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GIFTS TO PRESIDENT'S DAUGH-TER THE MOST MAGNIFICENT EVER PRESENTED.

Valued at Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars-Rare Tapestries, Silk, Jewelry and other Ornaments from Every Country.

No other American girl has received wedding presents so numerous, valuable or interesting as those which have been showered upon President Roosevelt's oldest daughter. Nelly Grant who, next to Alice Roosevelt, had the most brilliant White House wedding received many costly gifts from all parts of the world but her trophies pale by comparison with those of the first White House bride of the present century. For one thing there were only two hundred guests at the Sartoris whereas nearly one thousand persons were invited to the White House wedding of 1906 and of course the number of presents in the latter tase outnumbers those in the former instance in the same proportion.

Recognized as Great World Power. Then too, Uncle Sam was not nearly so much of a World Power in the days of President Grant as he has been since the Spanish-American War and consequently it is small wonhave manifested greater interest in the nuptials of the daughter of the present Chief Magistrate than they did

daughter has received very few pre- weaithy New York friends. sents from foreign governments—almost all of the gifts having come from the world into his confidence with rethe sovereigns or other rulers as in- ference to the present sent to th

WEDDING PRESENTS. designed as a gift either for royalty or for some distinguished son of France designed as a gift either for royalty or and even such honor has been paid but rarely.

It was the wish of the French people and officials to present to the White House bride the most exquisite and precious thing that could be selected and quite naturally they selected a special product of their best workshop. This Gobelin tapestry,—the only one of the kind ever sent to this country, -has as its design a reproduction of a painting made by Ehrman of Strasburg, a famous Alsatian painter.

The tapestry is two feet wide and four feet long and the predominating colors are blue, green and yellow. It was made fully fifty years ago and the subject is allegorical in character, representing a woman of the Middle Ages dressed in long flowing robes of blue and yellow and standing before a lectern making illuminations upon a scroll. The figure is almost in promarriage of Nelly Grant and Algernon the head in classic style. Around the file and the dark hair is curled about main picture is a border wider at each end and narrower on the sides in which wreaths, leaves and medallions appear at intervals. This tapestry, small as it is, is said to be worth from \$25,000 to \$50,000

Jeweled Necklace from Cuba.

For the new Republic's gift to the ing an obstructionist. daughter of President Roosevelt the Cuban government appropriated the sum of \$25,000 and the Cuban Minisder if the various rulers of the world ter at Paris was entrusted with the task of purchasing the handsomest jeweled necklace that could be obtained with this sum. The White House in the similar event a quarter of a cen. bride, by the way, has received severtury ago.

However, it should be explained just here that President Roosevelt's described several al pearls and diamond necklaces.

Most of them have come, however, from relatives of the bride and

The German Emperor did not take



PIECE OF GOBELIN TAPESTRY FROM FRANCE

Of the thousands of wedding pre-

Incomparable Gobelin Tapestry.

House during the first half of the month of February undoubtedly one of the most attractive was the wonderful pieces of Gobelin Tapestry, the gift of the Republic of France and which was presented to Miss Roosevelt in person by M. Jusserand, the French Ambassador to the United States. This gift has especial significance from

United States Ambassadors and Min- gems. The Kaiser's envoy in America ing with an underground service isters in the various capitals of the and his bride senta set of dessert plates which he believes will be more valuworld. Two governments, those of of Dresden China. The Represent-Cuba and France had already made ative's fellow Congressmen from Ohio periments so far have been limited all arrangements for governmental gave a silver loving cup said to have to short distances with moderate elecgifts ere the intimation came from cost \$800 and the Congressmen re-trical power and shallow holes. But Washington and of oourse, in each case presenting the State of New York he is now completing underground the original plan was carried out but made up a fund and purchased a stations in Wilkes-Barre and Scranat the other courts of the world the splendid set of ornamental glass made ton and will conduct the experiments governments took no action but mere-ly left matters in the hands of the has reason to congratulate herself that rulers who were, to be sure, at entire all foreign donors, including the Eur- this work, so successfully has his liberty to send presents provided they opean and Oriental sovereigns arrang- theory of underground wireless tel paid for them out of their own pockets. ed to themselves pay the duties on egraph worked out that recently he their wonderful collection of silks, announced he had no doubt of his rugs, vases and other ornaments. If the President's daughter had been sents valued at hundreds of thousands obliged to defray from her private of dollars which arrived at the White funds the import tax on these souvenirs it would have played havoc for some time to come with her personal income of \$3,000 a year.

#### A Vast Greenhouse.

The atmosphere of the earth acts very much in the same way as does the glass of a greenhouse—it allows the fact that the factory where it the rays of the sun to pass through, was manufactured was exhibitshed by but imprisons the heat. Thus it is Louis XIV and is under the direct control of the government of France. Never before have the looms in this French governmental tapestry plant duced a work of art that was not but imprisons the heat. Thus it is colder on the top of a mountain than at the sea level, because, though the mountain-top is slightly nearer the sun, the atmosphere is very much less dense.

#### MORGAN A GOOD LOSER.

VENERABLE ALABAMIAN SHOWN NOT TO BE A PANAMA CANAL OBSTRUCTIONIST.

Is Second O'dest Man in the United States Senate, But Possessed of Great Vitality-Strong But Always a Square Fighter.

Senator John T. Morgan of Alabama, eighty-one years old, or eighty-one years young, is, with the exception of his colleague, Senator Pettus of Alabama, the oldest man in the United Miss Maud Titus Presented With a States Senate.

He is one of the very active men of of the vigor with which he championed the Nicaragua route as the proper way for the trans-isthmian canal, and also for the ardor and perseverance of States of the concessions of the Franco-Panama canal company, and because of his determined effort to defeat the adoption of the Panama route, Senator Morgan has in some quarters gained the reputation of be-

A Square Fighter. Nothing cou'l be farther from the truth. He is a great and strong fighter, but his opposition is fair and square, he has resorted to none of the tactics employed by Congressional obstructionists, and when he has been beaten he has admitted it. This is clearly shown in a recent letter to the Panama Canal Commission, declining an invitation to accompany the Commission on a trip to the Isthmus. In this letter the venerable Senator says:

"Since the ratification of the Hay-Varilla treaty, which I opposed, I have done all that I could and much more than I thought could ever be of advantage to the country to sustain the government in its purpose to construct a canal at Panama. Yet I have not believed that success could crown their efforts, even in their most costly and desperate form. You may find the key to unlock the barriers that nature has interposed at Panama. If you should be so fortunate, I will applaud your genlus and courage. I will vote to provide you with every reasonable authority and power to accomplish your task and to meet your tremendous responsibility."

This letter shows that Senator Mormission on a trip to the Isthmus. In

This letter shows that Senator Morwhich he sees is irretrievably lost. This is practical statesmanship.

#### An Active Record.

Senator Morgan has had an active life. He was born at Athens, Tenn., June 20, 1824, and with his parcuia went to Alabama when he was nine years old. He was admitted to the bar of Alabama in 1845; was a Presidential elector in 1860 for the State at large and voted for Breckinridge and Lane; was a delegate in 1861 from Dallas county to the State convention which passed the ordinance of secession; joined the Confederate army in 1861 as a private in the Cahaba Rifles, and when that company was assigned to the Fifth Alabama regiment John Morgan was elected a major and later lieut-colonel of the regiment.

He was commissioned a colonel in 1862 and raised the fifty-first Alabama regiment, and came out of the war a brigadier-general in command of an Llabama brigade. He was Presiden-tial elector in 1876 and voted for Samuel J. Tilden, and was elected to the United States Senate to succeed George Goldthwaite, taking his seat March 5th, 1877. He has been in the Senate ever since, and will probably remain there as long as he wishes, or as long as he lives.

#### MESSAGES UNDERGROUND.

#### A Jesuit of Pennsylvania the Inventor of a New Wireless Telegraph System.

Father Joseph Murgas of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, expects, within the next month or two to be able to send wireless messages to Europe by means of his new system which is now in practical operation.

Since the completion of the aerial wireless system and its development to its present stage of perfection Father Murgas has been experimentable than the aerial system. His ex-

So far as he has proceeded with ability to send an underground mess age to Europe and that the experithe fact that it is estimated it will cost \$22,000.

To accomplish this, he says, a shaft 3,000 feet deep must be sunk in this country, and one of similar depth in Europe. Each of these will have to be concreted to render it impervious to dampness, which would destroy the or even "Sir." sending and receiving apparatus will be connected with the surface. A great deal of power will also be re-

quired
The shafts at Wilkes-Barre and Scranfon are 300 feet deep and the Scranfon miles. The shaft Scramon are 300 feet deep and the weigh more than of the most celebrat- the deserting parent has gone to some distance is eighteen miles. The shaft ed scientists, poets, and philosophers, other state. The number of children

at the former city was completed and partly concreted when it filled with water and another one will have to be bored. The Scranton shaft is now nearly completed.

Father Murgas' wireless system differs from all others by dispensing with the Morse system and substituting musical tones—each tone representing a letter or a code word or group of words, so that a speed about ten times as great as the fastest Morse code can be attained.

REWARDED BY CARNEGIE.

Medal and an Education.

When Miss Maud Titus of Newark, the Senate, and of late years has N. J., rescued her friend Laura Reifachieved considerable fame because snyder from drowning in a yachting accident in Casco Bay, Nova Scotia, July 30, 1904, she did not know that her act placed her under the watchful eye of Andrew Carnegie, the Steel his opposition to the Panama route. King. Miss Titus and her unfortunate Because of the bitterness of his antagfriend were out yachting on that fateonism to the purchase by the United ful day when a sudden squall upset their yacht. Miss Titus is an expert swimmer, while Miss Reifsnyder un-



MISS MAUD TITUS

Awarded Carnegie Medal and Educational Fund. admirable trait He does not rankle water. Upon coming to the surface, harder and more effectively than a is urged. When this point has been over defeat and does not nurse a cause however, she was seized by the Newark father to keep the brood together, but established and a family can be found heroine who brought her safely to the charities

who is only sixteen years old, was a stantial, if limited, aid to that end. warded a Carnegie medal, although at the time her name was under conderation hundreds of other persons were brought forward as worthy of re-

Since receiving the medal Miss Titus's father died leaving insufficient money to send her to college as she craved. Miss Reifsnyder, apprised the Carnegie commission of her friend's lesire for an education and the commission decided to grant her \$2,500 Five hundred dollars of this is to be aid upon her entrance to a school. \$500 annually in advance for three years, and \$500 at her graduation This is the largest reward ever given by the commission, the highest previ ious being \$1,000.

#### Titled Celebrities.

Edward VII, King of England and Emperor of India, is imposing enough out such a slender collection of words yould never serve to fire the Oriental magination, and the Sultan of Turkey is known as "The Finest Pearl of the Age and the Esteemed Centre of the Universe, at Whose Grand Portals Stand the Camels of Justice and Mercy and to Whom the Eyes of the Kings and Peoples in the West have been Drawn; Lord and Master, the Sultan of Two Shores and the High King of Two Seas, the Crown of Ages and the Pride of All Countries, the Greatest of all Khalifs, the Shadow of God on Earth, the Successor of the Apostle of death of the providing head. the Lord of the Universe and the Vic. healthy members are deprived of the families and their board paid by the torious Conquerer Sultan Abdul-Hamid necessaries of life to provide some state.

The kings of Ava and Ceylon each calmly appropriated to themselves the attributes of divinity and proclaimed themselves "God," to which His Majesty of Ava added "King of Kings, matters worse the survivors are apt to whom all others must obey, as he is the Preserver of all Animals, the Regulator of Seasons, the Absolute Master of the Ebb and Flow of the Sea. Brother to the Sun and King of the Four and Twenty Umbrellas," an anticlimax essentially Oriental.

The Persian Shah takes his titleupon the instalment plan, making up its train. Sooner or later the "Gerry" in number what each lacks in length. He is "Shahin Shah," "King of Kings," home. The parents are sent to peni-"The Rose of Delight," "The Branch of tentiary or workhouse, or are simply Honor," and others of note, to say put under bonds to contribute to the nothing of what his subjects call him support of the children. The children among themselves.

ful of them all is the title of the King escape from their homes, public chariment will shortly be made, despite of Monomopotapa, who was styled Lord of the Sun and the Moon, Great sufficent food and comfortable bed. Magician and Great Thief."

After such glories as these European monarchs might be forgiven envy, though it is not apparant that such has developed, and democratic King Edward is content with 'Your Majesty'

#### Size of Brains.

#### HOMES FOR CITY WAIFS.

NUMBERLESS ORPHANS IN GREAT CITIES-MANY DELIBERATE-LY DESERTED.

At one of the vacation Bible classes last summer, some tenement children were taught a word-guessing game. One of the words selected was "home." The little girl whose turn it was to guess failed to get a clue, and a boy trying to help her, said, "Think of something that smells awful and you want to get away from quick." The child guessed "house." The dirt and foul atmosphere of his home is disgusting to even the tenement child himself yet home is the child's greatest necessity. Authorities on the subject strongly advocate the private fortunes of philanthropists as well as state and municipal funds be devoted, not to building institutions for dependent children, but to pensioning widows with families and finding foster parents for orphans.

Of the 600,000 children under 14 years of age who form 18 per cent of the population of New York City, 25,-000 are homeless waifs. About half of these forlorn little ones are babies between the ages of two and four.

The causes that operate to bring about this pitiable condition are those that fill the workhouses and prisons,leath of one or both parents, injury through accident, consumption, vice, crime, inability to obtain work and incompetence, desertion, juvenile de pravity.

#### Many Half Orphans.

than is generally supposed. In most cases that come under the attention of the charities associations, the children are half orphans. However when the father is the surviving parent, the result as far as the breaking up of the home is concerned is the same. man rarely succeeds in keeping his children together. If they are very young a woman's care is imperative, and where poverty prevents the hiring of nurses, the charitable institution is the alternative. If a widow is left with a family the children stand a better chance, for not only is it a notoring the value of even the poorest kind may be adopted outright.

#### The Great White Plague.

left dependent on New York's public charity through the desertion of the parents is reckoned by the thousands.

As to the little unfortunates who are classed as ungovernable, who run away from home, etc .- the fault lies largely in the home. Indifference, neglect and ill treatment are the Eight Million Dollars in Charity Last causes of juvenile crime. Third class Year in New York Alone-Country theatres and their flaming advertise-Homes Provided in Cases Where ments are frequently the incentive to petty thieving in order to obtain the price of admission, while the gay career of the villain in the play fires the imagination of the slum children whose surroundings all tend to give him a cross-eyed view of morality. Though the gallery hisses the stage villain, it admires his good clothes and dashing pose, and the boy who has stolen a piece of lead pipe to pay hi way in thinks he has just the nerve and wit to save himself from the miserable climax which finishes the bad man on the stage.

ild victim of poverty and its t evils in New York who, through the death or incompetence of its parents or its own depravity, comes within the jurisdiction of the public charities is usually first sent to one of the city's austitutions. There are 127 of them, and to each the city pays 38 cents a day for each infant cared for and \$2 a week for each child over two years. The widower sending his child en to one of these institutions is requested to pay something towards their support. If he fails the city pays. A municipal officer is sent to visit the surviving parents of the children once a year, and where conditions have improved to the point which assures health and comfort, the child is returned to its home. The parents are not always anxious to regain possession of their children. It is a sad commentary on human nature that they exhibit more eagerness in this direc-Complete orphanage is less frequent tion after the child has reached an age where it can earn money.

#### To Make Better Citizens.

New York gives more largely charity than any other city and its methods are most severely criticised. Nearly \$8,000,000 was contributed last year, almost half of which went to in-stitutions for the domittute. It has been universally agreed, however, that the best means for caring for the waifs of great cities is by providing them with homes in country families. precaution of first making sure that gan is a good loser as well as a good loser as well as a able to swim, quickly sank in the deep lous fact that a mother will work never be able or willing to care for it lous fact that a mother will work never be able or willing to care for it lous fact that a mother will work never be able or willing to care for it lous fact that a mother will work never be able or willing to care for it lous fact that a mother will work never be able or willing to care for it willing to accept a foundling, the child For her act of heroism, Miss Titus, of a home to the child, will give sub- there is uncertainty on this point, or for any reason the family is unwilling to definitely adopt a child, he may be sent out with the understanding that Consumption carries off 1-8 the met- he is to receive wages for such work ropolitan population. The lingering as he may be fitted to do, but be treatillness in tubercular cases is more disted as one of the family. In Massa-



SCENES OF CHILDREN WHO HAVE FOUND HOMES IN THE COUNTRY

slight medical ald and a small measure of comfort for the invalid, so that by the time the end comes the whole family is frequently half starved as well

Vice and crime are yet more discouraging sources of distress. The numer of children rendered homeless through the misconduct of their parents is large and is increasing. Intemperance is the most common form of vice and brings countless evils in agent comes down on the miserable home. The parents are sent to penipass through the Children's Court to Perhaps the oddest and most truth- an asylum, and are sometimes glad to ty meaning to them warmer clothing,

> Inability to obtain work in New York usually means incompetency. London is full of the unemployed but that is hardly the trouble as yet in the American metropolis.

Law Against Desertion of Childern. Desertion has become so common states have recently that several passed laws making it a felony. A large brain does not necessarily Under these laws the authorities are indicate intellect. The brain of an able to impose heavier pensives and illiterate person has been found to also to secure extradition a case

astrous to the family than sudden chusetts and Pennsylvania children in The the second class are placed in country

> Since taking up this method of providing homes for its charges, Children's Aid Society of New York City has had 23,528 children legally adopted and secured homes in the country for 25,537 others who receive At present it is placing an

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average of 2,000 children a year. Eighty-seven per cent. of those already provided for have turned out well, 8 per cent, have been returned, 2 per cent. died, one quarter of one per cent. have been arrested for petty crimes, 2 3-4 per cent. have disappeared. For very young children, whose parents are both dead, it is easy to find good homes and legal adoption. The last census shows a declining birth rate, notably in the States of the Middle West, where homes should certainly be plentufil for these unhappy little ones of the great city.

enator Newlands Plan for National Railroad Incorporation Law. Senator Newlands consumed several

#### WOULD LIMIT THEIR CAPITAL.

hours the other day in explaining to the members of the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce the provisions of his bill to prohibit over-capitalization of corporations.

THE POSTER IN POLITICS.

VOTERS OF ENGLAND APPEALED TO THROUGH GAUDILY COLOR= ED SHEETS.

Vast Fortune Spent for Printed Matter.-Prominent English Statesmen Ridiculously Cartooned on Bill-board and Post Card.

time and money spent in appeals to contributed to the Labor funds. the reason and good will of the public Poster Campaign.

Chamberlain's protection policy was as in the United States in 1888 and a source of never failing inspiration 1892. for the free trade caricaturists. The Liberals gave an initial exhibit in the ly, even posters. A Liberal cartoon National Liberal Club, London, for representing a motor car causing a andidates and agents.

In no country in the world are more the other side. This time the Liberals through his solicitors that he would

The Unionist-Conservatives had the that the poster would "stay put." than in England. Stringent laws against malpractice in securing votes aforce candidates for office and their cabinet recoiling in horror at the entre days of George IV. who, when he agents to invent numerous and ingenious devices to attract public attention. During the last General Elections every effort possible was put forth to influence the opinion of the leader's (who is always referred to vertex to such as the first possible to such as the first public attention. The control of the leader's (who is always referred to the first public and the days of George IV. Who, when he days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to the days of George IV. Who has free transfer to voter by means of posters; to such an as "C-B") suspected bribery of the the British Isles was close on \$10,000, extent were posters utilized that the Irish National party piloted by Mr. 000. A candidate's expenses are limited fight for election wes nicknamed the John Redmond. For some time past by law, but each vote costs on the Mr. Redmond has been a masterful average four shillings, or an American

Mr. Newland's plan provides for the England in January was plastered man-on-the-fence, leaning to which dollar. Orkney and Shetland, Scot-incorporation of railroads under a nation of railroads under ional law instead of the conflicting ers. Big four-sheet posters and tiny other plums for Ireland. A humorous most, votes costing as high as four-laws of forty-five states. He said posters, bright and dull, poster represents John Bull in his teen shillings apiece in legitimate exbest clothes, a bouquet in one hand penses. and a key labeled "Office" in the The cheapest constituency is Merthyr other, waiting at the church door. He Tydvil, the labor district which sends is horrified at the sight of his bride Mrs. Liberal Party, with the face of C-B, a bouncing widow who has brought her little son of Irish extrac tion with her. The cartoon is entitled, "Little Johnny would come." Still another poster represents the dilemma of Mrs. Liberal Party-an uncomplimentary portrait of C-B as an irritated old lady who finds her unruly Irish adopted an embarrassing and noisy handful that she sincerely wishes die not belong to her. A protectionist poster that would appeal to Americens is labeled, "Help, in the King's name," and shows John Bull being slugged and robbed by the pickpocket ing nations, Germany making off with

> tion, leads the colonies to the rescue.
> The Tariff Reform League contributed to the Unionist collection a post-or called "the Parrot," whereon that feathered folly sits perched above the door of the Cobden Club and with one warning claw upraised, parodies "The Raven.

Mr. Chamberlain as a London police

man, armed with the club of Retalia

While Mr. "Joe" Chamberlain's advice to Mr. Arthur Balfour, as quoted by the Liberals, "Mind, Arthur, not a word about the fiscal question. Stick to Home Rule," was carefully fol-lowed by the Unionist-Conservative followers of those gentlemen, the opposition's posters were largely devoted to repeating the cry of the Parrot,

the biggest hit on the Liberal hoardings. It represented Mr. Balfour as a sleight-of-hand artist who, having cajoled his hat from John Bull, proceed ed to take out of it the goose and rab bits of unpopular legislation, which Mr. Chamberlain supplied from be neath the table, to the evident amusement of the prestidigitator, who frankly owned that he was "quite sure the gentleman who loaned him the ha had no idea what was inside of it. Chamberlain anxiously blowing the

the benefit and guidance of the party's frightened horse to jump a fence andidates and agents.

The Laborites, or the working Unionist candidate. His chauffeur deman's party, got out only a few post- manded through his solicitors that ers. They have little money to spend the cartoon be destroyed on the for campaign purposes unless it is fur-ground that it libeled his ability as nished them by one of the big parties motor driver. The Liberal candidate which wants them to pull votes from responsible for the cartoon replied accept service in any proceedings but



YOUR FOOD WILL COST YOU MORE.

is that the defeated candidate usually Your food will cost you more," and has a bigger bill to pay than the suc worked every pictorial variation post cessful one. One item of 30 shillings sible on the free trade vs. protection a hundred for ballot papers, which is met by candidates, seems outrageous The Hanky-Panky Government was in these days of cheap printing.

#### Was Short of Money.

"A black cutaway coat? Yes, Sir, said the furnisher; "now this style of derby just suits a short man." "Indeed? replied Mr. Runt. "How auch is it with the vest?

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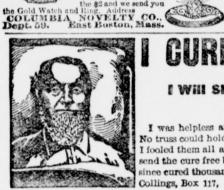
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Dividends would be limited to a fair return on actual capital, said the Senator, but would be vistually at rooms to its admiring additionally at rooms to its admiring at rooms to its admiring

Taxes would be fixed and definite.

Continuing the Senator said: With the settlement of both rates and

taxes on a permanent basis, railroads would go out of politics because they would have absolutely nothing to gain by political activity. My measure is based on the theory that railroad consolidation is not harmful if properly controlled. I would not only permit, but encourage such consolidation under national charters."

#### Baroness Rosen's Violets.

Undoubtedly it is pleasant to loll upon the cushions of a perfumed lan-dau or coupé, and the owner of such a vehicle is happy amid the odor of violets and lavender that comes from the satchet bags she has placed around it. But, the Baroness Elizabeth Rosen, daughter of the Russian Ambassador to this country, has more poetic ideas. She has a charming little coupé at the sides, of which, where another woman would have a mirror, powder puff and hairpins, she has two contrivances which hold water and keep a handful of violets fresh and fragrant. It is a delight to step into this carriage. The Baroness is going to have additional flower stands in the coupé, and will have perfume and color wherever she

the posters of that party. At night the old party during its long term of

teed, because the roads would be perhome and the stronghold of the ers, however, it cannot be said to
mitted to make rates which would

Unionist - Conservatives, a boarding have been a live issue in the English carn not less than this normal return. With 20,000 square feet of surface was General Elections. Mr. Chamberlain Taxes would be fixed and definite.

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I will drop this egg into the hat which the gentleman has kindly lent me. There is no deception, ladies and

gents!

lent me the hat had no idea what was inside it."

The original New England was on the display was lighted with electric power went through so many dark exthe Pacific coast. Francis Drake took possession of the western coast in 1579 and called the country, Nouva Albion (New England) because he thought the white cliffs near Point in mistakes of the seven-year Conservation of the seven-year Conservatio periences, notably the Boer War, the Reves resembled the chalk cliffs of tive government furnished them ma- statements. No such campaign of arfor cartoons, while Mr. gument was devoted to the tariff issue

am quite sure the gentleman who

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Synopsis of Chapters I and II.

The United States is about to go to door, a messenger came in. war with a foreign nation. The em- "Curtis reports," he said. "The fleet pressed the button. pressed with the annihilating appara- was starting. tus and gives directions for its instalventor.

#### Chapter III

To the surprise of the nation, Con- Montrus for the tower. gress held back during the day, a narrow fringe of conservative members vator at the top, he found two assiststanding between the country and nts busy with the reflector. Far away picked up again and was voluminous ington and the Capitol. The general and detailed once more, still carried glanced at the bulletin, but it told him struction portrayed before him, that

the War Department, which had blan- i \_ that they and the others had reachcould at the eleventh hour, had giveeven to departments unaware of th

Atsins had taken a fast copress ship back to Susquehanna, returning at top speed with the concentrator, the plans and then he turned to the assistants, of which he had shown Shod and Mon- jerking out his commands: trus, and which, many months before, he had constructed.

Shod had his orders regarding power, orders which carried a sig- tice of the declaration." nificance to him but to none other at the power station.

mechanics under him, worked at nerve and latitude of the hostile fleet. racking speed during the day. Montrus, possessed by a devil of impatience, foreboding, and fear, could not contain himself either in the office

sins. "We'll feel better in the open."

ployes of the government power sta- has left Kiel. He will send location." tion which supplied Washington and "Tell Curtis," said Montrus speaking New York with electricity for light, low-voiced, "that the outcome of this heat and power, are expecting orders war depends on him. We want the lo-

head of the United States Army at With Atsins, he walked out into the to his nation. Washington. He obtains an interview night. The sky was black. The air with the General who is favorably im- was heavy and wet. A gentle drizzle

The two men took a few deep lation under the supervision of its in- breaths, and then turned to each other. Neither spoke, but each held out his trembled in his excitement. hand. One close grasp, and they parted, Atsins for the sending station, stant. Then another blur-a quick

When the latter stepped off the ele- could see nothing. the prediction that war was inevitable nothing new. The roll-call was being and could be only delayed. Meanwhile the stolid helplessness t explaining their votes, notwithstand- his dazed condition. with

"52 30 17 N. O 53 34. 9 E." "We've got i " he almost gasped;

Sending Station No. 10.

"Ready?" asked the general.
"Ready," said the electrician.

hood at the reflector-hardly a necessi- now carried absolute destruction.

through the hood: "Here's the flash. War's declared."

The general twitched with suppressed excitement. For a moment longer, he watched the picture in the reflector. Then he saw that the fleet had the Across the Atlantic the instantaneous service had carried the declaration of war.

Far below him was the chief city of nis nation, now subdued in the knowledge that it and the nation had been brought to the final test. In the send-Before they could step out of the ing station was the man on whom his nation's hopes depended. He firmly

In the reflector he saw the enemy's squadron move. He knew that it had been in readiness to start, and on the instant of the receipt of the tidings to supply heavier current. Atsins, an cation. We must have it. If he can was setting forth. If it came unmoelectrician at the station obtains leave send electrographs, send them; but lested, as it had every right to expect to place an invention of his before the first the location." it would, there could be but one result

> It seemed an eternity of time as he watched the reflector.

Suddenly one of the ships disappeared in a blotch which sent confused duty is to induce the doubtful to buy. shadows over the reflector. Montrus The pictures grew clear for an in-

succession of blurs, between which he He grew dizzy, and held tightly to

the supports of the reflector to steady The news service, which had i the drizzle were the lights of Wash- himself. His unblinking eyes were so held by the grim, silent chaos of dethe seeing faculty seemed a thing apart from him and separated completely by

The tumultuous heaving and blurketed even the energetic efforts of the ed the limits of human endurance. He ring on the reflector cleared away. It want to look about first; it is so hard department chiefs to do the best they glan er at the other board, which revealed a torn and shattered fleetwould give him in duplicate any word two-thirds of the ships had vanished away to a feverish activity extending that migh come from Curtis. It was completely, others beating feebly and blank; but as he looked, it flashed out in their last efforts, others slowly angles. sinking through the air, a few trying to escape from an unseen terror.

erking out his commands:

"Ready there. We ought to get somethe thick darkness, the wireless death hand, and eagerly catches hold of an thing from Curtis in a moment. Tell had swept that proud aerial fleet out end of the material. She hangs it up the Capitol we must have instant no of existence in one tense instant. And against her fingure, and looks at it At another televue he got Atsins at the destroyer, sitting calmly up there annoyed, gives the chiffon a tug, but in the sending station, with one soiled the Decider holds on. At No. 10 Sending Station, Atsins, There they also had a duplicate of hand on the lever of his great, terrible with an army of electricians and Curtis' message giving the longitude concentrator. It was he who had utilized the means formerly used to send It is the only one I suppose," she adds messages, to bear intelligence across turning to the attendant, and is told boundless areas, which, increased a it is, Montrus enveloped his head in the hundred thousand-fold in voltage, had

Washington night.

A bulletin was flashed on the board which carried the duplicates from "Fleet gone-Vanished in Convul-

sion-Pictures Actual and Accurate Disturbance not caused by defects but it, but America is saved."

Montrus turned the wireless televue fur department. on to the sending station, and saw Atsins sitting quietly on a box in one smoking a short pipe, his shock of blonde hair badly rumpled, a smile on his freekled face. "Atsins"—the commander in chief two wastes as the ch mander-in-chief was trying hard to control his voice-Atsins. You have saved us. It is all over. Their fleet was anhe has his pay as a lieutenant in the

It seemed to the old soldier, veteran of a dozen campaigns, absurdly impossible that the safety of a great nation should have been put into the hands of that grimly boy in blue overalls. "It worked all right, didn't it?" At-

sins answered calmly. "Come over here," Montrus went on "Hurry and come. To-morrow Congress'll be giving you a vote of thanks;

you'll be a bigger man than old Dewey

ever was." A troubled frown came on Atsin's "Excuse me, please, general," he said. "I'm going back to the shop, I've just thought of a big improvement on my concentrator. Good night."

#### Longest Climb in the World.

Imagine making the ascent of Mount Washington by means of a staircase. But a feat akin to this many travellers in China have accomplished in going to the top of the holy mountain, some six thousand feet above Taingan-fu. The road leading to it is the best in all the kingdom. About a mile north of the city walls stands a large gate amid band, "that this is just what I want. the ruins of a once flourishing suburb. I am sure mamma would like it. Her Leading from this gate the road is husband is still gazing at the pretty lined with temples, convents and shrines, where pilgrims stop to pray if they are fortunate enough to rid them-

selves of the hordes of beggars. Where the real ascent begins there is a stone portal which is inscribed isn't it?" You can't do better; have with the fact that here the great Confucius halted 2,600 years ago, not having the strength to ascend the six thousand stone steps leading to the top. These Taischan stairs are by far the highest in the world, for, taking the number of steps in one story of an ordinary house to be twenty, the number of Taischan steps equals three a pilgrim up the stairs and back, a distance of twice sixteen miles, for thirty cents-fifteen cents for each coolie. When the ascent is made one finds himself upon a large plateau, which is covered with numerous temples and stone wall. The several courts are

"THE DECIDER"

#### A New Trap for Women Who Hesitate About What to Buy.

An ingenious attempt is now being made in some of the big department establishments to assist the opinions of undecided women who come to shop. Every salesman and every saleswoman knows the woman who haunts the bargain sales, flutters from counter to counter, is shown goods until the attendants are driven to distraction. thinks she will buy everything, and finally invests in a yard and a half of pink ribbon, simple because she is absolutely incapable of making up her own mind as to what she wants.

Drapers have long tolerated this form of mental weakness. Now they have revolted, and the day of the "Decider" has come.

The Decider is an American institution, and Gibsonian at that. She is beautiful as to face and features, and always gowned to perfection. Her To the customer she appears as a customer, with the earnest intense "sale face" that one now sees every

day in the big stores. She sees a customer a little worse lressed than herself hesitating over the purchase of a dress length of chiffon velvet. The shopman has done his best to persuade the lady that it is the

superlative bargain of the season. "You ought to take it at once, madam," he says, eagerly; "if you leave t to think the matter over, you will egret it."

"I suppose so," the lady says, "but I to decide—an evening gown is so very important." And she surveys the dress length again from three different

#### Entrapping the Victim.

It is now the Decider's moment to General Montrus, veteran though he step in. Pretending to have noticed was, shuddered at the horror of the the chiffon velvet, for the first time, Atsins, the shock-headed youth, was admiringly. The doubtful lady looks

"If you are not going to buy this dress length," she says, "I will take it.

Meanwhile the genuine customer has observed the exquisite "turn out" of the eager "sale-hawk," as she im-agines the Decider to be. If si eleor at the station.

The work progressed; the death dealing concentrator went into place; had the light he needed in his electrostuff it must be worth securing, she argues, so without further doubt she avs sharply;

"But I am going to take it." The transaction is closed, and the seeming-

and to help in the choice of a set of coupon herewith and mail to-day. "Do you like it, dear?" the lanky

"Is \$22 too much for this, and the muff? She has \$400 a year of her own, and artillery, so he decides to be gracious "No, \$22 isn't too much," be

plies, but isn't the whole thing a bit too light—for—" he stops.
Then another is brought out but he objects to it too. "I hate these ashycolored things," he says petulantly.
"O'l! take it off."

"Well, dear, what am I to do? You think the first one is too light and the other one is too ashy." The tone

despairing. "Try this one on again madam." says the saleswoman, and the wife turns to take it but it is gone. She finds herself confronted with the elegant figure of the Decider, who has arrayed herself in the boa and a bol-

ster muff. The young wife looks at her husand and sees his eyes fixed on the charming vision of bright hair, bright yes, gleaming teeth, and warm complexion, set off by the fluffy softnes of the boa and muff. Entirely forgetful of her own sallow appearance, she quickly makes up her mind to have that boa-it is so very becoming. "I think dear" she says to her hus-"Decider" arrayed in the boa, and

answers her jerkily.
"Yes, it's pretty," he says, absentmindedly, "awfully becoming to-toyes, it is so clean and fresh-looking, In another second the boa and muff are both in the shop girl's hands, and the pale wife is giving her ad-

The Decider is liberably paid. She draws a regular salary, and in addition receives a commission on all sales effected through her interference, The profession opens up a new vista for attractive women whom circumstances have forced into the labor

#### fine Indian Photographs.

We recently published an illustrastone monuments. The main temple is tion of Indian Twins which should that of the holy mother, consisting of have been credited to Major Lee Moore several buildings surrounded by a house of Pendelton, Oregon, who has perhaps one of the best collection of adorned with magnificent statues and Indian pictures of the north west. monuments of bronze, with a huge Major Moorehouse's famous pictures of statue of the holy mother on the alter the Cayuse Twins has had more re-These doors are opened once only cognition, perhaps, than any other each year, when an imperial commission comes to collect the money offerings of the pilgrims. By means of a substantial "tip" the guard may be induced to push the bar of the main esque photograph of a lone Indian tepec gate aside, so that one may have or wigwam with a background of dark glimpse within. The floor of this landscape, suggestive in the extreme large temple is usually filled with a of the title of the picture. Many of brows and eyelashes, and quickly restores gray heap of coins of every description, the Moorehouse pictures attracted size, and value, probably representing \$10,000 in American currency. Clarke Exposition. The money is divided among the con-

## tain, but the largest share goes in 450 DISH PAN



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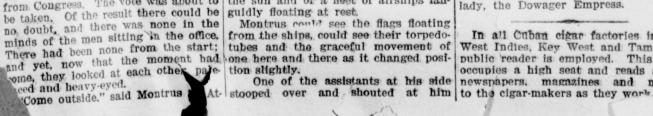
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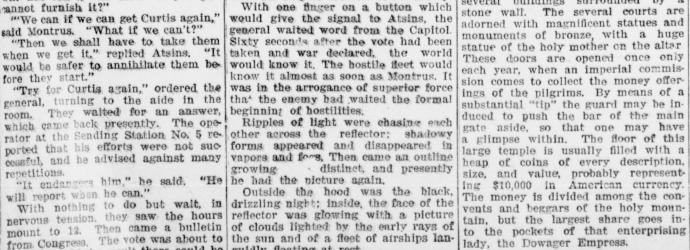
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quiet confidence.



Night had come and was advancing, a position to send not only informa-Still Congress held to its tense debate. tion but a continuous reflection of the Ten o'clock came; and Atsins sought movements of the airships. He might Montrus, finding him nervously pacing be discovered, but that was the hazard back and forth in his office. The young of his occupation. If he were well electrician was calm and charged with concealed by distance, and out of the "If we can get their location, they win out. If otherwise, he at least had

> With one finger on a button which would give the signal to Atsins, the general waited word from the Capitol. know it almost as soon as Montrus. It

Outside the hood was the black,

DESTRUCTION OF THE GREAT GERMAN AIR FLEET. reinforcement was added to every de photography and transmission. Sometail of the station; its capacity was where above the hostile fleet, Montrus increased to the limits of possibility. knew, the scout hung precariously in hundred stories. The coolies will carry path of the enemies' scouts, he would will not leave," he said. "Maybe you done his duty to the best of his ability. Ripples of light were chasing each distinct, and presently

In all Cuban cigar factories in the There had been none from the start; tubes and the graceful movement of West Indies, Key West and Tampa, a There had been none that the moment had one here and there as it changed posipublic reader is employed. This man occupies a high seat and reads aloud One of the assistants at his side newspapers, magazines and novels

vents and beggars of the holy moun-

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#### OLD WORLD PLANTS.

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will be a probable benefit to the various west. sections of the country as a nucleus about which to build up a substitution of more valuable crops than those now

At the recent meeting or the National | from 210,396 acres in 1898, to a total Board of Trade in Washington the report adopted from the committee on agricultural statistics presents many tacts of great interest to the farmers increased from 179,919,293 pounds of throughout the country and those dependent upon them for their prosperity, showing the large scope of the work of the Department of Agriculture and the enormous actual benefit which its investigation, have been to all of our throughout California More research. investigation have been to all of our throughout California. More recently, the Department has expended in the After discussing the question of the neighborhood of ten thousand dollars Department's methods of gathering in the introduction of the date point statistical information regarding grow- into Arizona and California and aling crops, the National Board of Trade though sufficient time has not yet recommending a modification of the clapsed to enable us to state positively present methods, including the cutting what the outcome will be, there ap-down of the great army of farmers and pears no reason to doubt that an enothers who are called upon by the Department for reports on conditions of their crops, and the reorganization of the forts of the Department. The present the Bureau of Statistics upon a basis value of date importations is, roughly of fewer but more reliable reporters, speaking, half a million dollars. This carrying greater individual responsibility consists largely of the cheaper grades ities, and also in the cutting down of the free seed appropriations and the Sahara seldom coming to this country substitution of a practice of distribution only those seeds and plants which

American Sugar Beet Seed.

"The introduction of the sugar beet, grown by the farmers. In response to while not due primarily to the efforts a request, the committee received a of the Department, has unquestion of the Department of Agriculture does statement from Secretary Wilson bear ably been greatly assisted by the dis-

ican agriculture. It is a question among far-sighted plant breeders and

countries of the old world where ag-

riculture has been carried on for cen-

tractive plants have been introduced,

which promise great things for Amer-

JAPANESE BAMBOO TREE The Bamboo is the Staple Wood of Japan and

Its Uses Spell Legion. growers whether this part of the work not hold out the greatest possibility to the future of America of any branch of the government. Every now and then a new plant or new variety is discover ed and introduced which may revo lutionize that particular branch of crop production. The macaroni wheat which the Secretary mentions is a fair example. Extensive trials of this wheat have been made throughout the middle belt of the United States, just west of the producing area for ordinary wheat, and it is believed that a vast section of possibly a million square miles heretofore thought unfit for any agriculture, is capable of producing this new grain at the rate of from 15 to 20 bushels per acre. With such a startling showing as this due entirely to the experimental work of the Department who shall say when the food producing limit of the world may be

Bringing Asia to Our Doors.

For every section of the vastly diversified soil and climate of the United States, says Secretary Wilson, there is corresponding spot in some portion of the old world where agriculture has been successfully prosecuted for centuries. What we need is full and complete information regarding the old world agriculture and the intelligent application of that knowledge to our

own country.

It would be possible to extend his letter almost indefinitely, the Secretary continues, were we to go into the various agricultural possibilities which are subject. age the growing of this seed. The the introduction of the Japanese matamount expended on this work, and the an-date, including salaries and the an-nual cost of American grown seed for nual cost of American grown seed for lars worth of matting. The owners of used in the United States is at least the value of the annual consumption half a million donars annually, beof raw material to supply their fac conservative calculation shows that the doned rice fields of the Carolinas and value to American sugar beet growers the work has already progressed far

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ing upon the work of the Department | tribution of seed by the Department, in the collection and distribution of ex- and the establishment of the sugar beet perimental seeds and plants which contains much of interest. The Secrewhich, from the present indications, tary says to the committee:

which, from the present indications, will be a question of only a few years,

"I am pleased to give you a state will have been due directly to the work ment showing in a general way the im. of the Department. Seeing the importance of the work of seed and plant introduction to this Department and to the agriculture of the United States. The appropriation for 1906 is \$290,000, which will be practically all used in

#### this work." In Touch With the Farmers.

Through the medium of the distribution of seeds and plants, the Secretary continues, the Department workers put into practice the discoveries which they sides the much greater value to the tories will not be less than \$2,000,000, may have made in the laboratories and in their field work. He mentions the adapted to American conditions. A ture of this matting rush in the abandistribution of disease resistant cotton seed to such portions of the south as are affected with the cotton wilt dis- of using higher grade seed than is enough to justify a reasonable assura cost of not more than \$1,000 for the seed and experimental work. The in-troduction of some of the hardy oranges developed by the workers in the Freau of Plant Industry is another stinuar illustration. By a series of cross-breeding experiments between the ordinary sweet orange and the hardy Japanese citus trifoliata, a very valuable and semi-hardy orange has been produced, which will probably grow almost as far north as Washington. It is expected that with several more generations of improvement, an orange practically equal to the ordinary type of Florida or California orange will be able to withstand comparatively severe freezing weather. Through the cooperation of the Laboratory of Drug Plant Investigation with the Office of Seed and Plant Introduction and Distribution, we are endeavoring to introduce into the United States the culture of a number of different drug plants the annual importation of which at the present time runs into millions of dollars in value. It is this principle of co-operation which renders the work of particular value to the Department itself and of course enables the Department to do better work for the country at large.

#### **Great Value from Small Expenditures**

"In regard to the value of this work to the United States, in my opinion," the Secretary says, "there can be no doubt that the distribution of seeds from the time the work was first behum, introduced in the early sixties at ance in the development of our agriculture. The rather hasty survey of the old records that the time at our disposal has permitted, shows that the Department has been helpful in the introduction of many of the crops that are at present considered the most valuable in the United States. Among these may be mentioned the Fultz and other varieties of wheat; Chinese sorgum, introduced in the early sixties at a cost of about \$2,000 and now worth easily many millions of dellars annually to the country; Kaffir corn, the introduction of which cost the Department not more than \$5,000, of which the annual value at present is estimat-1 to be about \$20,000,000; macaroni reat, on which, during the past three rs, we have expended about \$10,000,

ease. The annual loss to the south from this disease will easily reach \$500,000, and the Department has done nually. Our work along this line has of Bermuda or Easter lily and with fair much to reduce or prevent this loss at progressed so far that we shall dis- prospects of success. We are encour-

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growers will probably produce in the it will be only a question of time when neighborhood of 300,000 pounds next this industry will be established. The year, all of which has been contracted introduction of the mange into Florida: for at the present time."

Most of the Money Wasted. Although the amount of money which the Secretary may use, out of the anwhich has enabled the farmers of nual appropriation for the distribution rid west to grow crops worth of seeds, for the discovery, collection 6.000,000 to \$7,000,000 en lands and distribution of new seeds and hey could not grow the or-leties of wheat; Japanese tance of the amount authorized by

tribute during this year 15,000 pounds aging the growing of Holland bulbs in of American sugar beet seed and the the Puget Scu\_d region and believe the introduction of new persimmons and other Chinese and Japanese fruits which are now being secured by our explorer in northern China, and the

has been a large factor in congress for the distribution of common cabbage, radish, tomato and other exas and Louisiana. The garden and flower seeds, the Depart ment nevertheless is doing some re-

of increase in the value of plant prod-

markable work in searching, through the distribution of vegetable seed each its special agricultural explorers, the year the real value to the country of such distribution cannot be compared with that of even one good introduction turies and tens of centuries and where like macaroni wheat, Japanese rice, an improved variety of cotton or various its history of crops fades away into dim tradition, and from these coun-tries some of the most useful and atother articles which might be mentioned.

WHY FENCE WIRE RUSTS.

Department of Agriculture says Farmers Use Cheap Material.

A bulletin setting forth the results of an investigation made by the Department of Agriculture into the corrosion of iron and steel wire fencing was sued recently to the farmers of the country. Many complaints have been made to the department in the last year regarding the present quality of iron an steel wire used a fencing, and to improve these conditions, wit. the hope f determining some remedf for the corrosion, Secretary Wilson ordered a thorough investigation, an the perts ame to the conclusion that the

chief trouble is that the average 'arm insists on using the cheapest vir for fencing, and the cheap wire natural ly corrodes. The department claims that some

manufacturers hold that if it were possible to make a better grade of wire at even a slightly higher price, it would be useless to put it on the market, as the American farmer would not buy it, because he desires cheapness above other consideration.

The result of preliminary experi ments made by the Agricultural Department pointed to the manganese in the wire as undoubtedly being he chief cause of the corrosion, and it is stated that the more manganese there is present in fence wire the quicker it will rust or deteriorate.

To show the possible causes for the



MITSUMATA RAIN COAT. Woven From a Japanese Plant Which the De partment is Introducing in the South.

corrosion and that manganese is at the bottom of all the trouble, the depart ment quotes a number of steel, iron and metalurgical authorities on the

SOUTHERN FARMS.

Rapid Increase in Values Makes the Whole South Prosperous.

Manufacturers' Record. While it is true that the industrial development of the South is going forward with amazing rapidity, it is nevertheless true that, by virtue of the extent of the agricultural interests in the South, agriculture is yet the foundation of the business of that section A change from poverty to prosperity of the farmer, and a change from land without selling value to land in demand at an advance of 50 to 150 per cent. over the nominal price of one or two years ago, is the most far reaching

development in Southern advancement

of the last quarter of a century. It is far-reaching in many ways. It means that within the last year or two Southern farm properties have increase ed not less than \$1,000,000,000 in value probably at least \$1,500,000,000. But more than that, it means that under this improved financial condition the Southern farmer has gained new courage, new backbone; that he has learned how to market his cotton crop; that he has fought to a finish the great battle as to whether the producer or the spec ulator is to control the price of his staple. Having won this fight, the entire handling of cotton from the field to the factory, whether the factory be in this country or in Europe, has entered upon an entirely new stage in its history. It also means that land wil be more thoroughly cultivated, for the successful man, whether he be a farmer, a merchant, or a manufacturer, is always better able to work to good advantage than the one who is fighting a losing battle.

More and more the diversification of agriculture has gone on and more and more have fruit growing and truck raising, "hog and hominy," with the meathouse at home rather than in the West, been developed throughout the South.

Briefs from Everywhere. The United States exported last year 15,000,000 worth of oleo oil.

It is estimated that there are 4000 professional beggars in London and that they collect over \$1,500,000 a year. women.

The United States sells nearly \$200,-000,000 worth of lard, cattle, fresh beef, bacon, hams and oleo oil annually to Europe.

Paderewski says he keeps his hands oiled nearly all the time and steeps them in very hot water before giving a piano recital.

It has been estimated that the average man winks about 4,000,000 times a year. No actual count has ever been made, however.

In the Breslau zoological garden introduction of hardier or more pro-lific strains of alfalfa all promise in operated on for cataract of the eyes, the aggregate many millions of dollars and which now wears glasses.

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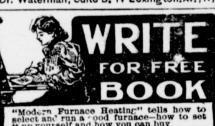
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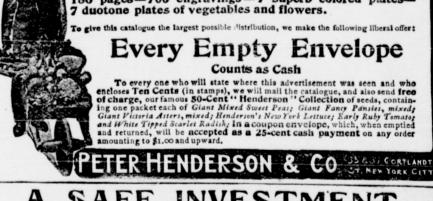
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officials and others to deny any lution recently passed, instructing charge against them in a newspa- the interstate commerce commisper that when the Christian Advo- sion to make an examination into cate, published at Birmingham, in the subject of railroad discriminaa recent issue, charged Associate tions and the monopolies reported Justice of the Supreme Court John in coal and oil. C. Anderson and two other state fulness of the charge.

Nothing has created such a sen- called and sworn as witnesses. sation as the charge and the answer In the opinion of the president, of Judge Anderson.

Anderson was so drunk that he had less money be provided to carry on to be taken from the train to the the investigation and the commishotel by friends. Judge Anderson, sion be authorized to make this apin a letter to the editor, says that he propriation under its provisions. did take a little too much and that, He suggests, therefore, that con-"I trust and promise by the help of gress give serious consideration to God to commit no act of folly in just what it desires the interstate the future that can reflect upon me commerce commission to do, and as a citizen or bring into question that the sum of \$50,000 be placed the reputation of the honorable of at the disposal of the commission fice bestowed upon me by the good to defray the expenses of the propeople of my native state."

Rev. J. B. Ellis, editor of the paper which contained these articles, dropped dead just after reading the letter of Judge Anderson and preparing it for the press.

#### Short on Cattle.

are reminded that the government's of feed. estimate of the number of cattle in Texas on Jan. 1, 1906, is 2,500,000 guards were no protection, neither been closed preparatory to the rehead more than they succeeded in could the settlers fire against it nor moval of the stock to Stephenville, finding on the first day of January, put it out. With the heavy marketing The fire was not extinguished the stock held there. The loss to should have been less than 9,500, was about 250 miles from west to and the loss to the building is ooo at the beginning of the new east and 60 miles in width and over \$3,000 with sufficient insurance. year. The assessors may be like 2,000 000 acres of grass was burned. some of the other citizens of this Many small ranchers will be affect. Wednesday night organized a Fifty country, viz., they do not swear ed. The heaviest losers are the by the estimates handed out from LFD, bar-bar, Slaughter and Spade cashier of the Jacksboro National Washington.—Texas Stockman outfits. Journal.

#### The Praise of the Peanut.

In the United States, a nut contemporary tells us, are 350,000 acres of peanut land and 170,000 peanutof peanuts, worth \$11,000,000, are contemptuously.

the peanut. It is accomplished county. the Admirable Crichton of nuts. as well as the farmer. Praise, hon- and Logan, who represents Sanger ody's Magazine.

#### Sterley to be Here Today.

The Fort Worth Telegram says: F. Sterley, general freight agent and contrary to public policy. the Fort Worth and Denver, will to Clarendon Saturday to attend neeting called for the purpose of cussing and encouraging the wing of cantaloupes in that vicin ty. An association will be organdized for the systematic promulion of cantaloupe culture and providing the best seed for

Ir. Sterley believes that there be much good accomplished at coming meeting and that there be an excellent variety of canoupes in that section of the counwithin a short time.

#### President Says Investigate.

Weduesday President Roosevelt sent a message to congress announc-It is such a common thing for ing his signature to the joint reso-

He says frankly that he has signofficials with being drunk at the ed it with hesitation, because it may near Alvarado burned to death funeral of the late Chief Justice Mc- achieve little or nothing. He indi-Clelland at Athens, and asked that cates, too, that if the investigation fire. all three resign the editor dropped proposed by the resolution is condead when he received a letter from ducted thoroughly, it will result in jail charged with horse theft and Anderson acknowledging the truth- giving immunity from commercial with eight cases of forgery, broke prosecution to all persons who are jail Tuesday and escaped.

the direction of the resolution will The editor charged that Judge remain practically inoperative unposed investigation.

#### Two Million Acres of Grass

A prairie fire started Feb. 28 in New Mexico and, being driven by county and burned over the best the explosion. parts of the northern part of the

cattle last year the number until March 6, and country burned the stock is \$12,000, fully insured,

country in Hale county.

#### Dealing in Cotton Futures is Gambling.

Austin, Texas, March 7 - The ters. Three hundred million pounds court of civil appeals today dealt a severe blow to the dealing in cotton produced here every year, and yet futures in Texas in the reversing people talk of "peanut" politicians and dismissing of the case of Jesse L. Norris and others against W. R. There are whole epic poems in Logan and others, from Bell

Norris and others sued Logan and every part of it is useful. It beats others to recover money furnished beas and corn as a fattener of stock to buy futures, alleging that Logan and poultry. It enriches the soil had not sold according to directions and eat the peanut!-Every & Ettelson, filed a counter claim for the money put up on margins.

> The court dismissed the whole case, saying that it was gambling and such debts were non-enforcible

The Fort Worth and Denver is getting ready for the new business expected in consequence of the and the Gulf, and has purchased too. See them at Mrs. Beville's. forty-seven new engines of the finest type made for the purpose. The Denver Road never does things by halves .- Ft. Worth Telegram.

Fort Worth Market. Prices Thursday were: Steers from \$3.40 to \$4.20 Cows from \$1.50 to \$3.60 Calves from \$2.50 to \$4.50

Hogs \$5.62 to \$6.25.

#### STATE NEWS.

J. W Mancell was killed near Merkel in a runaway Sunday.

The Emporia Lumber Co. lost their big mill at that place by fire Wednesday.

Mrs. Brick Bell was burned to death at Longview Wednesday while starting a fire with coal oil.

A six-year-old girl of Jim Linch's Wednesday by her clothes catching

W. M. Sullivan, in the Jacksboro

At Austin Tuesday W. O. Weed, in accordance with the expressed request of the late Gov. Hogg, planted a pecan and a wainut tree upon the grave of deceased.

A. J. Speer, a farmer of Frank. lin, was fined \$100 this week for swindling. He weighed a big piece of iron with a lot of hogs he was selling. He has appealed the

At Decatur Tuesday while re pairing an acetylene gas machine W. E. Terrell lit a match and the machine immediately blew up. Mr. Terrell was badly bruised on the left shoulder and his hand was mangled. Two other men, Messrs. Ike Kendall and Logan Wright, a perfect gale, came into Lubbock were badly bruised and shocked by

Wednesday at Dublin the stock The county assessors in Texas county, destroying a vast amount of the Maloney Mercantile company was destroyed and the building was Owing to the high wind, fire badly damaged. The store had where it was to be consolidated with

> The citizens of Jack county Thousand Club, with Ellis Mitchell, bank, president: Lewis Johnson, The fire spread to the settled vice president; W. E. Robinson, secretary; Emory Johnson, assistant secretary; William Turner, treasurer. The object of the club is to develop the resources of Jack county and to increase her population to 50,000 by 1910.

> > The first of this week fire swept over Lamb and Hockley counties destroying several hundred thousand dollars worth of cattle and other ranch property. The ranch of Major Littlefield suffered severely, more than 200,000 acres of the 286,000 acres embraced in his ranch being burned over. About 250 head of his cattle were burned to death. The remainder of his cattle on this ranch, numbering about 22,000 head, were driven to the New Mexico ranch which he owns, a distance of eighty miles, and their lives saved.

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> The Washington Post is sorely afraid that the rich will be persecuted. They can escape it by going to Europe and collecting their rents and interest by proxy. - Com-

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CLARENDON, TEX., MAR. 10 1906.

MANGUM'S crooked land officials is no indication of slothful farmers Publisher, is saying a number of over there. Last week they made hard things about the excellent a shipment of 11,000 pounds of live poultry to Chicago.

ALARMED at the agitation for government control of freight rates, the railroad officials of the north insinuations are received with a are holding meetings to reach an smile. Quanah Tribune. agreement to reduce rates 15 per

ALBERT PATRICK gets another stay of execution until April 3 when additional affidavits will be heard. The alleged murderer of Millionaire Rice has been in the courts six years. Does justice reach the man who is able to fee lawyers?

The Virginia legislature has passed a bill fixing railway passenger rates at 2c per mile for 500 and 1,000 mile tickets, passed the house. It has previously passed the senate and now goes to the governor.

The secretary of the treasury says there are now 84,194,000 people in the country and \$2,671,302, 503 in actual money in circulation. This gives old "per capita"-whoever he is-\$31.73. If there is anybody who has not got that much money in his clothes it is because somebody else has his share.

Horace Speed, United States district attorney for Oklahoma, John Olliphant, register, and John H. Trotter, receiver at the Mangum land office, and T. J. Chapman, a clerk at that office, have all been fired from office by President prize, their desires being of more Roosevelt for crookedness in the collection of government money.

By proclamation Gov. Lanham has set apart March 25 as Memorial Day, in memory of Ex Gov. Hogg.

#### Clower For Re-election.

week for re-election to the office of years publishers have been held up County Treasurer. He has filled by certain ready print houses and factorily in every way, and should nishing our magazine section, hence ad in THE CHRONICLE. he be elected to a second term, and the article from the Western Pubthere is, so far, no other candidate spoken of for the office, he will per-spoken of for the office, he will per-Newspaper Union. The publishers this—the people's paper. If you don't form the duties as conscientiously of our magazine section make their The people will accommodate you by as in the past. He has been a resi- money from its advertisers, hence going to the man who does advertise. dent of Clarendon for a number of seek to furnish them to country years, is well and favorably known papers of the largest bonaall over the county, stands high in fide circulation; thats why we rehis church and several of the fra- ceived a proposition from them. ternal orders and is in every way Their business is encroaching on qualified to fill such an office.

The ladies of the Christian church wish to announce that they have secured a date for Doctor Homer T. Wilson in his famous lecture, "Sparks From The Anvil." As the income from this lecture is to be used for an improvement fund for their church every one should gladly take advantage, not only of a rare treat for himself-and some one else; but also the opportunity to assist in a worthy cause. The hicles will be right and prices will date is Saturday night March 17.

Rolla Keller, a F. W. & D. conductor from Fort Worth, visited niece in college here yesterday.

R. E. Montgomery, the town site man, spent Wednesday in town.

Examine the Bowsher Feed Crusher at O'Neall's. It is the best made and will soon pay for itself in feed saving in one season.

Sunbonnets and dust caps at Mrs.

"Always Select the Best," is a good motto. To apply this principle, you should hear Homer T. Wilson fully to the Laundry business, we ready have two clubs organized of at the opera house March 17th.

Fresh Oysters at Enterprise mar

The Clarendon Banner-Stockman seems to be exhibiting quite a lot of jealousy of its opponent by casting reflections. State news boiled down is appreciated by the people and even the free patent sheet is far above the stale plate matter.-Shamrock Texan.

The Western Newspaper Union, through its organ, the Western magazine section issued by the Tribune-Chief and other uptodate. papers. As this magazine supplethe country publishers, the trust's

THE CHRONICLE has refrained from commenting on the thrusts of a jealous rival, rather preferring to give all our space to live, up-todate news, such as its would-be detractor could not give, within from three days to a week afterwards, if its publishers had the desire and energy to glean and rewrite from the dailies. This is our advantage over a weakly and a weekly paper, hence the peevish articles. THE CHRONICLE gives the local news from three to four days in advance of any other paper, gives the items in a concise form and not as space fillers. It gives crisp state news that has been favorably commented on by a number of our subscribers town. No other paper in this county does so. It gives the most interesting locals from exchanges in surrounding counties. No other paper in the county does so. It gives all the court news of the county without fear or favor. No other paper in the county does so. Its circulation was obtained by persons voluntarily subscribing for its worth and its list was not obtained by voting contests in which people were importuned by ladies to win a consideration than the paper. The long article copied from the Western Publisher fell flat, as a number of our readers have since made known their pleasure in reading the Saturday Extra. Its historical, agricultural, horticultural matter as well J. M. Clower announces this as the stories are high class. For houses have been established in two How is is with you? other large cities. But enough, if you want a live up-to-date paper read the CHRONICLE.

> In handkerchiefs I believe I have the largest and handsomest line ever shown in Clarendon.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE.

Don't be in a hurry to buy your buggy. O'Neall Hardware Co. will have in a car load of buggies, spring wagons, etc., about the 20th. Vebe right.

Street and Dress Hats-A dazzling display. Of course you will see my stock and get my prices before you buy.

MRS. A. M. BEVILLE.

Mulkey, the Clarendon photographer, will spend from March 8th to the 14th in Claude. Those wanting photos will act accordingly.

Will exchange any goods in stock for such produce as can use. MRS. A. M. BEVILLE.

For Sale At A Bargain.

and confectionery business. business. J. M. CLOWER & SON. Tell it to Your Father.

In his Bible class at New York, February 25, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., said: "Let us so live that we can walk along the street and look every one in the eye unflinchingly." Mr. Rockefeller would do well to give that advice to his father, who is now a fugitive from the officers of the law. The elder Rockefeller cannot even "walk along the streets," but is hiding-none of the authorities know where-in order ment has been making serious in- to avoid the service of a writ comroads upon their revenues from the manding him to appear and tell the truth.-Commoner.

Giles Gossip.

W. D. Shelton and P. M. Owens loaded out a car of their household furniture and teams on the 6th for their new homes in New Mexico. The former will locate near Elida and the latter will go on to Texoma.

Mrs. J. M. Shelton received a message from Rowe Tuesday, stating that her grandmother Phillips had fallen and hurt herself. She is over 80 years old and the fall may be quite serious.

There will be a Box supper at the school bouse Friday night. Proceeds to help the ball boys get their outfit.

Mrs. D. Wood, of Elk City, Ok. came in Wednesday to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. P. F. Nealey.

John Lemmons, who lives on the Dan Moore place, had the misforand four or five professional men in tune to lose his house by fire Wednesday with most of their household furniture. No insurance on furniture or house. NESTER.

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If you have a sign over your door carry everybody to your sign, but HE CHRONICLE can carry your sign and your message also to the people of this and surrounding counties. Persistent publicity is the price of business prosperity. An advertisement does not sell the goods, but it puts you in touch with the buyer and helps

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#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Phone us the news-83-2 rings Dave Roberts of Memphis spent Thursday here.

Mrs. E. R. Clark went to Estelline Wednesday to visit her mother.

Mr. O'Kieffand son are over from Gray county prospecting this week.

Miss Lillie Rector is ill this week with some kind of throat affection.

Rev. J. T. Bell went to Henrietta vesterday, where he will baptize several new members.

Mrs. Dr. Bradley of Roswell, N. M., came in yesterday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. L. O'Neall.

Walker, the sign painter is kept quite busy on sign work and win dow signs are becoming numerous.

from Childress last night on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Col-

Hugh L Spencer, county attorney of Wise county, passed through here yesterday enroute home from a visit to his brother at Jericho.

Lost:-between Mrs. Ligert wood's and the depot, a brown overcoat with storm collar. Finder return to this office or Will Adams and receive reward.

T. S. Bugbee made a trip to Amarillo this week to assist in the arrangement for the coming meeting of the Panhandle Stockmen's Association.

C. S. Hefner called Thursday to advertise his locust trees, as you will find in another column. He says a prairie fire started Wednesday on Salt Fork and burned through to Lelia on the railroad, burning out several pastures entirely.

As learned as is Dr. Bancroft who lectured here last week, and as much as he has traveled and inves- and know what is doing. You tigated the problems of nature, he don't have to wait until its contents believes in presentiments. He had are too old to be of interest. a troublesome dream the night before he left here and spoke of it several times during the day. When he message came at night notifying im of the fatal illness of his mother he referred to the dream at once as a forewarning.

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Press Smith moved over from Wellington this week.

Tom Egerton left this week for Tucumcari, to live out his homestead.

J. A. Sigler, of Wetumka, I. T., Get your plow harness from and also Mr. Pownell, were here this week prospecting and also pay-

> Go and hear the farmers talk on sugar beets today. By the way, read the article on sugar beets and good seed on the 4th page of our Saturday Extra.

P. A. Buntin and wife went to Childress yesterday morning in response to a message from there informing them of the death of Mrs. Mrs. Hawkins, sister of Mr. Buntin. Her death must have been unexpected, as Mr. Buntin had not heard she was ill.

Electric light plant, left Thursday for Cleburne and Hico to spend a few days with his parents and friends. His friends here guyed him some about bringing back a housekeeper, but he denied this being his intention at the present, Mrs. Tolman. Mrs. W. M. Clower at least.

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Parasols-Fancy, Colored and Staple for the little tots, misses and MRS. A. M. BEVILLE.

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Mrs. Dickey, mother of Rev. W. P. Dickey, and ber daughter, Miss Mary left Wednesday for Haskell, where they will reside.

#### Capt. Robt. Racket.

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Obadiah Dawson.....Joe Powell The Captain's Uncle from Japan, where they make tea.

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#### WASHINGTON LETTER.

CHRONICLE Correspondence. RATE BILL.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Mar. 5 .-The Railroad Rate bill is in the severing the ties of home, the throes of oratory. Senators Foraker church and the Woman's Home and Dolliver have made set speech- Mission Society, therefore be it rees and other Senators will doubt- solved by the members of the W. less speak. LaFollette has broken H. M. S .: the silence imposed on new Senators and spoke very effectively on derstand why one so young and full this subject with which no other of promise for a life of usefulness Senator is more familiar. It is giv- should so unexpectedly be taken en out that the bill will be passed from among us, we bow in humble such shape that it will probably be knowing that no distant day we which we believe is the most liberal approved by the House and will may meet her in a brighter and betsoon become a law.

PURE FOOD BILL.

most important measures that has unselfish devotion to her christian received the favorable attention of duty and shall hereafter endeavor Congress. There was a powerful to follow more close the principles lobby opposing it and two weeks ago of our Heavenly Father. it was doubtful if it could pass the 3rd. Resolved, that to the devot-Press, their selfish interests were she loved and trusted. exposed. This most benign measthis country.

JUVENILE COURTS.

An effort is being made in Washington as in several other cities to introduce the Juvenile Court by which youthful offenders will be granted separate trials and accorded punishment according to their age and their experience in crime. The experiment has been so thoroughly the cold days of last week. New tested in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and notably in Denver, where Judge Ben Lindsay presides over this tribunal, that it is conceded to be a necessary part of the Government of all large cities. Seven years ago there was not a juvenile court in the country but they are now regarded as the only effective and humane way of treating youthful offenders and as one of the most important judicial reforms of the century. They are founded on the presumption that the child delinquent is not a criminal and that he shall not be treated as a criminal and its object is to reclaim each tickets for the Homer T. Wilson detail. child brought before it to useful citizenship. The idea of punishment is eliminated as far as possible, lecturer on the southern platform farm monthly in America. Remember, that you and the commitment to reform today. schools is the last resort. The bill to establish such a Court in the District of Columbia is now before Congress and has already passed the Senate.

#### Want \$65,000 to Fight Ticks.

The house agricultural committee has informally decided to include in the agricultural bill an item of \$65,-000 to enable the department to make warfare against the cattle tick. This amount is not so large as has been expected, but it is believed it is all that can be used during the next fiscal year under the restrictions that will be imposed. These are that the department shall carry on its work only in those states which co-operate with it. The committee has thought that while perhaps it is right for the Federal government to engage in this work, it is also right to demand that the states shall not rely entirely on the Federal government.

Those members of congress who have been most active in this matter are some what doubtful if Texas is prepared to co-operate in that de gree which will warrant a part of this appropriation in that state.

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2nd. Resolved that we feel im-The Pure Food bill is one of the pressed by the example of her quiet,

Senate. A number of prominent ed father and sisters we tender our Senators were opposed to its enact- deepest sympathy, commending ment but they were pilloried in the them to our Heavenly Father whom

Be it resolved further that a copy ure will become a law and poison- of these resolutions be placed on the ing by drink and diet will receive minutes, sent to our local papers the severest blow ever given it in for publication and that a copy be also sent to the bereaved family.

Respectfully submitted, MRS. W. R. SILVEY MRS. B. W. DODSON.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

HRONICLE School Reporter. The little folks in Mrs. Harris' and Miss Stout's rooms enjoyed calecthenics instead of recess, on pupils are: John Sims, Jr., Claud Walkers, Eula Tucker, in the first grade; Harold Frampton, second grade; Hazel Goedeke, Carmine Walker and Bessie Bird in the fourth grade.

Mrs. Goodson was a visitor in Miss Stout's room last Friday.

The graduating class has chosen Williams Salutorian, and Adrain Brown Historian.

Mr. Erwin was a pleasant visitor in several of the rooms Friday.

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