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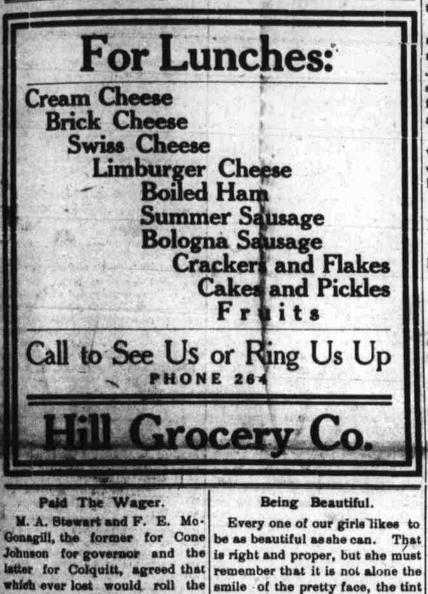
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WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS



BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1910.

The Election.

The Democra ic State Primary election held Saturday caused a good many surprises not, only in the county tickets but the State and district candidates. Colquitt received the nomination for governor by a plurality of about 50,000 votes, with Poindexter, second, Johnson third, and Davidson bringing up the rear end of the procession.

A. B. Davidson received the nomination for Lieutenant governor.

Smith for Congress in the 16th district had no opponent. Judkins is ahead for represenative in the 101st district.

The vote given is unofficial and we do not youch for its correctness. Morrison for County Judge; Prichard for Clerk; Purser for Treasurer and Williamson for Inspector, had no opposition and all of them polled a full vote. In this county the vote cast was light and the following results are given.

For Governor.	- 31
Colquitt.	
Johnson	120
· Davidson	
Poindexter	
Lieutenant Governor.	
Davidson	171
Hawkins,	191
Thomas	
Webster.	
County Attorney.	
Debenport.	495
Grisham	991
McPherson.	
Sheriff and Tax Collector.	405
Baggett.	2004
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Bailey.	
Surveyor.	1.1
Lightfoot	
Ramsey.	
Public Weigher.	
Carpenter.	
Foster	

How Texas Was Named.

An old newspaper article copi-Tuesday morning about 11 o' clock Ira Ford died at his home ed from the Galveston News, interest in the coming Texas Dry in this city after an illness of April 11, 1870 gives the meaning Farming Congress to be held in several months. Although his of the word Texas as follows:

"In correspondence between death was not unexpected it came as a shock to his friends. John Quincy Adams, Secretary He had been a citizen of our of State and Don Onis, the town a number of years and up Spanish Minister on the question to the time he was taken ill was of boundry line between Louisemployed as a conductor by the ana and Spanish proviences, Don Texas & Pacific railroad com- Onis, in order to prove the prior pany, and was very popular with possession of Spain, gives the ing a deep interest in the conhis fellow workmen as well as official report of a Spanish officer who took possession of the coun-

with the officials of the road. Ira Ford was 43 years old the try (west I believe) on Matagorday he died and was a son of da bay. He states that he met a Rev. H. C. Ford of Kentucky, tribe of Indians, soon after their who has been with his son some arrival who saluted them with time. He leaves a devoted wife the word "Texas' which in their besides his father and one broth- language meant friends. This is er to mourn his death and to doubtless the true meaning of whom is extended the sympathy the word. This correspondence of seed selection, he will bring a of every one in their sorrow. will be found in the state papers Funeral services were held at published by Congress.

Marriage License.

The remains were shipped Marriage License have been issued to the following couples Tuesday evening to Nebo, Kensince our last issue. A. S. Pattucky, for burial and were acterson and Miss Bettie McLeod; companied by Mrs. Ira Ford, Rev. J. S. Blackford and Miss Minnie H. C. Ford, Bob Ford and Jones; A. J. McDanield and Mrs. Lula Crow.

County.

might well lay claim to being man's best friend. She might establish such a claim by calling attention to the fact that from man manufactures more of the Big Springs where my office and tural. necessities of life than from any home shall be open with such ther similar source. She furnishes these necessities to him able to extend, and where I shall an extremely low rate from E from infancy until such a time as temporal things are no longer is your pleasure to come to see

> Respectfully. T. F. Grisham.

Lamesa to Celebrate. Next Thursday, August 4th

Texas Dry Farming Congress. Mexico is manifesting a lively

Eagle Pass on August 17, 18 and

\$1.50 A YEAR

19th. Sr. Zeferino Dominguez, Prof. of Agriculture, Hacienda de Santa Maria, Coahuila, has written the officers of the league that the Mexican authorities are takvention. The Mexican State of Coahuila will not only send delegates, of which Sr. Dominguez will be the head, but will also make an exhibit at the Congress of products raised in Mexico under dry farming conditions.

Sr. Dominguez has made a deep study of the important problem seed tester to the Cohgress and has asked that twenty-one ears of the finest grown Maverick county corn can be secured so he can demonstrate his method of seed testing during the address he will deliver before the convention.

Prof. J. D. Tineley, of the Agricultural College, New Mexico, has accepted an invitation to address Congress, and many of To The Voters of Howard the most distingushed authorities on dry farming and agricultural I am glad to have had the op- development in the state will be portunity of making your ac- on the program. Among them quaintence. I am especially are Prof. H. S. Hasting, of the U. thankful to those good citzens S. Department of Agricultural, remained loyal to me in the re- San Antonio; Prof. I. L. Quickcent contest. I cherish no ill sall, of the department at Waco; will toward anyone. I shall re- and the Hon. Ed. R. Kone, her product and from her carcass main in the practice of law at State Commissioner of Agricul-

> The Mexican International friendly hospitality as I may be Railway has consented to make he pleased to meet you when it Pass to Monterey at close of the Congress, so those wishing to make a short but delightful trip into old Mexico will have an opportunity to do so very cheaply.

> > **Poultry Association Organi**zation.

Bounce Bennett, the latter being The dairy cow, if able to exp ess herself in a way which the

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Main Street. Monday morning luring glance of the eye, the a wheelbarrow was secured and beauty and symmetry of the per-"Dad" carried out his agree- son, nor the costly dress or decment by rolling McGonagill from orations that compose a girl's Third Street to the north end of loveliness. It is far more to be Main Street. These parties to found in her pleasing deporttheir wager received an ovation ment, her chaste conversation, all along the route.

FOR SALE-Brick business house, well located, leased for three years. For further information call at this office.

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in a wheelbarrow down of the delicate complexion, the the sensibility and purity of her thoughts, her affable and open disposition, her sympathy with

those in adversity, her comfort and relief to the distressed, and above all her real companionship, that constitute true loveliness.-Ex.

Helfley.. The Commissioners are C. A. community is more closely iden-Merrick, Hutto, I. B. Cauble and tified with her than with any Story.

Ticket.

208 MAIN STREET

The horse is quite essential Socialist Nominate County in tilling the soil, but where necessity requires it the sturdy son The two days picnic at Jones of the cow can take his place, as

Grove Friday and Saturday was he has done in every agriculturwell attended, and there were al section on earth. The horse lots of good things to satisfy the can only furnish labor and can only return a profit to his owner inner man. A number of Socialist speeches were made and on when conditions are right for Saturday a full county ticket returning satisfactory grain was nominated.

constantly.

crops. It is a well known fact that the dairy cow is the salvation of the farmer in times of poor crops as she is able to convert the rough crops which are never a total failure, into dairy. products which always have a cash value.

In addition to this she furnishes skim milk and butter milk for the calves, pigs and poultry and fertility for the soil, without which a farm becomes less valuable each year and the whole country less prosperous.

The elimination of the dairy cow would necessitate an almost revolutionary readjustment of man's tastes and requirements. It would mean untold suffering and hardships. Of course she will not be dispensed with but her value can perhaps best be appreciated by contemplating such a loss.

She will continue to be man's best friend as long as the human family exists and will keep on supplying him with his greatest needs just as she has done through all the ages.

The United Charities will hold an open meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building, Wednesday, Au-gust 3rd, at 4 o'clock p. m. Everybody invited.

All interested, will please meet Lamesa will give a big barbecue and entertainment to celebrate at my office, Saturday August 13, 2 p. m., when we will organthe arrival of the Santa Fe railroad at that place. There will ize a Poultry Association. If be speaking by a number of well you can't come send me your known orators and there will be name, so you can be listed as a other features of amusement. member. Every body is invited.

I. E. Smith.

J. G. Carter of Glasscock John Robinson of Gaines county was here this week and county was here Tuesday acsaid range and crop conditions companied by his daughters, Misses Ruth and Jennie. there not very good.



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POOL BROTHERS

W. V. ERVIN. Editor and Publisher

**BIG SPRINGS, - * TEXAS

WORKING BEES OVERTIME.

Honey bees are remarkable for a capacity to organize for the common defense, while their intelligence gen erally is one of nature's marvels. Yet such is their relish for sheer work that they appear to take kindly to an oppressive arrangement which has been successfully experimented with between Loney men in Southern Califorinla and in Utah. In Utah, as in all sections where the seasons change from hot to cold, the bees stop working during the winter and doubtless, too, many of them succumb to its rigors. But Southern California, where It is always warm and sunny, being conveniently at hand, the Utah honey men have hit upon the scheme of shipping their bees there at the approach of winter, thus keeping them busy all the year around. From one county alone six carloads of bee colomiss have just been shipped back to Utab after their winter sojourn. The dourney is made at an expense of less than \$150 a carload, and the thrifty Utah apiarists find that it pays to let the bees take it. Did their aptitude for organization enable them to form a trade union, the bees might some day go on strike against this ingenious arrangement and administer a stinging rebuke to the greedy aplar-

Sixty thousand tons is now considered an average crop of raisins in the Smyrna district of Turkey, in which the acreage of vines has been immensely increased during recent years. There are heavy stocks of old fruit on hand, and with California now contributing to the world's supply, raisins from Smyrns have dropped from \$4.09 to \$7 per hundredweight. in boxes, according to quality, to \$2.68 to \$4.50. Smyrna will be joining California in trying to create raisin day and cultivate a taste for the dried grapes that will increase the annual consumption; but should people take to dried grapes there would be a boosting of prices in accordance with the law of supply and demand that would soon even things for all concerned.

A novel use of the water cure is reported from Evansville, Ind. A young man of that place wished to enlist in the navy, but upon examination was found to lack a pound of the minimum weight " Thereupon he went out, drank a gallon of water, returned and submitted to another test, which he passed successfully, and he is now duly enrolled among the gallant fellows who make our warships efficient in war or peace. There is no use of worrying about that young man's future. Anyone who is so determined to sailor. And he is likely to stick to the water wagon.



Dallas, July 25: Including all ad- | the Fifth District. Returns last night ditional returns received, and deductshowed an average of about 3 to-1 in ing for duplications, report at 2:30

Are Probable Winners.

Beall's favor. o'clock this morning account for 285,-In the Seventh District Hon. A. W. 000 votes, which is perhaps 75 per cent of the total. These give Mr. Gregg defeated his opponent, State Senator C. C. Stokes, 9,389 to 4,884. Colquitt a plurality of 51,124 for Govwith all reports in, excepting a few ernor over Poindexter, with Johnson small boxes. only 1,400 votes behind Judge Poin-Congressman C. B. Randell was

nominated in the Fourth District over dexter. Colquitt's pluarlity probably will be in the neighborhood of 60,000. B. Q. Evans by a decisive vote in all The returns leave the race for counties. With incomplete reports, Hunt was the only county showing a Lieutenant Governor in doubt, with close vote in this district. The totals Lane has a lead of 6,000 for Conreceived showed Randell 14,823, troller over Barker and \$,800 over Evans 7,627.

In the Third District Hon. R. M. Lively was elected to fill the unexpired term of Congressman Gordon Russell, recently resigned to accept a Federal Judgeship. James Young was nominated for the regular term. at the last report the vote being: Young 5,772, Geddle 3,447, Andrews 1,905, Beavers 1,636.

From Legislative Districts.

Reports from the various Legislative Districts have been so few and so scattering as to make it advisable to leave each to stand by itself rather than guess at results.

In the One Hundred and Seventh, all reports received show that Mc-Daniel is running easily ahead of Shield and Sackett.

Broughton's election in the Twenty-Eighth is said to be assured. Burleson County's vote for Rankin

and Kraltchan shows the latter just two votes ahead, with one small box to hear from.

Six boxes out of twelve in Liberty County show for Representative from the Twenty-First District, Harmon 161, Stovens 440.

In the Thirty-Third District, Vanghan and Nichols are running a close race, from partial returns.

A report from Gainesville save that in the special election to fill the unexpired term of Representative West brook, Place No. 2, former Senator B. F. Looney was elected over Capt. Cunningham by a vote of three to one. In Elis County's vote for Representative from the Thirty-Ninth District,



ed the estimate of the taxable values of Bowle County, showing \$13,000,000, an increase of \$80,920 over last year. The Christian Endeavor Society has started a Statewide movement to sup-

press moving pictures of elopments and any kind of lovemaking or spoon-Lightning ignited a 55,000-barrel

tank of naptha in Port Arthur near the Gulf Refinery Works and belonging to that company. The tank was practically full, a part of which was saved In a city election in Cameron for

the purpose of determining whether city shall issue bonds for the amount of \$15,000 for sewage purposes, the majority of votes cast were in favor of the issuance of bonds. A new gas well came in at Petrolia,

on the tract owned by the Wichita Brick and Tile Company. The flow was struck at a depth of 1,569 feet, and the well is one of the strongest in the field.

Wagon wheat brought \$1.05 on the streets in Dallas this week. This is the highest price paid this year. Flour is as yet not affected by the further advance.

The attendance and interest in the Texas Baptist encampment in Lampasas has been increasing since the first day and is considered in every way the best encampment yet held.

The Department of Insurance and Banking of Texas granted a license for the current year to the Providence Washington Insurance Company of Providence, R. I.

The Abilene key rate for fire insurance is to soon be reduced 9c, according to the statements of local insurance men, the cause being the installation of eight-inch water mains in place of the six-inch ones which had formerly been used to the fire plugs. Armour & Co.'s Houston offices. packing houses, smokehouse and sta-bles caught fire from some unknown cause shortly after 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and before the flames were placed under control the entire rear end and roof of the brick building were destroyed.

News from different parts of the Smith county is to the effect that the boll weevil has appeared in considerable numbers and are doing damage to cotton. The unusually warm weather for the last few days, it is said, will make it hard on the wee vils, and no serious results are apprehended. Circulars have been sent to every point in the county, advocating shallow and frequent plowing of cot-

F. M. Bralley, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, in Austin, has received a letter from J. C. McKinney of Honey Grove relating the destruction by storm of the schoolhouse and the church building in the Lone Star community near that place. Mr. McKinney, in the opnion of Mr. Bralley, makes a very wis



Everything Important That Could Be Confined to a Small Space is Here Found.

A grave mutiny has broke out at the prison at Madrid, Spain. The fighting lasted three hours and only ended by calling in the troops. The soldiers intimidated the mutineers by firing in the air.

The reports of 485 National banks in Texas at the close of business on June 30 show loans and discounts of \$113,105,703, a gain of \$4,102,368 over the statement of April 21. Overdrafts \$1,857,611, a decrease of \$4,862,976. Up to Thursday morning of the last week Bullard, in Smith County, had

shipped the following amount of fruit and truck this season: Potatoes 11 cars, tomatoes 119 cars, peaches 187 cars. Grand total 317 cars. These figures were compiled by the Bullard Herald. The present peach crop is the best this section has ever had, and it has taxed the railroad and labor to handle it.

The first district meeting of the International Sunday School Association of Texas will be held in Sweetwater; Friday, Sept. 16, and continue three days. The territory embraced in this association is from Fort Worth to El Paso on the Texas and Pacific; Dublin to Rotan on the Texas Central; Chillicothe to San Angelo on the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, and from

Coleman to Lubbock on the Santa Fe. Threshing is almost over in Denton County and by the middle of this week practically all of the forty-five or fifty thrashing outfits will have pulled in for the season. An effort

is to be made among the thrasher men to arrive at some approximate figures of Denton County's total wheat crop. Estimates of the acreage vary from 100,000 to 150,000 acres and the yield from fifteen to eighteen bushels

to the acre. President Taft has appointed Whitfield McKinlay, a negro, as Collector of the Port of Georgetown, D. C. Me-Kinlay is a Washington real estate agent, President Taft made the apagent. President Tart made the ap-pointment, it was said, in recognition of the negro race in filling important Federal offices. At the same time it was added that he wished also to rec-ognize the local sentiment; which was opposed to the designation of an out-

side man for the office. Reports that Dr. Lawrence Burgheim, an American physician in Nics ragua, was being forcibly detained with the Madris troops, are denied in a report of an investigation into his case received at the State Department in Washington, Dr. Burgheim was phyin to Gen. Irlas, the Mad mander in Eastern Nicaragua, but served of his own will. He recently quit the Madriz service unmolested, the report says, and is now in charge of one of Estrada's hospitals in Bluefields. It was learned on trustworthy authority that the Governor will have the special session arrange refund of the State bonds which matured last year, also those to mature on Sept. 1 of this year, and also to pay back interest on the bonds which matured in 1909. The State bonds which matured a year ago this month aggregated \$1,-068,000 and bore 5 per cent interest, hence it will be necessary to appro-priate \$33,400 to pay the .Interest, though in the future they will bear 3 per cent, if redeemed by bonds bearing that rate of interest. Chico Baca, who was one of Zelaya's 01 closest supporters, has resigned as Minister General of the Madriz Cabinet in Nicaragua, according to advices to the State Department in Washington. According to a special dispatch the Chicago Tribene under a Washing ton date Secretary Ballinger will be exonerated by the majority report of the joint Congressional committee which for five months has been max-ing a legislative investigation of the conduct of the affairs of the Depart-ment of Interior and the Bureau of Forestry, Department of Agriculture.

More than 5,000 persons the old settlers' reunion in De this week, and records for att were broken.

The report published in several a pors to the effect that the Giant Parents, Call, has been destroyed by the is absolutely incorrect. The United States leads the work

as an exporter of tobacco, having as an exporter of totacco, saving supplied over \$41,000,000 worth of to bacco and manufacturers of tobs which entered international marks

The McCulloch County Tax Am sor has just completed his rolls to the year 1910. The taxable tions of the county are \$6,190,502, at against \$5,574,804 last year, an increa of 11 per cent.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, of Bos. ton, Mass., founder of Christian Science, is 89 years old. The Government thermometer

Waxahachie registered 105 degree Sunday. This was the hottest day of the year. The tenth annual meeting of the

Texas Mayors' Association will b held in the city of Tyler on July 2 and 29. The city of Tyler is making splendid and ample arrangements entertainment.

Overcoats are a very comfortable and necessary article in St. Louis these Jaly evenings. Summer garden gom have been wearing winter garb for two nights. Windows of park can were closed on the home trip.

Conferences between the training and conductors and the general super intendents of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the working out of the details of the tentative agreement reached on Monday have been con tinued in Philadelphia.

Friday night Maura, formerly Prime Minister, was shot at Francia station, Barcelona, upon alighting from the train from Madrid by an unknown man, who fired three shots, woundin him in the leg. The assailant was an rested.

Two explosions early Sunday in Cincinnati wrecked a manufacturing plant a Central avenue and Findlar street, starting a conflagration that destroyed three adjoining places. Five firemen were buried by falling walls and were taken out seriously injured.

Following two days of the warment weather experienced at Hillsboro this summer, the temperature having repistered a maximum of 103 degrees both Sunday and Monday, a violent wind and rainstorm came up between 6 and 7 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, from a northeasterly direction, for a time approaching the proportions of a cyclone.

An attempt was made to derail eastbound passenger train No. 8 Sunday at Oliva, Va., the first station at which Grand Trunk eastbound trains stop in passing through South Bend. The engineer of the train noticed the turned switch signal in time to bring his train to a stop and thereby probably prevented injury to passengers.

News telegraphed contains information of men and animals succumb ing to the intense heat in the vicinity of Calexico, on the border between Mexico and California. Eight mea and many mules attached to a co struction camp are said to have died. There have been numerous prostretions besides. Auditor Fitzgerald of the Teras Railroad Commission has completed a statement of results from operation for the eleven months ending May 31, 1910, and compares same with the same eleven months of the preceding year. As has been the record during the past few months everything except income from operation increased. The latter decreased. The earnings all showed nice increases, but they were more than offset by the abnormal is crease in cost of operation. However, there was no deficit from operation the income having been above the \$1% 000,000 mark, but the decrease com pared to the same period last year was a little more than \$250,000. Returning from a trip to Chicage and Cleveland, W. G. Hamilton reports that his company, the Berrendo Imgated Farms Company, is making plans to build an electric line in Roswell within the near future. Ira G. Rawn, president of the Cas cago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railroad (the Monon Route), died a bullet wound at his summer rest dence in Winnetka, fifteen miles parts of Chicago, Wednesday. Members a Mr. Rawn's family say he was killed by'a burgiar. The police are working on a theory that Mr. Rawn killed him self.

For the first time in many years Mexico is having something like a revplution. But that country has made such progress, politically and industrially, that long-continued disturbance, with consequent commercial and other demoralization, is not likely to be tolerated. Mexico has learned to govern itself in more civilized fashtion.

Now a French aviator devises a machine which will rise from the water, secenting the fact that with the art of flying perfected all the natural elements will look alike to inventive man

Where would you rather be, in a notor boat with a broken rudder and a mile from the shore or in an airship with a broken plane and a mile from the ground?

Why do men always figure on the use of Leroplanes in warfare after a sensational flight has been made? Sunday school picnics are so much pleasanter.

Doctor Wiley's declaration that women ought to learn to cook puts him under suspicion of trying to rewive the biscult-that-mother-used-tomake joke.

According to the census takers a Colorado couple have been married for 90 years. Can this be so, or does it only seem that long?

Buying kisses at five dollars is cheaper than being caught violating the mashers' ordinance.

If the birds bave any sense of humor it must amuse them to see men making so much fuss over what they have been doing all along.

The aviators insist on demonstrating that it is possible to tumble with an aeroplane and yet save a few bones.

Of what use is it to denounce racesuicide while the joy-riders are alfowed to run at large?

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Davidson slightly in the lead.

able majority of 20,000.

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Harper leads Turner about 12,000

for Judge of the Court of Criminal

Appeals 14,000, and indicating a prob-

Submission has made but a slight

gain in the new returns, now leading

by 12,000, and indicating a probable

Mayfield is so decisively nominat-

ed for Railroad Commissioner that

we will not compile further returns

until the complete reports are avail-

Sparks is nominated for Treasurer

Teague.

Court of Criminal Appeals-Harper 59,492 MeCord 42.157 Turner 47,329 Submission-For 94,317 sional districts show the re-election of Hon. C. B. Randell of the Fourth District, Hon. Jack Beall of the Fifth, Hon. A. W. Gregg of the Seventh and Hon. John H. Stephens of the Thirteenth. None of the returns are complete, but they are so nearly so, and so decisive, that the results are practically certain. The only doubt last night seemed to be in the Twelfth District, where Hon. Oscar Gillespie,

the present incumbent, according to the last returns, had received something like 200 votes less than Oscar Calloway. The third candidate in this district, fromer State Senator D. M. Alexander, at the last count, had received 3,261 votes, Calloway 5,187 and Gillespie 4.958.

the Thirteenth, Congressman Stepgoing to press Stephens had received 17,812 to Veale's 4,892.

Hon. Jack Beall was re-elected by about the same proportion over his opponent, Dwight L. Lewelling, in

Drying Peaches for Market. Tyler: Hundreds of bushels peaches are being dried in this county for the market by what is known as the new California process. The peaches, when dried in large quantities, net the growers \$1.10 per bushe and are in demand the year round. Next year preparations will be made to use up the surplus crop in this manner. Mr. Adams, who owns a large orchard near here, has had a force of experienced hands at work for three weeks drying peaches

erson, Cox and White are shown running very close together, the latter a bit ahead.

The returns from all districts are, so far, very incomplete. It is reported from Austin that

James H. Robertson has defeated Milton Everett.

which is that a law be enacted by the Legislature requiring school trustees throughout the State to take out fire and tornado insurance for the protection of the schoolhouses.

The Bureau of the Census on Cotton Production has issued a bulletin relating to the value of the cotton crop of last year. It gives the value on production in 1909 as about \$812. 000,000. This is about one-half the value of the corn crop, nearly \$100, 000,000 more than the value of the wheat crop and twice the value of the oat crop. The entire production of gold in the world last year was about \$450,000,000, or slightly more than half the value of the cotton. The cotton production in the entire world last year was valued at about \$1,000,000.

"Pure water for Brownwood bust" is what the City Council has fully decided to do, and from the present prospects the pure water will s filtered through the fine gravel ds along the banks of the bayou before long and in sufficient quantities to supply the town for all wants for years to come.

The Cleburne Board of Trade has authorized the offer of \$5 for the largest watermelon raised in Johnson County. The word has been spread among farmers of the county and lively in terest is being manifested in the con-

The record price for farm lands of over 100 acres was reached a few days ago for the Granger vicinity, when Dr. Charles C. Gidney bought of W. A. Jackson 186 acres east of town at \$135 per acre.

The largest shipments of per over received in St. Louis within twenty-four hours glutted the market Monday. Besides 130 cars for through trade, 100 cars were received for local consumption, causing prices to drop bedrock. The receipts consist al-most entirely of Elbertas from Texas, Georgia and Arkansas.

The contractors have compl ted the two new ward school buildings in Ballinger and the School Board is furnishing the buildings and will have them ready for the coming term. The two buildings cost \$16,000.

The figures on the tax rec he city of Temple indicate that for the current year the receipts will run about \$110,000 for all purposes, ing that from ad w nes, licenses and receipts from the tate free school fund. The tax rate a fixed for the year at \$1.48 on

Three men were killed and seven injured in a boller explosion at the Webb sawmill, eight miles west of Little Rock, Ark., at noon Friday.

The American Consul, in Nice Thomas P. Moffatt, has insued in tions to the American neval co ers to observe the strictest tions that no personal o count of the grave fears that yells fever is prevalent there. The bis is held by the Madris forces, and n merous deaths have recently occurry an deaths have recently or

The population of the first of the Brownsville section to be mad lie is Hidalgo. This county sh growth from 7,888 in 1900 to 18,728 this year, a gain of almost 101 per co San Augustine County, with a pope tion of 11,864 against 5,454 tan yes ows a gain of 132-8 however, shows a los of 2,530. It had 48.0 abitants in 1900 and to 46,544, a de 4.544, a decrease of 4 per cent. The taxable property in Millionny, as rendered for 1910, is

The Parker County Fair Association has purchased about twenty-five acres of the old Anderson property in Weatherford and at the last meeting of the association a committee wa apowered to select and purchase mt site.

A very large percentage of the wheat crop of Denton County is an One big land owner who, will nants, has 1,500 acres in grain ding 30,000 bushels for \$1.25 d is holding 30,000 bushels for until better, as he purposes holding until

The largest crop of Elberta peaches on the segregated coal lands in Oth-bound is reported. The crops of sp fies and peaches are especially fis it as to grade and quantity. for have been shipped from the old to the old the share form the largest orchard is

I reports from all parts of Columbia, confirmed by a to Premier McBride, place th the loss of the present week at fires at not less than \$1.00

Hon. A. B. Davidson. In the Flotorial race in Robertson

and Milam, LeRoy Hilyer of Milam is nominated.

While Mr. Colquitt's pluralities and majorities in all sections of South Texas were overwhelming, he has, nevertheless, shown strength pretty much in every section of the State Especially is this true of the big black In the "Jumbo" Panhandle district, land counties in North Texas, and

more particularly as to those counties hens was nominated by an overwhelm-ing vote. At the count to the time of County. Judge Poindexter's greatest strength was shown also in the black land counties. He got, however, a large percentage of the vote in West and Northwest Texas. In East Texas was Mr. Johnson's stronghold.

MORE TEXAS CENSUS FIGURES

City of Brownsville and Childress

Washington: Census returns m

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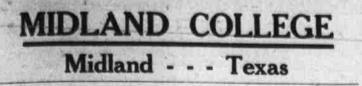
Tex., a population of 10,517, against 6,305 in 1900. This is a gain of 4,312.

or 66 4-5 per cent, in ten years. Childrens County, which had 2,159 population in 1990, today has 9,530, s

gain of 7,400, or \$46 per cent, in

years.

County Show Large Gains,



A high grade school with Christian influences. Nonsectarian. Preparatory, Academy and Junior College. Literary and Scientific Courses of study prepare for business or the Junior year of our leading Universities. University trained men and women in every department. Courses in English, Ancient and Modern Languages, Mathematics and Science.

School of Fine Arts unexcelled. Director of music of 20 ears of experience with several years residence and study in Germany. Courses in Piano, Violin, Voice, Harmony, Expression, Physical Culture and Art. Orchestral advantages of superior merit. Faculty of ten teachers. New buildings, new furniture, new equipment of every

kind. Steam heat, electric lights, rooms furnished with single beds. Dormitory capacity for women, 60; for men, Administration building, 3 stories and basement, 147 feet long, 87 feet wide, a model of arct.itectural beauty. Standard rates of tuition and board. Health conditions unexcelled in America. Altitude 2800 feet. For catalogue giving detailed information, address

MIDLAND COLLEGE J. STONE RIVES, A. B., President MIDLAND, TEXAS

Local and Personal

John Bellamy is visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Judge Wm Hanson of Garden City was here Monday.

"Mound City Paints may cost a trifle more, but-1 B. Reagan."

R. D. Matthews was on the sick list several days this week. W. H. Devenport and P. F. Riley of Auto were here Monday. The famous McDonald choco:

lates at Biles & Gentry's Drug Store.

P. D. Burns was here Monday from the North Concho country.

Mrs. M. A. Max well and family are visiting relatives in Lamesa.

here on a visit to relatives and a chance to exude a little exuberfriends.

All kinds of sporting goods-Biles & Gentry's Drug Store.

W. O. Miller and wife have gone to Missouri on a visit to relatives.

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Your

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town Mo J. B. I Switzer. was here

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BILES & GENTRY. and fleas. Charlie Powell is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Can Powell, this week.

Vistal kills chicken lice, mites

T. O. Berry returned Friday from a trip to Missouri, Oklahoma and South Texas.

FOR RENT-Furnished rooms for light house keeping. Mrs.

Norman Girtwood, district and County Clerk of Glasscock coun-

Drug Store.

Alton Hinds of Houston is get married, so the editor can get ance?

> Sheriff Mobley returned Satwhere he had been on official Ellis county, for burial. business.

fresh in milk, with first calves. Theo. Jones.

Had you observed that Reagan was the first merchant: 1. To furnish free ice water to all who would come to his store for it:

2. To reduce the price of school books down to same price they sold for in other parts of the State-saving the people as much as 50 cents on a single book in some cases.

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3. To post a bulletin showing the election returns from the County in every election since he began business.

4. To equip and maintain a drugstore with all the latest and best equipment for accurate compounding of prescriptions-a store that ranks as a credit to a city of ten times our population. 5. To furnish a palm or cream parlor where you can go and sit for an hour or more in the delightful breeze of an electric fan and be served with the best service any soda fountain in the State can afford.

Are not these facts strong reasons why you should give your patronage to such a house? Iit not to your own personal interest to do your trading with the progressive men who are trying, with all their might and means. to develop Big Springs? I believe you will answer "yes" to both these questions.

You are cordially invited to trade at this house.

Reagan Drug Store.

Since the primary election is over, things have settled down to a business basis in Big Springs, and our merchants are "pleasing the people" at the same old stands.

Jno. P. Cooper, editor of the Western Reporter of Anson, was here Monday on his way to Lees to complete arrangements in getting his printing plant in oper-

Moses Smith, aged 60 years, died at his home five miles northwest of town Sunday of tuberculosis, and his remains were em-Tennis outfits a specialty-at urday from Yoakum county balmed and shipped to Milford,

> The recital given by Mrs. E. S Friday night at the Y. M. C. A. hall was well attended. and the

THE STORE THAT **KEEPS** The GOODS

other exercises we we have the theory of the second of the

Windmills that have proven their worth by continued use all over the country. Water supply material and galvanized Cisterns and Tanks can be had here. ¶ Our line of Builders' Hardware is the most up-to-date on the market. We buy in large quantities and are in position to make the price right. It will be money to you to see us before you buy anything in the Hardware line. I Remember we carry a large and select stock of Queensware, and if you want anything in that line you will have no difficulty in getting satisfaction here, both as to quality and price. Call and you will be convinced.

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A. R. Wylie, phone 127.

ty, was here Monday.

 Misses Clara and Sophia Inkman were visiting relatives in Mitchell county last week.

Your prescriptions will be correctly filled at Biles & Gentry's

Why the deuce don't somebody ation at that place.

FOR SALE-Four young cows Bledsoe's class in Expression

bills ants and roaches Talcum Powder, 10 c	as here erest of d baby om La- Taylor's Maxwell. Biles & Sunday ing and hoir will y is in- tese see- d baby com La- Taylor's data erest of d baby com La- Taylor's Maxwell. Biles & Sacred Song Service. A sacred song service will be given at the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday evening, July 31 begining at 8:30 o'clock, at which a freewill offering will be taken for the benefit of the organ fund. The following pro- gram will be rendered: Prelude: Trawmeri Schuman Miss Amelia Rix Doxology Choir and Congregation. Prayer Mr. Tio nas.	If you are interested education, place the	A C F M D O M D O	the best in a practical them, and guarantee
at Biles & Gentry's. CONFIDENCE NOT ESTABLISHED IN A D It Requires Time	Solo: "The Ninety and Nine."-E. CampionMrs L. S. McDowell Offertory Selected	Card of Thanks. To the voters of Howard coun- ty: As it is impossible for me to meet you all personally, I wish to take this means of extending my thanks to those of my friends	Children's Band. The following program will be given by the Children's Band at the Cumberland Presbyterian church next Sunday, beginning	Howard county for the sup given in the late primary, though not a winner in the I hold no ill will toward any
Stores are like men-usually those succeed who de cess. No business depends so much on the confider public as that of the Druggist. It should be so iness lies so close to the health and lives of people re should be no doubt as to the reliability of the good ed, or as to the skill and accuracy of the Druggist. We keep the stock in every way suited to the new community. The best of everything is carried, the a nt is large, the attention perfect and the prices right a are not already one of our customers, we believe w ke it profitable for you to become one.	eserve The Penitent-Van De Water Anthem: "O for the Wings of a Dove"- PattisonCho r Benediction: t. If Jno. P. Cocper stopped over	in the recent primary. Your support, your confidence, is heartily appreciated and it shall be my one aim and purpose to fill the office, to which you have nominated me, to the best interests of the whole people of Howard county. Respectfully, Anderson Bailey.	read by the leader, Susie Porter. Recitation—Milburn Barnett. Reading—"A b s a l u m"—Ida Stewart. Recitation—Ben Alfen. Recitation—Edith Ferrill. Reading—"Jesus and the Doc- tors in the Temple","—Ethel Johnson. Song—Kathleen Johnsen. Recitation—Louise Mey. Camp Meeting. A Camp meeting is to be held	One of the social events of season occurred Monday a noon, July 25th., at the hom Miss Carmen Barclay, when members of the G. I. Soc numbering about twelve, go farewell entertainment in 1 of Miss Gertrude Davies, Superintendent, who, in the future will leave for an exter visit in England. The eprogram was thoroughly en
BILES & GENTRY EXCLUSIVE DRUGGISTS g Springs Phone 87 To	that shapes the ends and destiny of The Western Reporter. Mr. Cooper tells us that his paper at Lees, which will be under the direct management of his son,	in each month the choir of the First Presbyterian church will give a Sacred Recital, using the free will offerings for the purpose of buying a new Organ. Every body invited to come out on these evenings of worship.	at Soash beginning August first, conducted by Elder J. L. Robin- son. Every one is invited to come and camp. The meeting will last ten days or two weeks, Freshest candies in town, at Biles & Gentry's Drug Store.	society colors, pink and w was served and with their wishes the members depu- bidding their Superinter goodby and bon voyage.





ITTLE BY LITTLE President Taft has come into direct line with one of the Roosevelt policies, and he will follow it in the future as he has been following it for some woeks. It will be the rule at the summer capital at Beverly, Mass., as it is today the fixed rule of procedure in the White House.

The Roosevelt policy which President Taft finally has adopted as his own is the method of receiving visitors which was in force during the colonel's tenure of office. It is possible that President Taft never will be able to

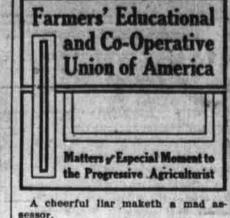
adopt the Roosevelt policy of getting rid of his visitors, because the two men are constitutionally different in at least one respect. It must be said, however, that the Roosevelt plan of receiving guests has done a good deal to save the tempers of White House visitors and the time of Mr. Taft.

As everybody knows, an addition was made to the White House offices some time ago. In the Roosevelt days callers went into the cabinet room and from there either were ushered into the adjoining room, where the president sat, or waited while Mr. Roosevelt came out and made a circuit of the cabinet room, speaking to one caller after another and getting through with his work quickly and yet without giving offense.

Now President Taft has a circular room all to himself, and while the visitors are allowed the two big rooms outside, it is from these rooms they find there way to the president's presence, being let in eight or ten at a time, and not one at a time, as was the case when Mr. Taft first took office.

The president has adopted the Roosevelt method of passing from visitor to visitor learntile, so wants of each and trying as best he can to suit each caller and to get rid of him as quickis as courtesy will permit. President Taft, howaver, is so good natured and is so humanly inter-

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sessor. Good hard oll makes an easy run-

ning wagon A portable forge is a time and

money saver. When a man talks to you about bad luck, he probably means bad management.

WAITE

HOUSE

The farmer who rules his animals by kindness will find it more effective than a club.

Some silly people are like peas in a tin pan. The less there is in them, the more noise they make.

A strong labor vote always does a lot of good-it instructs the politician in the way he should go.

We cannot all own everything for running our work, but we need not become a common nuisance by being a common borrower.

Pride is not the only thing that goes before a fall. Some people get so reckless that any old thing goes, even other people's money.

The man who contents himself with the thought, "I am not as bad off as my neighbor and things might be worse," will always be a slave to his fear.

It is poor economy to buy cheap binder twine. A single break will that cost twice as much as the cheap stuff.

An eastern professor wants to make boxing more general in our colleges. Some day some man with a "hunch" is going to suggest that our schools devote a portion of their time to real study.

A government report says that sparrows may be killed in their nests. poisoned, snared, or shot. Strange how some of these scientists are finding out things the farmer has known these many years!

Farmers' Union in Washington and Panhandle of Idaho to Sell Crop Through Agents.

One of the most important moves to be made by the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative union during the present year, according to State President L. C. Crow, is the districting of the warehouses owned or leased by the union in the grand jurisdiction, which comprises Washington and the Panhandle of Idaho. filled in and these are written deftly and then

The idea is to form five or six districts, with a central selling agency in each district, the agency to be located in the commercial center of the district. The central agency in each district will be in close touch with

LIVING IN CO-OPERATIVE AGE

Thousands of Ways in Which Farmer Can Be Benefited by Forming Local Organizations.

We are living in an age of co-opera tion and it is beneficial so long as its legitimate functions are adhered to. All trades and professions are more inclined to the co-operative idea than farming and there is where the knight of the soil makes a mistake. There are a thousand ways in which farmers can be benefited by forming local co-operative associations, concerning a given territory, and holding meetings at stipulated times, not too far apart, says Farm and Orchard. The farmer is penny wise and pound foolish who is not willing to leave his field a half day occasionally to mingle and erchange ideas with his fellows.

Smith, Jones and Brown each needs a harvester. Three machines can be bought proportionately cheaper than one and the transportation charges will also be less. Each may have for sale a small crop of wheat. The quantity owned by one is not sufficient to justify looking for the best market advantages, but put the three crops together and they can be marketed jointly to the benefit of all three and with no more effort than would be required to dispose of the holdings of one. The same holds good in the purchase of all kinds of seeds, fertilizers, live stock and farm implements of all kinds, as well as in the marketing of everything produced on the farm. There are different pieces of machinery that might be owned and used jointly by farmers and in that way represent but a small outlay by each. There is no subject in which farmers and rural dwellers generally should be more interested than in the construction and maintenance of good roads. Take a road over which one cost more in time lost than a ball ton only can be hauled to market with a two-horse team, improve it so as to be able to haul two tons with the same team, and the distance to market has been reduced by one-half. The extra tax required for road improvement is a mere bagatelle compared to the advantages the good roads will afford.

The feeders of public roads are private roads, and several farmers may often use and enjoy the same private right of way and keep it in repair at their joint expense. Aside from all the considerations sounding in dollars and cents, it is the pleasure of social intercourse and personal friend-PLANS FOR HANDLING GRAIN | ship resulting from it in the country in the coming together of men for one common purpose. The selfish, narrow-minded individual who wants to live entirely to himself and for himself is a curse to himself, and to the whole human family.

SCIENCE TO HELP FARMERS

Plan That May Revolutionize Farming Methods in Genesee Valley in Western New York.

Several farmers of western New York are considering a plan that has been suggested to them by one of their sons who is attending the Cornell agricultural school. The plan consists in a number of farmers who rethe coast agency, and the manager of side not too far apart forming an as-each warehouse in the district will in sociation and hiring an expert scienturn be kept advised of conditions of tifle farmer who could intelligently dithe grain market through the central rect the farming operations of the members, analyze the different solls and determine what they lack and the crops best suited to the land, instruct the members in the preparation of the different formulas for spraying trees and growing crops and the proper time to spray, and in the proper selection of different seeds for planting. The farms in that vicinity will not average much over 100 acres and in the rough draft of the plan it was figured that if twenty farmers could be enrolled who would be willing to pay \$100 a year each, a first-class man could be secured and he would have but slightly over 2,000 acres to supervise, with no manual labor to do. With the superintendent located at some central farm where he could be accesalbie on the telephone and with some fairly rapid means of conveyance the plan looks feasible and may revolutionize farming methods in the Gene see valley.



ested in matters not connected with politics or legislation that of his own volition he lingers long frequently with individual visitors, and so while the method of reception hastens things in a measure it cannot offset the delay that comes from the president's apparent desire to have every guest put into good humor and to leave him "with a smile in his heart."

At the outset of the Taft administration visitors saw him one at a time and the one who was talking to him did not feel the spur of haste which is now felt by the presence in the room of half a dozen or a dozen other visitors, all eagerly waiting their turn and occasionally shifting uneasily in their seats because of the time that the one who has the president's ear is taking up.

President Roosevelt, just as President Taft, was sumanly interested in a great many things which did not affect public matter. For instance, if a well-known sportsman called Mr. Roosevelt would perhaps talk to him for half an hour about big game shooting or the best way to reach the haunts of some wild creature which the colonel never had had the pleasure of meeting at the end of the gun. One of President Taft's hobbles is baseball, and every league team that visits Washington calls at the White House, where its members talk of curves, inshoots, drop balls and the best way to place hits, to the man who, weary of railroad legislation and tariff talk, is willing is spirit to get on the diamond for a few minutes.

President Taft's good nature is proverbial. During the late spring and early summer in Washington school children literally by the thousands poured into the capital. It seems that in some cities the children of the high schools give entertainments during the winter and charge admission thereto. The money that is thus ob tained is used to pay the expenses of the pupils to Washington. In cases where the children's parents are able to bear the expenses of the trip the money is used to pay the expenses of boys and girls who otherwise could not undertake the journey.

One day at the White House there appeared a delegation of 450 school children. The president had a number of appointments with senators and representatives and with prominent men from a distance. Notwithstanding this he told his secretary that the door should be thrown open and that the school children should be admitted. He not only made them a speech, but he shook hands with each one and had a word beyond the perfunctory "Glad to see you," to say to each pupil as he or she went by.

The story of the welcome which the 450 children had went abroad and for days the president's mornings were busy with the work of welcoming the pupils of schools from all the eastern states. The children always are accompanied by acveral teachers, who chapeson them and make preparations for their sightseeing. As soon as they reach Washington the representative in congress from the district or districts in which the schools are situated are called upon,



and the congressmen in nearly every case lead the way to the presence of the president.

The wonder is if the country knows how much hard work goes on in the White House, not only in the president's office, but in all the adjoining offices. If anyone envies the private secretary his position perhaps he would throw envy to the winds after watching Charles Dyer Norton go through one day's labor. The assistant secretary works just as hard as does the chief secretary and in the office communicating with the room of these two hard-working men is a room filled with stenographers and clerks hard at work.

There is one. White House clerk who has a most painstaking job. Invitations to the semipublic White House receptions of course are engraved, but as the name of each person invited must appear on the engraved ticket of admission which accompanies the invitation, one line of the ticket must be left blank because the engra ving of 4,000 individual names, one to go on each card, would be an endless task and a tremendous expense. It is the duty of one of the clerks to fill in the names and to do it so that the writing shall look as though it were engraved. This he does in a way that deceives the ordinary eyesight. A card of admission to one of the White House receptions looks as if it were all the work of the engraver, so fine is the handicraft of the man who fills in the vacant line with the tracing of his ordinary pen.

About a year and a half ago the clerk who did this engraving died and it became necessary to find some one to take his place. It was suppos that this would be a hopeless task, or that at the best the services of a man must be obtained who after long practise might be able to accomplish what his predecessor so successfully had done. To the surprise of everybody the first cards of invitation that went out were just as deceptive as far as engraving and handwriting were concerned as were those that had gone from the desk of the man who for years had labored at the task and had arrived at a perfection which it was supposed no one without months of practise could reach. One of President Taft's daily tasks is to sign

the commissions of officers of the army and navy, and of man appeinted to various positions in civil

HOU omcials, secretaries and clerks have to concern themselves with all kinds of matters. Secretary Norton is the recipient of letters from people all over the United States, who write to the president upon the most trivial affairs.

THE AVERAGE AND A CONTRACT OF A DESCRIPTION OF

life. Of course commissions are for the most part

engraved, but there are names and dates to be

the pile of parchment is laid on the desk before

the president, who frequently in a seemingly au-

tomatic way signs his name to commission after

commission while carrying on with some visitor

at his elbow a conversation relating perhaps to

intricate matters of state.

When one takes into consideration the fact that hundreds of persons who have really legitimate business with the White House either call or write every day, it can be seen at once that the secretary's hands, time and mind are well filled. There are certain orders of rank which have to be respected, and in a democracy it is pretty hard work to convince the ordinary citisen that any man has the right of precedence. As far as precedent is concerned the president's audiences are governed by the supposed importance of the visitor's official business. For instance, if a senator is waiting to see the president and a cabinet officer happens to come in the member of the president's official family always will see President Taft first unless he says specifically that his business is of little importance and expresses a willingness that the senator shall get to the president ahead of him.

A newspaper man with whom President Taft has had frequently personal relations for some years went to the White House one morning and told Mr. Taft that he would like to see him alone for a minute if he could, and so the president took him into a side room and closed the door. They staid together talking for fifteen minutes and then the newspaper man went out into the president's main office, leaving the president behind him to write a letter in seclusion. On entering the president's office the caller met a senator who had been waiting for fifteen minutes. The senator is a jovial soul and with mock solemnity of spirit he bowed low to the newspaper man. "Would you mind going back to ask the presi-dent," said the senator, "if now that he has completed his affairs of state with a newspaper cor-respondent he will consent to see an humble enator of the United States?"

The ambassadors and ministers representing foreign countries in Washington are great stick-ters for precedence and every known means has to be taken to prevent giving them offense. It is almost impossible for any human being except one or two of the state department officials, to keep rigid track of the rank of the diplomats and the attaches at all the foreign legations in Washington. So it occasionally happens that some second assistant secretary of the legation of the king of the cannibal islands is allowed to get into a room ahead of the first assistant secretary of gation of the king of ballyhoo, and then there are black looks which if they could be put into words would be tastamount to a declaration of whr against the United States. The American officials in Washington life are

The American officials in Washington life are noteaboye being piqued if a junior gets in ahead of a senior, though troubles of this kind are con-fined as far as Americans are concerned almost wholly to social officians, for seficience, represen-tatives, supreme court judges and they want have finally made do their minds that at the Wait's House des inext take his shelpes of predicts

agency.

The central agencies in the five or six districts will have control of the entire warehouse system of the union. Each agency will have control of the warehouses in its territory, while the heads of agencies will form a board of directors.

Where the locals do not, or cannot, own or operate a warehouse the members will store their grain in the old line houses and mark it, reporting to their local secretary as to the amount stored, who, in turn, reports to the central agency in the district.

The warehouse business, as handled by the union during the last year, has been successful beyond expectation and has saved the farmers no little money. Much of the grain held until prives advanced was held in union warehouses and under advice of leaders in the union, who were keeping in close touch with conditions through the agency on the coast.

Poor Pastures.

Poor pastures do not pay for the eason that it is to the interest of the farmer that his cown secure an abundance of food at the least cost. The animals should not be compelled to work for their food on the p sture by tramping the ground in the see for grass. As soon as a pasture does not supply an abundance the cattle should be taken off and fed on green the ewes and lambs in clean pastur food at the barn, as they will fail off In the fields that have been cultivate to milk if the supply of food on the the parasites have been killed off. Dasture fails.

Fatted Flesh

The reason why fatted flesh is better than unfatted is that globules of fat are distributed throughout the muscles, displacing to a considerable degree the moisture found therein. The bulk is not only therefore in-creased, but also when the firsh is cooked the fat does not evaporate to the same extent as water, bat, melt-ing, softens the tissue, making it more digestible and finer in flavor.

Waste of Manure.

The Agricultural department fig at that the annual wasts of barn annue on American forms stat figures out that the an nanure on Ameri 100 gates \$135.000.000.

Sheep Parasites.

Internal parasites are the worst enemies of sheep, and the stomach worm is perhaps the worst of these. Any ground long pastured with infested sheep will become infested with these parasites. Prevention is better than a cure. Change pastures often, and pasture as much as possible in stub-ble fields and other fields that have been in cultivation. Exceptelly pasture been in cultivation. Especially pasture the ewes and lambs in clean pasture. In the fields that have been cultivated

Cultivate Rose Bushes.

When the rose bushes are in the When the rose bushes are in the soil and have started growth, give them good, clean cultivation during the summer to keep the surface soil worked fine with a rake, or mulch the soil with laws clippings or other litter to hold moisture in the soil and to kep the roots of the bushes cool.

Cold Storage Eggs Best.

Professor Coulter of Minnesota de-clares that cold storage sggs are bei-ter than the po-called fresh variety, because the formir are all carefully in-spected and the others are not. He adds that nine out of every ten dosen precised fresh eggs sold in the stores are more than a year old.



Department of Agriculture Will Continue to inspect Lard Substitute as Heretofore Done.

Washington, July 26: The Department of Agriculture issued a statement to the effect that the cotton seed oil men have lost and the packers have won, in the matter of whether the manufacturers of cotton seed oil lard may use duty free oleo sterin in the manufacture of their product for American consumption. Although former Attorney General Moody, now on the Supreme bench. had ruled that the lard substitute did not come under the meat inspection law, Assistant Attorney General Fowler of the present Administration rules that it does, and therefore the makers can not import oleo stearin, which the Aldrich tariff made duty free, because the manufacture of foreign oleo stearin is not under inspection by the Department of Agriculture. Thus the concession which Senator Aldrich made to the cotton industry, after a hard fight in the Senate, is nullified by the ruling made by Assistant Attorney General Fowler.

The following is the statement which the Department of Agriculture sent out on this subject:

"Secretary Wilson's Meat Inspectors will continue to inspect lard substitute and not a pound of that article can go into interstate or foreign commerce unless it bears the mark United States Inspected and Passed.' This is the gist of an opinion rendered by Judge Fowler, who is acting as Attorney General during the absence in Alaska of Mr. Wickersham. Judge Fowler in his opinion holds that lard substitute, which is a cooking compound made up of one-fifth animal fat and four-fifths cotton seed oil, is fairly within the definition of a meat food product and must be inspected under the meat inspection law.

"Acting Secretary of Agriculture Hays said: "The opinion of the Attorney General confirms the construction placed on the law by Secretary Wilson. We have inspected lard substitute ever since the meat inspection law was passed. We never had any doubt about the matter, but some of the manufacturers of lard substitute thought inspection of their product was not required."

HEAT KILLS MANY IN CITIES

Chicago and New York Suffer Greatly From Excessive Humidity.

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CHAPTER XVII .- Continued.

"You dropped it in the trunk-closet. I found it there. There is something of mine in it?"

Dumb with misery, she nodded; and after a little: "You didn't look, of course."

"I had no right," he said, shortly.

"Other men wo-would have thought they had the right. I th-think you had, the circumstances considered. At all events," steadying her voice, say you have, now. I give you that right. Please go and investigate that hand-bag, Mr. Maitland, I wish you to.

He turned and stared at her curious-"I don't know what to think," he "I can not believe-" said.

"You mu-must believe. I have no right to profit by your disbelief. Dear Mr. Maitland, you have been kind to me, very kind to me; do me this last kindness, if you will."

The young face turned to him was



Good night!'

"Good night! Drive on, cabby," He stood, smiling queerly, until the hansom, climbing the Park Avenue hill, vanished over its shoulder. Then swung about and with an eager step retraced his way to his rooms, very confident that God was in his heaven and all well with the world.

The cab stopped. The girl rose and descended to the walk. The driver touched his hat and reined the horse away. "Good night, ma'am," he bade

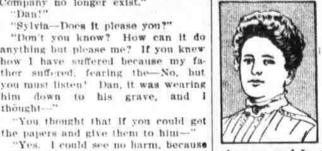
"O, I shall not sleep until I know! | ment; but he was sleeping as quietly. as soundly, as the servant had declared. Then on, more hurriedly, up another flight, to her own room, where she turned on the electric bulb in panic haste. For it had just occurred to her that the telephone bell might ring before she could change her clothing and get downstairs and shut herself into the library, whose closed door would prevent the bell from being

"Very well," meekly. "But will you In less than ten minutes she was ell me one thing, please?" stealing silently down to the drawing "What is it?" room floor again, quiet as a spirit of her, cheerfully. And she told him the night. The library door shut with-"Where on earth did you get hold breathed freely. Then, pressing the button on the wall, she switched on the light in the drop-lamp on the center table. The telephone stood beside It. She drew up a chair and sat down near the instrument, ready to lift the receiver off its hook the instant "the bell began to sound; and waited, the soft light burning in the loosened tresses of her hair, enhancing the soft color that pulsed in her cheeks, fading before the joy that lived in her eyes when she hoped.



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A WARNING.



Man at Telephone-Let me have the gas office, please.

Operator-Certainly. But you know we don't allow any swearing over our lines.

A Knowing Girl. When young Lord Stanleigh came to visit an American family, the mistress told the servants that in addressing him they should always say "Your Grace." When the young gentleman one morning met one of the pretty house servants in the hallway and told her that she was so attractive looking he thought he would kiss her, she demurely replied, clasping her hands on her bosom and looking up into his face with a beatific expression, "O Lord, for this blessing we are about to receive, we thank thee."-Lippincott's.



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audible through the house.

Chicago, Ill.: Four deaths were reported Monday as a result of the hottest weather of the season. Monday was the hottest day in ten years in Chicago, but a lake breeze later tempered the fierce heat somewhat, but there were many prostrations and general suffering. To add to the general discomfort all the downtown streets are torn up for new pavement and clouds of dust prevail at all times. The Infant Welfare Committee reported 12 had 12,-000 babies under its care and that 800 of them were ill because of the heat. The committee is distributing two tons of ice dally in homes where people are unable to buy ice. The hot wave seems to have settled over all the Middle West and forecasters say there is no relief in sight. Rigid warnings have been posted over the city by the health department regarding food and drink during the unusual torridity.

New York: After a record rise to 94 degrees Monday, marking the hottest day of the season, the official mercury hovered above or not far beneath the 50 degree mark all night, standing at 79. Five deaths which occurred in the last twenty-four hours are attributed to heat. Thousands of tenement dwellers, unable to stand the heat during the night, fled to the parks for refuge. Reports from Brooklyn hospitals next morning added four to the list of dead from the effects of the torrid wave.

Country Life Meeting Date. Guthrie, Ok.: E. D. Cameron, State Superintendent of Public Instruction and president of the South-west Country Life Association, has announced that the annual meeting scheduled to be held in Dallas August 9 and 10 would be postponed until during the Texas State Fair. Notice of the postponement has been sent to Dallas and the Fair management will be asked to suggest the dates

Asylum Needs Repairs. Terrell: Superintendent C. L. Gregory, acting under the advice of the board of managers of the North Texas Ho pital for the Insane in this city, left for Austin to appear before the Governor and Legislature to ask for an additional appropriation of \$5. or an additional appropriation of \$5, 00 for repair fund for the anylum. several of the buildings of that insti-ation have become cracked and oth-rwise decompared to the extent that all be available sepair fund appropriat-d has been exhausted and more is

gravely and perilously sweet; very nearly he forgot all else. But that she would not have.

"Do this for me. What you will find will explain everthing. You will understand. Perhaps" - timidly - "perhaps you may even find it in your heart to forgive when you understand. If you should, my card-case is in the bag, and-" She faltered, biting her lip cruelly to steady a voice quivering with restrained sobs. "Please, please go at once, and-and see for yourself!' she implored him passionately.

Of a sudden he found himself re solved. Indeed, he fancled that it were dangerous to oppose her; she was overwrought, on the verge of losing her command of self. She wished this thing, and though with all his soul he hated it, he would do as she desired.

"Very well," he assented quietly. "Shall I stop the cab now?" "Please."

He tapped on the roof of the hansom and told the cabby to draw in at the next corner. Thus he was put down not far from his home-below the Thirty-third street grade.

Neither spoke as he alighted, and she believed that he was leaving her in displeasure and abhorrence; but he had only stepped behind the cab for a moment to speak to the driver. In a moment he was back, standing by the step with one hand on the apron and staring in very earnestly and soberly at the shadowed sweetness of her pailid face, that gleamed in the gloom there like some pale, shy, sad flower.

Could there be evil combined with such sheer loveliness, with features that in every line bodied forth the purity of the spirit that abode within? In the soul of him he could not believe that a thief's nature fed canker-like at the heart of a woman so divinely, naively dear and desirable. And-he would not.

'Won't you let me go?"

"Just a minute. I-I should like to -If I find that you have done nothing so very dreadful," he laughed uneasily, "do you wish to know ?"

"You know I do." She could not help saying that, letting him see that far into her heart.

"You spoke of my calling, I believe. That means to-morrow afternoon, at the earliest. May I not call you up on the telephone?"

"The number is in the book," she said in a tremulous voice.

"And your name in the card-case?"

"And if I should call in half an

"Good night" in her turn.

For a moment she seemed a bit hesitant and fearful, left thus alone. The house in front of which she stood, like its neighbors, reared a high facade to the tender, star-lit sky, its windows, with drawn shades and no lights, wearing a singular look of blind patience. It had a high stoop and a sunken area. There was a dull glow in one of the basement windows.

It was very late-or extremely early. The moon was down, though its place was in some way filled by the golden disk of the clock in the Grand Central station's tower. The air was impregnated with the sweet and fragrant breath of the new-born day. In the tunnel beneath the street a trolley car rumbled and whined and clanked lonesomely. A stray cat wandered out of a cross street with the air of a seasoned debauchee; stopped, scratched itself with inimitable abandon, and suddenly, mysteriously alarmed at nothing, turned itself into a streak of shadow that fied across the street and vanished. And, as if affected by its terror, the gray girl slipped silently into the area and tapped at the lighted window.

Almost immediately the gate was cautiously opened. A woman's head looked out, with suspicion. "Oh, thank Heavings!" it said, with abrupt fervor. "I was afraid it mightn't be you, Miss Sylvia. I'm so glad you're back. There ain't—hasn't been a minute these past two nights that I haven't been in a fidget."

The girl laughed quietly and passed through the gateway (which was closed behind her) into the basement hall, where she lingered a brief moment.

"My father, Annie?" she inquired. "He ain't-hasn't stirred since you went out, Miss Sylvia. He's sleepin' peaceful as a lamb."

"Everything is all right, then?" "Now that you're home, it is, praises be!" The servant secured the inner door and turned up the gas. "Not if 1 was to be given notice to-morrow mornin'." she announced, firmly, "will I ever consent to be a party to such goin's-on another night."

"There will be no occasion. Annie." said the girl. "Thank you, and-good night."

A resigned sigh-"Good night, Miss Sylvia"-followed her up the stairs.

She went very cautiously, careful to brush against no article of movable furniture in the halls, at pains to make no noise on the stairs. At the door of

For she dared hope-at times; and at times could not but fear. So greatly had she dared, who greatly loved, so heavy upon her untarnished heart was the burden of the sin that she had put upon if, because she loved: Perhaps he would not call; perhaps the world was to turn cold and be forever gray to her eyes. He was even then decid ing; at that very moment her happiness hung in the scales of his mercy. If he could forgive.

There was a click. And her face flamed scarlet, as hastily she lifted the receiver to her ear. The armature buzzed sharply," Then central's voice cut the stillness.

"Hello! Nine-o-five-one?" "Yes." "Wait a minute."

She waited, breathless, in a quiver. The silence sang upon the wire, the silence of the night through which he was groping toward her. "Hello! Is this nine o-"

"Yes, yes!" "Is this the residence of Alexander

C. Graeme?' "Yes." The syllable almost choked

her. "Is this Miss Graeme at the 'phone ?" "It is."

"Miss Sylvia Graeme?"

"Yes." "This is Daniel Maitland-Sylvia!" "As if I did not know your voice! she cried, involuntarily.

There followed a little pause; and in her throat the pulses tightened and drummed.

"I have opened the bag, Sylvia-" "Please go on."

"And I've sounded the depths of your hideous infamy!"

"Oh!" He was laughing. "I've done more. I've made a burnt

offering within the last five minutes. Can you guess what it is?" "I-I-don't want to guess! I want

to be told."

her father's room on the second floor "A burnt offering on the altar of applied to a ahe stopped and listened for a full mo-your happiness, dear. The papers in Daily News.

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hat kit of

"I-If you wish it, dear."

"I shan't. There!"

JOSEPH

VANCE -

"Sylvia-Does it please you?"

the papers and give them to him-

"Of course. But why didn't you ask

"But how could I tell, Sylvia, that

"Central's got other things to do,

besides listening to early morning con-

"I love—to hear you say so, dear."

"Please say that last word over

"And that means that you'll mar

you were his daughter, and that I

"Hush! Central will hear!"

fabulations. I love you."

again. 1 didn't get it."

"I say, that means-"

"But it does, doesn't it?"

"Whenever you please."

"Well, when then? To-day?"

"To-morrow-I mean next week-I

"No; to-day at four. I'll call for

"But you mustn't! How can I-"

Church-Around-the-Corner-

"But I've nothing to wear!"

"Easily enough. There's the Little

"Dan. You don't wish it-truly?"

The Church of the Transfiguration

Yes, I'll scare up a best man if you'll

find bridesmalds. Now you will, won't

"I'll have to ask you to repeat that."

"I do wish it, truly. To-day, at four

"I heard you, Dan."

'T'll come up now.'

"Don't be a silly.

he was as innocent as you-"

"He did, and you refused."

Company no longer exist."

Dan!"

thought ----

me?

should-"

"Dan." "Yes ?"

"Dear.

"Yes."

ou."

"Oh!"

you?'

"When ?"

"Yes-no!"

"But when?"

"But, Dan."

nean next month."

"Sweetheart!"

Another pause.

ry me?" A pause.

the case of the Dougherty Investment

She laughed softly. "My big brother caught a burglar once, and kept the kit for a remembrance. I borrowed them."

"Give me your big brother's address and I'll send 'em back with my thanks -No, by George! I won't, either, 1've as much right to keep 'em as he has on that principle."

And again she laughed, very gently and happily. Dear God, that such hap piness could come to one!

"Sylvia?" "Yes, dear?"

"Do you love me?"

"I think you may believe it, when sit here at four o'clock in the morning, listening to a silly boy talk nonsense over a telephone wire."

"But I want to hear you say so!" "But central-"

"I tell you central has other things to do!"

At this juncture the voice of central jaded and acidulated, broke in curtly: "Are you through?"

THE END.

Butter Boxes Made of Straw.

In future the boxes containing butter shipped from Queensland to Great Britain are to be made of straw, and a £50,000 company has been formed to work the business." Butter boxes hitherto have been made of pine, but the drain upon this timber, owing to the heavy exports, have been so severe that the wood is rapidly going up in price. In one month (March, 1908) over 50,000 boxes of butter from Queensland arrived in England-1,250 tons, worth £140,000. In the new box a mixture of kaolin and straw is used. It can be produced and sold for 1s.º At present 3,000,000 boxes are used in Australia annually, costing £200,000. The new box will save the dairy industry about £40,000 a year, as the material for manufacturing the hox can be grown in the paddock which supports a cow. It weighs about 10% pounds, being damp proof and odorless.

Dribbles-Why do you call Equibbs a veteran humorist? He can't be more than 25 years old. Scribbles-Well, his jokes are in

Chicago Daily News,

Pa-It's a name that is sometimes

How He Kept the Law.

noticed," said the friend-whocould-be-trusted, after a trip through the factory where preserves are made, "that a white powder is first put in the cans, and that the preserves are then put in the white powder."

"Yes," explained the proprietor to the friend-who-could-be-trusted, "that white powder is a preservative. You see we are compelled to put the preserves in a preservative because an idiotic requirement of the government makes it unlawful for us to put a oreservative in the preserves."

She's a Free Lance.

"Would you have a pickpocket arrested if you detected one in the act of going through your pockets?" "With one exception."

"What's that?"

"Not"if it was my wife."

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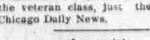
the veteran class, just the same .---

Little Willie-Say, pa, what is a pneumatic tire?

"A burnt offering on the altar of applied to a bore, my son .- Chicago

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Appropriate.



E ENTERPRISE W. V. ERVIN, Editor. Texas fatered at the Big Springs, Texas, Post files as Second-Class Matter.

SI.50 A YEAR UBSCRIPTION. . .

Well they couldn't all win, any-

The next burning question, fellow citizens, is Rain; when is it coming? Not all at once, please.

There's always room for optimism. Mr. Taft's sprained an kle isn't quite so serious as his party's broken promises.

where to spend your vacation orchard with the battleship hog solve it by resolving to stay at nome and be comfortable.

Our "Announcement" column will be properly corrected next week, when we are sure of the personel of the official nominees.

The idea of putting in meters o measure telephone talk is good, but will it be possible to strain?

The prize fight is ancient hisory, the election is over and hings are distressingly quiet ince last Saturday. Will Teddy his painful monotony?

Meanwhile it may comfort hose persons who think they ave had a narrow escape to reect that it will be seventy five ears before Halley's comet visa this part of the universe gain.

"If you wish to live long,' sys an eminent nonogenarian, work hard and eat no meat." iven people who have little toral courage find it convenient adopt this scheme now.

General Prosperity seems to be aking himself at home in Tex-1. Wish old General Rain ould come down and pay How-

Now comes the automoblie firebug. His first performance down San Antonio way entitles him to recognition in the Barn Burners League. Meanwhile there is room for state sugar farm recruits. It's up to the gentlemen of the jury.

Uncle Sam has assumed the trapping of a first-class chef and will open cooking schools at army posts. That ought to let in the manicure parlor, the Twentieth Century Club and other social a refined infantry and cavalry.

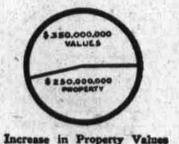
Observes the Nacogdoches Sentinel: "Pork will be a leading home product of East Texas If vexed by the problem of in future." Back up the peach pasture, and the farm income will double and declare dividends. The demonstration trainer is winper.

There is but one good fortune to the earnest man. That is opportunity; and sooner or later opportunity will come to him who carefully makes use of it. Hog raising demonstration trains are levise meters that will stand ihe now touring East Texas. Get the bermuda pasture and the battleship hog closer together.

In most of the large northern cities business slacks down to a low ebb during two or three indly start something to break months of the heated term of summer, and in the winter they are handicapped by frost and snow. Here in Texas we are glad to have a climate where business keeps going on the year round, with nice winters and bearable summers.

Property Values

Some people are born wealthy, others equire it, and still others have it thrust pon them. The Texas property owners re now having wealth thrust upon them. The real estate values in Texas are in-reasing at the rate of \$1,000,000 per day. The total increase in wealth from perce-The total increase in wealth from prop-rty and property values approximate 00,000,000 per annum. A careful study if the tax rolls indicate that \$350,000,000 f this amount is increase in property alues and \$250,000,000 in property mov-rg into the State, as shown in cut clow:



Notice of Democratic County Convention.

A County Convention of the Democracy of Howard County is hereby called and ordered for 2 o'clock p. m., July 30, 1910, at the Courthouse in Big Springs to elect delegates to the State and several District Conventions, and to transact such other necessary business as may properly be presented to said Convention.

All precincts are requested to nominate and send delegates to said County Convention, each precinct being entitled to one delegate for each twenty-five votes, and material factors incident to or a fraction thereof, cast for the Democratic candidate for Governor at the last preceding election.

> 8. H. MORRISON, Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, Howard County.

The Texas Newspapers

The dissemination of information has largely to do with the prosperity and development of a country. In no country on the globe does Nature possess such astounding possibilities and reveal them in such rapid and cumulative order as in Texas, making an imperative necessity for news papers in the home of every farmer who desires to profit by the gifts of Nature and the experience of his neighbors.

There are 950 publications in Texas of which 89 are dailes, 758 weeklies nd the remainder are issued at reg ular interval. The total listed cir-culation of all papers in Texas, is culation of all papers in Texas is 5,170,515 copies, an average of four papers for each family in the State In the number of papers publisher within the State we rank sixth in the Union; Illinois, Pennsylvania, Okio Iowa anl Missouri leading in the order named. The Federal Govern ment census for 1005 reports capital invested in printing and publishing in Texas of \$6,074.319, a pay roll of \$2,003,935 per annum, and the annual putput is valued at \$7,752,247. Among the industries of the State it rank-sixth in capital invested, fifth in pr-rolls and sixth in the value of prod acts. One issue of all the papers in Texas approximates one copy, per Texas approximates one copy per capita, and ma ing the compariso from a population basis we lead al States in the Union in the number o periodicals issued and the number o copies printed.



Circulation 3,170,515. Texas stands first in intelligence,

first in progress and first in industrial opportunities of all the States in the nion, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

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d county a visit. We'd sure ctend him a cordial greeting.

The editor of the Orange Leadis afraid that if it doesn't stop ining here soon he will have to it a launch to make the trip stween his office and his home. me to West Texas, brotherr

Our "office devil" refuses to ske any more weather predicms for publication. He says has been here too long to be a new-comer" and not quite long ough to be a er-the other low.

That slow process of picking ds from century plants has mpetition in gathering of elecn returns in Texas. For some uson the rush to the polls on

:e. Summer widowers could values. something of the sort, any. y, an explanation-saver is wied.

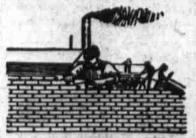
While our great exponents of servation are swinging ough Kansas, Ohio and Caliais spouting words of warn-, early returns from the open son for forest fires indicate a stage in bucket brigades. servation from the plateform 't quite so strenuous as on the ag line.

\$600,000,000 Per Annum.

Every dollar of new money coming into the State gives added value to in-vestments already made. The money which is flowing into our State will treble and quadruple the price of land and the investor is sure of a comfortable fortune hrough the natural increase of land and without effort on his part. There are \$700,000 per day coming into Texas and making investment in farms, factories, railroads.

There are two classes of propertynatural and artificial.

Natural property, such as land, cannot, of course, be created by man; we can only increase its value. Artificial prop-erty, such as buildings, machinery, etc., can be created by man, and its value can also be enhanced. With natural prop-erty we are limited in our methods of increasing values, while there are no re-strictions to development through artistrictions to development through arti-ficial property. We may gridiron the State with railroads, dot it with factories, build cities and fill the valleys with happy slow-drag. A Manhattan dame laughed so srtily at a joke that she dislo-ed her jaw. Pass along the s. Summer widowers could



Permanent Property.

Ownership may change hands, but the property remains as a permanent addi-tion to the wealth of the State. He has added to the property values of Texas, just as much so as if he had gone down to the Gulf of Mexico and lifted so much land out of the sea and added it to the State's domain. Texas needs builders.

development of the country; carries warnings of impending danger and warnings of impending danger and gives the farmer the advantage of the experience of all his neighbors and informs him of the general condition of affairs so essential to his success. The improvement of our public hich ways and the establishment of rural free delivery routes have intended the zone of circulation of the press to the remotest sections of the State, and reading the papers is as much a part reading the papers is as much a part of the work of the Texas farmer as feeding his stock.



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Notice.

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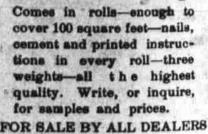
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I know the water is turned I I'm sorry, but it isn't my fault. Tenant-I know, and I guess that's thy you're sorry.

Silenced the Critic. Charles Summer, when in London, are a ready reply. At a dinner given n his honor, he spoke of "the ashes" of some dead hero. "Ashes! What American English!" rudely broke in

THIS A MOST UNHAPPY CAT

Everything and Everybody Seemed in Conspiracy to Make the Unfortunate Feline Miserable.

Nebuchanezzer was the unhapplest cat in Christendom, and there was some reason for it. He felt very much as if he were imprisoned in a wire cage, just like the fool canary bird-And that bird was part of it. Having an acute sense of hearing, the song of this feathered nuisance disturbed Nebuchanezzer to the bottom of his being. In plain, unvarnished, up-to-date English, it made him sore. Time after time he'd tried to get that bird, but they'd made the cage the last time some one caught him climbing up, and welted him with a barrel stave.

Then grandma was so blamed deaf that it was an outrage. Nebuchanezzer raged about it. She had slammed the pantry door on his tail, and when he remarked bitterly about it she thought some one was calling her and left him there.

Then underneath the refrigerator was the nicest place to sleep. They had a dishpan put under the refrigerator to catch the dripping ice water. and in summertime all a cat had to do was to curl right up against it and sleep in peace.

Then they got careless about the pan, and one night it overflowed and deluged him, giving him a bad cold, and making him so hoarse he couldn't attend the annual concert of the Nocturnal Felines' Back-Fence Joy club. And he had been counting on going. Nebuchanezzer had other griefs, too. How was he to know that milk in a crock on the table was different from milk in a saucer on the floor? It waan't right to hit him with a pan when he made such a mistake.

Altogether, Nebuchanezzer was unhappy He sulked. He loafed about and got stepped upon, and was generally so disagreeable that they decided he needed a tablespoonful of castor oil And he got.

But they paid for it, confound them! Nebuchanezzer bit and scratched, and the man who had the spoon said things he ought never have said in the presence of children, and wiped the blood off his hand on his best trousers. But even this didn't make Nebucha-

nezzer happy. He went back in the yard and lay down under the gooseberry bush and wished he were dead. But shucks! What's the use of a cat wishing that? If he got his wish, he'd have to get eight more .-- Galveston News.

Old Virginia Hospitality. Virginia hospitality is a bywore The old-time country house, says Mrs. Robert A. Pryor in "My Day," was built of elastic material, capable of sheltering any number of guests, many of whom remained all summer. Indeed, this was expected of them. "My dear sir," said the master of Westover to a departing guest, who had sought shelter from a rainstorm. "my dear sir, do stay and pay us a visit."

bade his compliance.

SKIN TROUBLES

A Healing Ointment With a Wide Range of Usefulness

A letter from Mrs. I. E. Cameron, Graduate Nurse, Augusta, Me., says: 5c. "I must write and tell you the good Resinol Ointment has done. I applied It to an ulcerated leg of six months' standing. Almost everything had been tried to heal it. Resinol was applied twice a day for four weeks, and the ulcers are entirely healed. It is now Binder." six months since the treatment and no strong enough to keep a tiger out, and indication of a return of the trouble. I have used Resinol for eruptions on in northern New Hampshire a notorichildren's faces, and for everything ous woman-hater. It was before the that seemed to need an ointment, with day of ready-made clothing, and wantsatisfactory results in every case." ing a new suit, he was obliged to take

Mrs. F. Cox, Chicago, Ill., says in another letter: "I cannot speak too highly of Resinol Ointment and Sonp. They cured my baby boy of Eczema. He had a very severe case. Numerous other remedies had been tried and failed to do any good. I would not be without them in the house. "

The first application will relieve the itching and irritation in akin diseases, and stop the pain in burns or scalds. Chaffag, Sunburn, Poisca Ivy eruptions are often cured by an overnight ap-

Resinol Ointment, Resinol Soap and Resinol Medicated Shaving Stick are sold at all Drug Stores. Ask for booklet on care of the Skin and Complexion, or send stamp to us for sample and booklet. Resince Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.



The Teacher-Who was it that climbed slowly up the ladder of success, carrying his burden with him as he went; who, when he reached the top gazed upon those far beneath him, and-

The Scholar (aged 8)-I know, ma'am. It was Pat O'Rourke, president of the Hodcarriers union.

EPIDEMIC OF ITCH IN WELSH VILLAGE

"In Dowlais, South Wales, about fifteen years ago, families were stricken wholesale by a disease known as the itch. Believe me, it is the most terrible disease of its kind that I know of, as it itches all through your The guest pleaded business that forbody and makes your life an inferno. Sleep is out of the question and you "Well, well," said Major Drewry, "if feel as if a million mosquitoes were in at the same time attad

LEWIS' "SINGLE BINDER."

An Easy Fit.

the material to the village tailoress

She took his measurements, and when

she cut the coat, made a liberal al-

The man's dislike of women in gen-

eral prevented his having a fitting.

He took the finished garment without

trying it on. It was much too large,

and his disgust was apparent in the

answer he made to the friendly loafer

on his first visit to the post office,

"Got a new coat, Obed?" said the

"No, I hain't!" said Obed. "I've got

seven yards of cloth wrapped round

The Deacon's Parable.

young clergyman was supplying the

pulpit of a country church. After the

service he asked one of the deacons.

a grizzled, plain-spoken man, what he

slowly, "I'll tell ye in a kind of para-

ble. I remember Tunk Westherbee's

fust deer hunt, when he was green,

He follered the deer's tracks all right.

but he follered 'em all day in the

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many college degrees that nobody can

keep track of them."

"Can't say. He has been taking so

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wrong direction."-Housekeeper.

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baseball story.

"Waal," answered the old man,

thought of his morning effort.

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me."-Youth's Companion.

when he wore the despised article.

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Remember, girls, that pinning a \$17 hat on a 17 cent head doesn't increase the value of the head.

Diagnosis,

"Do you see that man going along with his head in the air, snliling with his nose?" "Yes, I know him."

"I suppose he believes in taking in the good, pure ozone." "No; he's hunting for a motor

garage, I believe."-Tit-Ilits.

Aromatic Effects,

"What you ought to do," said the physician, "is to take the air in an automobile or a motor boat." "Can't I stay home and open a can

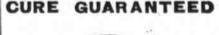
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The Home of the Cod.

There is just one other great cod bank in the world besides those of Newfoundland. , It lies off Cape Agulhas, which is the southern tip of Africa, and south of the Cape of Good Hope. The Agulhas plateau is said to be almost a duplicate in size and richness of the north cod banks. But this is too far off, so there is little promise of its appeasing the hungry appetite of the world for cod.

Formerly the people burned witches, Now they roast politicians.





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ther. We don't burn our dead in country." "Yet," instantly replied Mr. Sumner, with a courteous mile, "your poet Gray tells us that Even in our ashes live their wonted fires." The American was not criticized again that evening.

More Serious,

"Mathilde Browne was very rude to an overdressed old woman she met on the street the other day."

"I know the story. The old woman turned out to be Mathilde's very rich aunt, and now she's going to give all her money to a hospital for decrepit

"Nothing of the sort. In fact, it's worse. The old woman was the frownes' new cook-and now they aven't any."

Caught Too Quick.

"I pleads guilty ter stealin' dem elons, jedge," said the prisoner, "but I wants de mercy er de court."

"On what grounds?" asked the udge.

"On dese grounds," replied the prisoner: "I stole de melons, but de sheriff didn't give me a chance to eat "em!"-Atlanta Constitution.

There can be no true rest without work, and the full delight of a holiday cannot be known except by the man who has earned it.-Hugh Black.



or three weeks at least." "Week ends" were unknown in Vir-

ginia, and equally out of the question an invitation limited by the host to prescribed days and hours. Sometimes a happy guest would ignore time altogether, and stay along from season to season. I cannot remember a parallel case to that of Isaac Watts, who, invited by Sir Thomas Abney to spend a night at Stoke Newington, accepted with great cheerfulness, and stayed the rest of his life, nearly forty years, but I do remember that an invitation for one night brought to a member of our family a pleasant couple who remained for years.

Some English Country Names. Sussex can produce queer names in plenty, for example, Replenished Pryor, a damsel who dwelt at Heathfield; Mr. Stand-fast-on-high Stringer; Mr. Ales Cressel and Master Perform-thy-**Vows** Seers. The county archives also yield unusual family names, such as Pitchfork, Devil, Leper, Juglery, Beatup, Breathing, Whisky, Wildgeese and Lies.

Dorset can hold her own tolerably well with villages named Ryme intrinseca and Toller Popcorum; rivers called Wriggie river and Devil's brook; commons christened Giddy green and God's Blessing green, and heights called Hungry down, Mount Ararat, Grammars hill and Dancing hill. A prospective tenant might well hesitate before signing the lease of Wooden Cabbage farm, Labor in Vain farm, Poor Lot farm and Charity bettom, even though he should hall from Kent, which owns two Starvecrow farms within a ride of each other .--London Chronicle.

An Original Thinker.

A studious person can, by thinking long enough, find reasons for almost anything. They will not be necessarily good reasons, but they may be presentable-like those of the young man who, in an examination, was asked: "Why will not a pin stand on . its point?"

He considered the proposition a time, and then answered:

"In the first place, a point is defined by Euclid as that which has no parts and no magnitude, and how can a pin stand on that which has no parts and no magnitude?"

"In the second place, a pin will not stand on its head, much less, there-fore, will it stand on its point.

"Thirdly and lastly, it will, if you stick it in hard enough."-Pearson's.

knew a dozen families that were so affected.

"The doctors did their best, but their remedies were of no avail what ever. Then the families tried a druggist who was noted far and-wide for his remarkable cures. People came to him from all parts of the country for treatment, but his medicine made matters still worse, as a last resort they were advised by a friend to use the Cuticura Remedies. I am glad to tell you that after a few days' treatment with Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent, the effect was wonder ful and the result was a perfect cure in all cases. "I may add that my three brothers

three sisters, myself and all our familles have been users of the Cuticura Remedies for fifteen years. Thomas Hugh, 1650 West Huron St., Chicago, IIL, June 29, 1909."

Immense Saving Possible.

In a preliminary bulletin on the cost of maintaining a tuberculosis sanatorium, the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis announces that the average cost per patient per day in thirty semi-charitable sanatoria scattered in all parts of the United States is \$1.669. These institutions represent an annual expenditure of over \$1,300,-000 and over 815,000 days of treat ment given each year. The bulletin. which is part of an extensive study the National association is making for its bureau of information, points out that the country could save annually at least \$150,000,000 if the indigent consumptives were properly segregated.

Caught in the Rush.

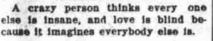
"My poor man," said the sympa-thetic woman, "and how came you to be crippled for life?"

"I'll tell you, madam," replied the beggar. "Once I spent my vacation at a summer hotel and I was trampled down trying to get into the dining room after the first bell.

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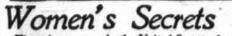


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dad."

you all of my jokes."

"Son," said the press humorist, "you

"Not enough to make a living with;

"Never mind. I'm going to leave

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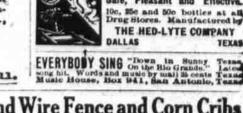
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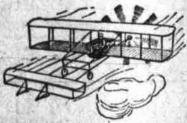


several hundred miles of pipe lines in the refinery yards.

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