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LA SALLE COUNTY WILL MARKET \$1,500,000.00 WORTH OF RANGE CATTLE THE NEXT 90 DAYS

Midnight Quarrel at River Bridge Results Fatally

Lon Adami is Dead and Incarnation Pena is in Jail Charged with His Murder—Adami Makes Statement.

As the result of a quarrel between Lon Adami and Incarnation Pena, two young Mexicans, one is dead and the other is in the county jail charged with his murder.

According to a statement made by Adami to the officers about one o'clock Thursday morning he and Pena quarreled at a pool hall in the Mexican part of town and agreed to go to the river and "have it out." He said that they went down the railroad track together to a point near the river bank. On reaching this point Adami claimed that Pena remarked, "that I now have you where I want you" or words to that effect and pulled a pistol and began firing. The first bullet struck him just below the heart inflicting a mortal wound. When he fell he said two other shots were fired, both striking him and making flesh wounds. Adami stated that he presumed that his antagonist thought him dead and left the scene. Soon he recovered strength to walk and crawl to near the water tank and coal hoist, where the attention of the man in charge was called, who promptly notified Sheriff Poole and Adami's relatives. Sheriff Poole together with deputies Wildenthal and Williams immediately went to the scene, and when told by the wounded man that he wanted to make a statement, Justice Stedham was sent for, before whom a sworn statement was made, the substance of which is related above. The officers found Pena at his home asleep. He was immediately placed in jail. Pena has made no statement but it is understood that his plea will be self defense. It is understood he claims that after a quarrel at the pool room Adami went off and then came back and invited him to the river to settle the matter and that on arriving at the place where the trouble was to be settled Adami made a play as if to get his gun. The officers found no arms on Adami.

Dr. Wichmann attended the wounded man and from the moment he made an examination he held out no hope for his recovery. Adami was 21 years old. Pena is 17 years old.

Debating and Athletic League Meets at Austin

Preparations Being Made for Fourth Annual Meeting—County Meets Held in More than One Hundred Counties.

That people of Anglo-Saxon breed continue to enjoy contests, athletic and intellectual, is well illustrated by the success of the Debating, Declamation and Athletic League among Texas schools that has been fostered by Professor E. D. Shurter of the University of Texas. The old-fashioned tournament that flourished until recently in Texas was but a survival of the knightly contests



Prof. E. D. Shurter

of the days of the Crusades. In these days, instead of winning a ribbon to present to his lady love as in days of old, the young debater, or declaimer, or athlete wins a golden medal which may also soon be worn by his sweetheart.

The fourth annual meeting of this League will be held at Austin on May 1 and 2. Preparation is being made to entertain six hundred persons interested in declamation, in debating and in the various forms of out-door athletics, such as jumping, running, hurdling, throwing the hammer, putting the shot, and pole vaulting. In preparation for this final contest, county meets have been held in more than one hundred counties in the State.

Thursday and yesterday were very windy and dusty. The temperature was also considerably above normal.

Devine trimmed the local school ball team up last Saturday in proper style.

Solid Carload Shipment of Champion Silos

J. L. Steadham to Have Modern "Silo Plant" on his Farm—Edwin Atlee also Joins the Silo Crowd.

The largest single shipment of silos to come into the territory south of San Antonio was unloaded here yesterday and consisted of five Champion silos, four belonging to J. L. Steadham and one to Edwin Atlee. Several different makes of silos have been erected along the Nueces but we believe the shipment that came in this week beats them all. The timber is well sized, almost entirely free from knots and has been creosoted under very heavy pressure. There should be no trouble with this class of silo standing in this climate. Already some of the farmers who put up silos last summer are having trouble keeping them tight-ended up.

Mr. Steadham will have a modern "silo plant" on his farm, probably the only one of its kind in Southwest Texas. He expects to feed steers, dairy cattle and hogs. Last week he received another shipment of thoroughbred Berkshire hogs from "The Patch" at Asherton and added to his herd. On this farm will be found now more good hogs than at any other place in the county.

Mr. Atlee will erect his silo of 100-ton capacity and he expects to use it for general farm purposes. Edwin is the latest convert to the "silo crowd."

While the silo is as old as the hills almost, its great value to the farm and the full value of ensilage has been appreciated only within the last few years. At present the estimated number of silos in the United States is 130,000. Half of this number have been built within the past two years. Up until two or three years ago ensilage was only for dairy cattle, but it is now recognized as a valuable feature of all branches of the cattle industry. Tests made show that silage as a food for beef animals, as well as for breeding animals and for the young, greatly reduces the cost of meat production and increases that cattle carrying capacity of the farm.

Buildings Nearing Completion.

The brick business house on Front Street that is being erected by Gus Bickner for M. J. Barlow is nearing completion. Within another week or ten days the contractor will be able to turn over the job.

The new Catholic church, which has been in course of construction for several weeks is now nearing completion. This building is on the site of the old Catholic Church which was torn down. This building will be used by both the American and Mexican Catholics of the town.

An iron clad garage building was completed this week by Mrs. E. P. Gilmer for Robbins & Johns, located on the corner of Tilden and Front streets.

A neat dwelling has just been finished for Frank Keck in the western part of town.

Wanted—To buy 20 or 30 Horse-power boiler in good condition. Box 197, Big Wells, Texas.

Methodists of Uvalde District In Conference

Session Began Thursday Night and will Continue Until Sunday Night—Many Ministers and Laymen Here.

The Uvalde District Conference convened here Thursday night, and the opening sermon was preached by Rev. W. A. Gunn of Laredo. The sessions of the Conference will continue until Sunday night when they will come to a close. Yesterday morning Rev. F. S. Onderdonk presented the claims of the southwestern University and that night there was a discussion by Rev. F. D. Scott on the Rescue Game. Routine work occupied the time of the conference yesterday and today all phases of Sunday School work will be taken up. Delegates to annual conference will also be elected today. Tonight Rev. G. W. Callahan will occupy the pulpit. Tomorrow at eleven Rev. J. W. Devine will preach.

The following preachers and delegates are in attendance: Rev. S. B. Beall, San Antonio; J. Swanson, Pearsall; M. K. Fred, Hondo; A. L. Scarborough, Uvalde; J. E. Morgan, Dilley; J. A. Ailbritten, Del Rio; M. A. Black, Eagle Pass; J. A. Pledge, Yancy; J. E. Harris, Fowler; W. L. Hightower, Crystal Springs; C. M. Rabe, Batesville; G. W. Johnson, Moore; W. T. Redman, A. E. Director, San Antonio; J. D. Scott, San Antonio; C. E. Wheat, Devine; W. A. Dunn, Laredo; W. N. Vernon, Carrizo Springs; F. S. Onderdonk, Georgetown; J. W. Long, T. G. Woods, Cotulla. Laymen: Droadus, Crystal City; Jim Newton, Yancy; Mr. Kinsel, Fowlerton; W. B. Smith, Del Rio; Wm. Earnest, Millett and Mrs. E. E. Swanson, Pearsall.

Water Classes With the Best.

Jos. Cotulla received a letter this week from Dr. J. A. Miller of Chicago, who has visited Cotulla a number of times and is known by many of our people, relative to Mr. Cotulla's deep well water. Dr. Miller states that the water is one of the purest found in the United States, practically the only elements found in it being potassium salts and radium, the radium being in sufficient quantity to be beneficial to both animal and plant life. Following we produce that part of the letter relating to the water.

"Myself and one of the chemists of the Missouri State University have finished the analysis of your water. We found it to be one of the purest waters known in America. Practically the only elements found were the potassium salts and radium. The radium however, is not in marked quantities, but sufficient to be beneficial to both animal and plant life. The potassium salts is also good for both. Therefore your water is ideal for irrigation and for all domestic purposes. There is probably no better drinking water in the United States and therefore your water ranks among the very best for nine-tenths of the stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles."

30,000 Cattle To Market From La Salle County

Movement Will Be Brisk From Now On and High Market is Easing Up Higher—Local Movement During Week.

The cattle movement is becoming brisk and from now until the last of June shipments will be lively. The market has strengthened considerably the last week. Range is excellent all over the county and it is predicted that everything on hoof will get fat. It is estimated that in the neighborhood of 30,000 head will be shipped from La Salle county this spring. Following is some of the shipments and deals of the week.

C. C. Thomas and Roe Oliver shipped in 635 head of Mexican cattle from McAllen Wednesday and put them on pasturage.

C. F. Binkley bought 100 head of cows from E. W. Earnest. No price given.

M. H. McMahon shipped in 450 head of Mexican cattle Tuesday. They were crossed in Cameron county and loaded at McAllen. He sold J. W. Sutton and T. E. Poole 250 cows at the pens here.

F. D. McMahon has contracted 250 head of steers from Green Martin at Artesia Wells, May and June delivery.

Coleman & Pratt had 4 loads of mixed stuff out of Encinal Monday.

Martin Estate shipped 5 loads of steers from Encinal Monday.

Geo. Clifton had a shipment of cows to Ft. Worth Monday. They were loaded at Webb.

W. T. Hill shipped up another string of Mexican stuff from the border Wednesday to put on pasturage here.

J. G. Childers Jr. loaded six cars steers at Millett Saturday for Ft. Worth. Two loads weighed 1292 and sold for \$7.15; one load weighed 1013, sold \$7.10; two loads 985, sold for \$7; one load 933, sold for \$6.75. Mr. Childers also shipped 5 loads Wednesday that were on yesterday's market.

Alfred Gardner will ship four cars steers from this point today. They will go to Ft. Worth.

B. Vesper, Dimmitt county stockman will ship four cars steers today for the Ft. Worth market.

Store Deal at Artesia Wells.

R. L. Henrichson & Son have purchased the merchandise business of A. G. Salmon at Artesia Wells and will take charge May 4th. Mr. Henrichson was in the city yesterday and stated that a line of general merchandise would be carried and the business handled on a cash basis. He said that for some reason Artesia Wells had lost much of her business, it going to other points and a considerable part of it to Sears Robuck & Co., and other mail order houses, and he was going to make a great effort to swing it back where it justly belonged.

Early Estimates On Onion Crop Will Fall Short

Outlook is Good for Stiff Prices Balance of Season although Poor Stock has Battered Down Market.

Early estimates of an onion crop of 2500 to 3000 cars in Southwest Texas were too high. This is the information given out by the co-operative board at Laredo, which states two fifths of the crop has been moved up to this date. A light yield has attended early harvesting, and in some sections thrip and blight are doing considerable damage. In the Big Wells section it is estimated the crop will be cut fifty per cent. It will be damaged here. The same applies to portions of the Laredo district. The fact that the crop will be at least a thousand cars shorter than estimated has had a stimulating effect on the market and although several hundred carloads of poor stuff has hammered the price considerably, there is a prediction that good onions will bring good money from now on. Up to date the number of cars shipped from Southwest Texas runs a little over 700.

The first cars to go out of Cotulla are being loaded today by Riverdale Farm and Daniel Bros. The stock of both of these cars is good.

Fine Onions

Encinal will ship about fifty cars of onions this spring, the crop being raised by irrigation from shallow wells. A N. Munn shipped a car Monday that were handled by Schley & Miller and were classed as fancy. They were the best onions the editor has seen this season, being of good size, fairly well matured and clean. The yield Mr. Munn informed us was an average of 572 crates per acre on his place. Encinal is also making local shipments of English peas and other truck.



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This Is Indemnity Fixed by Treaty Just Signed at Bogota.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Un-
guised gratification was felt by
administration officials here today at
the prospect of finally healing the
breach between the United States
and Colombia through the treaty
signed at Bogota yesterday. In the
convention is ratified by the two
countries, as officials are confident
it will be, it will close amicably a
bitter controversy, brought on by
the secession of Panama in 1903 and
the granting to the United States
the Canal Zone and which the
Washington government has
handicapped it in its relations

with Colombia. The treaty's
terms today.

The principal article provides for
the payment to Colombia of \$25-
000,000 six months after ratifica-
tions have been exchanged between
the two countries, as indemnity for
the losses she has sustained. This
is granted in a lump sum, and the
treaty does not attempt to specify
how much of this amount is in re-
paration for the loss of Panama or
how much for the loss of the Pana-
ma railway rights.

Colombia is granted the right to
ship coal, salt and petroleum from
her Atlantic to her Pacific ports,
either through the canal or across
the Panama railway without any
charge other than the cost of
freight, no duty being assessed.
These articles are not produced
along the Pacific side of the coun-
try and mountains prevent easy
communication overland through Co-
lombia.

A third article fixes the boundary
line between Colombia and Panama
and restores to the latter a strip of
territory which has been claimed by
Panama. This line is the same as
that which was provided in the Cor-
tez-Arosemena treaty between Co-
lombia and Panama, one of the tri-
partite treaties never ratified by Co-
lombia, except that it fixes definitely
the point on the Pacific coast be-
tween where the boundary termi-
nates, which is to be midway between
Points Cocallita and Ardita. The
former treaty left this point to be
settled by a tribunal of arbitration
to be appointed. A treaty, however,
between Colombia and Panama will
be necessary before the boundary
settlement is final. The United
States agrees to use its offices with
Panama in the matter.

Another article expresses the hope
that friendly relations between the
United States and Colombia may
continue from this time forward.

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OBSERVANCE OF PEACE DAY URGED BY BROOKS

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CIETY ISSUES STATEMENT.

May 18 Is the Date Set by Organiza-
tion for International Celebra-
tion of Movement.

WACO, Tex., April 14.—Dr. S. P.
Brooks, president of Baylor Univer-
sity and vice president for Texas of
the American Peace Society, has
issued the following plea for the
observance of International Peace
Day, May 18:

"May 18 of each year is the day
set apart the world over for the pro-
motion of good fellowship among all
peoples. More and more it is being

recognized as the day for the
observance of this movement, with-
out committing anybody to any given
line of approach, it is suggested
that all preachers of all denomina-
tions preach on this theme the Sun-
day of May 17. It is certainly in
harmony with the spirit of him who
sought to change implements of war
fare into the tools of peaceful avoca-
tion.

"If any preacher doubts his ability
to originate fresh material for a
sermon, he may write Rev. Charles
S. MacFarland, secretary of the Fed-
eral Council of the Church in Ameri-
ca, 105 East Twenty-Second street,
New York. Free literature on the
subject will be sent to him.

"It is also urged that every su-
perintendent and principal of a
school, public or private, in Texas
should set forth on Monday, May
18, some sort of patriotic service
looking to the spread of the gospel
of peace. If some one thinks that
there is no patriotism without
blood, let him think of the heroism
of the woman that stays behind, of
the farmer that grows food, of the
factory hand that transforms the
raw material. Can the teachers not
see the moral equivalent of the arts
of peace to that of the heroics of
war? Is the step of the militiaman
any more symmetrical than that of
the plowman in the field?

"If teachers doubt their ability
to prepare programs on this subject,
they may write to Mrs. Fannie Fern
Andrews, secretary of the American
School of Peace League, Boston,
Mass. She will send them free lit-
erature.

"It is presumed that everybody
wants peace, though we may differ
as to how to get it. However, let
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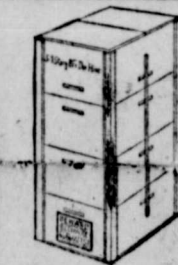
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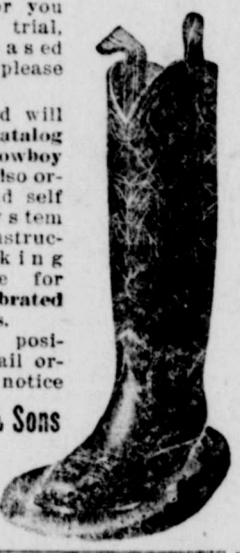
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CHEMIST DECLARES SULPHUROUS FUMES IS AN EFFECTIVE TREATMENT.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 14.—Noted chemists from all parts of the United States sat spell bound this afternoon during an address delivered by Dr. Edward Gudeman, a Chicago chemist, during which he made a preliminary announcement of what he declares to be effective treatment of tuberculosis in its earlier stages. The announcement was made before the gathering of the American Chemical Society, which is meeting here in annual session.

He declared that the remedy was inhaling of sulphurous acid. Sulphurous acid consists of the fumes of burning sulphur. A dime's worth of sulphur, he said, is all that is necessary for a treatment. Dr. Gudeman intimated that there would be a later announcement in which the actual results would be reported.

In making his announcement, Dr. Gudeman said: "I predict tuberculosis, if not advanced beyond the first three stages, may be cured by direct chemical treatment within a reasonable time. I am making this as a preliminary announcement."

Later, in a public discussion of Gudeman's paper, he was asked by one of the convention delegates to give further details and he said:

No Substance Will Cure.

"The government health bureau recently issued a paper in which it is declared that there isn't a product now on sale as cure for tuberculosis that is such a cure. That is true, but there is a substance, which if used correctly, will, according to the evidence of vital statistics, prove very effective. This substance is sulphurous acid gas. The treatment can be given through inhalation.

"There are several cases to my knowledge where it has been a cure. It is the only gas that has the property of penetrating intercellular tissues. It is a well known fact that there is very little tuberculosis in the vicinity of sulphuric acid factories.

"At first, the treatment is very disagreeable. It makes you cough and sneeze."

Dr. Gudeman said this treatment can be applied by any one in his own home at a very little expense, the frequency of the treatment depending on the needs of a patient. The speaker declared that, while the sulphurous acid treatment was going on, the patient should keep up fresh air and pure food treatment.

Dr. Edward C. Baskerville, professor of chemistry at John Hopkins University, said he was familiar with the sulphurous acid gas treatment for tuberculosis which was discussed at the morning session by Prof. Gudeman. The cases of two men who were in the last stages of tuberculosis, and were placed in a factory in the south many years ago, were told of. The factory was notable for the sulphurous fumes that filled it and the two men were experimented upon remained there until they showed signs of improvement. They are alive and healthy today.

STABS ATTORNEY WHO PROSECUTES HIM

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 14.—Riotous scenes attending the closing of the murder trial of Paul Aubain, aged 40, in the Superior court here this afternoon, when the prisoner, immediately after being pronounced guilty by the jury, leaped over a railing and stabbed Assistant District Attorney Dempster McKee with an improvised weapon fashioned from a spoon. The weapon struck a glancing blow on the shoulder blade, sinking an inch in the flesh. Spectators overpowered Aubain. More than fifty Italians, friends of the alleged murder victim, rushed for the assailant, and it required the combined efforts of court attaches and attorneys to protect the prisoner.

A squad of policemen succeeded in getting Aubain out of the court room. At the door the rioters, reinforced by a dozen or more Italian women, made another rush for him, the women fighting madly to get at the prisoner. One woman, wife of an Italian for whose murder Aubain was tried, fought and scratched her way within a few feet of the frightened man, screaming that she would scratch his eyes out. Two policemen caught her.

Aubain was tried for the murder of two Italians. His defense was that they had attempted to blackmail him.

LOVE IGNORES BIRTH-PLACES SAYS HILLIARD

Star of "The Argyle Case" Declares Antecedents Have No Bearing on Happiness.

"Would you marry the daughter of a woman disgraced?" asks Mrs. Martin, the queen of the counter-felters, in "The Argyle Case."

"I would marry your daughter if she'd come to me," vigorously replies Asche Kayton, the detective who had caused the mother's arrest after she refused to make her "get-away."

The speech causes one of the numerous thrills in the detective play. Some good people are a little shocked, but that Harriet Ford, the dramatist, understands human nature, is affirmed by the Rev. George J. Fisher, a member of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. in a recent talk on eugenics.

"The typical American man, with the square shoulders and the firm chin is just that way," declared the speaker. "He is the sort who says: When I meet the right woman, I don't care if her father was a second-story man and her mother a sinner. I'll ask her the big question."

"As a matter of fact, says Robert Hilliard, who plays Kayton in "The Argyle Case," "love doesn't waste time in raking up the ashes of a dead past. Nor does heredity cut much figure in many a happy marriage. There is a lot of nonsense about the sins of the father and the inheritance of moral obliquity.

The clergyman's son may turn out to be the town drunkard; the drunkard's son may grow up to be a doctor of divinity. The president of a theological seminary in the middle west is the son of a village well digger, unable to read or write, who was buried alive through his own drunken negligence.

Many a good wife and mother was born in the slums with the best possible antecedents. There is nothing inconsistent in Asche Kayton's attitude. He is a detective who reads character at a glance. He knows a pure, good girl when he sees one. In clearing Mary from unjust suspicion of the Argyle murder he falls in love with her. He is the positive, independent sort of man who doesn't care a continental for any counterfeiting schemes her mother was mixed up in."

\$50,000 TO WORKMAN WHO LOST BOTH EYES

NEW YORK, April 4.—A verdict awarding \$50,000 to Matt Kurkenis for the loss of both his eyes was returned today in the United States district court in Brooklyn against the Delaware, Lackawana and Western railroad.

This is said to be the largest verdict ever rendered in this state for an injured workman.

Kurkenis was working in the railroad company's Pettibone coal mine at Luzerne, Pa., when he was injured by the explosion of a squip of a fuse in a powder hole.

FLAG IS SIGNAL—NIECE IS MET—25 YEARS APART

DENVER, Colo., April 14.—With a British flag flying from the lapel of her coat, Miss B. Langenberger, bound for Denver from Adelaide, Australia, dropped anchor in the union station last night. Her colors were described, and she was hailed by her uncle, John Langenberger of 1441 Blake street, who likewise had hoisted the Union Jack.

The two had never met. The uncle had left Australia twenty-five years ago. But the flags saved them. The two "drifting ships" were brought together and fell into one another's arms. Each waved a Union Jack as the signal for "who I am."

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Marshall Montgomery, a ventriloquist, is said to have projected his voice to unlooked for and surprising places. He is said to be witty and to have a charming personality. His stuff is said to be new and to have the added attraction of being absolutely original and novel.

The Lawn Party. With ten people in the cast, "The Lawn Party," a breezy little comedy presented by H. Bart McHugh's little players, will be offered for approval of Majestic patrons. Coming direct from the Keith theater in Boston, where their characterizations of David Warfield, Lillian Russell, Enrico Caruso, George Cohan and other stage celebrities won for them praise from the press and the public, much is to be expected in the entertainment line from them here. William J. Dooley, principal comedian, is well known to the American stage. He is cast for a fun-making part in this miniature musical comedy.

Welly and Ten Eyck. Max Welly and Melissa Ten Eyck will appear in "The Gambol of the Gods," a dancing act, said to be beautifully staged and presenting four great dance numbers. One of these, founded upon a legend, and about which critics have been liberal indeed with praise, interprets the story that Pygmalion, the sculptor, dreams that his masterpiece, a statue of Galatea, comes to life. He dances with her through the mazes of a beautiful measure, becomes her ardent suitor, but is commanded to return to his work, and she becomes again the marble from which the ardent sculptor receives inspiration. Other dances are also interpreted.

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STATE SENATOR.

The RECORD is authorized to announce ARCHER PARR as a candidate from the Twenty-third Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

A town can't grow much without real live town builders. "By their works ye shall know them."

Frying size chickens have been on the dodge in the barn yard this week. Fifty Methodist preachers in town.

As long as you don't lose hope there is a chance to get on top. When you become disheartened, you are sure to sink.

A good commercial organization can do many things to advance the interests of a community, and by all means Cotulla's defunct organization should be revived. Why not?

The New York gunmen put up a stiff fight for their lives but the electric chair claimed them at the hour set by the Courts of Justice that they should die. Some eleventh hour evidence was introduced on a plea for a new trial, but it was regarded as unworthy by the Chief Justice and later developments prove that he was correct in his judgment. The men who killed the gambler Rosenthal died their end Monday.

Governor Colquitt and J. Sheb Williams came near fighting in a hotel lobby at Ft. Worth; Sam Sparks has jumped over into the Ball camp; Ousburn and Wortham hold conference with Ball after his fiasco. Just some of the headlines appearing in the dailies, and what do they mean? Looks like a awful strife in the anti ranks.

The act of the last legislature creating Pat Dunn county has been annulled by the Court of Civil Appeals. The county was carved out of Dival county, which was surveyed by San Diego than twelve miles, the surveyor edged over just 70 feet. This ground the county was annulled and declared out of existence. It is now up to the Pat Dunnites to come again.

The last issue of the Fowlerton Reporter and its wit was published, showing the net returns of lettuce to be \$1,030.80, and claiming to be the record price for Texas head lettuce this season. We must take issue with the Reporter for this price is nowhere near the top record by Cotulla growers the past season. The net returns on two cars of Cotulla lettuce was \$2,344, the cars selling gross for over \$2,000 net \$1,634, brought by the Fowlerton car. During the shipping season as many as fifteen cars brought higher net returns, than the top Fowlerton car, which the Reporter makes considerable do over. Now, we don't doubt a car of Fowlerton shipped as good lettuce as the Cotulla lettuce, probably would have brought as good price, but it was not and did not bring as good a price, and in making this statement we believe the Reporter was not posted, rather than to think it a deliberate misstatement of facts. The Fowlerton shipment showed a net return of \$1,634 per car. Why, bless your heart we got \$1,634 and a grower got as low as \$1.20, he probably had a kick coming and thought he hadn't a square deal from the other ends.

EDUCATION BY MOONLIGHT.

A young school teacher in the mountain regions of Kentucky has reduced the illiterates in one county from 1100 to 23 within three years. Inspired by the sad conditions of the uneducated people, many of whom were not only willing but anxious to learn, she originated the idea of having school at night for parents who could neither read nor write. On account of the treacherous winds of the mountain district, these schools were only held on nights when the moon was shining. Hence their name: "The Moonlight Schools of Kentucky."

Many men and women who, three years ago, were unable to write their own names, are now standing in the schools, and the farmers who barely existed are becoming well to do because of scientific methods they have adopted since they learned to read literature sent them by the government.

With the present of illiterates in Texas is indeed small compared with that of the older states, yet the example of the Kentucky teacher might be well followed in isolated sections of the state where education is difficult to obtain.

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Everyone is more or less proud of the community in which he lives, and justly so. But, really, about the most inconsistent thing I know of is a person who evinces great interest in local affairs and conditions, and at the same time deliberately does those things that tend to retard the development of his home town or community.

Those people who proudly boast of the advantages offered by their home town as a desirable place in which to live, and then fail to extend their local merchants their patronage whenever possible, appeal to me as being about as ridiculous as the proprietor of a restaurant who loudly praises the quality of the food and service he offers the public and then eats elsewhere himself.

It may be a fact that your local stores are not as large or as handsomely equipped as some of the big city stores, but surely you will agree with me that your merchants cannot possible enlarge their business or improve their service beyond the extent of the patronage accorded them. Therefore, if you are interested in bringing about better local shipping facilities, it is up to you and every other resident of your locality to buy in your local market whenever possible, thereby keeping your money at home, where it can work its way through various channels for the improvement and growth of your community.

FETERITA; A NEW FORAGE PLANT.

Within the last year or so the United States Department of Agriculture has brought into favor a new forage plant that is of great value as a grain producer, especially in the dryer sections of the country. This plant is known as feterita and in many respects resembles kaffir and milo; the heads are white, stand upright, and are shaped like milo heads, but the grains are larger and softer than milo or kaffir. Like milo, the stalks have a tendency to sucker and to grow new heads after the main head has ripened or has been cut. The forage is sweeter and juicier than milo and equals that of kaffir.

Feterita can be grown upon almost any soil that will produce the other grain sorghums and feeding value is fully equal to them. It is planted and handled in the same way that kaffir or milo is cultivated.

The soil upon which it is planted should be broken in the fall or winter, or early enough in the spring to become firm. It may be planted with a corn planter or in the same way that such other grain crops are planted. The rows should be the same width as for corn. In the dryer sections the plants should be from eighteen to twenty-four inches apart in the drill. In those sections having a larger amount of rain the distance can be reduced to ten or twelve inches. Where greater spacing is practiced, it will take about two pounds of seed to plant an acre; if planted more closely, about three pounds will be required.

Cultivation should begin as soon as the feterita shows above ground, and should be similar to the cultivation given to corn. When the plant has come up a smoothing harrow run diagonally across the rows will be of much benefit. Feterita does not require quite as much cultivation as corn, but it well repays good treatment.

Harvesting can be done with a row binder or with a header, although much of it is harvested by hand. The grain will absorb moisture from the air, and is apt to heat when first harvested if placed in piles, and for that reason when the heads are to be stored, it is advisable to place them up on alternate layers of straw. By making the necessary adjustments an ordinary thrasher may be used in threshing feterita, but if threshed and stored, care should be taken to prevent heating. A convenient way is to place burlap sacks half filled with straw between every four or five inches of the threshed grain.

Feterita stalks are rich in food value, and this makes the crop an excellent one for ensilage or forage. When grown for forage purposes, it can be left from four to five inches in the row and the rows can be somewhat closer together. When planted in this way upon good ground, it yields better than either kaffir or milo. It is especially valuable for forage purposes in the dryer sections of the State.—Bulletin No. 3 Texas Industrial Congress.

Much has been written in recent years regarding the almost criminal ignorance of the general public in the use of wood alcohol, and its injurious effect not every on eyesight, but on life itself. The importance of adequate protection of the public in this regard is emphasized by a recent tragedy in New York City. Three women died and two were dangerously ill from drinking homemade wine at a wedding feast. The wine was made by the bridegroom and was drunk by the two hundred guests present. The recipe for the beverage, the police say, was sugar, water, alcohol and a red and green coloring matter. It was first thought that the women were suffering from ptomaine poison, but the coroner's physicians pronounced death to be due to alcohol poisoning, and the police declared that the wine was made with wood alcohol. This dangerous poison often kills and even when the life of the victim is spared, he is generally blinded for the rest of his life.



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State of Texas (County of La Salle) In Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, J. Albert Strawn vs Mrs. Frank Drayer, No. 499.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, La Salle County, Texas, on the first day of April, A. D. 1914, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 10th day of March A. D. 1914 against said Mrs. Frank Drayer, No. 499 on the Docket of said court, I did, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1914, at 4 o'clock, P. M., levy on the following described property, situated in La Salle County, Texas, and belonging to Defendant, to-wit:

Lots Nos., 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290 and 291 in Blocks 12 and 13, of the town-site of Alito as shown by plat thereof, on record in La Salle County, Texas, in Book Vol. V, page 435; and

Subdivisions Nos. 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290 and 291, of Section 23, of the Ranch Lands of Alito, as shown by the plat thereof of record in La Salle County Texas, in Book Vol. V, page 436, all of which real estate is more particularly described in Deeds from Harry Landis to Frank Drayer and found on record in Book Vol. F-1, Deed Records of La Salle County, Texas; and on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1914, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the Court House door of said County,

I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of said Mrs. Frank Drayer in and to said property.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1914, T. H. POOLE, Sheriff, La Salle County, Texas.

By B. Wildenthal, Deputy.

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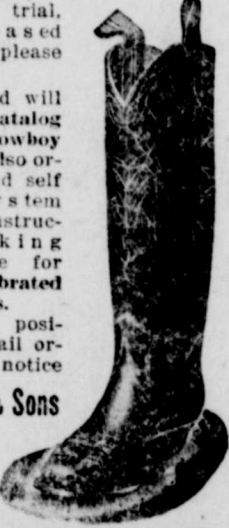
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CHEMIST DECLARES SULPHUROUS FUMES IS AN EFFECTIVE TREATMENT.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 14.—Noted chemists from all parts of the United States sat spell bound this afternoon during an address delivered by Dr. Edward Gudeman, a Chicago chemist, during which he made a preliminary announcement of what he declares to be effective treatment of tuberculosis in its earlier stages. The announcement was made before the gathering of the American Chemical Society, which is meeting here in annual session.

He declared that the remedy was inhaling of sulphurous acid. Sulphurous acid consists of the fumes of burning sulphur. A dime's worth of sulphur, he said, is all that is necessary for a treatment. Dr. Gudeman intimated that there would be a later announcement in which the actual results would be reported.

In making his announcement, Dr. Gudeman said: "I predict tuberculosis, if not advanced beyond the first three stages, may be cured by direct chemical treatment within a reasonable time. I am making this as a preliminary announcement."

Later, in a public discussion of Gudeman's paper, he was asked by one of the convention delegates to give further details and he said:

No Substance Will Cure.
"The government health bureau recently issued a paper in which it is declared that there isn't a product now on sale as cure for tuberculosis that is such a cure. That is true, but there is a substance, which if used correctly, will, according to the evidence of vital statistics, prove very effective. This substance is sulphurous acid gas. The treatment can be given through inhalation."

"There are several cases to my knowledge where it has been a cure. It is the only gas that has the property of penetrating intercellular tissues. It is a well known fact that there is very little tuberculosis in the vicinity of sulphuric acid factories."

"At first, the treatment is very disagreeable. It makes you cough and sneeze."

Dr. Gudeman said this treatment can be applied by any one in his own home at a very little expense, the frequency of the treatment depending on the needs of a patient. The speaker declared that, while the sulphurous acid treatment was going on, the patient should keep up fresh air and pure food treatment.

Dr. Edward C. Baskerville, professor of chemistry at John Hopkins University, said he was familiar with the sulphurous acid gas treatment for tuberculosis which was discussed at the morning session by Prof. Gudeman. The cases of two men who were in the last stages of tuberculosis, and were placed in a factory in the south many years ago, were told of. The factory was notable for the sulphurous fumes that filled it and the two men were experimented upon remained there until they showed signs of improvement. They are alive and healthy today.

STAB ATTORNEY WHO PROSECUTES HIM

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 14.—Riotous scenes attending the closing of the murder trial of Paul Aubain, aged 49, in the Superior court here this afternoon, when the prisoner, immediately after being pronounced guilty by the jury, leaped over a railing and stabbed Assistant District Attorney Dempster McKee with an improvised weapon fashioned from a spoon. The weapon struck a glancing blow on the shoulder blade, sinking an inch in the flesh. Spectators overpowered Aubain. More than fifty Italians, friends of the alleged murder victim, rushed for the assailant, and it required the combined efforts of court attaches and attorneys to protect the prisoner.

A squad of policemen succeeded in getting Aubain out of the court room. At the door the rioters, reinforced by a dozen or more Italian women, made another rush for him, the women fighting madly to get at the prisoner. One woman, wife of an Italian for whose murder Aubain was tried, fought and scratched her way within a few feet of the frightened man, screaming that she would scratch his eyes out. Two policemen caught her.

Aubain was tried for the murder of two Italians. His defense was that they had attempted to blackmail him.

LOVE IGNORES BIRTH-PLACES SAYS HILLIARD

Star of "The Argyle Case" Declares Antecedents Have No Bearing on Happiness.

"Would you marry the daughter of a woman disgraced?" asks Mrs. Martin, the queen of the counter-fetters, in "The Argyle Case."

"I would marry your daughter if she'd come to me," vigorously replies Asche Kayton, the detective who had caused the mother's arrest after she refused to make her "get-away."

The speech causes one of the numerous thrills in the detective play. Some good people are a little shocked, but that Harriet Ford, the dramatist, understands human nature, is affirmed by the Rev. George J. Fisher, a member of the international committee of the Y. M. C. A. in a recent talk on eugenics.

"The typical American man, with the square shoulders and the firm chin is just that way," declared the speaker. "He is the sort who says: When I meet the right woman, I don't care if her father was a second-story man and her mother a peepcock. I'll ask her the big question."

"As a matter of fact, says Robert Hilliard, who plays Kayton in "The Argyle Case," "love doesn't waste time in raking up the ashes of a dead past. Nor does heredity cut much figure in many a happy marriage. There is a lot of nonsense about the sins of the father and the inheritance of moral obliquity."

The clergyman's son may turn out to be the town drunkard; the town drunkard's son may grow up to be a doctor of divinity. The president of a theological seminary in the middle west is the son of a village well digger, unable to read or write, who was buried alive through his own drunken negligence.

Many a good wife and mother was born in the slums with the worst possible antecedents. There is nothing inconsistent in Asche Kayton's attitude. He is a detective who reads character at a glance. He knows a pure, good girl when he sees one. In clearing Mary from the suspicion of the Argyle murder he falls in love with her. He is a positive, independent sort of man who doesn't care a continental for any counterfeiting schemes her mother was mixed up in."

\$50,000 TO WORKMAN WHO LOST BOTH EYES

NEW YORK, April 4.—A verdict awarding \$50,000 to Matt Kurkenis for the loss of both his eyes was returned today in the United States district court in Brooklyn against the Delaware, Lackawana and Western railroad.

This is said to be the largest verdict ever rendered in this state for an injured workman.

Kurkenis was working in the railroad company's Pettibone coal mine at Luzerne, Pa., when he was injured by the explosion of a squip of a fuse in a powder hole.

FLAG IS SIGNAL—NIECE IS MET—25 YEARS APART

DENVER, Colo., April 14.—With a British flag flying from the lapel of her coat, Miss E. Langenberger, bound for Denver from Adelaide, Australia, dropped anchor in the union station last night. Her colors were described, and she was hailed by her uncle, John Langenberger of 1441 Blake street, who likewise had hosted the Union Jack.

The two had never met. The uncle had left Australia twenty-five years ago. But the flags saved them. The two "drifting ships" were brought together and fell into one another's arms. Each waved a Union Jack as the signal for "who I am."

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Manager Raymond makes the following announcement for the week's program at the Majestic Theatre: Music, pantomime, comedy, songs and dances will all be featured on this week's bill at the Majestic. A well balanced program of feature acts is promised.

From Central America come that Chalahoo Guatemalans, six musical southerners with their wonderful marimba, a musical instrument nine feet long. Strikingly garbed in their native costumes introducing the dances peculiar to their country, and drawing from their unusual instrument the sweet strains of music peculiar to the tropics, the act is expected to prove pleasing.

Marshall Montgomery.
Marshall Montgomery, a ventriloquist, is said to have projected his voice to unlooked for and surprising places. He is said to be witty and to have a charming personality. His stuff is said to be new and to have the added attraction of being absolutely original and novel.

The Lawn Party.
With ten people in the cast, "The Lawn Party," a breezy little comedy presented by H. Bart McHugh's little players, will be offered for approval of Majestic patrons. Coming direct from the Keith theater in Boston, where their characterizations of David Warfield, Lillian Russell, Enrico Caruso, George Cohan and other stage celebrities won for them praise from the press and the public, much is to be expected in the entertainment line from them here. William J. Dooley, principal comedian, is well known to the American stage. He is cast for a fun-making part in this miniature musical comedy.

Welly and Ten Eyck.
Max Welly and Melissa Ten Eyck will appear in "The Gambol of the Gods," a dancing act, said to be beautifully staged and presenting four great dance numbers. One of these, founded upon a legend, and about which critics have been liberal indeed with praise, interprets the story that Pygmalion, the sculptor, dreams that his masterpiece, a statue of Galatea, comes to life. He dances with her through the mazes of a beautiful measure, becomes her ardent suitor, but is commanded to return to his work, and she becomes again the marble from which the ardent sculptor receives inspiration. Other dances are also interpreted.

Capital City Four.
Some real harmony and a few hearty laughs are promised by the Capital City Four, a quartette of vocalists who will sing a number of old-time songs.

LaToy Brothers.
The LaToy Brothers present an acrobatic novelty act entitled "Essence of Old Virginia."

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SOCIETY
Mrs. C. B. Jones, Editor.

Mrs. J. W. Lacy expects to leave this week for Reading, Michigan, to visit her mother, who is ill. Mrs. Lacy expects to be gone some time. She will be missed by her many friends who hope she will find her mother improved in health. Miss Imogene remains with her father during her mother's absence.

Miss Ruby Pauline Johnston of Bradley, Tennessee, is visiting with Miss Jessie Copp. Miss Johnson was a class mate of Miss Jesse's when she attended school in Nashville.

Bible Class No. 2, "The Comrades of Faith," together with a large circle of their friends were entertained in the home of their teacher, Miss K. Burwell last Friday evening. There were fifty people present and all enjoyed the Contest Games, the beautiful music given by Mrs. Fullerton, and Miss Jessie Copp, and the pleasure of being together in the home of this friend who is ever delighted to act in the capacity of hostess.

After the games and music delicious refreshments of fruit salad, sandwiches and hot chocolate was served.

Mrs. Edgar Keck entertained her Sunday School class of seven little maids at the home of Mrs. D. L. Neely, Saturday afternoon, before Easter. The dining room was prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and plants.

The table was lovely with an "Easter Nest" containing a beautiful White Rabbit and colored eggs, as a center piece. The nest for Mrs. Bunnie was built up quite a little from the table level, and the space below

was a bank of cut roses and ferns, with pink satin ribbons reaching out from beneath the flower bank to the four corners of the table. At the end of each ribbon was a nest of grass containing bright colored candy eggs. The little girls were seated at the table and noticed one vacant chair. They immediately called for their teacher, Mrs. Keck to take her place with them. Ice cream and home made cake was served and while the refreshments were being enjoyed the question of what and how many eggs might be hidden in the yard was discussed and at a signal from the hostess the gay crowd of girls trooped out to the yard and a merry egg hunt was enjoyed. The children expressed their regret that their little friends and ex-members of the class, Katherine and Miriam Thacker were not with them and hoped that they too were having a happy Easter in their California home. The children were highly entertained and expressed themselves with gratitude that they had such a thoughtful good teacher in Mrs. Keck.

Miss Finley entertained her school children and their friends on the river last Saturday with a picnic. A large number of children were in attendance and had a splendid time with different games until dinner time. Dinner was spread at 12:30 and was a most enjoyable feast of good things.

Miss Renick, Mrs. Lewis, Professors, Wilson, Lewis and Bledsoe were guests at dinner.

Miss Renick entertained her class in school last Friday afternoon with a merry Easter party. The bright colored eggs were hidden about the school yard and some time was happily spent in the hunt. Katie Harper found the largest number of eggs and for a prize received a large pink candy rabbit. After the hunt

the children went back to the school room and enjoyed an egg rolling and other interesting games.

Gladys Soles drew the best picture of a chicken on the board and as a prize received a Candy Rooster. Frank Jones received a prize, a large white Candy Rabbit for the most "erect and orderly" carriage and conduct in line.

After the funny games and the equal distribution of the eggs and candies, Miss Renick served the children with delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake. The little folks in this room are developing fast in every way and the parents of the children are fully appreciative of Miss Renick's splendid work with the children. The morals, manners and real mental and physical development of the children are being carefully and properly trained.

Misses Alice and Jessie Copp entertained Tuesday evening in compliment to their guest, Miss Pauline Johnson of McKenzie, Tennessee. About sixty people responded to their invitation to "attend a Menagerie Party."

The rooms were decorated with small boxes made in the form of cages for the animals. This "Animal Guessing Contest" was the main feature of entertainment for the evening. For instance one box contained the flap of an envelope—a Seal. Another contained a small earthen ware crock, and the open dial of a clock—a "Crockadial. On the walls were pinned printed warnings "Not to feed the Animals."

Mrs. L. C. Dunn opened the fun for the evening by giving a humorous reading, by James Whitecombe Riley. The animal contest was lively, as every box contained a difficult guess. Mr. William Hawkins received the prize in this game, a Pocket Dictionary, and Mr. Lee Peters was awarded the consolation, a box of pop corn to feed to the animals.

Another game that was enjoyed was a drawing contest that had to be done on a slip of white muslin, with black thread in a needle, in place of pencil and card board. Miss Fannie Wools received the prize for the best out line of a dog.

The music given by Mrs. Fullerton, and the sweet songs given by Misses Lucile Rogers and Mary Baylor were much enjoyed.

The men were given one set of animal crackers and the ladies another. The men found their partners for refreshment by matching their crackers with those in possession of the ladies. The refreshments were passed by the two hostesses and consisted of ice cream and delicious home baked cake.

The out of town guests were Misses Pauline Johnson, of Tennessee, (the honoree,) Lucile Rogers of San Antonio, and Miss Henderson of Crandell, Texas.

All the little children in the Rockwood neighborhood enjoyed a lovely Easter Party at the home of Mr. W. E. Rock on Saturday afternoon before Easter. The party was given by Miss Hale and the three Misses Rock.

The children had a splendid time with old fashioned games on the beautiful lawn; until time to begin the egg hunt. The many colored eggs had been carefully hidden in the shrubbery and other places and the children had quite an interesting time in the finding of the eggs. After all the eggs had been found and evenly distributed, the children enjoyed refreshments of lemonade and cake.

Those present were: Mary Lee Hale, Willie May and Alice Kerr Elizabeth and Josephine Rock, Mildred Talbot, Anna Bell Marshall, Emma Jean Stedham, Earnest and Edwin Essary, John Sanford, Herndon and Thomas Rock, Marsellus William and Edward Talbot, Arnold Marshal, Jack and W. A. Kerr Jr.

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From Weatherford Herald: Louisa Matlock was born March 6th, 1827, in Roan County, Tennessee, and professed faith in Christ at Muddy Creek campground in 1840, and joined the Cumberland Presbyterian church and was a consistent member thereof all her life. Feb. 8, 1847, she was married to M. H. Russell, who passed on ten years ago. They lived a wedded life of 56 years. This union was blessed with seven children, three of whom are now living. In 1882 they moved to Parker county and settled on Clear Fork, 14 miles north of Weatherford, where she died Feb. 12, 1914, at the residence of her son, Ab M. Russell, and was buried at Goshen February 13, 1914. Dr. Garrett of Springtown conducting the funeral ceremony. Besides the concourse of friends and neighbors who followed her to her last resting place, was her children, Ab M. Russell and family, Mrs. Anna Grandstaff of Weatherford and family, Matt Russell of San Antonio, and two of his sons, Avery M. Russell of Ft. Worth and Jasper L. Russell of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Our parents' religion was more practical than theoretical; doing unto others as they would like to be done by, feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, visiting the sick without regard to their religious opinions. The night was never too dark nor roads too muddy for mother to go to minister to some sick neighbor. Their home was always open to the way-faring man and especially the preacher. It was the stopping place for the Baptist preacher to and from the annual associations. The Methodist circuit rider found it convenient to stop on his regular three weeks' appointment, oftener with them than with his own creed. The Cumberland Presbyterian minister always found a glad welcome at all times and all seasons. Let us cherish their precious memory, emulate their virtues and press on toward the high calling as it is in Christ Jesus. Looking to Christ and not the creed, watch and pray for that mind to be in us which was in Christ Jesus: To be merciful, just and pure.

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RELIGIOUS

TELEPHONE 24

About thirty five or forty of the children connected with the Presbyterian Sunday School, attended the Easter Egg hunt given by the teachers of the Sunday School, and a committee from the Presbyterian Ladies Missionary Society last Saturday afternoon.

This party was given as a church affair only, and was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Poole whose children are members of the Presbyterian Sunday School.

Mr. Fullerton sent his car about town gathering up the little tots who could not go alone. The party had been well arranged by the teachers and was a happy success.

About 10 dozen lovely colored eggs had been previously hidden in Mrs. Poole's yard and the children had much fun finding them and playing with the beautiful live white rabbits belonging to Master Hogie Poole.

The Easter service at the Presbyterian church was beautiful; the church was decorated with vines, ferns and an abundance of lovely roses, many of the roses having been sent from Rockwood.

The Sunday school children gave a splendid and well rendered Easter program. The Primary class deserve special mention as their songs and readings were excellent. There was a very large crowd present, many fathers and mothers, who

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have not been attending church often were welcome. Rev. Hamilton gave a splendid "Easter" sermonette addressed to the children. The choir gave several appropriate numbers and Miss Lucile Rogers sang, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me," and Miss Jessie Copp sang "Easter Day" both songs were beautiful and full of the spirit of worship.

This was a service that will be cherished in the memory of all who attend.

The Easter service at the Methodist church last Sunday was splendid and a good attendance was noticed.

The church was beautifully decorated with roses, Easter Lilies, carnations and pot plants. The Sunday School opened with Easter songs and readings from the children.

The morning sermon by the pastor, the special Easter hymn by Mr. A. Simpson, together with the beautiful Easter anthems by the choir, making a beautiful Easter service. The subject for the night sermon was "What do You Think of Jesus?"

The Presbyterian ladies had an enjoyable and profitable meeting at the church last Thursday afternoon with a splendid attendance. The devotions were conducted by the President, Miss Burwell, after which the ladies enjoyed a good talk from Miss Jessie Copp, who gave them further details and suggestions from the Presbyterian.

The officers and secretaries of the different departments of the local work were given in detail all suggestions and advice offered by the leading spirits of the Presbyterian. After the talk, Mrs. Copp taught the regular Bible lesson in Kings.

The Society met with Mrs. Holman, Thursday the 16th inst.

The Baptist ladies had a joyable meeting of their Society Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Cohenour as hostess. The attendance is always good when the ladies meet with this hospitable member. Mrs. Davis the President conducted the devotions reading the 112 Psalm. Mrs. T. B. Poole taught the regular Bible study and proved herself an excellent teacher bringing out many points of interest in the lesson.

The society was pleased to greet Mrs. Chas. Neal, one of the members who has been absent some time. They also note with pleasure that two of their members, Mrs. Swisher and Mrs. Wichman who have been ill, are improving.

The social hour was delightful with friendly mingling and social conversation and that feeling of fellowship that comes with frequent contact in a spiritual and social way combined.

The hostess passed dainty refreshments that were much enjoyed.

The attendance at the Baptist Sunday School was unusually large last Sunday. The children have been busy getting new members and the roll is considerably increased.

The children enjoyed the beautiful flowers sent by Mrs. Shaw, and the service in every way was a success. This was the childrens regular Missionary Service.

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Railroad Rates.

Most attractive railroad rates have been granted by the terminal lines entering San Antonio for the 1914 Fiesta and they are probably more liberal than in many past years.

The usual convention rate of a fare and a third from points 90 miles or less from San Antonio, and a fare and a fifth from points beyond 90 miles, will be on sale for the entire week, beginning April 19 and running to April 25, with return limit to April 26.

Two "Three-Days Popular Excursion" rates have also been arranged, the rates being less than one fare for the round trip.

Tickets for the first of these will be on sale for night trains of April 20 and morning trains of April 21, limited to return on night trains of April 22.

Tickets for the second will be on sale for night trains of April 22 and morning trains of April 23, limited to return on night trains of April 24.

Rates for these excursions are figured on a basis of 70 per cent of one-way fares from points within 150 miles of San Antonio, and 66 2-3 per cent of one-way fares from all points beyond the 150-mile radius.

Monday, April 20.

Triumphal entry of the King of the Fiesta will take place at 7:30 p. m. His Majesty and suite will arrive at the I. & G. N. depot, where they will be met by a squadron of the cadets of the West Texas Military Academy and Peacock Military School, directors of the Fiesta Association, members of the San Antonio Automobile Club, and other automobile owners of the city. The triumphal procession will pass through the principal streets and mass on Alamo Plaza, where on a specially erected grandstand the mayor and city council will turn over to His Majesty the keys to the city, making him the ruler of Carnival Week. Afterward His Majesty will hold court at the Grand Opera House, where a Fiesta Fete, with three hundred performers, has been arranged in his honor.

Tuesday, April 21.

On Tuesday morning the visiting bands from many Texas towns and cities will arrive and parade through the streets.

At 2 p. m. the Ben Hur Patrol, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of San Antonio, will give an interesting parade.

At 4:30 p. m. the music parade will take place, showing the history and progress of music. Beautiful symbolic floats will be in this parade. Many bands will participate.

At 8 p. m., on Alamo Plaza, the visiting bands will contest for prizes. One feature of the contest will be the playing of the contesting bands on "The San Antonio Swings," written by J. W. Buford.

At 8:30 p. m., at the Grand Opera House, the Fiesta Fete will be repeated.

Wednesday, April 22.

The first annual dog show of the San Antonio Kennel Club will open at 117 Main avenue. One hundred prizes, including twenty-eight silver

cup, will be awarded and over three hundred dogs have been entered in this contest.

At 10:30 a. m. there will be a street parade of dogs, valued at \$1000, which are entered in the dog show.

At 2:30 p. m. the Horse Show, for the benefit of the Army Widows' and Orphans' Fund, will be given at Fort Sam Houston.

At 8 p. m. the Parade of Famous Plays will take place, this being one of the most spectacular features of the Fiesta. The parts of different characters will be taken by people well known in the social life of San Antonio and Texas.

Thursday, April 23 — Homeseekers' Day.

At 4:30 p. m. the Civic and Trades Display Parade will take place. This parade will have over one hundred entries of specially built floats that will illustrate the trades and industries of San Antonio.

At 8 p. m., at the Majestic Theater, the Queen of the Year will hold her court, attended by her Maid of Honor, the Princess of the Seasons, and by the twelve Duchesses of the Months. To this court will come, as visitors, the Duchesses and Maids of Honor, attended by a Knight and escort, from twenty Texas towns and cities. Celebrated court dancers will appear before Her Majesty, and a spectacular and beautiful event will be shown to the delectation of the visitors. Seats on sale.

Friday, April 24.

At 4:30 p. m. the Battle of Flowers, justly the most celebrated event of the year in Texas, will be staged. Participating in this patriotic celebration will be the Governor of Texas, Her Majesty the Queen of the Year, His Majesty the King of the Fiesta, the Princess of the Seasons, the Duchesses and their Maids of Honor, and the patriotic ladies of San Antonio in gorgeously decorated floats.

Saturday, April 25.

Traveling Men's Day will be the feature of the closing event of the Fiesta. Traveling men from all over Texas and their friends, the retail merchants, will take part in the comic parade at night. Fun, frolic and merry-making will mark the closing hours of the Fiesta and the week's entertainment will end in "A Night of Frolic."

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He took part in as many as 50 battles, and he was never very badly outpointed by an opponent. He has never been defeated at either boxing or wrestling and he holds the world's record for rope skipping, cycling 323 miles in 19 hours on an outdoor track.

As a swimmer he remained in the water for 10 hours at one stretch and it has been suggested that he attempt to swim the English channel. He also holds the world's record for a mile on roller skates, defeating Lawson for the championship at Denver, Colo.

In 1903 he toured with Jeffries and Fitzsimmons on a boxing tour and it was he who taught Jeffries so much about the rope skipping game and made him one of the fastest of big men on his feet. In 1905, he represented England in the international motorcycle races at Bordeaux, France, and took second in this event.

In his training now Mr. Schreyer is as careful as can be for now he does what no one in the world has ever accomplished and his nerves must be on edge all the time. He has a trained who looks after his every movement and advises him what to do at all times. He says that it takes as much exertion to make his leap through space as it does to run a marathon race. He perspires for an hour after every one of his leaps.

Schreyer comes down an inclined plane on a bicycle. When he is at the end of this dizzy structure he leaves his bicycle (which drops from him at the end of the plane) and pitches at terrific momentum across the race track, and completes his wonderful act of nerve and judgment by diving from mid-air into a shallow tank of water. This is easily the greatest nerve act for the vaudeville world has ever known.

"Dare Devil" Schreyer is his name and he's been doing this ride of his 13 years. Curiously, he never uses a ruler on the framework of his runway. The carpenters who erect it do, however, believing more in mechanical exactitude than in the measuring glance of a keen eye. "I pedal down the incline," said

Schreyer. "You might think I go too fast for that, but I don't."

The runway is 190 feet long. The jump and dive are 165 feet long. The tank of water is six feet deep. There is neither net nor mattress to break Schreyer's fall, should he miscalculate the distance, or veer half an inch.

COLORADO-TEXAS RUN ITINERARY FINISHED

PUEBLO, Colo., April 14.—The itinerary for the sociability automobile run from Pueblo to Texas and return, which will be participated in by about twenty-five machines, was drawn up today. The party, which will include Governor E. M. Ammons for the greater part of the way, will leave Pueblo on May 4, and will return to this city May 23.

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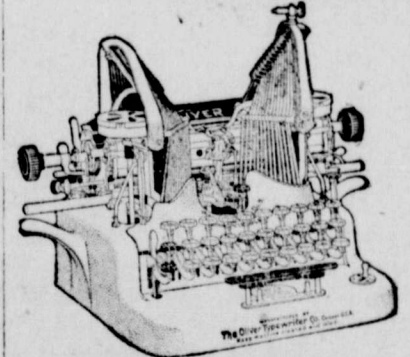
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Mrs. J. W. Lacy expects to leave this week for Reading, Michigan, to visit her mother, who is ill. Mrs. Lacy expects to be gone some time. She will be missed by her many friends who hope she will find her mother improved in health. Miss Imogene remains with her father during her mother's absence.

Miss Ruby Pauline Johnston of Bradley, Tennessee, is visiting with Miss Jessie Copp. Miss Johnson was a class mate of Miss Jesse's when she attended school in Nashville.

Bible Class No. 2, "The Comrades of Faith," together with a large circle of their friends were entertained in the home of their teacher, Miss K. Burwell last Friday evening. There were fifty people present and all enjoyed the Contest Games, the beautiful music given by Mrs. Fullerton, and Miss Jessie Copp, and the pleasure of being together in the home of this friend who is ever delighted to act in the capacity of hostess.

After the games and music delicious refreshments of fruit salad, sandwiches and hot chocolate was served.

Mrs. Edgar Keck entertained her Sunday School class of seven little maids at the home of Mrs. D. L. Neely, Saturday afternoon, before Easter. The dining room was prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and plants.

The table was lovely with an "Easter Nest" containing a beautiful White Rabbit and colored eggs, as a center piece. The nest for Mrs. Bunnie was built up quite a little from the table level, and the space below

was a bank of cut roses and ferns, with pink satin ribbons reaching out from beneath the flower bank to the four corners of the table. At the end of each ribbon was a nest of grass containing bright colored candy eggs. The little girls were seated at the table and noticed one vacant chair. They immediately called for their teacher, Mrs. Keck to take her place with them. Ice cream and home made cake was served and while the refreshments were being enjoyed the question of what and how many eggs might be hidden in the yard was discussed and at a signal from the hostess the gay crowd of girls trooped out to the yard and a merry egg hunt was enjoyed. The children expressed their regret that their little friends and ex-members of the class, Katherine and Miriam Thacker were not with them and hoped that they too were having a happy Easter in their California home. The children were highly entertained and expressed themselves with gratitude that they had such a thoughtful good teacher in Mrs. Keck.

Miss Finley entertained her school children and their friends on the river last Saturday with a picnic. A large number of children were in attendance and had a splendid time with different games until dinner time. Dinner was spread at 12:30 and was a most enjoyable feast of good things.

Miss Renick, Mrs. Lewis, Professors, Wilson, Lewis and Bledsoe were guests at dinner.

Miss Renick entertained her class in school last Friday afternoon with a merry Easter party. The bright colored eggs were hidden about the school yard and some time was happily spent in the hunt. Katie Harper found the largest number of eggs and for a prize received a large pink candy rabbit. After the hunt

the children went back to the school room and enjoyed an egg rolling and other interesting games.

Gladys Soles drew the best picture of a chicken on the board and as a prize received a Candy Rooster. Frank Jones received a prize, a large white Candy Rabbit for the most "erect and orderly" carriage and conduct in line.

After the funny games and the equal distribution of the eggs and candies, Miss Renick served the children with delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake. The little folks in this room are developing fast in every way and the parents of the children are fully appreciative of Miss Renick's splendid work with the children. The morals, manners and real mental and physical development of the children are being carefully and properly trained.

Misses Alice and Jessie Copp entertained Tuesday evening in compliment to their guest, Miss Pauline Johnson of McKenzie, Tennessee. About sixty people responded to their invitation to "attend a Menagerie Party."

The rooms were decorated with small boxes made in the form of cages for the animals. This "Animal Guessing Contest" was the main feature of entertainment for the evening. For instance one box contained the flap of an envelope—a Seal. Another contained a small earthen ware crock, and the open dial of a clock—a "Crockadial. On the walls were pinned printed warnings "Not to feed the Animals."

Mrs. L. C. Dunn opened the fun for the evening by giving a humorous reading, by James Whitecombe Riley. The animal contest was lively, as every box contained a difficult guess. Mr. William Hawkins received the prize in this game, a Pocket Dictionary, and Mr. Lee Peters was awarded the consolation, a box of pop corn to feed to the animals.

Another game that was enjoyed was a drawing contest that had to be done on a slip of white muslin, with black thread in a needle, in place of pencil and card board. Miss Fannie Woods received the prize for the best out line of a dog.

The music given by Mrs. Fullerton, and the sweet songs given by Misses Lucile Rogers and Mary Baylor were much enjoyed.

The men were given one set of animal crackers and the ladies another. The men found their partners for refreshment by matching their crackers with those in possession of the ladies. The refreshments were passed by the two hostesses and consisted of ice cream and delicious home baked cake.

The out of town guests were Misses Pauline Johnson, of Tennessee, (the honoree,) Lucile Rogers of San Antonio, and Miss Henderson of Crandell, Texas.

All the little children in the Rockwood neighborhood enjoyed a lovely Easter Party at the home of Mr. W. E. Rock on Saturday afternoon before Easter. The party was given by Miss Hale and the three Misses Rock.

The children had a splendid time with old fashioned games on the beautiful lawn; until time to begin the egg hunt. The many colored eggs had been carefully hidden in the shrubbery and other places and the children had quite an interesting time in the finding of the eggs. After all the eggs had been found and evenly distributed, the children enjoyed refreshments of lemonade and cake.

Those present were: Mary Lee Hale, Willie May and Alice Kerr Elizabeth and Josephine Rock, Mildred Talbot, Anna Bell Marshall, Enma Jean Stedham, Earnest and Edwin Essary, John Sanford, Herndon and Thomas Rock, Marsellus William and Edward Talbot, Arnold Marshall, Jack and W. A. Kerr Jr.

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Our parents' religion was more practical than theoretical; doing unto others as they would like to be done by, feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, visiting the sick without regard to their religious opinions. The night was never too dark nor roads too muddy for mother to go to minister to some sick neighbor. Their home was always open to the way-faring man and especially the preacher. It was the stopping place for the Baptist preacher to and from the annual associations. The Methodist circuit rider found it convenient to stop on his regular three weeks' appointment, oftener with them than with his own creed. The Cumberland Presbyterian minister always found a glad welcome at all times and all seasons. Let us cherish their precious memory, emulate their virtues and press on toward the high calling as it is in Christ Jesus. Looking to Christ and not the creed, watch and pray for that mind to be in us which was in Christ Jesus: To be merciful, just and pure.

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About thirty five or forty of the children connected with the Presbyterian Sunday School, attended the Easter Egg hunt given by the teachers of the Sunday School, and a committee from the Presbyterian Ladies Missionary Society last Saturday afternoon.

This party was given as a church affair only, and was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Poole whose children are members of the Presbyterian Sunday School.

Mr. Fullerton sent his car about town gathering up the little tots who could not go alone. The party had been well arranged by the teachers and was a happy success.

About 10 dozen lovely colored eggs had been previously hidden in Mrs. Poole's yard and the children had much fun finding them and playing with the beautiful live white rabbits belonging to Master Hogie Poole.

The Easter service at the Presbyterian church was beautiful; the church was decorated with vines, ferns and an abundance of lovely roses, many of the roses having been sent from Rockwood.

The Sunday school children gave a splendid and well rendered Easter program. The Primary class deserve special mention as their songs and readings were excellent. There was a very large crowd present, many fathers and mothers, who

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have not been attending church often were welcome. Rev. Hamilton gave a splendid "Easter" sermonette addressed to the children. The choir gave several appropriate numbers and Miss Lucile Rogers sang, "Jesus Savior Pilot Me," and Miss Jessie Copp sang "Easter Day" both songs were beautiful and full of the spirit of worship. This was a service that will be cherished in the memory of all who attend.

The Easter service at the Methodist church last Sunday was splendid and a good attendance was noticed.

The church was beautifully decorated with roses, Easter Lilies, carnations and pot plants. The Sunday School opened with Easter songs and readings from the children.

The morning sermon by the pastor, the special Easter hymn by Mr. A. Simpson, together with the beautiful Easter anthems by the choir, making a beautiful Easter service. The subject for the night sermon was "What do You Think of Jesus?"

The Presbyterian ladies had an enjoyable and profitable meeting at the church last Thursday afternoon with a splendid attendance. The devotions were conducted by the President, Miss Burwell, after which the ladies enjoyed a good talk from Miss Jessie Copp, who gave them further details and suggestions from the Presbyterian.

The officers and secretaries of the different departments of the local work were given in detail all suggestions and advice offered by the leading spirits of the Presbyterian. After the talk, Mrs. Copp taught the regular Bible lesson in Kings.

The Society met with Mrs. Holman, Thursday the 16th inst.

The Baptist ladies had an enjoyable meeting of their Society Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Cohenour as hostess. The attendance is always good when the ladies meet with this hospitable member. Mrs. Davis the President conducted the devotions reading the 112 Psalm. Mrs. T. B. Poole taught the regular Bible study and proved herself an excellent teacher bringing out many points of interest in the lesson.

The society was pleased to greet Mrs. Chas. Neal, one of the members who has been absent some time. They also note with pleasure that two of their members, Mrs. Swisher and Mrs. Wichman who have been ill, are improving.

The social hour was delightful with friendly mingling and social conversation and that feeling of fellowship that comes with frequent contact in a spiritual and social way combined.

The hostess passed dainty refreshments that were much enjoyed.

The attendance at the Baptist Sunday School was unusually large last Sunday. The children have been busy getting new members and the roll is considerably increased.

The children enjoyed the beautiful flowers sent by Mrs. Shaw, and the service in every way was a success. This was the childrens regular Missionary Service.

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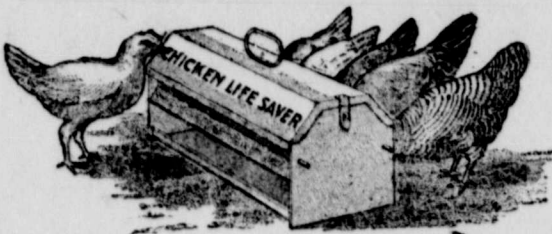
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The conference of western governors, which will be in progress Tuesday and Wednesday, will probably be confined to only three subjects—irrigation, closer co-operation of the western states and good roads.

Matters pertaining to irrigation will occupy the greater part of the conference, for it will be the intention of Governor Ammons and the visiting executives to formulate a plan of definite action to be carried out during the irrigation conference, which will follow and which has been called by Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane.

Governor Ammons received word yesterday that Elwood Mead, irrigation expert for the Australian government, was coming to attend the irrigation conference. Mr. Mead was formerly associated with the United States reclamation service and is one of the best known irrigation experts in the world.

The banquet to the visiting governors and government officials will be held in the Brown hotel Wednesday evening and will be the chief social event of the conference. Those who will speak at the dinner will be Governor Joseph M. Carey of Wyoming, Governor Samuel V. Stewart of Montana, Governor William Spry of Utah, A. A. Jones, first assistant secretary of the interior, and Clay Tallman of Nevada, commissioner of the general land office.

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WASHINGTON, April 14.—Winter's belated touch, enveloping the entire East, set new records today for official thermometers.

In New Orleans straw hats and spring finery were replaced with winter overcoats. Throughout the South Atlantic and Gulf States heavy damage to fruits and early crops was feared. A 20-degree drop in a few hours was recorded as far south as Greenville, S. C., breaking the April records of several years. Fruit trees in blossom were caught in the stinging frosts. April snow in Richmond was recorded for the first time since the Spanish war.

The weather bureau predicted heavy frosts as far as Northern Florida tonight and cold weather nearly everywhere east of the Rocky mountains.

Partial recovery by Friday except on the Atlantic Coast was predicted.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

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Miss Pauline Johnson, of Tennessee is in the city guest of Misses Alice and Jessie Copp.

C. F. Binkley went to Artesia Wells yesterday to receive some cattle he recently bought.

A. W. Allee, well known stockman of Encinal was in the city yesterday on business.

H. B. Miller went over to Encinal Monday where he shipped out a car of onions.

Misses Lucy and Beatrice Burwell are at home again after a visit to San Antonio.

Howard C. Guinn returned this week after a month's absence at Corsicana and Belton.

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W. E. Earnest was in the city yesterday attending the sessions of the Methodist Conference.

E. W. Earnest, stockman of Millett was here Thursday on a cattle deal.

V. A. Crow, Jeweler of Hondo, was in the city this week, guest of J. F. Merriman.

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Miss Lucile Rogers, daughter of United States Marshall, J. H. Rogers, is in the city visiting her aunt, Miss Kate Burwell.

John B. Henderson, young ranchman, returned yesterday from a business trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. H. M. Russell returned yesterday from a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. Frank R. Reed of San Antonio.

J. Gray Childers, E. B. Zachry and Albert Knaggs went to Laredo Wednesday evening to attend a social affair in that city.

Rev. Geo. W. Keeling, pastor of the Baptist Church returned yesterday after a week's absence at Poteet.

A BARGAIN—About 400 feet of six inch wood pipe at a bargain. C. B. Burwell, Cotulla, Texas.

Judge C. C. Thomas returned Wednesday from the lower Rio Grande country where he received a bunch of cattle.

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Ed. M. Evetts is here from Kerrville visiting his mother and greeting old time friends.

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Mrs. C. F. Binkley and Miss Mae Sullivan returned Thursday from a week's stay in San Antonio attending a rally of the Eastern Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sutton are here spending a few weeks with their sons, J. W. Sutton of Cotulla and E. C. Sutton at his ranch in the Eastern part of the county.

A gentleman walked into our office yesterday, paid his subscription and told us that the RECORD was the newsiest and best country paper published in Southwest Texas. Then he made us feel better still by saying that he was a subscriber to three or four county seat papers and he didn't class the RECORD with any of them. We are all human and like bouquets once in a while. We often get bouquets without the coin, but when a man comes up and hands us a dollar and a half and a bouquet to boot that's encouragement. We endeavor to give the people the local news and when a subscriber appreciates this and so expresses himself to us it makes us strive to do a little better.

Record For Largest Bass.

Dr. O. J. Cook of Laredo has the record for catching the largest bass in the Nueces. The catch was made Monday morning and the weight was 4 1/2 pounds. Dr. Cook, A. Dietz, Chas. Stowers and Engene Christian came up from Laredo Saturday and spent two days near W. A. Kerr's place. Saturday evening J. T. Maltzberger landed a bass weighing 4 1/4 pounds, but the Laredo man went him one just a little better.



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Rev. H. W. Hamilton has gone to Edna to attend the Presbytery. There will be no preaching at the Presbyterian church tomorrow. Sunday School at 9 45 a m.

Miss Sue Henderson of Crandall, Texas was among the arrivals this week and will spend several weeks with her brother, John B. Henderson at the Cartwright ranch.

Judge John W. Wilson and H. B. Miller were among the Ford purchasers this week. Mr. Pender, agent for the Laredo Auto Sales Co., has been doing a land office business in this territory since the first of the year.

The Bible lesson for the next meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary Society includes 12, 13, 14 and 15 Chapters of 2nd Kings and will be lead by Mrs. W. B. Stanfield. The devotional thought for the memory text is Wisdom. The members will be notified by telephone as to meeting place.

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F. A. Woofter of Millett was in Cotulla on business Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Tarver and daughter, Miss Alma, visited San Antonio during the week.

John J. Burris was in town yesterday from Artesia Wells. He reported that Mrs. Burris who has been ill for several weeks was improving.

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Royal Arch Chapter No 323, meets in Masonic Hall second Monday nights in each month E. E. Seoggins, H. P. W. A. Cox, Sec'y.

Eastern Star Chapter No. 323 meets first Monday night in each month in Masonic Hall. Mrs. A. D. Riddle, W. M. A. D. Riddle, Secretary.

Births.

A fine girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Newt Winters at Woodward on 11th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Held of Millett are the proud parents of a fine boy which made his arrival at their home 10th. inst.

A bouncing boy was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gallman.

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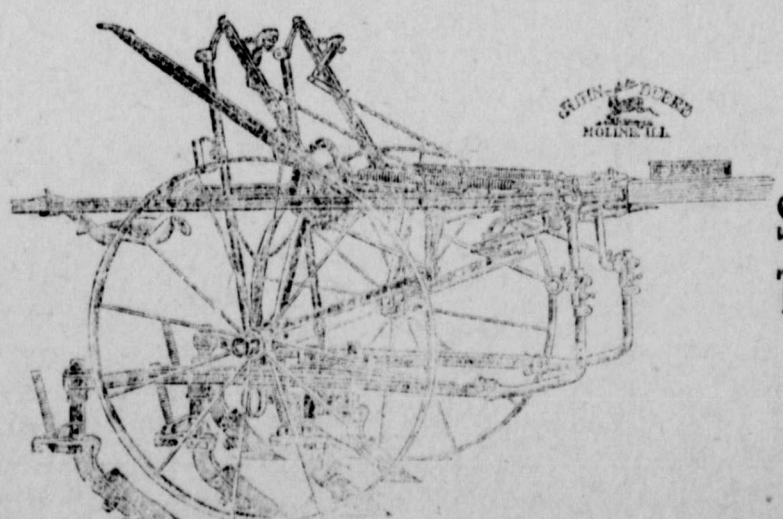
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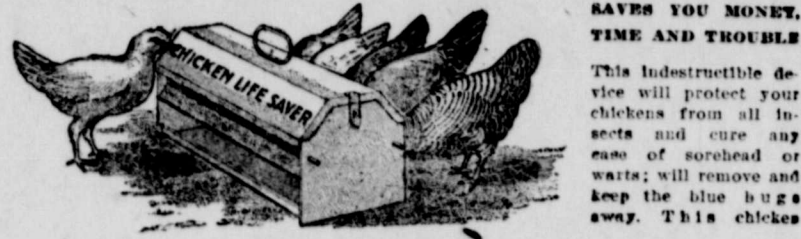
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GOVERNORS THINK IRRIGATION MOST IMPORTANT TOPIC

Chief Executives in Denver Conference Believe Closer Relations Necessary.

The conference of western governors, which will be in progress Tuesday and Wednesday, will probably be confined to only three subjects—irrigation, closer co-operation of the western states and good roads.

Matters pertaining to irrigation will occupy the greater part of the conference, for it will be the intention of Governor Ammons and the visiting executives to formulate a plan of definite action to be carried out during the irrigation conference, which will follow and which has been called by Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane.

Governor Ammons received word yesterday that Elwood Mead, irrigation expert for the Australian government, was coming to attend the irrigation conference. Mr. Mead was formerly associated with the United States reclamation service and is one of the best known irrigation experts in the world.

The banquet to the visiting governors and government officials will be held in the Brown hotel Wednesday evening and will be the chief social event of the conference. Those who will speak at the dinner will be Governor Joseph M. Carey of Wyoming, Governor Samuel V. Stewart of Montana, Governor William Spry of Utah, A. A. Jones, first assistant secretary of the interior, and Clay Tallman of Nevada, commissioner of the general land office.

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HEAT-PRODUCING FOODS NOT NEEDED

Need to Quickened Liver—Fruits and Vegetables Should be Used Pleasantly—Woman Specially Recommends Spinach.

Once again the season of the year has come when we need to make a radical change in our diet," a woman writes. "It has occurred to me that the wise fathers of the church had as much thought for the physical welfare of their people as for their spiritual well being when they appointed a time of the year for the observance of a fast, which is really a change of food.

It is to be hoped that during Lent we are all refraining from eating the heavy, heat-producing foods and that we have turned to those which contain less fat, and, in fact, eat less of all kinds of food. Those foods which were perfectly legitimate to eat when we needed to fortify ourselves against the cold and to supply energy for resisting the cold, we are much better off without until the winter season comes again.

"Instead of trying to spur the lagging appetite with tonics and spring bitters, we need the warming and consumed less food, we would be much wiser.

"The liver, after a winter's work, needs quickening, so it is best to use plentifully the fruits and vegetables that spur the sluggish liver into action. The resulting clear complexion and energetic feeling from the eating of these foods repay one for cultivating a fondness for them, if this has to be done.

"Spinach is one of the best vegetables for this purpose. To prepare it for cooking, first cut off the roots and remove any wilted or discolored leaves. Then wash thoroughly in plenty of lukewarm water and rinse in fresh water until there is not a trace of sand left in the water.

"When the spinach is young and tender there is no need of adding water to cook it in. It has a fine flavor when cooked in its own juices and less of the mineral salts is lost, which makes spinach so valuable as a food. When cooked without water, let it heat gradually, and when it begins to boil add a tea-spoonful of butter. Turn it into a colander to drain, pour cold water over it and

spoonful of salt and let it boil for ten minutes. Turn it into a colander to drain, pour cold water over it and let it drain again; rinsing it with cold water gives it a better color. Mince it and return to the kettle; add a generous piece of butter, or, if the flavor is liked use bacon fat.

"If spinach is old it should be cooked in water, using one quart to half a peck of spinach. The large-leaved, curly variety is also better cooked in water. It also needs longer cooking than the small-leaved variety and should cook twenty minutes to a half hour. The essential point in cooking spinach is not to overcook it, thereby making it an unattractive mass, which neither appeals to the sense of sight nor taste. Spinach left over from a meal can be pressed into small cups or individual molds, and, when cold, served as a salad. Placed on a lettuce leaf and garnished with a slice of hard-boiled egg, it is very attractive in its combination of greens and the yellow and white of an egg.

"Spinach is also delightful made into a puree according to the following recipe: Cook one-half peck of spinach in one quart of water for half an hour. Drain the water into another kettle; chop the spinach fine and rub through a strainer; add to the water and bring to a boil. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, blend it with two tablespoonfuls of flour and add to the boiling spinach; stir until it thickens; cook five minutes. Add one pint of hot milk and serve."

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