in any

-Oscar Martin, Esq., presents his name this week to the voters of the county asking that they continue fuge is good for children. It not only him in the office of county attorney

Send your repairing to the Cowboy esty and integrity are unquestioned taxes due by non-residents.

Stamford, Tex. He has also been unusually successin the county and justice courts, hav-It is with joy I tell you what Kod- ing lost only 2 or 3 per cent of the

This record, we think, is good on being advised to use Kodol, I did enough to give him another lease of

-Get a hammock at the Racket Store and enjoy life.

healthy action, purifies the blood, Henry L. Shattuck of Shellsburg, and makes you feel buoyant and vigfrom him because I recommended it. Iowa, was cured of a stomach trouble orous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's -Geo. W. Fry, Viola, Iowa. Health with which he had been afflicted for reliable remedies at Baker's drug and strength, of mind and body, de- years, by four boxes of Chamberlain's store. Get Green's Special Almanac activity of the digestive organs. Ko- had previously tried many other remedies and a number of physicians many pretty patterns, excellent quality, just received at

Children's clothing at ACTUAL

ed way down.

Suspenders, finest line, big cut. Gloves, all kinds for men-cheap enough to wear. Socks-we've socked the price here

per cent. saved in oil. Racket Store prices will tickle you. Terrells drug store.

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

The Fifth Sunday meeting of

FRIDAY, 9 a. m .- Devotional services led by W. H. H. Lindsey.

10 a, m.-What should be the relationship existing between the Sun-

2 p. m.-What is covetousness and

authority to propagate the gospel vested?-J. D. Reeves, J. T. Nichol-

among Baptists?

the open discussions.

A Cure for Cholera Infantum.

As Mr. Martin has been a resident of this county for the past 17 years, he needs no introduction to its people. Suffice it to say his honof thousands of dollars of delinquent

diet will not only nourish a particu-Jar part of the body, but it will susful in prosecuting misdemeanor cases tain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their

appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses

RACKET STORE RACKET.

Men's pants and overalls-mark-

Jewelry cheaper than you have flammation, clears the head, soothes and strengthens the mucous mem-See our new lamp device, 100 per brane. Cures coughs, croup, throat Later-Rev. Pilley has consented cent. increase in lighting power, 20 and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Children like it.

THE INDEL - HOTEL. "While picnicking last month my 11-year-old boy was poisoned by some weed or plant," says W. H. Haskell. Dibble, of Sioux City, Ia. "He rub-Texas. bed the poison off his hands into his

୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧୧

Giving Away Goods.

My cash prices on Ladies Dress Goods, Notions, Trimmings, Etc.,

I still have a large assortment of these goods on hand and must

SHOES, SLIPPERS HATS and GLOVES,

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

is always supplied with the best eatables and the prices are right.

T. G. CARNEY.

\$\$

Your attention is also invited to my complete line of

But I am selling them as cheaply as such goods can be sold.

I am not

which I am selling at lowest prices.

900000

900000

My___

His Sight Threatened.

eyes and for awhile we were afraid

he was as well as ever." For skin

diseases, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds,

insect bites, DeWitt's Witch Hazel

once. Beware of counterfeits. Ter-

LISTEN HERE!

Mrs. Martin will again go to St.

Louis to purchase my fall and win-

ter stock of dry goods, etc. She will

leave Monday and from that date

until my new goods arrive, we will

make you the lowest prices ever of-

tered to you in this town. I will just

simply cut the prices to fit your

pocket book. Come and see for your-

me and I will forward it to Mrs.

Brain-Food Nonsense.

silly notion that one kind of food is

needed for brain, another for muscles,

and still another for boues. A correct

aids digestion, stimulates the liver to

-A large stock of wall paper,

-Fred Niemann will keep con-

stantly on hand a stock of fresh,

pure candies from the Brownwood

A Necessary Precaution.

Don't neglect a cold. It is worse

than unpleasant. It is dangerous.

By using One Minute Cough Cure

you can cure it at once. Allays in-

factory.

Maker of

FINE BOOTS & SHOES

...Fit. Style and Quality Guaranteed ...

I have had many years experienc in making Cow-boy boots

A trial will convince you of the excellence of my work.

McCollum and Cason's.

Another ridiculous food fad has

guaranteeing satisfaction.

T. G. Carney.

T. G. Carney.

rells drug store.

Having taken charge of this Hotel and refitted and refurnished it, now offers to the

he would lose his sight. Finally a Local and Traveling Public neighbor recommended DeWitt's the best and most comfortable accommodations to be had in Haskell, but Witch Hazel Salve. The first appliwithout a corresponding advance in prices. cation helped him and in a few days

Your Patronage Respectfully Solicited. M. H. GOSSETT, Proprietor.

J.W.BELL



00000

cococo

Full Stock, Work Promptly to Order. Repairing done neatly and substantially. Prices reasonable and satisfaction with goods and work guaranteed.

Your Trade is Solicited.



Improved Canton Disc Plow

We are handling this plow this season. It has come to be an acknowledged fact that the Disc is superior to all other plows for break ing land and putting it in a good state of cultivation. Especially is this true in a dry season, and no farmer in this section should be without one.

Our general stock of

FARM

is very complete. The Bain Wagon, an acknowledged standard for durability and light running we carry in various sizes.

Our stock of Furniture and Stoves

is not surpassed for either quality, style or prices in this section.

A full line of SHELF HARDWARE and HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS. RESPECTFULLY,

M'COLLUM & CASON.

G. R. COUCH, Cher. M. PIERSON, Asst. Cher

THE HASKELL NATIONAL BANK, HASKELL. TEXAS. A General Banking Basiness Transacted. Collections made and Promptly Remitted. Exchange Drawn on all principal

DIRECTORS:-M. S. Pierson, G. R. Couch, Marshal Pierson, Lee Pierson D. R. Couch.

Cities of the United States.

Just Look at Her.

faultless skin, rich, rosy complexion to take. Pleasant in effect. For smiling face. She looks good, feels sale by J. B. Baker. good. Here's her secret. She uses Dr. King's New Life Pills. Result, -all organs active, digestion good, no headaches, no chance for "blues." Try them yourself. Only 25c at J. B. Baker's drug store.

Now is the time to subscribe for the FREE PRESS.

The best physic-Chamberlain's Whence came that sprightly step, Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy

> -It is a settled fact that I will sell you goods at the Lowest Price of any merchant in town.

T. G. Carney.

-Some standard literature, in cheap form for summer reading at the