







**Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.**

"I can conscientiously recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. Had shooting pains and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it was a real relief to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—Miss GULIA GANNON, 350 Jones St., Detroit, Corresponding Sec'y Mich. Amateur Art Association.—\$5000 for best original of above letter proving genuineness not produced.

It is clearly shown in this young lady's letter that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will surely cure the sufferings of women; and when one considers that Miss Gannon's letter is only one of hundreds which we have, the great virtue of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine must be admitted by all.

## FASTEN AGE MARKS.

Sick Kidneys make people look older than they are; hasten the evening days of life; fasten the marks of premature old age. The world over Doan's Kidney Pills is the recognized Kidney Specific.

Aching backs are eased. Hip, back, and limb pains overcome. Swelling of the limbs and dropsy vanish. Their correct urine with brick dust sediment, high colored, excessive pain in passing, dribbling, frequency, bed wetting, Doan's Kidney Pills dissolve and remove calculi and gravel. Relieve heart palpitation, sleeplessness, headache, nervousness.

SALEM, MASS., March 31, 1908.—I received the sample of Doan's Kidney Pills, and with the use of one more box from my druggist I am entirely cured of a very lame back.—W. A. CLEVELAND.

GLENSBURG, ILL., March 30, 1908.—The sample of Doan's Kidney Pills came to hand. I also got one 50-cent box from our druggist, and I am thankful to say the pain across the small of my back disappeared like a snow bank in hot sun. Doan's Pills reach the spot.—ELMER WARREN.

ROSE GLEN, PA., March 29, 1908.—The free trial of Doan's Kidney Pills have been of great benefit to me. Since using them I have no occasion to get up so often at night. My complaint affected the bladder more when catching cold.—JOSEPH LEPREAR.

**The Real Princess**  
The White House was remodelled because it didn't suit Alice Roosevelt. Her father and mother asked that it be done, but every one knows that such requests are instigated by the young lady daughter in the family. When she comes back from Porto Rico, where she was treated like a princess, her chin will be up so high she will probably not recognize her parents. It must indeed be hard for an ambitious girl like Alice to be the daughter of a plain pig president of the United States. No doubt she often complains that he is not a king.

**A Worthy Object.**  
The Daughters of the Republic are endeavoring to raise a fund for the purchase of that portion of the original Alamo mission property which is now being used for commercial purposes so that the historic "Craque of Liberty" may stand out free from the obstructions which now dwarf and partly obscure it. Patriotic Texans and all who admire valor and patriotism as typified by the Texas heroes who fell with the Alamo should liberally respond to the call of the Daughters for financial assistance. They have an option on the property.

**Most People Think It Does.**  
As a matter of essential fact does it really make as much difference about the shape of the Texas building at the World's Fair as Mr. Green and Mr. Keating seem to think? It may be possible to erect a building in the form of a star that will be as artistic as it is distinctive and that will not lack any requirement of dignity. The main thing is to have a building suited for display of exhibits and then to have the exhibits to display. Of course the building should be of a creditable character from an architectural point of view.

When you tell your secrets you give your friends a mortgage on your peace of mind.

People who have climbed life's ladder are prone to forget the lower rungs.

If a man has plenty of money his fool remarks are considered witty.

## POWER OF THE HYPNOTIST.

**Scientific Wonder Disconcerted by Subsequent Happening.**  
It was last Friday afternoon, while I was going up Columbus avenue in an electric car, that a man entered, at Sixty-fifth street, and took a seat directly opposite me. At the next corner another man entered, and, for want of a seat, held to a strap.

"Fare!" cried the conductor as he held his open hand in front of the newcomer, who shook his head.

"Give me a seat, and I will pay," said the passenger.

"Pay or I will put you off," answered the conductor.

"I will pay you through the window," replied the passenger.

The usual talk indulged in under such circumstances began, and the other passengers took apparent interest in it. The man who had entered at Sixty-fifth street got into quite a discussion with the passenger next to him, and after a minute it ended by each of them displaying a five dollar note.

"Hold on, conductor!" said the Sixty-fifth street man. I can put that brute off without any trouble. Here, hold these bills, and if I get him to go they are mine, and if I don't give them to this man."

The conductor, glad to be relieved, took the money, and the Sixty-fifth street man began to make gentle passes with wiggling fingers in front of the non-fare-paying passenger's face. Then he gently beckoned him as he moved backward, and much to our astonishment, the man who wouldn't pay followed him to the street. Leaving him standing there in an apparently dazed condition, the hypnotist boarded the car, got his ten dollars, and away he went.

At the next corner I got off, and so did the hypnotist. He walked down the street, met the man he had put off the car and the two entered a corner saloon.—New York Tribune.

## ARE CITIES ONLY IN NAME.

Some Aspiring Municipalities Are So Small as to Be Ridiculous.

The recently completed census of the United States reveals some singular facts relative to the cities and cities that compose the nation at large. There are quite a number of so-called "cities" which are so ridiculously small in population as to make it a matter of wonder and amazement that they are really cities. The populations of a few such cities may be given as illustrations. The city of Johnson, Kan., has a population of only fifteen and the population of the city of Coronado, in the same state, is estimated at only ten.

There are several cities in Kansas which have very distinctive populations, as follows: Bird, 85; Brainerd, 70; Ford, 82; Freeport, 83; Horace, 90; Hugoton, 54; Richfield, 61; Tribune, 62; Ulysses, 40. The city of Sloom Springs, Mo., has a population of 98. The city of Brigantine, N. J., has a population of 99, but, small as is the population of that city, it is nearly five times as large as that of the city of L'Angelette, in the same state, which has a population of only 21. The city which exceeds all the others in the diminutiveness of its population is the city of Rainy Lake, Minn., which has a population of only 7.

**The Bi-Carbonate Fieud.**  
It has long been the practice of men to drink a solution of bicarbonate of soda whenever the stomach feels a trifle uneasy and wants to refuse something that is forced into it against its will. They imagine they find relief. The medical profession swore by its beard that the acid stomach required an alkali, and nothing was so desirable as bicarbonate. The husher at the bar, having had all he can carry, calls for a dose of bicarbonate to enable him to continue lushing. The barkeeper plays the doctor to keep the fool buying and swilling. To-day we learn that bicarbonate does not destroy the microbes it was supposed to kill. Leading scientists are agreed that it is most injurious to the system, and that the reaction following its use is dangerous. Some maintain that there is no such thing as bicarbonate of soda.

**Old Frost.**  
Zip! 'Tis the frost! Like an arrow it flies  
And the hands of the schoolboy are stung till he cries:  
And sometimes the wounds that it makes are so deep  
That the victim forever must sink into sleep.

It comes like a shaft from a cowardly foe  
And the brave and the young and the fair are laid low.  
Small good are the rags which the beggar enfolds,  
For often 'twill pierce 'em an armor of gold.

'Tis time to assemble humanity's clan  
And join to give battle the best that we can.  
We'll build us a fortress in charity's name  
And rejoice in a victory worthy our fame.

**Webster Didn't Need the Warmth.**  
Contrary to a popular belief, Edward Everett Hale now comes forward with a positive statement that Daniel Webster was not a drunkard. He cites a long acquaintance with the eminent orator, and also an intimacy which permitted him to know much of his habits and desires.

Mr. Hale shatters conclusively all the evidence of intemperance with which the life of Webster was impugned. However, he does admit that the statesman tasted an occasional glass and was not a bad judge of exhilarating stimulants.

On one occasion, just previous to addressing a political meeting, Daniel Webster entered a small inn. The place was chilly, and a large crowd had gathered about an inert stove. The landlady was delighted at having so distinguished a man as guest. Handing Mr. Webster a glass of whiskey, he said, graciously, "Take it sir; it will warm you up."

"Thank you," said Webster. He tasted the liquor, made a wry face, pondered a moment, and then opened the stove's door, throwing the whiskey into the fire, saying as he did so, "This stove needs the heat more than I do."

**Flowers for All Occasions.**  
Phone or wire us for funeral designs on short notice. Write for Catalogue of plants, seeds, shrubs, trees, roses, etc. LANG, THE FLORIST, Dallas, Texas.

Truth fears nothing so much as military confinement.

Flaw's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for consumption, etc.—W. W. BARKER, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1908.

No man ever thinks he will marry a widow—and he doesn't. She marries the first man who asks her.

**POTNAM FADELESS DYES** produce the brightest and fastest colors. Lots of men want the earth—and without it the farmer isn't in it.

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

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If a man's wife has been the making of him she doesn't allow him to forget it.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 50c.

The man who pays out a lot of good money for so-called fame is apt to discover later that he has a gold brick on his hands.

**MORPHINE.** Whiskey habits cured in 90 days. Deposit money in bank, pay when cured. Refund paid both ways in case of failure. Write for particulars. The Matthews Home, San Antonio, Texas.

Women who like to talk about the equality of the sexes dislike to admit they have to work for a living.

Try me just once and I am sure to come again. Defiance Starch.

When a pretty girl stares at a man's feet he feels as if he had no earthly use for himself.

Ananias was an unfortunate individual who lived before his time.

**HOW'S THIS?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props. Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.  
J. W. TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio; W. M. LINDSAY, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

No sooner does a man bring up a new theory than others proceed to vote it down.

**Try One Package.**  
If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does you get one-third more for the same money. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

A man's mistakes come from forgetting details; a woman's from remembering them.

The well earned reputation and increasing popularity of the Lewis' "Single Binder," straight B. cigar, is due to the maintained high quality and appreciation of the smoker.

When some people tell the truth it is only for the purpose of creating trouble.

The Protestant Sanitarium, located on South Main St., Ft. Worth, is one of the best equipped and most elegant Hospitals in the South. Such institutions are seen only in progressive towns. Dr. A. C. Walker is the physician and surgeon in charge, and Dr. E. D. Capps, the specialist, attends the eye, ear, nose, throat and nervous cases.

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There's quite a difference between being boarders and having boarders keep you.

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Take Britton's Bad Cold Breakers. At all Druggists or by mail. Price 50c. BRITTON'S DRUG COMPANY, Dallas.

It is said that more wrinkles are caused by laughter than by worry. Girls, remember this when you see a man do a flip-flop on an icy pavement.

"The Klean, Kool Kitchen Kind" of stoves make no smoke, smell, soot, ashes or excessive heat. Always look for trade mark.

Our friends often think of us as our enemies speak of us.

Young men, new railroads are building all over Texas. They must have telegraph operators. We will help you become one in a very short time. Write today for special summer rates. FORT WORTH SCHOOL OF TELEGRAPHY, Fort Worth, Texas.

Men are seldom thankful when they get what they deserve.

**Notes From the Scientists.**  
The electric life-saving hook of J. McKenna, a Scotchman, is a long pole with a hook and an electric light at the outer end. The light is made to glow when seeking a body in the water at night.

The new Austrian steamship propeller practically has eight blades, the four that usually run out from the boss being changed to straight supports for the four propelling blades which are at the usual angle, and meet at the outer end of the boss. It is claimed that vibration is abolished and coal consumption reduced.

**Eclipses for 1903.**  
1. An annual eclipse of the sun March 29. Visible as a small partial eclipse on the Pacific coast.  
2. A partial eclipse of the moon on the evening of April 11, the moon rising with the eclipse on, and ending in Eastern standard time at 8:25 p. m.; central time, 7:25 p. m.  
3. A total eclipse of the sun September 21.—Invisible in the United States.

4. A partial eclipse of the moon October 3 and 6, the eclipse beginning with the setting of the moon on the Pacific coast of the United States.

**Loose Jackets.**  
Some delightful loose jackets suitable for the house and essentially smart are being brought over from Paris. It is difficult to describe them, for no two are alike. They are after the Eton order, inasmuch that they do not come below the waist, but though some of them fit the back, they are all loose in front, and often fly back so that the lower points of the front drop over the waistband and the sleeves are not much beyond elbow length, ending in long points below it. They generally have cape collars of velvet.

**For Summer Gowns.**  
Heavy, linen laces, inset with Holland laces, give a distinctive look to some of the smartest summer gowns just out, the white predominating. But these Holland laces in pale and dark blue, delicate green, gun metal gray, tan and cream shades, are charming made up with torchon, maltese and other linen laces. They are shown in separate walking skirts, shirt waists and full skirt-waists suits. With small ties and linen belts with silver buckles these gowns are as pretty and cool as is possible to imagine.

A pithy aphorism often contains more religion than a long-winded sermon.

**TEXAS TO THE FRONT AGAIN.**  
We note from observation and investigation that Texas has another valuable resource of which she may well be proud, a superior mineral water. Mineral wells of Palo Pinto County, which has become so very popular of recent years as a health resort, has done so entirely through the many cures effected by its medicinal waters. Crazy Well water and Gibson Well water. These two waters are to-day being shipped all over the South, and literature about Mineral Wells may be had by writing to either the Gibson Well Co. or the Crazy Well Water Co. or both.

It takes a dog and the boy who owns him to form a mutual admiration society.

## "POOR DIGESTION LANGUID AND TIRED."

An Interesting Letter Concerning Peruna.



Miss Della Janveau, Globe Hotel, Ottawa, Ont., is from one of the oldest and best known French Canadian families in Canada. In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., of Columbus, Ohio, she writes:

"Last spring my blood seemed clogged up, my digestion poor, my head ached and I felt languid and tired all the time. My physician prescribed for me, but a friend advised me to try Peruna. I tried it and am pleased to state that I found it a wonderful cleanser and purifier of the system. In three weeks I was like a new woman, my appetite had increased, I felt buoyant, light and happy and without an ache or pain. Peruna is a reliable family medicine."

Ada Britain, of Seikatan, O., writes: "After using your wonderful Peruna three months I have had great relief. I had continual heaviness in my stomach, was bilious, and had fainting spells, but they have all left me since using Peruna."—Ada Britain.

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

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

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Flaked, Cooked and Ready to Serve.

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A natural, rock base composition for walls and ceilings to be used in white or any number of beautiful tints, in powder form, to be mixed with cold water, making a durable, sanitary and cleanly home. Any one can brush it on.

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## DID YOU GET IT?

Your wife told you to bring home a dollar bottle of

## Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

If you forget it, you would better tie a string on your finger to-morrow morning and every time you look at it you will think of the medicine that cures Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion, and every form of Stomach Trouble.

H. T. Hall, of Nobleville, Ind., writes: "I feel it my duty to give you a voluntary testimonial for Syrup Pepsin. My wife has been troubled with Chronic Constipation in a most severe stage. We have tried every remedy known to me, together with prescriptions from local physicians, and until we finally got hold of your remedy, found no relief, but after taking your remedy for a few days only, we have results that are simply marvelous. I send you this testimonial, and will surely speak a good word for your remedy wherever and whenever I can."

Your druggist has it or will get it for you. 50c and \$1.00 sizes.

Your Money Back If It Don't Satisfy You.

**PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.**

**WEAR** the best rubber collar; the M. & M. Liberty brand; exclusive territory; send stamp for catalogue.

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Now is the Time to Think

A Saddle was returned at our expense a few days ago. Although it had been properly boxed, it was damaged by rats before being unpacked, according to customer's letter. Of course this was no fault of ours, but he got a new saddle just the same. Do you know of any other firm who would have given him the same liberal treatment? Why not buy your supplies from a firm with whom it is a pleasure to deal? All goods guaranteed and prices always lowest, quality considered.

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**Montgomery Ward & Co., Chicago**

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**What is on the other side? What have you on this side? "If a man die, shall he live again?"** From birth to transition we are one of life merely following an upward disposition to better ourselves that we may be happy and see others happy in continually striving to see what is beyond.

Incorporate, and better control our home affairs.

The Times is alert to all that is worth printing.

Tucumcari, the new county seat, will get along with a \$5000 county building and jail.

The rain this week put springs in the farmers' feet and made stock prick up their ears.

If that artesian well isn't started soon the people will think it a bluff.

Did you ever notice that wealth cuts more ice than the ice man.

Portales isn't in sympathy with the papers in Roswell who are demanding 10 hours work scattered over 15 hours for \$2 a day.

The country after all is a fine farming section, and it took the nester to prove it.

The Santa Fe is doing a lot of work—on paper, and will soon have New Mexico crossed with roads—on paper.

Wells, Fargo & Co. are about to move the head office from San Francisco to New York. This move will not regulate charges in Portales, which has a sliding scale. But then, the people be—

The Ouachita Herald says that T. H. Reynolds cut and put into the Ouachita river, at Bradley's ferry during the recent high water one of the largest pine trees in this section of the state. It was the monarch of the woods and had long stood in solitary grandeur as none of the mills in this vicinity had a saw large enough to cut it. Geo. Johnson offered Mr. Reynolds \$125 for the pine if he would fell the tree and put it in the river. As it was a mile and a half from the bank of the Ouachita, this was no small undertaking. The big tree was cut and when the water was at highest stage it was safely towed down a road way and now lies anchored in the stream waiting to go down to Baton Rouge to be cut into timber.

The log as it lies is five and one half feet in diameter at the butt and fifty feet in length. It will cut between 12,000 and 13,000 feet of lumber. Mr. Reynolds suggests, and his idea is a good one, that a plank cut from the center of this tree through its entire length would be a pretty nice thing for the Arkansas exhibit at the World's Fair. It is doubtful if the State can show a bigger tree within her borders.

If you want any delicacies in canned goods you can always find what you want at Blankenship & Woodcock's.

**Off for Conference.**  
Rev. M. D. Hill, Rev. B. T. James, and W. D. Wood, will leave Sunday afternoon for their district conference, which meets in Alamogordo, May 6-11. Rev. James goes to Duncan, Ariz., to take charge of the Duncan circuit.

**Spring Ailments.**  
There is an aching and tired feeling; the liver, bowels and kidneys become sluggish and inactive, the digestion impaired, with little or no appetite, no ambition for anything, and a feeling that the whole body and mind needs toning up. The trouble is, that during winter, there has been an accumulation of waste matter in the system. Herbine will remove it, secure to the secretions a right exit, and by its tonic effect, fully restore the wasted tissues and give strength in place of weakness. 50c at Pearce & Dobbs.

**Good Morning, Young Lady!**  
Where did you get that lovely hat?  
Miss Menton made it for me, at Blankenship & Woodcock's.  
They are the talk of the town. Everybody is talking and saying something about those lovely hats and waists that Miss Menton turns out.

The first business now is to go organizing.

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Retiring officers from this part of the old county—  
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**DOMESTIC BLISS**  
The man who is under the thumb of his wife, and all happy husbands are, is all right, so long as he don't squirm, so long as he don't go it on the sly, eat too many cloves, and don't get long hairs on his collar, but when he begins to squirm she presses the tighter, and then it is all wrong. So don't squirm. There are supposed to be specific rules for conduct in married life. One is that both should not indulge in bad temper at the same time. Ed and Su both had bad tempers and frequently quarreled until they had agreed that when one was angry the other should not be, and as it had been common that when Ed wanted something he was loving and Su always chided him about it and told him to go away, and when Sue wanted a new hat Ed was gruff and sullen. Finally it was decided that as a signal Ed was to wear his hat on one side of his head when he came home annoyed at anything, and Su was to tuck up the corner of her apron when she was annoyed. The plan worked well until one day Ed came home with his hat tilted far over his ear, and met Sue with her apron tucked half way through the string. This was a dilemma. They looked savagely at each other for a second and then burst out into a laugh, and their trouble ended in one cutting a pigeon wing and Su shuffling a back step. When we marry our wives—I say wives to signify the number of times, and "we" to signify I—it is not with the understanding that she is to spend forty years over the cook stove. A man who had been married forty years lost his wife, and was told that he should erect a suitable monument over her remains. After puzzling for some time as to what would be a suitable one, he moved the old cook stove and placed it over her remains. Very soon afterward he bought a nickel-plated range and hired a slave for his new wife. How many wives today are working for such a monument? Our advice is, therefore, marry some widow, but keep him primed. If Eve, in her ignorance and innocence, erred in her disobedience and led man down by her advice, her daughters have made ample amends by their faithfulness to man in all the vicissitudes of his life, by protecting him

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**MORE LOCALS.**

**Elida News**  
Mr. and Mrs. Boykin and niece Miss Gilbert, from Portales, were the guests of Mr. Gee Saturday and Sunday, also Will Killpatrick Sunday afternoon.

Grandpa Long, who has been sick for several days is reported much better.

Those who visited Portales the past week were Chas. A. Sims, Rob Darnell, Orr, Frank Hasely, Youngblood and others.

There were no services in town Sunday on account of rain.

The Misses Howard were in town shopping Tuesday.

The young people met at Bro. Wheeler's Sunday afternoon for their singing.

There were two trains of wagons pulling into Elida yesterday; five wagons to each train.

Young Johnston was over from the ranch Monday and reports cattle doing well and a lot of feed stuff growing nicely.

We are being blessed with some nice rains, and if they continue the P-Vine will have to put on more rolling stock to be able to supply the demand for cars to ship out all the maize, kafir, Indian corn, tomatoes, ground peas, whoop-oo-will peas, black-eyed peas, blue-eyed peas, and the other kinds of peas, etc., this fall.

Mrs. Henry Wheeler left Saturday for an extended visit with home folks at Clarendon, Tex.

Burton's father came in a few days ago from Burket, Coleman county, Tex., and will make this his future home.

Our friend Burton instead of going to Arizona went to Portales. We hope he will soon see it to his interest to return to Elida.

**Baptist Church Notice.**  
Preaching Sundays in the forenoon at 11.  
Preaching Sunday evenings at lamp light.  
Sunday school mornings at 10 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at lamp light.  
This is a good announcement, and it is hoped other pastors will take advantage of the free space.  
T. F. Medlin pastor, J. N. McPatter, superintendent of Sunday school.

**The Week's Robbery.**  
Mr. Seely, the restaurant man, was relieved of 600 dollars Wednesday night by a thief. The money was taken from a pair of pants in his room.

**The Commissioners**  
held a meeting Monday and owing to the fact that all of the bonds did not arrive it was decided to meet again on next Monday.

**M. T. Jones Lumber Co.**  
have just received a carload of Sash, Doors, Mouldings, etc., from Chicago.

**The Methodists Will Hold**  
their Sunday school and preaching service in their new church tomorrow morning. Let everybody take due notice. All are cordially invited.  
M. D. HILL, pastor.

**World Wide Reputation.**  
White's Cream Vermifuge has achieved a world wide reputation as being the best of all worm destroyers, and for its tonic influence on weak and unthrifty children, as it neutralizes the acidity or sourness of the stomach, improves their digestion, and assimilation of food, strengthens their nervous system and restores them to the health vigor and elasticity of spirits natural to child. 25c at Pearce and Dobbs.

Business locals le a word each and every insertion. Heads count the same as the greatest line in the local. The Times is read by all.

**Where is the Old Tramp Printer?**  
Who never expressed regret  
On the passing of time  
So long as a dime  
From a generous comp he could get?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who traveled from east to west;  
Then in flimsy robe  
Encircled the globe,  
With scarcely a sou in his vest?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who never expressed regret  
On the passing of time  
So long as a dime  
From a generous comp he could get?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who'd talk on this and that;  
Then in pleading tones,  
With shivering bones,  
Would hint at the pass of the hat?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who may have had faults, we know;  
But 'tis pleasure to dwell  
On the stories he'd tell  
In the comp-room long ago?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who knew no ties of home;  
Whose chief delight,  
By day or night,  
Was to roam, roam, roam?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Whose thoughts were seldom blue;  
Who'd scamper away  
Like a mouse at play  
When asked hard work to do?

**Where is the old tramp printer,**  
Who never again will roam;  
And from whom we part  
With a kindly heart,  
With the hope he's found a home?