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COTULLA, TEXAS, SA



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The beautiful vernal festival—the season for uries. Easter, is but little more than a week of out on that date and welcome the brightness as lots of dresses this week, and if you was not am our store and see what sort of goods are being plenty of time to have your dress made if you

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LEAVES WASHINGTON UN-DER HEAVY GUARD.

Unusual Precautions are Taken For President's Safety.

Washington, D. C., April 1 .-President Roosevelt at 9:05 this people, anxious to extend to the such a drive, a typical spring day. chief magistrate their good wishes for a safe and successful journey. Notable precautions were taken to The police arrangements were under the personal supervision of Commissioner West and Chief Sylvester. Ununiformed officers, dent!and covered every point.

nected with the President's departure arose out of the presence of Baron Spec von Sternberg, the the spacious and hospitable home German minister. He was the of Mr. Henry Earnest, where we only member of the diplomatic enjoyed most bountifully a corps who went to the depot to material application of the mornsee the President off, and the ing's discourse. President greeted him most cordially, telling him he greatly appre-day's decline, that we bade our ciated the courtesy.

During that chat the President asked the Baron whether he would be here in June when he returned and upon receiving an affirmative reply the President said:

That is good, we will have some long rides together."

The Baron told the President that his horses were in India and would not be here for sometime. Instantly the President gave orders that during his absence his riding horse and that of Mrs. Roosevelt should be placed at the disposal of Baron and Mrs. yon

"I should be very much pleased," said he to the Baron, "if you and the Baroness would ride

hem while I am away." As the train moved out the STARTS WEST. President called, "Goodbye Baron, I appreciate your coming very much."

A DAY AT MILLETT.

A little party of Cotulla people drove over to Millett Sunday morning to attend the quarterly meeting. The personnel being Mr. T. R. Keck and family, Mr. morning started on his Western and Mrs. Philipe, Miss Lula trip. The Pennsylvania station Philipe and Miss Nannie Harrisonand platforms were crowded with The morning was magnificent for

We were divinely entertained enroute by the songs of the joyous birds, and the silent communinsure the safety of the President. ion of the myriads of flowers, preparing our minds and hearts for the spiritual feast we were to enjoy on our arrival.

After listening to a soul inspirheadquarters detectives, plain ing sermon (by Rev. Johnson) on clothes men and secret service Christian charity and love tooperatives surrounded the Presi- wards God, we felt like exclaiming with the Psalmist, "How The most notable incident con- beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace."

We were royally entertained at

It was with deep regret at the adieus and started homeward. these come not every day, but Onion Growers Association, held leave a trace of the divine lifting at San Antonio on 2nd inst. The our souls higher. Every turn of Record man saw Mr. Keck short-

patiently,

I raised my lattice wearily

brook On thro' the meadow move. tistened eagerly to it silvery

As it murmured God is love, Inter I saw the tender buds of spring Burst forth in the silent grove And as they left their prison,

They seemed to repeat, God hig is is love. I drank from the sweets of the the g fragrant flowers,

As into one melody wove The ambient air this sweet re- year.

"All things bespeak God is twelv e to fifteen pounds each. C. Love."

From the shady bough of a tree moth turnips. near by, I espied a peaceful dove,

And its cooing voice in loving Was echoing God is Love.

A little child in sweet innocence As the' this lesson would prove,

As it ran gaily by, triumphantly "All things tell us God is large Love."

Then I turned on my couch land contentedly, As with grim disease I strove, W.

And praise Him that even thro' also suffering We can feel the strength of farm

His Love. N. H. H.

April 1st, '03. Messrs. J. H. Davis and E. A. Keck returned yesterday from the Associations and experiences like meeting of the Southwest Texas journey homeward was, fraught ly after his arrival and he said: The general opinion is that onions with joy, all nature in her are going to bring a good price, georgeous robes seemed to be although it is mostly guess work whispering God's Love, and today, now. There was a good representation from every onion dis-As I tossed on my couch im- trict at the Association and everybody had a pleasant time. The As with grim disease I strove. Association have agreed to let Campbell & Eckhart, commission merchants of San Antonio, handle And looked on the skies above, the crop. Their proposition is A gentle zephyr kissed my brow, either to buy onions f.o. b. cars, And whispered God is love. or ship for producer for 10 per I heard the rythm of a babbling cent commission. I don't think we will have any trouble stall h disposing of the crop."

TRUE A

Mones From The Artesian Belt.

warm sunshine is fine on owing crops.

The

ere has been a good cabbage raised in this vicinity this J. W. Buckow sent in fine heads, weighing from some ' M. C. lifton also sent in some mani-

Andderson and Sinclair farm No. 2 is n ow planted in cantaloupes.

T. J. Alderman will soon have his new farm ready for planting. The rew well is now flowing. WAT. Hill will have two hun-

dred ecres planted in cane, corn and cotton on his ranch near here. J. I. Ramsey will put in a otton crop.

. Burnett Robuck parents of a little

J. W. McInnis over-land Tuessame day.

ose after a

of Corpus with Saturday. One car was This law will take effect ninety Ir. C. H. loaded out to San Antonio Mon- days after the adjournment of the

visiting arned were mixed cattle and belonged in the atmosphere considerably

The Sunda .cague of America has engaged the Rev. Edward Thomson, the eloquent "Preacher tesia, Texas, April 3.-We and Lecturer" and he will visit ow living in Artesia, Two-Cotulla, April 5th, and deliver his famous lecture on "True Ameri-



canism." All are invited to hear except with the advice and con-DeRree is cleaning more him at the Baptist church at 11 sent of the senate where the sens a fine corn crop on J. church at 8 p. m. Bishop E. E. nominations, as was the case with farm. There will Hoss, L. L. D. (Methodist) says, the Crum appointment. It is unwatermelons, can- "He advocates Sunday reform in tomatoes on this a new way. All thinkers should brought to the notice of the mayor hear him".

> Respectfully, S. W. BURT.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

A train of sheep was loaded out aredo, is visit- of Encinal yesterday.

s' school at was shipped Sunday.

cars of calves from Henry Beck- and animal inspection law.

ANISM. CRUM HAS

QUALIFIED

AS COLLECTOR OF THE PORT OF CHARLESTON.

Charleston, S. C., March 31 .-W. D. Crum took charge of the custom house this morning as collector of the port, having taken the oath of office last night. There was no incident of interest in connection with his assuming the office, except the immediate tender of resignation by the chief inspector of customs which had been placed in the hands of the deputy collector to take effect upon the colored official's entrance to authority.

There has been some talk of possible application to the courts for a restraining order against Crum's exercising the duties of office, on the ground that the president may not fill vacancies derstood the matter has been and it is said he has referred to to corporation counsel for consideration and report, but it is not thought anything will be done a-

INSPECTION LAW KNOCKED OUT.

Jourd Irvin sold to F. D. Mc- Legislature that became laws Among the bills introduced in olds. returned Mahan last Saturday two cars of this week was one exempting La steers and calves. One carload Salle, Dimmitt, and a number of other counties in West Texas J. W. Matthews bought two from the operation of the hide

legislature.

Three cars of fat stuff was load- A Nor'wester blew up yesterday ed out of this point yesterday morning early and prevailed nearevening for San Antonio. They ly all day. Sand was mixed up visit to G. E. Tarver. He sold to F. during the forenoon and it was disagreeable.

and found the farmers in the same to be t. condition as they are here. On sence in the account of the cloudy and co'd in the party. The March weather the seed nearly all not expected to do any of the City. retted in the ground, and every- talking at this banquet. They Mexico is short on ceal at pr thing has to be planted over.

have been selling for \$5 00 can- from different sections of the Lurline Besen, a pretty 17 not be bought now for less than country and who are prominent in year old girl committed suicide in \$7.50, and then on condition that the councils of the party in their San Antonio on account of le ve it shall be cleared and improved at once. Now's the time to buy supposed to represent the senti- A panther killed two children you a farm, don't wait any long-

While digging a place for the home plate of a baseball diamond at Victoria the other day some boys unearthed a number of pieces of Mexican coin. Some of them were as old as 1820, but most of them were of 1853 issue. from the spot.

Maxon Springs.

their preare expected to do the listening ont. The cause is attributed to and the talking will be done by the opening of so many new me Lands along the river front that the younger members of the party ufactories. respective sections. They are troubles. sentiments will be given to the be a large one. leaders of the party and those themselves accordingly.

THE PRICKLY PEAR.

Derided, contemned, despised, The ground is now being dug up and cursed in all the different in the Southern Pacific yards at there for a radius of half a mile languages in common use on the San Antonio was ground to death frontier, the prickly pear bristles by a switch engine Sunday evendefiance to its calumniators, and ing-The Southern Pacific has the asks only an impartial hearing, Twelve persons were arreste best road-bed of any railroad in without its array of stings, thorns, Tyler Monday for violating the State, yet that road comes to barbs, furze and non-touchable local option law. As man the front with the most disasters. peculiarities, it would long ago twenty charges have been This is undoubtedly due to fast had disappeared from the face of against some of them. running. The terrible catastro- the earth. All herbivorous aniphe at Lacaste last week was mals are fond of its succulent at Brownsville this year horrible in the extreme and re- leaves, and eat it readily when its lost on account of no called to memory the terrible e- thorns are burned off, or removed. vent only a short time ago at Many an old cow, yes, many herds in seasons of drough, have been carried through the winter on its The list of 800 trusts recently leaves alone, but the mode now is home near Ballinge published in the Congressional to chop it up and mix it with cot- Henry Shaffer acci Record by the Hon. Chas. E. Litton seed meal and it makes a his wife. Her head tlefield, of Maine, the redoubtable splendid feed, it has become such trust buster from the Pine Tree a popular feed that near numbers R. A. Davis, State, must have hit the trusts a of small towns where people feed committed suicide swat on the nose that they felt. it to their milch cows, it has be- by shooting hims The New York Sun, which is the come an article of sale. How heart. Ill healt recognized organ of Pierpont would that have had struck an rash deed. Morgan and the trusts generally, old Texan twenty years ago! Two sisters in has been letting out a howl about Coyotes, when hard up for a meal, er in Winfiel this list that reverberates from dine on its fig-shaped fruit, wood- saleon propert Tadmor in the Wilderness of Yuba rats use it as a daily ration, the admittance. Dam. The sun could not deny bristle-backed musk-hog, (javelin), vers and 1 the accuracy of the list and the finds nourishment in its roots, and not arrested only defense it could make was to the Mexican's make a sort of A soldier make fun of the "butterfly" sig- cheese out of the ripe fruit that from the nature of the honorable gentleman tastes like something between bridge an from Maine. The list is accurate chewing gum and leather pre- inches of and is worth having and preserve serves, having a bright red color broken a and a gritty underpinning, they internal

harmony" Cempany wn. aders are in establishing a

ments of the party in the sections at I rackett Monday. The ber st from which they hail and those was afterward killed and found to

Lee Weigle, who killed this W. A. H. Miller, leaders are supposed to govern bride of three days at Texarkar a, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree and given life

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Breatliessly Lot and his wife and family were Lastening to the tall timber.

Behind they could hear the crackling of flames, the roar of fiery clouds and the crash of falling buildings.

Mrs. Lot suddenly stopped. "Hurry on," advised Lot, "what are you stopping for?"

"I just wondered," said Mrs. Lot, "how many of the stores would be laving fire sales next week."

Then, absent-mindedly, sle turned to see if the flames were anywhere near the big department

The rest of the story is history. -Judge.

One of our good looking young ladies is said to be terribly upset in consequence of a mistake she made the other day. Going in a hurry to a store after flour, she took up what she supposed was a clean pillow slip from the bureau drawer. She skipped into the store smiling like a basket of chip and handed the supposed slip to the grocer, who proposed to fill it. The first scoopful went plump through it to the floor. When he raised it up to see what was the raised it up to see what was the matter, and displayed two out'etat the bottom heavily fringed, the lady lit out without saying a word.

to await her return, but up to date she has not appeared in the vicinity .- Pryar Filot.

Life in a country town, says a man, would lose half of its interest were it not for the post office. Here the rich and poor, high and low, come every day. The business man comes in, one s his box, takes out his mail and hurries on to his work. The farmer with his overalls, comes in whistling a tune and gets the mail for his neighbors. The small boy sticks his head up to the window and asks o "cur mail." Then the maiden with a white a ron calls for a l tter which she knew would come today, and failing to get it she puckers up her mouth so pretty that you feel like sitting right down and writing her one, and so on, and so on. Through the post office runs joy, hope and disappointment. -Ex.

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the city sewer?"

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cup!" Yes, ma'am."

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Palestine. State Baptist Foreign Mission Convention. Sell tickets April 21-22. Limit April 27th. an Antonio.

State Medical Association. Sell tickets April 27th and for trains arriving San Antonio 28th. Limit May 2nd.

Fort Worth. State Sunday School Convention. Sell tickets April 15-16 and for trains arriving Fort worth morning of 17th. Limit April 19th.

Meeting Grand Conmandery Knights "omplar. Sau"

April 13th and 14th and for trains arriving Austin 15th in

A. M. Limit April 19th. lustin.

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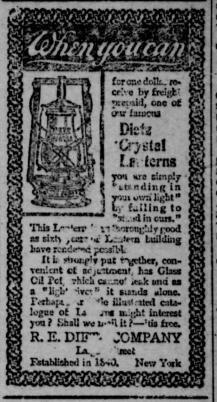
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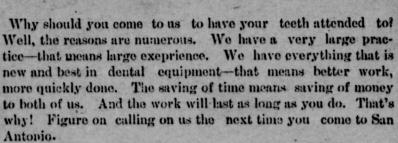
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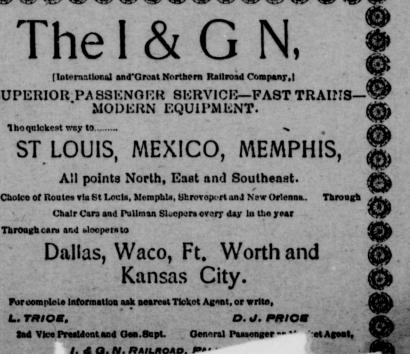
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New lot of jellies at G. Philipe's A. M. White of San Antonio Finest cigars at J. M. Williams. was here yesterday. Easter candies at J. M. Wil-

Ralstons Breakfast food at G. Dimnit county. Philipe's.

W. E. Lowey this week.

White rabbit egg dye at J. M. Williams.

Maple Blend Syrup at C. Philipe's. Miss Itasca Carr has been on

the sick list this week. It saves serubbing S. W. Floor

Paint, J. M. Williams

Yesterday was the windlest day we have had this spring. Jello, jello, four flavors at G.

tonio yesterday. See Miss Harrison for burnt work novelties.

Pond sugar f

T. H. Gardner and Martin Wilkins were here yesterday from He was on his way to Mille

Mrs. R. A. Gilmer and child-We printed 1000 Statements for ren are visiting at the La Motte brother of Mrs. W. L. Peas

> Laundry left at this office will be sent to White Star Laundry Tuesday. Basket returns Satur-

Dr. Williams was called to Encinal Monday to sea Mrs. H. Riley.

Miss Lizzie Gilmer returned Monday from a ten days absence nt Austin. She reports an exceedingly pleasant visit.

A Haymakers Lodge will be organized at Millett tonight. Quite Jee Frost returned to San An- a number of the members of the Cotulla lodge will go up.

Miss Harrison solicts your pat- 150 acres up, if taken soc ronege in any line of art work, fourth river front. at G. will do a handsom life sized COTULLA FARMING

Messrs. E. A. Keek and J H. Davis left Wednesday for Antonio as representatives of Cotulla onion growers to Southwest Texas Onion Gro Association.

Felix Shaw, a big. cowman Dimmit county, in company v his wife, came in on yester ay evening's train from San Anton where they had been all the we

J. W. Crook of San Anto was here this week figuring the Baptist church relative nishing them with seats for house of worship.

Miss Lizzie Fullerton left W nesday for Moore, where she spend several weeks. She Iso visit San Antonio and C zales before her return.

Dr. Stallings, dentist, will leave Sunday, as stated, but remain three or four days dur next week, for the benefit c' ple living in the country. have been unable to get here.

F. C. Lesterjette, who is ing wells out on the Rio G. for Green & Co., was here 1 day and paid us a pleasant visit his parents.

Seth Smith of Mississ rived in the city Monday. Smith was here awhile th winter and evidently be struck with our country, learn he has come to stay this.

re-opened by W. L. Pease cently of the saloon firm of I & Jay. The building, durin past month has been overt by carpenters and put in on the first inst.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

On this, 1st day of April, 1903, I have sold my interest in the lumber and hardware firm of Keck Bros., to my partner, T. R. Keek. Said T. R. Keek will collect all accounts due and pay all accounts against the firm to Keck Bros.

Respectfully, E. A. KECK.

The weather has been warm all ir- the week and farmers have taken ir advantage of it. The cold weather last month was the cause of many having to plant over, but nearly all have done this now, and everyall thing is favorable for a good crop.

An accident befell the oldest little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Henrichson last Sunday yard, and while running tripped and fell, her head striking the end of a spike in a corner block of the gallery. A terrible gash was cut in the little one's forehead, and she was rendered unconscious for a few minutes. Dr. Williams was summoned and on examination found the wound not to be serious. He sewed up the gash and in a few hours she was fully recovered from the shock.

Miss Bee Thomas paid us a pleasant call Thursday afternoon. ne She was just in receipt of a letter we from her brother, Atha, who is at e. Terlingun, Brewster county, clerk-The old Star Salcon has then ing in a store of a mining comre- pany. He enclosed the wherease with for the advancement of his he subscription, and specially instructed Miss Bee to notify us to keep the news from the "beloved class shape. Mr. Pease move I in free state of La Salle" comin' every week. He is pleased with that country and is enjoying good health, but all through his letter and crops out indications that he is of homesick, and states that he will one likely return this fall and go to ess, raising onions.

WALKS WITHOUT CRUTCHES.

rites Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Se. wick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me, I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it in to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benefitted by it. I now walk. without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." oon | 25e, 50c and \$1.00 at C. McGarand ity's.

ose Wm. G. Johnson, who has held a commission for the past three years as Inspector for the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, covering the territory from San Antonio to Laredo, tendered his resigone nation last week. T. H. (Chub) ex- Poole has been appointed by the ter- Association to fill the vacancy. t in Mr. Johnson's reasons for reave signing, we understand, was on ike- account of his stock interests recen quiring most of his time, thus he ab- could not properly look after the ne. Association's interests over such a lay large territory. He made the Association a good inspector, and while they may have others as good, they will never have a better one. Mr. Poole, who was appointed is in every way capable on for the position. He knows al-I most every brand from the Colorado to the Rio Grande and is a avy thorough cowman. He was selected it a from among 43 applicants, all of whom were good cattlemen and low, had a pocketful of recommendapre- tions.

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