Absolutely Pure.

HONEY.

Sait Creek

constantly on hand at

trading last week.

the recent rains.

be proud of his work.

carry his bicycle across.

with her sister, Mrs. Been.

Late Things in Betts.

Farmer Locais.

J. E. MORRISON & CO.

the cheapest to the best.

Belknap.

Archer.

pictures last week.

work in the fields.

visiting here Sunday.

He is looking well.

went to Graham Monday.

ty, was in town Monday.

day. News is scarce this week.

SOMETIMES.

at West Fork.

Wednesday.

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New Blood

New Life.

Pure Blood is a guarantee against Disease.

One or two Bottles of good Blood Purifier may save you a spell of sickness.

ROYAL SARSAPARILLA

is guaranteed to do the work. Better take a bottle. It is sure to tone up the Blood and put your system in condition for the long hot summer.

Graham Drug Co.

Best Family Flour at

Your Buggy

Before They Get Loose.

The Blacksmith.

tempting to ford a swolen stream run.

Mules,

ant call last Monday.

W. P. McCorkle.

W. S. Timmons, of Mount

to cut, but the ground too Wet.

Our prices this week are:

5 papers Needles, . 5

Extra fine tan Slippers 50

Extra fine linen Collars, 5

Gents' linen cuffs, - 5

week and continue to sell more

was in Graham last Saturday.

Advertise in THE LEADER.

Want to Sell

THE LEADER for your job

F. M. Durham, of Spring Creek,

says it rains in his neighborhood.

Let Bigham & Crain have a

RACKET STORE.

14 ot. dish pan,

forget it.

you have them properly oiled

N. E. Corner Square.

W. H. Wycough.

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THE LEADER. gist, of Seymour, was in Graham

Published Weekly by J. W. Graves.

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LITTLE LOCAL LEADERS. THE LEADER wants a few loads

of stove wood on subscription. Wild Goose Oil possesses the most wonderful healing properties for Cuts, Burns, Sprains and Sores of any Medicine on the market. No matter how careful the smith

For sale by C. G. King, Graham.

V. F. Gorrissen is happy over the arrival of a baby boy. or three fair-sized shoats. Now without any damage to their Bos-

is the time to pay your subscrip- tonian finish. -HENEGAR, tion without the cash.

Jeffery last Friday night. We will sell you all kinds of near Proffitt last week, had his

heavy Groceries at wholesale hack overturned and his goods prices. Lower than you can buy flooded. With his outfit slightly Dr. W. M. Terrell, and 'Squite spent Friday and Saturday in drying out his soaked samples.

Lamons, of Farmer, visited Graham Monday. Don't be a bat, nor be taken in by any expensive high flown ad-

vertising. All we ask is a comparison of goods and prices. S. B. STREET & Co. Cheapest House in Town.

John Leavell, sheriff of Reeves county, was greeting old friends. in Graham this week.

For lowest prices on grain JOHN E. MORRISON & Co., Graham and Eliasville:

Grandpa Terrell was in town Tuesday. He is eighty-four years years old and quite active for his

Cheap John is doing business in Graham this week.

Judge R. F. Arnold visited

Haskell last week on business. We have received a fresh supply of Rye Flour, which we will tion. ell you at 2 cents per lb. Pearl

M. K. Graham left last week for Louisville, Memphis and other-

BIGHAM & CRAIN:

Gritts at the same price.

T. L. Richardson, Uncle Ben Waters and George Terreil, of True, were doing business in Gra-

ham Monday.

sold; Cane and Millet seed on are making.

S. B. STREET & Co. hand; Fresh Meal a specalty. Ice for sale at 2 cents per pound.

Free delivery in the city.

McCain & LATIMER, Mrs. L. W. Moore and Little son, of Fort Worth, are visiting

Mrs. W. T. Stewart. Money may be the root of all evil, but it buys a lot of stuff at Matthews, Tidwell & Norman.

Babbitt Metal In any quantity for sale at this

LEADER office last week a radish do good work. R. E. MABRY. Ed Wallace brought to THE measuring 16 inches in length and 7 inches in circumference, peratly sound and free from pith.

county gardening. Bigham & Crain hy all of your Bacon, Lard, Eggs and Potatoes; will pay you cash. Bring

wey good showing for Young

W. C. Ratliff was in town last Monday consulting a doctor. A Mrs. W. E. Kaye and family, few weeks ago he had the misfor- who have been visiting relatives tune to have an eye put cut by here for several months, returned barbed wire and thinks that it to their home in Fort Worth last will be necessary to have the eye, Tuesday.

One dozen Cabinet Photos of For Mason's Fruit Jars see CHISM'S GALLERY.

Oxfords, for 75 cents, worth \$1.00 S. B. STREET & Co. Cheapest House in Town.

The Cemetery Association desires to make further improvements in Oak Grove cemetery, and a liberal amount was subscribed by citizens of the town for that purpose last week. Residents of the country who feel interested, are solicited to assist in the work. E. B. Norman is authorized by the Association to receive con-

Bigham & Crain are doing a retail business at wholesale prices Give them a call.

Rev. H. B. Rose and wife, of Austin, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Akin, left Monday for Bonham, where they will spend a month with their daughter, Mrs. B. L. Adams.

At the next meeting of the comnissioners it would be a good idea for them to make an order to clean up the court house yard, dig out the stumps and bushes, cut the weeds and trim up the

We are after you. We want your trade and can offer special ucements for it. Call and see S. B. STREET & Co., Cheapest House in Town.

Last Monday being legal holiday, the postoffice was closed. Street Commissioner John Taylor has a force of hands at work Rev. H. B. Rose filled the pul-

pit at the Presbyterian church ing to put things in good shape last Sunday in the absence of Rev. now. All who want Fresh, Standard advancement and thorough disci-Medicines, School Book, new or pline of his pupils, we think Will need the Tire reset unless second-hand, Stationery of any kind, Toilet Articles or Notions, at lowest possible figures, should call on C. G. King at the Post Of Miss Mary, visited Mrs. R. M

on the streets. He says he is go-

fice Drug Store. Millinery.

is he will scar and-rough up the paint. To avoid this I have fitted up a tank for running the wheels in hot oil. Let me put your wheels new things in artistic sailors and the hill on his bicycle, Mr. Mit he will be here in a few days, and dozen Spring Chickens; will pay WANTED-On subscription, two in good shape for the summer midsummer styles. Prices lew. JOHN E. MORRISON & Co.

Wheat harvest is in full blast this week. Wet weather has in-C. P. Pulliam, representing a but the ground is now getting here—the creek was up. Cincinnati clothing house, in at- dry enough, for the reapers to

Gents' Night Shirts.

Some elegant styles just indifigured, but himself still able to all sizes. Also a complete line BIGHAM & CRAIN. | talk trade, he came into town and of ladies' muslin underwear. John E. Morrison & Co.

A. R. McDonald has bought the back to Farmer Sunday. Land to Trade for Horses or Bailey Allen house and is build- Corn is very fine, but cotton 50 cents worth of someting else. Business improves day by day ing an addition to it. He will seems to have the chills. move into his new residence in a 160 acres four miles North of few days.

Fliasville. See Joe Vaughn, or write me at Elm, O. T. A. Looney, of Lacy, was doing tire stock goes as a bargain. business in Graham last Monday. Boils, pimples and eruptions, scrofula, salt Uncle Joe Ratliff, of Miller Bend, gave The Leader a pleas. blood are cured by Hood's Sursaparilla.

Walter Stewart and Oliver Lov- all the new colors, greens, oxing, of Gertrude, were in Graham bloods, tans, blacks, etc., from Pleasant neighbored, was in town last Tuesday on business.

Monday. He says wheat is ready Don't judge a man by the dothes he wears-God made the Don't Forget the Racket Store. man and the tailor the clothes. Wheat harvest is now on wand. Don't judge a man by his fami- Grass is fine. Farmers are very ly, for Cain belonged to a good busy 1 Coffee Mill, - 25 cents. family. Don't judge a man by . Tax Ass his failures in life, for many a last week. man fails because he is too hon- W. M. Hayter went to the Falls est to succeed. Don't judge a last week for Benson & Sons. man by the house he lives in, for | Mat Andrews and Edwin Benrats often inhabit the grandest son started to Louisiana with a ventions. Bargains can be had in many other things too numerous to menthose who survive him ask how much of an estate he left, but St. of Graham, came up Wednesday is economy to buy Hood's. Peter keeps a different account. and stayed till Monday. J. L. McDaniel, of Markley, He has a record of a man's good Maud Case returned from Gracame in last Monday for repairs and evil deeds and that is the ac- ham Wednesday. settling while his heirs are con- Will Alcorn are on the sick list. Ford Bros, is the place to get testing his will. We sometimes the best and freshest groceries at the lowest prices, and don't you anything about the hereafter, and on their way to the fifth Sunday doing so. that it may turn out far di ferent

We are receiving goods every than any of us suspect. Get Married and The Leader.

goods for the money than any In order that we may demon-All kinds of Feed bought and the great howl our compeditors strate the interest in the upbuildhouse in town, notwithstanding county we have decided to make Cheapest House in Town, the following very liberal proposition: To every couple who mar-M. M. Wade, of Huffstuttle, was ry in Young county and reside in in town last Saturday and ordered the county we will send THE THE LEADER sent to him at LEADER for six months free of charge. Tell all your young Graham. marriageable friends and as soon You can always find everything as married have them send their in the grocery line at Ford Bros. name and date of marriage and Cas Beckham, of Huffstuttle, we will send the paper to their address. This is a liberal offer and now is the time to accept. Boys, day and Sunday. now get up courage and secure two prizes, the girl and THE LEAD-A Deering Binder cheap. Will

Awarded nighest Honors-World's Fair, · ED FR. was in town last Saturday. He chance at your trade. They will CREAM save you money on every bill you

Jourself and a nice Crayon Por-trait from any old picture for \$4.00, from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

Rehashed Locals. From the Graham Leader, Nov., 1876. Tilden is elected.

merchants are shipping them to the old states, where Christmas times they will be relished as a

white man's country. Only four negroes—no Indians either—to the contrary of some lying land agents-east of us. Shame on you -the business men of your towns ought to expel you. Be done with such stories.

all forms of adulteration common new home on 3d street. Mr. to the cheap brands. ROYAL Floyd's family, from the same their new and comfortable home New crop Uvalde Heney kept

MATTHEWS, TIDWELL & NORMAN'S. C. M. Been is rejoicing over the and the tree?

advent of a ten-pound boy-Will R. M. Summers and wife, also S. J. Baker and wife were in town and warm as ever. "Twenty years a pet and now gone wild.

and Price, have been on Salt Next week will usher in a gold-Creek repairing Mr. Cornelius' The school at Indian Mound unthe management of Prof. J. M. Hughes, closed last Friday. Prof. Hughes is an efficient teacher, and judging from the rapid Indian Mound can well afford to-Mrs. Joe Fisher and daughter,

Summers and Mrs. Johnson We wondered what it was, and formerly of Fort Worth. The A big shipment just in. Many looked and saw slowly toiling up doctor informs us by mail that Handy. He said the creek was that he will permanently locate you the cash for them. They will running and he had to walk and here. He is a good physician and give you more Groceries for your

day night, but they could not get terfered with the harvest some, but they could not get back, and Bascom could not get We have no shoddy goods to Mrs. John Blair spent last week dle nothing but the best and give J. A. Aynesworth, on Friday. The road overseer gets the creek not allow any legitimate firm who June 18th, 1897. Everybody in backs ready after each rise for handle the best quality of goods vited.

and Will Mays accompanied her

MATTHEWS, TIDWELL & NORMAN. A big shipment just received, succeincluding the double buckles and \$20.

policical matters. Tax Assessor James was here

orsing the national conference, opposing fusion, and against the didates as delegates to con-

Mrs. Shoemaker and children, to and true only of Hood's Sarsapartila. It

Connor Creek.

meeting at West Fork, Archer They say there was a hard rain E. county. They returned home and thunder storm Wednesday Walter Steen went to night, but I was not an eye witthe fifth Sunday meeting at ness. I had important business in the cellar about the time the

There was a social at the residence of Mr. S. E. Harris last Dit. W. A. MORRIS, was on our streets with some nice Several people, were in town Monday night. last Saturday, it being to wet to

Finis on the fourth Sunday; the Miss Ella Peery, of Archer creek was up and Bro. Adams county is visiting friends near could'nt cross over. J. A. Seals, of Archer county,

Mr. Seals reports crops fine in house every Sunday night. Ep. Simmons was here Satur-

Ben Shoemaker of Graham was J. B. Wear & Co. started three next Sunday. Everybody invited. wagons to Weatherford Monday. J. H. Hazzard has been very sick and is no better at this Chandler's Sunday.

Sunday. Dr. Terrell and T. J. Lamons Rev. Wycough preached to a salpening counties large congregation at Finis last Morrison-Street brick.

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Liverlls

Pecans—wagon after wagon comes in loaded with them. Our cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work

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Assures the food against alum and taken quarters in their handsome No trouble to give you prices.

BIGHAM & CRAIN. BAKING POWDER Co., NEW YORK. city, will soon arrive and occupy those of its readers who are in

Sam Glasgow was up in a pecan about July 1st,, and trust they tree, and says he fell down and smashed his leg. Sam, didn't settle them up. We have been as you cut the limb off between you lenient in this matter as we possi-

is in town. His gizzard is as big the matter. J. W. Cornelius and sons, Ross Come again, Ab.

en era for the South-for us. tank dam which was injured by Confidence will be restored, bank ham since last Friday, but north vaults opened, progress and pros- south, east and west of us a good shall have a rapid building of by hail in some localities. railroads into our region. The Atlantic and Pacific from St.
Louis, the Trans-Continental, prices fall on Drugs in Graham. both branch roads of Tom Scott's great Texas & Pacific. Also the Waco and Northwestern, Houston and Denver, and Galveston and Santa Fe railways.

Attention is called to the proa clever gentleman. We extend produce than house in Graham Walter and Charlie went Sun- 10 him a cordial welcome.

work off on the people. We han. Cove Creek, near the residence of

around and charge you \$1.00 for MATTHEWS, TIDWELL & NORMAN.

of the county met in convention there been such prospects before at the court house last Saturday, our people. Many merchants told and after organizing by electing him that business was "picking A. R. McDonald chairman and up right along," while several C. G. Tefteller secretary, proceeds have increased their clerical ed to the discussion of populistic force. - Weatherford Times,

Here I am again with my little count he may have trouble in Mrs. Graves Farmer and Mrs. budget of news for The Leader. Several of our farmers intended Mrs. J. L. Steen and children, to cut their wheat last week, but think we may none of us know of Red Top, passed through here the heavy rain kept them from

J. G. White, of Breckinridge, cloud was coming up.

There was no preaching at

Sunday school at the school house Sunday, and there was a was trading in our town Saturday. large crowd out.

Prayer meeting at the school It is not decided yet when nor where the Sunday school pienic J. E. SIMPSON, will be. will be.

Singing at the school house Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foster spent the day very pleasantly at Mr.

Mr. Eddie Ribble, of Ming Bend, Grandpa Williamson returned was over Sunday, but somehow from Fisher county Thursday. he did n't seem as jovial as usual. Why is it, Ed?

George Benson, was in attendance at the fifth Sunday meeting visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin Grabam, Texas.

Luther Joyner, of Archer coun-What has become of Texas, our JOHN C. KAY. Squire Wann went to Olney on Salem correspondent? Is he so busy that he can't take time to business Saturday.

Ike Tenney, B. W. Moss and give an account of himself, or has doing business in the city Tues- to be "one of us" any longer and O. E. FINLAY, bolted.

Hood's

We have received this week a large assortment of Green Apples and all kinds of Dried Fruits BIGHAM & CRAIN.

THE LEADER desires to remind arrears that it will mail them bibly could, and now that a good crop is assured we expect them to A. B. Kindel, of Weatherford, do the right thing toward us in

You'll have money left for the ontribution box if you trade with

Matthews, Tidwell & Norman. perity resumed. Then soon we rain fell Tuesday, accompanied

> The greater the number that Give me a chance at your trade.

you get Ford Bros. prices.

fessional card of Dr. R. N. Price, work. Gold crowns a specalty. call, I will treat you right.

We would appreciate your ac-Miss Perry visited Miss Lizzie MATTHEWS, TIDWELL & NORMAN. count this month just to convince Baldwin last week. Miss Lizzie We do not give you \$1.00 worth you we are the people to trade

We give you value received for every dollar you spend with us. We have no leaders. Our en. MATTHEWS, TIDWELL & NORMAN. fidential prosperity." The ice cream social given by are wearing broad smiles, busi- or not. the ladies of the Methodist church ness men look more cheerful, and Wednesday night was a decided have solid confidence in this secsuccess. The receipts were about the Times took a stroll to-day around the city, and he can safe-A few representative populists ly say that not for months has

Resolutions were adopted en- PROFESSIONAL CARDS PHYSICIANS.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.

structure. When a man dies car load of horses last Thursday. One Hundred Doses One Dollar is peculiar GRAHAM, : : : TEXAS. Boy Office up-stairs in First National Bank

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W. T. Stewart, Cashier. J. M. Norman, Ass't. Cashier.

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If Gleason is elected mayor, Greater

There is only one black man in congress, and, strange to say, his name is

There is at least one encouraging sign, loafers are less popular than they

Cast your bread upon the waters and those who benefit by your generosity will grumble because you didn't cast

Prof. McMasters' plan of writing American history will place the school Optic, the author of more books and ing the truth when they are older.

commercial invasion of the United States by Japan is imminent. Her manufacturers are indomitable and it seems that the Japanese are not disposed to buy anything abroad which they can make at home. The balance United States seems fixedly against us.

It is said that Queen Victoria, on her return from the south of France, will visit Mr. Astor-or Arstor, as his ad- Adams went to Boston at an early age miring English friends call him. This will be in recognition of Mr. Astor's enerous contribution for her majesty's starving subjects in India. The queen may very well encourage Americans with so much wealth as Mr. Astor en- Boston to study the likes and dislikes spent a great deal of money in her

Any American bicycle maker who his teens. He was the leader of his seeks information as to the best means schoolmates in athletic sports and the at the rate of 250 words a minute for of introducing his wares abroad and admired favorite of all. Together with half an hour, and this Mr. Dement reparticularly in Italy cannot do better his friends he would spend hour after than consult a report on this subject hour among the sailors on the old made to the state department by United | wharves, studying the mysteries of the States Consul Johnson at Venice. The ships and gathering and laying up the consul says that while the Italians treasures of nautical lore with which make a fair bicycle, the people gener- his stories teem. He contemplated a ally prefer foreign wheels, and if the college course after his term had ex-American maker can supply three pired in the public school, but was comgrades, about \$57.90, \$68.85 and \$115.80 pelled to abandon this design and beeach, there can be no question that a gan to teach, contributing from time "As yet, in Italy, women have not taken very enthusiastically to bicycling, ed his first volume in 1863. It was endistrict is daily increasing, especially those who aspire to a position in the fashionable world, as it seems to be quite the proper thing and in excellent 'form' for a woman of a smart set to be an expert bicyclist."

A noble record is that of Trinity reputation came from his juvenile Church of Boston. It is the church works, although when first asked to momentous events in which the Greek over which that large-hearted, consework of charity during the last twenty

Then began that remarkable line of body of her son was taken from the books which aggregated 156 average of one thousand dollars a Synday for every Sunday the church had gather material for the tales he jour- went over to the Mount of Olives: itself. It shows the great influence for God and humanity an earnest, great-God and humanity an earnest, great-hearted preacher may have over the like Bahama Islands. His trips, mosques, and the old towers and like Bayard Taylor's, were always with churches, has a singular completeness.

pared to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the stories might be written which would rain ceased, and the air grew warm, state into the Union, by holding a be equally as exciting, but without the -In the rich, low light all blemishes weregreat centennial and international ex- evil tendencies of these harmful books lost, and the City Beautiful was spread position at Nashville. Centennial Bark, Consequently, to give the author credit, before the pilgrim's eyes. Perhaps it dead in his own house; and now he where the exposition will be held, is a two hundred acre tract of highly imtwo hundred acte tract of highly improved 'and, situated in the western suburbs of the city. It is easily reached by three electric street car lines and one steam railway line. Railroad passenger rates from every section of the country to Nashville, during the program of the country to Nashville, during the program of the country to Nashville, during the program of the care to rank with literary people. The care to rank with literary people. The country to Nashville, during the program of the care to rank with literary people. The care to rank with literary country to Nashville, during the progress of the exposition, will be reduced to the minimum. The climate of Middle Tennessee is delightful, and 'the country surrounding Nashville is ideally beautiful. The main buildings of the work is there, and garred by ideally beautiful. The main buildings of the exposition are: "The Parthenon," "The Erechtheon," "The Auditorium, Administration, Children's, Commerce, Transportation, Agriculture, Minerals and Forestry, Machin-1846 Mr. Adams was married to Miss. ture, Minerals and Forestry, Machiners, Negro, and Government. The dimensions of the buildings which are to contain commercial exhibits, exclusive of annexes, are as follows: Commerce, 500x20. feet; Transportation, actor. Mr. Adams, though he did not beyond the power of conception hith-

At a meeting of the faculty of the Union Theological Seminary the other day Miss Emilie Grace Briggs was awarded the second place in the graduating class. Miss Briggs is the daughter of Prof. Charles A. Briggs, and she is the first woman to be graduated from Presbyterian theological seminary. Tebukh she is now a graduate of a Presbyterian seminary, of course Miss Briggs cannot speak in any of the ches. But though she cannot talk, she has written two sermons, and the faculty has pronounced them most ex-

"If you will keep the unofficial peo nle in order, I will promise you the official people will never make war. Thus said Lord Salisbury at a recent dinner in honor of the United States ambassador at the court of St. James, and our minister smiled. In this country the "officials" are simply the ser vants of the "unofficials."

Sir David Hunter Blair is a monk who does missionary work in the swamp districts of Brazil. He is one of those good Englishmen who can be a monk without waiting until he becomes sick.

In some of the Nevada canyons, in severe weather the jack rabbits freeze to death huddled together in clusters. vainly trying to get a little warmth out of one another. Then the Washoe and Piute Indian hunters break them off in bunches and flood the market with They have been doing this dur-

It is said not to be allowable to write a letter addressed to the President. If the President is an Amcitizen, why is he not entitled

THE LATE WILLIAM T. ADAMS SERVED MANKIND WELL.

His Stories for the Young Folks Made the other day at Quincy by dashing off Good Men and Women-Never Ac. 402 words in the same length of time, cumulated Much Money, but Was Happy Enough.



HE late William T. Adams, the well known writer; who, under the pen name of Oliver Optic, has entertained box readers for more than a generation, was 75 years of age, Among the names that have been popular with

the rising generation for more than half a century none occupied a more prominent place than that of Oliver stories for young people than any other person living. He and Captain Mayne Reid divided the loves of small boys whose desires ran to caves, outdoor ife, rafting on rivers and fishing and unting. Mr. Adams was a represenive Bostonian, although born at Medway, a country town about twenty trade between Japan and the saw the light of day in July, 1822. His prestors were English, and the first representative of the family to come America was Henry Adams, who settled at Oniney Mass, in 1630. Young and had the advantages of the super schools of that city to develop his fertile brain. His keen power of observation undoubtedly had much to do with his success as an author, and he embraced his opportunities while in This rich American exile has and peculiarities of his fellow companions. As a scholar he was strikingly bright and capable, showing a propensity for writing before he was out of

lime to exercise his inventive powers, ing." to time short tales to different magatitled "Hatchie, the Guardian Slave, or the Heiress of Bellevue." him the modest sum of \$37.50 . His Jerusalam is Not Disillusionizing to the next volume was a great hit, however

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art, was one of the best stenographers

in the country in his day. Another

brother, James E. Dement, is one of

the leading members of the profession

art and a science, as well-as a profes-

Writing shorthand came naturally to

Western Visitor.

In the "Century" there is an article and from the time "In Doors and Out" was put before the public publishers on "The Miracle of the Greek Fire," by began to besiege him, eager to print his Richard Watson Gilder, describing the writings. In the main Mr. Adams scenes of Holy Week in Jerusalem. This has a particular timeliness from the church plays an important part. Mr. law. Gilder says: "A city beautiful! On write a book of this nature he declined eastern provinces of Canada. His trav- with its clear and stately outline of els southward were extended to Cuba walls, the domes and minarets of the ortune has not shown favor, and whose write he had an object in view. The ond melthus in the distance into view heroes of the stories he had read were let. It is indeed a city set upon a hill, either pirates or highwaymen, smug- isolated, distinguished. The picture The people of Tennessee have pre-ared to celebrate the one hundredth merce, 500x201 feet; Transportation, actor. Mr. Adams, though he did not beyond the power of conception hith400x120 Fachinery, 375x138 feet; profess to be a poet, wrote scores erto. Are the places real? Jerusalem, tine to he prestry, 400x125 feet; of odes and hymns for various all Syria, is real, and some of the same occasions, and for a number of gred places are unquestionable. But occasions, and for a number of cred places' are unquestionable. But you do not have to be sure that the secutions of Marcus Aurelius to de new emotion, to the words of Jesus, repeated by the French monk on Good

> Sir Henry Parkes on His Early Years. of the Pilgrim Fathers. The Australian mail brings the an- When amid the storms they sang, nouncement of the publication of the first of the three lives of the late Sir And the sounding aisles of the din Henry Parkes that were known to be in active preparation. It is by Mr. Rang to the anthems of the free. Charles Lyne, who was the private sec-Henry for many years. He was de-signated as his biographer by Sr Henry all the other men into his own lap. cars was selected to write the Fourth a portion of the book in its manuscript character, and he becomes like a bank of July ode for the city of Boston. On form. One day during one of his Pre- in a panic, and all the imputations rush public occasions Mr. Adams' services relerships Sir Henry was reading a re- on him and break down in a day that were in great demand, for he enjoyed cently-published life of Mr. Gladstone, character which in due time would the reputation of being an excellent off- and, laying down the volume for a mo- have had strength to defend itself. easy, fluent, witty and graceful, and thinking when reading it of a comparibal a century in building, which go felicitous in his lilustrations. Admiral Codrington's Shooting.
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> paring himself for Categories, fury plant.
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> Pamous Hritish Warships, Mr. the advantages of a good education, tury plant. paring himself for Oxford, enjoying all ous match. A hog can uproot mecen-Walter Wood tells a story of Admiral with plenty of money, and being In this world, so full of heartless ish fleet in the action of Navarino, in 1827, when the Turkish fleet was deare wrapped up in their lands and turnips. 'Huilo, Codrington,' he exclaimed, in blind ignorance of all contemporary at Oxford I was breaking stones on the Cross; Naomi had such a friend in Onesipnorus, who stray privileges which, taken as writted him in jail; Christ had such in bound together and beaten out the Marys, who adhered to Him on the last fill you with much joy, at Oxford I was breaking stones on the Cross; Naomi had such a one in Ruth. There are a few moments to the contemporary at Oxford I was breaking stones on the Cross; Naomi had such a friend in Onesipnorus, who stray privileges which, taken as with the Marys, who adhered to Him on the last fill you with much joy.

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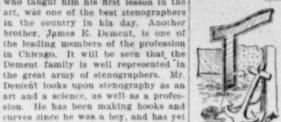
THE LATE MR. ADAMS.

Codrington, who commanded the Brit-

And with this he went his ways."

"FRIENDSHIP UNFAILING," LAST SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

From the Following Text: "And She and thus demonstrating anew his right



and Naomi arrived at Bethlehem is was the custom when a sheaf fell from a load in the harvest field for the reapers to reto gather it

faster than he can write. All public speakers are alike to him in that he has never met one who as much as bothered him. The ones who have test-Dr. Phillips Brooks, the noted preach- by the custom of the land, left in its

> swarthy, sun-browned reapers, he be- the hope and the triumph of the Goswoman more fit to bend to a harp or So, very often in our worldly busisit upon a throne than to stoop among ness or in our spiritual career, we start

It was love at first sight. Boaz gleaner-as attachment full of undygards as the hardest proposition he ev- who left her native land of Moab in by our own right arm. We have to opinions, except the man who is willyears he has been out of the field as dying affection for her mother-in-law, mountain, we have to storm the castle; an active reporter, devoting his time is in the harvest field of Boaz, is afil- but, blessed be God, the day of rest and and abilities to the business of pub- anced to one of the best families in reward will come. On the tip-top of lishing his text-books on shorthand. Judah, and becomes in after time the the captured battlements we will shout In his spare moments Mr. Dement gives ancestress of Jesus Christ, the Lord of the victory; if not in this world, then his liferary genius a chance and writes glory! OR of so dark a night did in that world where there is no gall In addition to this he finds there ever dawn so bright a more to drink, no burdens to carry, no bat-exercise his inventive powers, ing*

was sorrow that made John Bunyan Sears from their eyes."

pastor has never had any trouble. ob, the warmth, the tenderness of his In the first sweep of the keys,

Misfortunes and trials are great ed manner, and rough in the feeling the mother's anxious quest) beasts and the chopping of bloodsplashed guillotine and the crackling fires of martyrdom. It took the per velop Polycarp and Justin Martyr. place is exact, when you listen, with a took all the hostilities against Scotch Covenanters and the fury of Lord

Claverhouse to develop James Renwick "station of the gnd Andrew Melville, and James Mecross" where Christ cried out, "Daugh- Kall, the glorious martyrs of . Scotch ters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, history. It took the stormy sea, and but weep for yourselves, and for your the December blast, and the desolate New England coast, and the warwhoop of savages to show forth the prowess etraws, until she got enough to make spoke of it to my landlady. "Oh yes, And the stars heard, and the sea:

wood

retary and trusted confident of Sir Life often seems to be a mere game, himself, who, indeed, read and revised Let suspicion arise about a man's

trained in every way for his future po- ness and hypoerisy, how thrilling it is Why, yes, replied the admiral, Tve had some rather remarkable shooting. Truly a striking and dramatic contrast thee, or to be the for whill hou goest, I will go; running over Oh, you gleaners, to the passed had some rather remarkable shooting. between the early years of two Prime and whither thou lodgest I will lodge; field! And if there be in your house years.

HIS DAYS WELL SPENT THE FASTEST STENOGRAPHER. TALMAGE'S SERMON. thy people shall be my people, and thy hold an aged one or a sick relative that OUR BUDGET OF FUN. aught but death part thee and me." ess citen come out in places of joy. Went and Came and Gleaned in the When Ruth started from Moab toward the Lord God of Ruth and Naomi be

Fields After the Reapers: and Her Hap Jerusalem, to go along with her mother-in-law, I suppose the people said: 'Oh, what a foolish creature to go away from her father's house, to go off with poor cld woman toward the land of ludah! They won't live to get across the desert. They will be drowned in the sea, or the jackals of the wilderless will destroy them." It was a very dark morning when Ruth started off with Naomi: but behold her in my text in the harvest field of Boaz, to be affianced to one of the lords of the land, and become one of the grand-

ed his powers of speed most fully were raking it, as farmers do now, it was, how Schal thundered, and devils tormented, and the darkness thickened! er, and the Rev. H. V. Reed, who used place, so that the poor coming along All the sins of your life pounced upon to preach several years ago in this city that way might glean it, and get their you, and it was the darkest hour you to a congregation of pre-millenists, bread. But, you say, "What is the use ver saw when you first found out your The latter talked to Mr. Dement once of all these barvest fields to Ruth and Sins. After awhile you went into the harvest field of God's mercy; you beto go out and toil in the sun; and can gan to glean in the fields of divine you expect that Ruth, the young and promise, and you had more sheaves the beautiful, should tan her checks than you could carry, as the voice of and bliefer her hands in the harvest God addressed you, saying: "Blessed Reld?

Boaz owns a large farm, and he goes forgiven and whose sins are covered." out to see, the reapers gather in the A very dark starting in conviction, a grain. Coming there, right behind the very bright ending in the pardon and

> he sheaves. Ah, that was an eveniful off on a very dark path. We must go. The flesh may shrink back, but there is a voice within, or a voice from above, forms an attachment for the womanly saying, "You must go;" and we have to drink the gall, and we have to carry ing interest to the church of God in all the cross, and we have to traverse the ages; while Ruth, with an ephah, or desert and we are pounded and failed nearly a bushel of barley, goes home of misrepresentation and abuse, and to Naomi to tell her of the successes we have to urge our way through ten and adventures of the day. That Ruth, thousand obstacles that have been slain darkness, and traveled through an un- ford the river, we have to climb the ing to keep them to himself .- Rams

and has patented several useful me- I learn, in the first place, from this it! I know it because God says so: are represented by living descendants, hanical devices.—Chicago Times-Her-subject, how trouble develops characted.

They shall hunger no more, neither says Harper's. The titanotheres, or thirst-any more, neither shall the sun brontotheridae, for example, a gigantic exile that developed, illustrated, and light on them, nor any heat, for the announced to all ages the sublimity of Lamb which is in the midst of the produced the horse and rhinoceros, rep-Ruth's character. That is a very unfortunate man who has no trouble. It tains of water, and God shall wipe all scent. They developed rapidly in a

the better dreamer, and floctor Young
the better post, and O'Connell the better
ter orater, and Bishop Hall the better
preacher, and Havelock the better goldier, and Ritto the better encyclopaedist, and Ruth the better daughler-indist, and Ruth the better daughler-indau crated man, Phillips Brooks, was recto do such a thing. Being finally pertor for so many years. Its present recsuaded, he wrote "The Boat Club."

I once asked an aged man in regard
to his pastor, who was a very brilliant
to his pastor, who wery brilliant, seems to have so hitle drowned world, then Noah in the ark age of the edentates. It was suggested the ambient atmosphere. Why is this books which aggregated 126 volumes, the Church of the Sepuicher. Then I werl and tenderness in his sermons? rejoiced in his own safety and in the basides over 1,000 short stories. To the Church of the Sepuicher, Then I well," he replied, "the reason is, our on the wreck of a ruined earth.

heen opened. There were voluntary of Europe, and crossed the Atlantic eighteen times, besides traveling in thirty states from the ministries of pecuniary help, quite apart from the country, over the great lakes help out to should not only the form a field well up on the hillside, the whole city lay beneath times, besides traveling in thirty states in this country, over the great lakes the found of the form and though the preacher to should not of the week of a reined any trouble. Christ, bounded of persecutors, demand that is the reason my joints protection. The stages of degeneration by which these animals are found any trouble. Christ, bounded of persecutors, demand that is the reason my joints protection. The stages of degeneration by which there are the temple area, with the great mass the times, besides traveling in thirty states in this country, over the great lakes of degeneration by which there are the temple area, with the great mass the times besides traveling in thirty states in the times besides traveling in thirty states in the temple area, with the great mass the times besides traveling in thirty states in the times besides traveling to the times besides was just as brilliant as he was before, isfaction after it had been draining his Tast drop of blood, the sheeted dead condition of their modern descendants dog, "and thus become sleek and fat discourses! The fact is, that trouble bursting from the sepulchres at his of the sight tribe, are illustrated by like me?" is a great educator. You ree sometimes crucifixion. Tell me, O Gethsemane strikingly graded specimens now prepeople who listen to his religious teachnotebook in hand, and from these pencil
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more emphatically than words can declare it, of the sympathy felt, by mer clare it, of the sympathy felt, by mea ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition, and he acknowledged his successed in the stones of the city is the color of the ambition. Christ; all the pomp and dominion of throne, crowned heads are to bow be- only another name for truth." fore him on whose head are many crowns, and all the celestial worship is to come up at his feet, like the humming of the forest, like the rushing of owing to the ignorance of the public,

That song of love, now low and far, The golden-spired Apocalypse.

Madame de Starl did a world of work things?". "Oh," she replied, "these are not the things I am proud of. My chief they shrank back from the poor woundmake a livelihood if necessary." And body; a cruel injustice. the field! How many dying all around creased when a captured fly was offernahs, more Rebeccas, more Marys, more gon-fly again. Deborahs consecrated-body, mind and soul to the Lord who bought them. Once more I learn from my subject

straw? I can't get any barley for my- one of Mr. Lang's literary friends tells threshed them out, and she had an

that we might all be gleaners! Elihu Burritt learned many things while toiling in a blacksmith's shop.

Abercremble, the world-renowned philosopher, was a philosopher in Scotland, and he got his philosophy, or the chief part of it, while, as a physician, he was waiting for the door of the er, late president of the Massachusetts sick room to open. - Yet how many Institute of Technology, was above allhand speaker. On the platform he was ment, he said to Mr. Lyne: "I was There are reputations that have been there are in this day who say they are suspicion. A characteristic anecdote is been very bad." so busy they have no time for mental told of him by J. J. Spencer in the my own. When he was at Eton, pre- is consumed by the touch of a sulphur- duties of life cross the field like strong General Walker held a government poreapers, and carry off all the hours, sition, a place shared in a measure by and there is only here and there a another, he was approached with the fragment left, that is not worth glean- suggestion that, since the whole deing. Ah, my friends, you could go into the busiest day and busiest week of into the busiest day and busiest week of your life and find golden opportunities, whatever they desired. "I have no de

There are a few moments left worth history, 'I haven't seen you for some time. Had any good shooting lately?' clothing to protect me from the cold."

Cross. Naomi and such a one in the side in the gleaning. Now, Ruth to the field! the gleaning. Now, Ruth to the field! the gleaning. Now, Ruth to the field! the gleaning who cried out. "Entreat me not to leave the gleaning. Now, Ruth to the field! the gleaning who cried out "Form following after the gleaning."

Cross. Naomi and such a one in the gleaning. Now, Ruth to the field! the gleaning who cried out "Form following after the gleaning."

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God my God; where thou diest will I is not strong enough to come forth and die, and there will I be buried; the toll in this field, then let Ruth take Lord do so to me, and more also, if home to feeble Naomi this sheaf of gleaning: "He that goeth forth and Again, I learn from this subject that paths which open in hardship and dark-doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him yar portion forever!

STUB ENDS OF RELIGION.

Devotion is the first child of Faith. Great people always have small ene-An old coat is usually found upon an

old drinker.

A jag of whisky costs more than To be I lina for a day would spo sheep forever. Habits are the ruts worn in a roa

abitually traveled. The secret of a secret is to know how and when to tell it. The hardest problems to solve are

he providences of God.

The cheer of the ball room has caus d many a cheerless life. God will give every Daniel a chance go into the lion's den. Grief is an outcast, and mo grasps his hand cordially.

Every man is our neighbor, who Sif I had never heard a taunteeds our compassion and help. Every blow aimed at the saloon is bound to hit the devil somewhere. Heaven and hell are not far apart, uto the gulf between is very deep.

The knack of easy travel is in knowing how to keep ready all the time. Getting into heaven is getting hell ut of us, and then heaven is within us. Some people keep such a close look out for the devil, that they ever fail to see God.

It is a long start toward evil to nove in a circle that is moving away

from Christ. The man who gets up in this world by putting another man down, loses more than be gains. There is nobody we like better than

ORIGIN OF SPECIES.

Not all the strange beasts which have left their remains in our "bad lands"

geological sense and flourished about last shirt Oi aver takes to Missus Flanthe better dreamer, and thector Young It was very hard for Noah to endure the middle of the tertiary period; then, pigan! Sure that sign av hers don't came, and the tops of the mountains ontological evidence bearing on the canine in the park. "Dear me," said rejoiced in his own safety and in the by Marsh, in 1877, that these creatures, thus?" South American, originated in North bountifully fed," said the tramp dog,

one accord paleontologists of our time ing unburdened with flesh, dodged be regard the question of the introduction of new species as solved. As Prof. Marsh has said, "to doubt evolution to-

The Dragon-Fly. One of the most useful of insects is,

the waters, like the thundering of the forever being killed. It is known as maxim, have you?" eas; while all heaven, rising on their the dragon-fly, the needle-case and the thrones, beat time with their sceptres: devil's darning-needle. Says a writer the foundation for my subsequent ea-Hallelujah, for the Lord God omnipo- of authority: In its larval state it reer. The first time I ran for office subsists almost entirely on those small I was approached by an active worker squirming threads which can be seen Ere long shall swell from star to star; darting about in any still water, and whether I would refuse to run if a That light, the breaking day which tips which hatch out into sweet-singing certain course of procedure were mosquito. As soon as the dragoon-fly adopted and whether I would go back leaves its watery nursing-ground, and on them in case things should turn climbing some friendly reed, throws out wrong." in her time, and one day, while she was away the old shell and flies away, it is seated amid instruments of music, all of which she had mastered, and amid the house-fly. Not long ago the writer

"And then you rememb honesty is the best policy?"

"Yes, I searched my language." manuscript books which she had writ- saw one of these insects knocked down ness and then, looking him full in the ten, some one said to her: "How do in a veranda, where it had been doing eye, told him the truth. I said that you find time to attend to all these yeoman's service, and the children and women seemed delighted, although boast is in the fact that I have seven-teen trades, by any one of which I could an awful sting at the end of its long if in secular spheres, there is so much writer took the insect up there was much oftener than I did a few years e done, in spiritual work how vast general wonderment, which was inabout us without one word of comfort! ed it and it ate greedly. The boys of mean man that will let an old lady We want more Abigails, more Han- the household will never harm a dca- stand."-New York Journal,

Quite a Difference. All disciples of Izaak Walton will appreciate the story which is going the Ruth going into that harvest field rounds, concerning Mr. Andrew Lang. might have said: "There is a straw, the English critic and essayist. An exand there is a straw, but what is a change publishes the anecdote which self or my mother-in-law out of these It happened to me to spend a few days separate straws." Not so said beautiful last summer in an English village. Hav-Ruth. She gathered two straws, and ing noticed a pleasant river which a sheaf. Putting that down, she went 'sir," she said, "there is very good fishand gathered more straws, until she had another sheaf, and another, and another, and another, and another, and then she brought them allowables. another, and another, and then she brought them altogether, and she come here very often, sir. We had Mr. threshed them out and she had an Andrew Lang staying here." "Oh, ephah of barley, nigh a bushel. Oh, really! does he fish? Is he a good fisherman?" "Yes, sir, he fishes beautifully." "Really! does he catch much?" "Oh no, sir, he never catches anything, of rice."

A Characteristic Reply. The incorruptibility of General Walk- been a good little boy. spiritual improvement; the great Review of Reviews: At one time, when Truth, stroyed by the allied powers. "When the admiral returned from the Mediterranean he met in town a country acquaintance of the class whose souls are considered as the such a friend in Morde-strong the from the met in town acquaintance of the class whose souls are considered as the such a friend in Morde-strong the from the friend in Morde-strong bound together and beaten out, will at "I have no friends," was the reply.

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> Willy's Lament. | HEN sister



An' then they'll sit so far apart-Though I seen 'em together-An' both get red an' fin'lly start To speakin' of the weather.

An' ma and pa is jus' the same If I should hear' em scrappin' An' go to see, they act so tame You might think they'd been nappin'. An' then they'll ask me what I want, An' both start in together-

To talk about the weather. An' Sunday school is 'bout as bad. For if I ask the teacher Why does she always look so sad An' mournful at the preacher? She's almost sure to turn an' say That me an' Jones together

Is little-What a nasty day, She hates this stormy weather. An' so I 'spose that if I die

An' go where pa seems thinkin' I'm sure to go-I dunno why-Where there's no water drinkin', Ol' Satan an' his imps 'ill come An' yell at me together,

I wonder why he looks so glum? Why, this is glor'ous weather."



Mr. O'Toole (ruefully)-"Thot's the

"I am often hungry and am seldom

some prosperous family?" said the fat

tween the passing bicycles and escaped Moral: The fat dog's mistress re deemed him from the pound, and that be hung on his day is to doubt science and science is fact destroys the moral.—Truth,

> "Honesty," said Senator Sorghum. is the best policy very frequently. "You have er you have tested that

"Yes, sir; I may say that it laid in practical politics. He asked me

"And then you remembered that "Yes, I searched my inner conscious would not refuse,"-Washington

Just Between Friends of its long Miss Older—"Men must be growing When the more polite." I get seats in street cars

Miss Cutting-"Well, it's a might



Bell-"I wonder why old P. Nurie didn't come to the wedding?"
Nell-"I understand that he stay away on account of a raise in the

Uncle-"Bobby, I suppose you'v Bobby-"No, I haven't." Uncle-"Why, I hope you haven' Bobby-"Oh, no; just comfortable,"

"Why do you think that Bunker doesn't know his business?" ance sale."-Cleveland Leader

Uncle Eben Philosophizes "Er man kin git hisse'f inter a heap trouble an' 'sponsibility,' Uncle Eben, "by convincin' people cat he's smahter dan whut he re'ly is. Washington Star.

Mrs. Susan Stewart, of Wichita, Bas. teeth, and her age is ninety-three.

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steians for years—all were more or less The highest and the lowest do as they most popular officers in the British Commercial Appeal, one of the largest smoking full-flavored cigars. * * most all he can accommodate.

from his sanitarium is prima facia evi- rice, Princess Charles of Denmark, the in Andalusia. dence that his remedies are safe and Queen of Italy, the Queen of Roumania effectual. The cure is perfect, so much and the Queen Regent of Spain.

who takes this drug in the most min- able mainers who raises an this rack, used the mainers who raises an this rack, the design of the consumption him or herself as those using the great. of cigarettes. est amount. For the benefit of a drummer friend of my house I wrote the doctor and received '- answer a nice

You can assure your friend it is ab-

of occurrence in any other sanitarium nary, art. physicians of Memphis recognize him Mme. de Mair what he says.

E. L. WRIGHT, M. D. Maintenon. million sterling is the year ly value of the potato crop of the uni-

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic, 10c or What use has a man with whiskers worked to prolong his life.

FRAIL WOMAN

Discussion-

two generations ago; but from the work goes on. doctor's standpoint is a rapid degeneration. These delicate creatures are edsy to get sick, hard to keep well, and At the end of each hair of a cat's

very difficult to cure when sick.

ELF!

er Jesse gan Co., er. and trai than individual than individual than individual training of the control of the c

special study and thought and done telicate "feeler." much toward remedying the matter.

It is proposed in Finland to abolish
He makes an annual distribution of the press censorship, on the ground care and cure of women. He conducts a prodigious correspondence which covers all parts of the United States, giving advice, perscriptions, etc., etc. All this he does without charge. Every letter receives prompt and care.

Nearly 4,000,000 women, or 18 ner. confidential. The doctor is now busy at work preparing a book for women only, the will be ready for publication in few months. In this book is shown how few women are free from catarrh; how many have catarrh in the finish of buildings and assert that

The Michigan house has voted is finfants in the buildings is 4 per make the apple blossom the state

above class of scientists recognize and speatedly borne testimony, to the effects of setter's stemach filters as a remedy and entire of fever and sque, rheumatism, want gor, liver complaint, and some other ails not infirm conditions of the system Expanse and infirm conditions of the system is a 1,000-round horse gets to be worth to be re-focused. "Where a recess in the cliff is reached in descending or ascending by the ropes, one's body, being insulated, begins to rotate like a goose on a roast-ingle system."

WOMEN SMOKERS

Writer Who Approves of the Fal Sex Using Tobacco. A recent writer on the subject of "Women Smokers" has something to say that may prove interesting reading

"When in a play a well-dressed woman produces a cigarette case and begins

anxious to see the doctor put his theory please in the matter. Now and then army-Lieutenant-Colonel Willoughbyinto execution. He selected as a pa- there arises some strong and inde- Verner, of the Rifle Brigade, who is, and position have always had, as is whether the increased or decreased there arises some strong and inde-there arises some strong and inde-ant of the oldest physician of that city, course and is perfectly indifferent to who was using from 40 to 60 grains of outside opinion. Such a character was Sul. of Morphine per day. He livited the late Miss Emily Faithful, a most his professional brothers to visit the noble, admirable and withal womanly patient from the beginning to the end and at all hours of treatment. The and at all hours of treatment. The nerves after her work was done by daily papers in the South, asked per- The peasant women, especialy in Iremission and sent one of its reporters, land and Scotland, enjoy their whiffswho gave daily reports for the benefit from short pipes filled with strong toof humanity, and concluded by saying: bacco. * * * No! I'm not advocat-"The Commercial Appeal takes pleas- ing the use of short clays among the ure in indorsing this cure." Strange wide class covered by the word 'ladies,' o say, without an effort on his part, but for the life of my I cannot see what ople afflicted with these habits, go harm is done to these peasant women or send to him from every state in the by the process of puffing off their Union. At the conclusion of this case cares in their own way. In the best the medical fraternity readily recognitions nowadays when cigars prenized the efficacy of these wonderful handed around to the gentlemen ciga- of bare-legged Spanish leech-catchers. remedies. In the eyes of the profes- rettes are offered to the ladies. The who beat down the reeds for him with sion the success in that case was so hostess, as a rule, sets the necessary their poles. The gallant Colonel's great the doctor opened a sanitarium to example to her lady guests. The ranks highest nest (as compared with the treat no other troubles. He has now of the regular cigarette smokers in-

so the doctor guarantees a cure in have no space for a list of prominent every respect, either at home or in the members of the English aristocracy sanitarium, and allows each patient to who indulge in the fragrant weed, be the judge of his own cure. * * It is only the middle-class with lead weight attached, for Dr. Lipscomb says a man or woman person of would-be intensely respect. menicating up or down; a nest of tin who takes this drug in the most min- able manners who raises all this rack. boxes for eggs, carried in a loong

DIGNITY OF DINING.

business letter. He gave the names of Some 200 or 300 years ago Italy led many patients he had cure in our in cooking and France laughed and state and many others. I wrote and many others. I wrote and many others. I wrote and received the following:

| The cooking and France laughed and many others. I wrote and mocked at the Italian devotion to the kitchen. Then came one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad, a one by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf by the late Crown Prince Rudolf bis return to England from abroad by the late Crown Prince Rudolf by the late Crown Prince Rudolf by the late Crown Pr Blankeston, La., March 2, 1897. days in France when masters of the of Austria, who had used it himself birth and a death occurred at Devon-Dear Sir: Yours received and an art of cooking, such as Bechameil, whilst chamois-hunting in the Tyrol, shire terrace. On Oct. 28 his fourth Memphis, Tenn., cured me of the Vatel, the famous steward of the prince quite a startling manner the frightful ward his eldest raven there also died. sity to prepare a favorite dish.

manept, as I have met patients who soup now called after her, while the and this is what he said: "Perhaps it were cured over a year ago, princess of Conde gave her name to a would be better, first of all, if I said I possibly lost one night's particular mode of serving a breast of a word or two about that photo. In it but am personally ac-mutton. The duchess of Mailly, vying I am depicted climbing down a cliff led with a lady of Wesson, Miss. with her, invented a special way of on the south coast of Ireland. I am alept through the entire course dressing a leg of the animal. Louise about fifty feet down, and the cliff was treatment. This is an unprocedent- de la Valliero-was skilled in the coll- nearly 300 feet above the sea. The

as their leader in this line of work, slarmed at the delight of Louis XIV. Women's Christian Temperance over the breast of mutten a la Conde Union and Women's Council are con- that the called in Pere La Chaise and stantly doing him honor. If you will Pere Douiliet, and the trio evolved the ite to Dr. Lipscomb he will tell you duck an Douillet; this dish is famous what is best, and you can rely upon in history as the means of weaning the susceptible monarch from the princesa de Conde to the triumphant

Moderation in manner of eating and hoice of food has not always characterized men of history. Both Na-Take Larative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All poleon I. and Carlyle are said to have broughts refund the mency if it fails to core. the project their directions and towards. Many a man who thinks he is smart, rapid eating. On the other hand, the care with which Gladstone partakes of the viands set before him has been acknowledged over and over again as one the greatest factors which has

Much Deviltry Uncovered. A feature of the religious revival in Is the Subject of a Recent Medical progress at Hortonville, Ind., is that the conversions have had the effect expedition," pursued Mr. Kearton, "I of uncovering more or less dishonesty first procure a couple of ropes about That American women are growing and other offenses. One penitent paid the thickness of one's thumb, and in nore slender and frail is too apparent back \$40, which he had taken from length from 200 feet to 300 feet. Next to any observer for argument. Sienthe owner of a steam thrashing maderness and fragility are the words chine. Another acknowledged to the ground some distance from the edge of that best describe the typical girl of to-injured party that he had sworn false-the cliff. One rope (the guide day. From an aesthetic standpoint, by against him in court. Confessions is securely tied to this crowbar, and perhaps, all this is an improvement on of the theft of hams, chickens, etc., then held by the man who is letting. the more buxom and sturdy woman of have been lively and still the good me down. Attached to the end are

br. Hartman has given this subject makes that particular hair a very

books devoted to the subjects of the that it is needless, and only fosters hy-

Every letter receives prompt and the confidential.

Nearly 4,000,000 women; or 18 per is vitally important.

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In the girth or sling. As the sound were in 1890 engaged in earning their of one's voice is lost when at a depth described in the cliff of about fifty feet, and the cliff of about fifty feet.

some form or location. As Pe-ru-nais the greatest, if not the only, internal remedy for catarrhal diseases, it con-George Peabody's donation of \$2 .etitutes the doctor's principal prescription. The cures made with Pe-ru-na 500,000 for London workingmen's are not temporary, like other catarrh houses has increased to \$6,000,000 in cures, but they remain. Send for free the twenty-four years since his death. Last year the trustees of the fund proru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, vided 11,367 rooms, besides bath rooms,

Oregon girl with two suitors are driven up over the divide from the danadian plains, and then have to be transported eight to sixteen miles by water. The freight on them for this

is said to have invented an anaesthetic ing-jack; and the sensation of twirl-which volatilizes rapidly on exposure ing round in mid-air at the end of a sacred to her as a shrine is to its imuries." Every man that ever tried in

AN ADVENTUROUS SPORT THAT but a horrified yell from me brought CALLS FOR NERVE.

by Ropes The Implements Required ing of a raven's nest at Trevent, Pem-

(London Letter.)

cliff-climbing, or, dened with steel crowbars, ropes, and more properly, other impedimenta.

These habits have puzzled the phyIt affects middle-class women only. appropriately enough—one of the The Noted House Where He Tarned the

of an almost impenetrable thicket, which was surrounded by a large swamp covered with reeds 10 feet high." Here the great bird relied for sign it.

Forster, perhaps for the olt of ground a larger attached to it; and it was with regret than most good farmers think advisable from planting small growing varieties in rows closer together than is sign it. security on the solitude of the swamp, and the difficulty of access to the tree, Certainly, Colonel Verner would never have reached that nest were it not for the assistance rendered by a couple lowest, mentioned above) was that of -clude the dowager empress of Russia. a golden eagle, which took up its about The cured patients turned out daily the Princess of Wales, Princess Beat- in a dizzy crag, 2800 feet above Jimena,

> Asked as to the details of his cliffclimbing outfit, Colonel Verner said "I take with me 180 feet of 1-inch Alpine rope; 50 feet of 2-inch rope for 'bad' places; a ball of strong twine jacket); water-bottle and provisions; a hand camera, and a set of egg-blowing instruments packed in a case.'

To these may be added a 28 foot of his life, that occasion so ferently pigs until they are ready to be sold desired of all, so long in coming to rather than keeping them a longer time fou can assure your friend it is ab-utely painless in every respect; also. The princess of Soubise invented the scribe his method of making a descent. He died of putty and paint!



"Before starting on a cliff-climbing three loops which are placed round my body and under my legs to prevent me from falling out. With the camera slung over my back, and the guiderope in my hand, I deliberately ackwards over the brink of the cliff. the rope being controlled by a man who unwinds it at given signals. On firing my revolver, the situation of a is at once revealed by the sudden flight of the birds. As I am lowered. I carefully dislodge with my feet every loose bit of rock with my reach so as to avoid a possible shower of rubble and stones (the result of contact with the rope) when below. This receives my signals. The nest to be photographed may be found on a fairly accessible ledge, in which case the manipulation of the camera is com-paratively easy; but where it is built on a projecting stone or small edge, tremendous difficulties have to be over-In such cases two legs of the camera must rest on my body, most waist. Having fixed up the apparatus I proceed to focus the the most difficult task of all, and one which may last five minutes or an hour, or even longer still, according to circumstances. Then it frequently happens that when everything is ready for the exposure, one of my legs will

his companion, the signal man, and he misdemeanors.

slip or my body sway in an aggravat-

Some Up-to-date Hints About Cultiva tion of the Soil and Yields Thereof

Another illustration shows the tak-A Woman Walking Backward Down a brokeshire. This nest was placed in a deep hollow, which is seen a little below the climber (Mr. C. D. Head). The great cliffs at this point are un-N egg-hunting, as usually steep and lofty, this one in other things, there are degrees; and main line of cliffs, and having a ragin this article I ing sea on either side. To reach the propose to deal spot where the rope attendant is seen only with the very standing, a narrow saddle-shaped ridge highest form of of treacherous rock and soil had to be. hobby. I refer more wide, so that passing over it was no particularly to pleasant task, especially when bur-

WHERE DICKENS LIVED.

the careless fellow to some sense

Financial Corner. as to situation—and also the very first eagle's nest I ever took, was that of an Imperial eagle—a tree-nesting the year 1839 to the year 1850. "He yelds from planting moderately early species. This nest was in a stunted tree, only 20 feet high, in the middle Forster, "perhaps for the bit of ground a larger number of kernels per acre



DICKENS' HOUSE AT DEVON-SHIRE.

distinction of being the place which bis neighbors. Many tests seem saw Dickens turn the financial corner show a greater profit from full feeding

Civilization in Benin has clearly retthe last seventy or eighty years. Among the few travelers who made their way to Benin in the earlier years The practice of making human sacri-Lleutenant King with kola-nut and tucky" Such a recommendati Mother of Benin was dressed in clothes of a stallion profitable. still Considered as gods by the nathink now.

phantly)-Distinctly.



TAKING RAVEN'S NEST AT TRE-

The rooms of a Corean woman are as which volatilizes rapidly on exposure to the benighted now are ignorant of America's tonic and alterative.

Maple syrup has been adulterated so long people won't have the genuine.

I never used so quick a cure as Piso's Cure for Consumption.—J. B. Palmer, Box 1971, Seattle, Wash. Nov. 25, 1895.

Nothing shocks a man more than to see two amiable women quarreling.

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Do not throw money away experimenting but the present time is about \$23,000,000,
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The Total value of gold in the world in the sensation of twirting at the end of a sacting round in mid-air at the end of a sacting round in

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURISTS. duty, fust in time to avoid a catas

-Horticulture, Viticulture and Flori-



The homes of men of place, power, his land with this, he would not know the world at large. Lately the build- years was owing to the variety or the

Devonshire terrace has the unique shallow and level cultivation rather than deep and ridged cultivation; from planting rather shallow early and deeper in late planting. Other trials have med to show that very frequent cultivation does not repay its cost; that it is important to cultivate as soon as may be after rains; that deep cultivaion while the stalks are small may be selpful, if followed by shallow culture. Many of these things could be tested on any corn growing farm. A trial for ne year is not enough, as the results ight be different if the seasons were ifferent. Feeding tests on farms are at so conveniently made, as they may make it necessary to have separate en-closures for stock. But a more satis-

factory opinion can be formed as to whether Poland Chinas or Duroc Jereys, whether pure bred or cross bred ogs are the better, by making direct mparisons on one farm than by comparing one's hogs with those of

Having been asked for an opinion re-

had performed exceptional service, ing their oats and hay by the sweat of seem to have witnessed any scenes of within the reach of any ambitious ownsloodshed while he remained in the er. It is not the fad to purchase 2 or countsy. The traveler was introduced year-old colts at a price running into also to the Queen-Mother, who lived the thousands simply to tell one's a separate court just outside the city. friends or the public that the youngster The Queen-Mother, like her son the is a trotter to the manor born, a valua-King, had one of her arms supported ble piece of horse flesh, as "he cost me an attendant. She entertained \$3,000 at Gea. Blue Blood's, in Kenother refreshments, and asked him in- all that was needed eight or ten years numerable questions. The Queen- since in order to make most any kind of European silk, and she wore a kundreds of colts sold by Kentucky road-brimmed lace hat on her head, breeders and dealers, at what would Altogether, the city, with its wide, now be termed japulous prices, that straight streets and "neat and hand paid for themselves and their breeding houses," appears to have made a the first teason they were shipped very favorable impression upon the north. And yet the majority of these tenant, according to whom Euro- colts would be worthless were they

peans were at the date of his visit placed upon the market today as geldclass them as such, . It may be possible ives of Benin." We wonder what they that well bred stallions can be pur chased as cheaply in the future as now, but we doubt it. To own a stallion is one thing, but to Glux-Great guns! I believe you're make himself supporting or even capagetting deaf, old man. Gilks-I'm not, ble of earning a reasonable rate of in-Could never hear better in my life, terest on the purchase is quite another Gink (producing a watch)-Can you Even during the dull times since 1893, hear that watch tick? Gilks (trium- a few owners have been able to make Ginx-That's such a showing, while still fewer have The watch isn't golfg .- Pick- done better. Every horseman is not calculated by nature or habit to become a successful stallion manager. There may be found men in every cou this union that can make any kind of a stallion profitable. Some, of course more profitable than others. - Such men are not taken down "off the hook," likso much copy for a hungry typesetting machine, but are "born that way." Out advice to the friend who suggested chances for and against success, and if The number of brands sold in the state these lines is, to consider well the willing to make a venture, why, do so was 60 in 1894, 74 in 1895 and 117 in the coming season. As a rule when a person has been exposed to any of the numerous fads that go the rounds every few years the only "way out" is vaccination or a run of the fever. If our friend feels disposed to stay by the business after he is well into it, the probabilities are that he will eventu-

ally flush some game and land it at the wire ahead of the hounds. New, as to the purchase of a stallion. Our friend anxious to learn which would be the better plan, to purchase a well bred out undeveloped youngster, or one with fairly fast record. To which we will say: Don't purchase a colt, unless you have a good stiff account in the bank or are thoroughly competent and will ing to do your own developing. Mark you, this thing of hiring some one to educate develop and campaign you

ers, we climbed in through the skylight

lion is to buy one that has established himself as a sire. 1545

Mr. Frank O. Sibley says, in an exchange, in regard to constructing the tion or pit about three feet deep and of size sufficient to accommodate the number of plants you wish to start. Of course the pit will be better if built of brick, but boards or planks will do. As to situation, it is needless to say that it should be located in some dry. ture experiments at an experiment station s hould be located in some dry, sheltered spot, facing the south or neither be accepted nor rejected, so far as their applicability to work in soils of different character or in a diff pit and trodden down firmly in layers to the required depth, which is generally two and a half feet deep. This done, Pale People. He found that the pits of neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headhowever, it may be readily ascertained | While praying in church at Tirzah, | Some people are so polite that they by plunging a thermometer into the S. C., on a recent Sunday, Jonah Cros- are dishonest be well rotted, though common garden soil will do, and it is best to mix it with about a third of fine, old manure. In this sow the seeds thinly, in drills, Remedy Co. 286 Fifth St., Cincinnati, Ohio. two or three inches apart, and as soon as they have come up nicely and are out of the seed leaf, either thin out or transplant to another frame. It is advisable to give the plants air every mild day by raising the sashes at the Where Are You Going This Summer? back. Moreover, water the plants with Now that summer is here, and warm

well covered with straw mats or board shutters. Tomatoes, peppers and egg ginnieg to plan as to where they will plants ought to be sown in a separate go. It has been demonstrated that rame from cabbage, cauliflower and people living in high altitudes should lettuce, in that they require more heat go to the seashore, and people living in Moisture and Strawberries. to mean Colorado, because there is have you tried them for breakfast! Cooks in 10 minutes. One pound equal to two pounds of meat.

A builterin of the Ohio experiment found more in the way of recreation minutes. One pound equal to two pounds of meat. says: Although strawberry plants will and pleasure than in any other locality. not thrive where the soil is perma- It would fill much space to name the --- If you want women to admire a man, rphine habit of eleven years' stand- de Conde, ruled-over the dinner table, positions in which cliff-climbers quite "He kept his eye to the last upon the garding the purchase of a stallion, and great ladies thought it no indig- commonly find themselves. This dar- meat," writes Dickens, "as it roasted, requested to state whether I should ad- dant supply of moisture, both during but any of the many points on the Ing man is Mr. C. Kearton, of Eistree, Herfs. I asked Mr. Kearton to describe his method of making a descent.

Herfs is method of making a descent.

He died of putty and paint!

He died of putty and paint! and higher prices, we submit the following: At a not very remote period it appeared to be the prevailing opinion plowing, and breaks up in clods, occa- expense than any other, but the sports Civilization in Bettin has clearly retaining and the last seventy or eighty years, the last seventy or eighty years. Among the few travelers who made methods of securing a competency was fairly good condition for planting, the abound, can satisfy his ambition to it to purchase a well bred stallion and water which has been lost cannot be fullest extent. Those who prefer le of the century was Mr. John King a lieutenant in the Royal Navy, who visited the place in 1820. The traveler leason, says a writer in Western Horsewas received in a singular, though man. A few men did make the busiamicable, manner by the King of Beness pan out very well for a short may escape from unplowed ground in those who wish to unite business with nin. During the interview, one of the series of years, but the large majority one week, in excess of the quantity pleasure, is open the opportunity King's arms was "stretched out hori- of persons similarly engaged fell far which will pass off from an equal area prospecting or investing in Colorado In other which has been plowed early and har- mines, and in this direction no place zontally and supported by a great of short of their expectancy. In other which has been plowed early and harficer, and the nail on one finger of each words, their plans suffered a miscarrowed at frequent intervals. Morepromises such flattering returns. hand had been suffered to grow to a riage, or else died abornin'. Many an over, the ground which has been mining interests, while having already great length' to indicate that his high air castle went up in smoke, and a plowed late will continue to dry out yielded enormous wealth, are only in thation placed him above the necessity large number of would be great sires during the season at a rate in excess their infancy, and every day, shows the labor." The King had at that time have since been added to the list of of the early plowed. This shows plain-4,000 wives, but some of these he would; serviceable geldings, and are now en- ly that early plowing and frequent harrive upon occasion to any subject who gaged in the honorable pursuit of earn- rowing are essential, in order to retain bial that the "tenderfoot" "strikes it" ing their oats and hay by the sweat of the soil moisture, even though planting as frequently as the practical miner, their collar. However, the present is may be delayed. The difference be-The practice of making human sacrifices was uniformly denied by the natives, and Lieutenant King does not treat good horse can be obtained is capacity of the soil to retain moisture where the "old timer" has run over it during the season. The best prepara- You will make no mistake in going t tion for a strawberry bed is fall Colorado for your summer outing. ground is fit to work. The prevention he has time to be gay, his liver refuses

plowing, where the soil will admit, and f not then as early in the spring as the escape of moisture from the soil to let him. during the growing season is also imhis can be accomplished, showers as after heavy rains. Retain- his condition. ng of moisture by mulching during the FITS Permanenth

practicable method than cultivation. Fig. 2.10 practicable method than cultivation. Fig. 2.10 practicable method than cultivation. Fertilizers in Maine. Bulletin 30 of Maine station gives tables of analyses of fertilizers sold in that state. The law requires dealers to send fair samples to the station, representing the fertilizers to be offered. These are analyzed, certified and a license issued. Every bag sold must have a label attached, giving the station's analysis. Afterwards the station must procure and analyze samples of the same brands which have been sold to farmers, to see if the goods sold are up. to the sample sent in at first, and also to see if they are up to the guarantee. However, 12 were below the guarantee in nitrogen; 17 were below in phosphoric acid, four of them badly so; 26 were below in potash, 8 badly so: The samples taken from goods that had been sold did not always come up to the sample sent in by the manufacturers at the beginning of the season. Though many were above the first samples sent, 42 were below in nitrogen, 42 in phosphoric acid, and 46 in potash.

1896. Controlling Your Market .- If you are already producing more than you can sell, cut down your force and produce less with less expense, until you pro duce only profitable crops. It may that some other crop would pay better for you than the one you are growing. Each one must determine that. Not all sections demand the same. Choose always what is demanded. One may not be able to sell vegetables in summer, when he might in winter. Act accordingly.. Or he could sell strawberries when he could not beans. Grow berries. Or extra early peas will sell, and not late ones; or very late and not medium ones. Your course is clear; only keep your eyes open for facts and hints. No one crop will still pay everywhere, but every sharp to your own location and choose

room when it is being de rag should be hung in the dr after-ward till the odor disappears.

No painter can make a picture that and crawled out of the basement win- equals in beauty an orchard in bloom.

CLIMBING THE CLIFFS. let the coll of rope slip up to the top of the crowbar. A moment more and it would have slipped off altogether,

Miss Watrous concluded that the

und money if not satisfi

The best people occasionally slip in to gossiping without realizing it.

Mrs. Winslow a Soothing Syrup

LIQUOR HABIT POSITIVELY CURED.

This is the season when we begin to

SCOTCH ROLLED OATS.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Indiana prisoners deprived of work

Hall's Catarrh Cure

There are plenty of mean men who

the heart fails

when a man dies,

but "Heart Failure," so called, ni

Acid in the blood which the Kidney

fail to remove, and which corrider

the heart until it becomes unable to

properly refuse to accept " Heart Fail-

ure," as a cause of death. It is fre-

quently a sign of ignorance in the

physician, or may be given to cover

up the real cause.

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The papers are full

of deaths from

Heart

The Revivifying Effects of a Proper Nerve Food Demonstrated.

(vious to ber illness From the Era, Bradford, Pa. Several months ago, Miss Cora Watous, the sixteen-year old daughter of cure was complete and left home for a hotbed, "Begin by making an excava- Mr. I. C. Watrous, a locomotive fire- visit to relatives in the grape country

put on the sashes and keep the pit closed until the heat rises. If the weather is favorable, the heat will a trial. A box of the pills was purprobably go up to 100 degrees or more, chased and before they had all been either in male or female. Pink Pills which is altogether too warm to sow taken there was a marked improve- are sold by all dealers, or will be sen seeds in; but after two or three days ment in the girl's condition. After a postpaid or receipt of price, 50 cents a it will subside to ninety degrees or half dozen boxes had been used, the box, or six boxes for \$2.50 (they are ess, and then is the time to put on the young lady's appetite had returned, never sold in bulk, or by the 100 soil, which should be done to the the pain in her head had ceased and addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine depth of six to eight inches. In case she was stronger than at any time pre-

manure. I make mention of this because it is very important that the soil be not added until the temperature has gone down to 90 degrees at ture has gone down to 90 degrees at stampede of the congregation.

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To qual to a cetic full of life, nerve and vigor, lake No restricted by the wonder-worker, that makes weak mentions and the soil used, it should be stampede of the congregation. manure. I make mention of this be- by, colored, found a big pistol in his Don't Tobacce Spit and Smoke Your Life Away

A man has a good many rights he is never allowed to mention. GET STRENGTH AND APPETITE. More than \$200,000 worth of Easter

MOUNTAINS OF COLORADO.

topid water whenever you think it nec- weather is near at hand, the great numessary, and during cold nights and ber of people who have acquired the Most people can look at a woman, snowstorms be sure to keep the frames habit of spending the "hot spell" in and tell whether she is gray. some cooler place than home Home Treatment Willen guarantee given-enre no pay. Sepil St. along for treatme. Neuro Medicine Co., Robolitaville, N. Y., Mention this pa low altitudes should go to the moun- remember we never enjoy hot weat tains; and "the mountains" has come 10c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money. are to be driver. Is a constitutional cure. Price, 75c.

When a man reaches the age when

his can be accomplished, Guaranteed tobacco babit cure, makes weak by frequent cultivation, men strong, blood pure. boc, \$1. All druggista especially after every rain. It is quite Every one occasionally wishes that ortant to stir the soil after light his friends would worry more about

will remove the poisonous Uric' Acid by putting the Kidneys in a healthy condition so that they will naturally We would rather be a fat how





your advertisement

I thought that it was probably like the announcements of many other makers of harvesting machinery—big blow and little show; but I'm ready to surrenders go abead, gentlemen, you're all right: I bought one of your binders last season and it is equal to any claim you ever made for it."

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ington to Charleston.

appropriating \$5000 for the relief city that prides itself on its cul- otism, will stand as a proof or a that. of the flood sufferers of El Paso. fivation, refinement and citizen- pledge that the battle begun nearship; a city that has gained a ly two years ago is still in proois is almost a failure. It was

ruined by the late frost. The legislature of New York-

Texas newspaperdom lost one of its best and most capable workof its best and most capable workors when J. L. Watson, of the Houston Post, died.

about McKinley's Cuban policy forget to tell us what his policy

Fred J. Cunningham, one of Atlanta's swell society young men, has gone whirling to the penitento rob Grocer Stanford. Spain refuses the intervention

of the United States in Cuban affairs, and there is a prospect of fairs, and there is a prospect of was not a gun fired by an officer. a terrible thing to observe public News figures that by 1945, the Spain. Let her come.

Navagota.

John Sherman, Secretary of State, celebrated his 74th birth:

Will John swas innocent—at least payment for election contracts.

The Best Way

The Best Way

If prosperity had kept on coming and not stopped at Washingto perhaps somebody would have
to perhaps somebody would have
got a hunk of it inside of fifty
years, but now it will be cut up
years a there is a food in
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tightly after serving eighteen and a dead man! Golf forgive my lit-money given by which elections feel entirely well."

on. This company has had some ing their guns and puncturing stubborn things to contend with one snother's hide with bullets. and have just about mounted all It might be supposed that they obstacles, and the management used the gans to punctuate their says the iron for the first ten miles exciamations also.—Dodd City alienate the people from their man who has success when others has been bought and that the G. News.

A B. V. will soon be in Mineral Wells: It stands our people in hand to encourage the building as ballots won't win, bulllets should much as possible.—Graphic.

A B. V. will soon be in Mineral dectrine, that if arguments and ballots won't win, bulllets should be respined to the people from their party and awaken a disposition and desperation to substitute almost any wild and untried leading as become a people from their party and awaken a disposition and desperation to substitute almost any wild and untried leading with the hope of a result. much as possible, -Graphic.

big rise, overflowing its banks, breaking the levees, and inundating a portion of El Paso. A and discouraged, having lost all latter fired. Wait. It will be no easy task to or when one is moving with the number of houses have been leight for a good health and "able to do undo the shackles which have current, but it requires character washed away and families left by ove work," because Hood's Sarsaparilla grown upon us with the growth and skill and daring to make

nurdated the town of Soincluding the Atchison, | Bood's Pills are the best family cathartic and | Eloped With Her Hired Man. o, including the Atchison, see the best family of the Atchison, liver medicince Gentle, reliable, sure.

OWENSBORO, KY., May 19.

Mrs. Minnie Carlin, who has been and scores of farms and We learn that the irrigation married to Peter Carlin for twenfeet of Fater. be many thousands of dollars to Unlow beologiit trees and crops.

awarde. The situation in congress seems to be that Speaker Reed will not allow the House to engage in any making an extensive write up of had been placed to her credit by other legislation until the tariff the advantages of the scheme. bill is passed, and the Senate will the further the gentleman got chased tickets to Cairo, Ill., but it characters are the further the gentleman got chased tickets to Cairo, Ill., but it characters are the further the gentleman got chased tickets to Cairo, Ill., but it characters are the further the gentleman got chased tickets to Cairo, Ill., but it characters are the further the gentleman got chased tickets to Cairo, Ill., but it characters are the further than the further the gentleman got characters. legislation is assented to. And was, and when the trip was fin. Florida, where the woman owns meanwhile the era of prosperity ished he announced that he could an orange grove, given to her by tinuous performance undergoes a except over the signiture of the authors.—Hall County Herald.

Bucklen's Armea Salve. The Fest Salve in the world for Cute,

peal, it is claimed, will have the products, and is a welcome person may import and sell liquor rado and California every year, ator Sherman. The standpoint ision is based on the interstate ply has been sufficient for all views. mmerce law, the court holding needs, however and now Texas that the right of importation com-produce is finding a ready mar-prehends the right of sale. Ret in northern points. Keep your eye on the Dallas

Black Stain on Texas.

Never in the history of Texas Chicago Tribune. deliberate thinking person the be- prominent republican business

outlaws who should be hung.

Standing against the wall of as regards prosperity, present bettered. the cell in which he was confined, and future: The trouble about the office- ready to be shot, Will Jones said: PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 15 .- ey in business and gives personal The trouble about the office about the o Distinct earthquake shocks my innocence." And he was shot amaker made a startling speech But in these days mere money, were felt last Monday from Wash - through the heart and riddled with upon the political and industrial unsupported by endeavor, is not bullets!

The legislature has passed a bill and flourishing cities of Texas; a time, when the air is full of patri- have to content themselves with world-wide reputation for giving gress and going on without limit But in their absence mere money annually the finest fauit show in of time, strength, and money, un- must content itself with its own the world, which thousands and an are compelled to ground their the world, which thousands and til the foes of good government legitimate wage .- N. Y. World.

The American people are the most extravagant people in the most extravagant people in the world.

Its great railroad interests are perous. Since the outset of the campaign the last presidential campaign the last the bowels and kidneys will find the true passenger, Chief Bratton received a telegram from the sheriff of Young county, who was at Cisco, asking him to arrest a man named the countries passenger. This medicine and every night; a city just regenerally fixed the November covering from the ash pile left election of 1896 as the date of the countries passenger. This medicine are the bowels and kidneys will find the true passenger, Chief Bratton received a telegram from the sheriff of Young county, who was at Cisco, asking him to arrest a man named The wheat crop is said to be ly burnt; a city that was begin- haif of the year has expired since and bowels adding strength and giving tone coming train. short in both acreage and yield ning to make arrangements for a the will of the republican party to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the

The papers that are talking can be gathered Will Jones was less the depression of business is "A cigarette is a roll of tobacco, well-to-do man. - Weatherford The papers that are talking can be gathered Will Jones was less the depression of business is aftered. Idleness and want breed a bitter discontent, which will mony of a mean, ignorant nemony of a mean, ignorant hold up a street car in Tacoma, Stewart—Jones being the third suilen, savage Turks, nor the instomach, spinal miningetes, softwash., and was killed by the momentum man he had accused of the mursurectionists of Cuba, nor the ening of the brain, funeral der. Everything points to a deep territory-grasping British, but processions and families shrouded and deliberately planned they are our own patient, hearting gloom. There are plenty of scheme to murder lanes. The tired recole our own patient, hearting gloom. There are plenty of scheme to murder lanes. scheme to murder Jones. The tired people, our own suffering, subjects left, however, who are which we ought to manufacture officers at Tyler knew the mob much-promised people, who, be-was organized and it was looked trayed and disheartened, no lon-of such a trivial nature for the tiary for ten years for an attempt for, still they took no precaution ger have faith in their party, and to protect the prisoner. They had will turn to any leaderships that no guard at the jail save three or offer promise of better times, be-

Gen. H. H. Boone, attorney- or were downright cowards—in and the people sweeping away all survivors of the civil war will have passed away, the United general of Texas during Gov. out of office, if not prosecuted as party.

Coke's second, administration, accessories to one of the most terdied Sunday at his home in rible crines that has ever be- up indifferent to republican prin- added to the cost of the war makes Texas.

getting in, his dotage. He has ten to what he said when he knew tions is falling lower and lower to get back the health that is gradually slip-

and sold in small strips to the man on the testimony of a mean, patronage centinue to be controll- me. I was so weak and in such pain-t had me allow me to speak to the doc- holders to hold office for of passery When I tried Farker's Giager W. W. Taylor, the defaulting tor one minute, just one minute. The leader, John, fired, then foltowed a yolley of shot and Jones government contracts or maintain any food. I continued to gain as I used it. ane of \$500,000, has been set at fell to the floor exclaiming, "Lam particular protections through the and now, after taking only a few bottles I

the sins, I am inneent of this."

At a populist meeting in Mills county last Saturday afternoon three members of the congregation who were engaged in an arguing match, became excited and hastened matters up by pull
The work of grading on the Gulf & Brazos Valley goes merrily and hastened matters up by pull
This compress has had some in the compress and mandaters and matters and matte

be resorted to .- Cleburne Recieuc.

relief.

Tired, Nervous, Sleepless lood waters make the week strong—this is experience of across the field to victory."

are under two or three boomers a short time ago took one ty-three years, eloped yesterday of the most prominent newspaper with George Shepherd, a hired men in Texas in a special train man in the employ of her husband. and carried him all over the pro-posed works on the Wichita river husband only 19. Before leaving and showed him the entire details Mrs. Carlin is said to have drawn into the affair the worse off he is thought they are en route to not publish anything for the plan her father, T. Eldred Crabtree,

Shipping Texas Produce. Something to Depend On. We see from the Houston Post Bruses, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum Fever that considerable produce is be- Mr. James Jones, of the firm of Jones & Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains ing shipped from Texas to the Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively northern states. A carload of New Discovery, says that last winter his wife bures Piles or no psy required. It is guar- cabbage and beans was shipped was attacked with La Grippe, and her case anteed to give satisfaction or money refund-ed. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Bolfrass, of Houston. Last week and Pana could do nothing for her. It seema car of potatoes was sent to Mis- ed to develope into Hasty Consumption. souri, and Wednesday another Having Dr King's New Discovery in store, Judge Simonton of the United car of potatoes went to the same and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, States circuit court has rendered state. Other Texas coast towns and to the surprise of all she began to get a decision in the case of Vander- are also shipping vegetables to better from first dose, and half dozen dollar cook county against the state of the northern states, and the busi- bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's South Carolina, restraining the ness has been going on for several New Discovery for Consumption. Coughs state from preventing the sale of weeks. This seems to bring back and Colds is guaranteed to do this good liquors brought into the state. part of the money that is sent work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Akin's The decision, if systained on ap- from Texas annually for these Drug Store. effect of rendering nugatory the change. Texas merchants buy Secretary Sherman looks at state dispensary law. Under the hundreds of carloads of potatoes things through glasses greatly decision of Judge Simonton any and cabbages in Missouri, Colo- different from those used by Sen-

al packages. The de- For several months the home sup- makes a vast difference in our

The Wages of Money.

The savings banks are contemhas such a disgraceful and out- The following speech, deliver- plating a reduction of interest to

TEXAS.

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TEXAS.

Tageous proceeding occurred as that at Tyler last Sunday morning. It puts a dark stain upon fair Texas that cannot be erased; administration, is of considerable that.

Texas.

The such a disgratering the reduction of the rest of three per cent.

That is in fact all that invested money is now worth, where its inwedicine cures you when sick; if it makes wonderfulcures everywhere, then beyond that. fair Texas that cannot be erased; it leaves in the minds of every interest as coming from one of the personal endeavor of any kind. When the owners of real estate lief that an innocent man has men of the country, and is an in- in this town begin to realize this been shot to death by a gang of dex of the condition of the times truth rents will come down and outlaws who should be hung.

Wanamaker's Warning.

Where a man invests his monoutlook. He said:

"I believe this gathering at this and the owners of money will soon."

Old People.

where a human being was recent- beginning of good times. A good siterative. It acts mildly on the stomach Henry Ward, who was on the in- in each in France. Save your wheat in great fair this summer; a city that good condition.

great fair this summer; a city that is constantly is asking settlers to come and be of it.

Texas newspaperflow lost one. It would be no wonder if the analysis of the campaign is nearing settlement, and heavily to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the officers boarded it, and after a close search found Ward, arrested him and put him in jail, where he will one of the functions. Cld people find it just exactly what will await the arrival of the Vounger of the functions.

> town a way station on their lines. "The tide will soon set in strong A Missouri paper has the fol- co as his home, and the charge From the best information that against the republican party unan be gathered Will Jones was less the depression of business is

four officers who did not pretend lieving that worse times can never Col F. C. Ainsworth, of the war all our people. Right here in to defend the prisoner. There come than those existing. It is department, as a basis, the Dallas They either winked at lawlessness sentiment adrift and uncaptained, time when the report shows that States will have paid a total of "The young men are growing \$5,230,000,000 for pensions, which smirched the fair name of great ciples, with no respect for parties \$12,000,000,000, an amount six of broken platforms who use na- times the entire assessed value of

been a strong man but his race is he would be shot to death: under the reckless daring of un ping away, is to use Parker's Ginger Tonis "I am here, but boys you are scrupulous bosses. There are in time. Read what Mrs. H. Regert, Brooking influence, and the conforting influence in the ignorant negro. Before you kill ed in the interests of office to take my bed, where I spent days and nights

until cure is made.

is the hero in the sight of God "From some points of view it and man. It is an easy matter The Rio Grande has been on a Men and women-how gratefully they write might seem there was not much to make good times when both has power to enrich and purify the blood and of years. There is no short cut headway in spite of opposing forces, or to work successfully against the current.'

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When the train pulled in the

We are now paying more than of such a trivial nature for the be fairly established in the United States it will not be long before we will produce all our own Taking a statistical report of sugar to the great advantage of Texas beet sugar is a success;--Farmersville Times.

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A professional gentleman who was accustomed to take his morn-buys boxes of soap with \$10 bills The great watering place of Texas, is reachets are on sale with the principal roads of the ing glass, stepped into a saloon in them for \$5.

State. All Santa Fe and Texas & Pacific and going up to the bar called for A sucker is a small Alexander rains make connection at Westberford for and Northwestern Railway. Excursion tick-Mineral Wells.

A sucker is a standard whiskey. A seedy individual at twenty, who knows more than the stepped up to him and said:

A sucker is a standard which is a stepped up to the bar called for whiskey. A seedy individual at twenty, who knows more than the stepped up to him and said:

No. 1 Leaves Weatherford 10:30 a. m.

Arrive at Mineral Wells 11:50 m.

No. 2 Leaves Mineral Wells 7:20 a. m.

Arrives at Weatherford 9:00

No. 3 Leave Weatherford 4:00 p. m. an unfortunate fellow to join his goods from a travelling ped-

familiarity, and roughly told him:
"I am not in the habit of drinking with tramps."

ture to say that I am of just as A sucker is a fellow who signs good a family as you are, have a receipt for a car load of grindjust as good an education, and stones and then finds out that he before I took to drink was just as respectable as you are. What is The sucker is the windbag who more, I always knew how to act sits around the stores and abuses the gentleman. Take my word everybody behind their backs and for it, you stick to John Barley- imagines people don't hear of it. corn and he will bring you to just A sucker is a little fish that is

the same place I am.' 485, A. F. & A. M., meets on Satur day night of or before the full mose of each mouth. A. R. McDonald, W. M. YOUNG COUNTY LODGE No. were bloodshot, his face bloated, gall at that. his boots mismated, his clothing The world and water are full of

the saloon never to enter it again. hooked. -Classmate.

To the Point. An editor down in Arkansas,

I win Mountain Longs-No. 2202, Knights Honor, meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday in making his bow to the public scrapers are now at work on the does so in the following terse and grade of the road between here pointed language: "Our aim:-To tell the truth

Cornthian Lodge, No. 143, Knights "Our paper:-Of the people, for the people, to be paid for by few days and that the work would the people.

"Our religion:—Orthodox, with a firm belief in a hell for delinto to look like business, and those

quent subscribers. "Our motto:-Take all in sight and rustle for more.

"Our policy:-To love our friends and brimstone our enemies. If thine enemy smite thee on the cheek, swipe him with ford Advance, has a new girl at the most convenient ear.

country, one flag and one wifeat a time.

and splendor."

ly; and its vast list of subscribers extending to every state and territory of the Union and foreign countries, will vouch for the accuracy of the skin is to apply special reatures are a fine humor page, exgreen ointment, and when the feet or limbs are tired, stiff, ion for women and a long series of stores by the pledgre. He also sent fifty two Stanley Wayman, Mary E. Wilkins, card replying: "Take hold of the it and comment on the episode.

Anthony Hope, Bret Harte, tops and pull." It was the same We state plainly that we know The Graham Leader, together one "ear for \$1 60, cash in ad and

KNOXVILLE, TENN., May 23 .-This gives you three papers a week, or 156 witnessed phenomenal meterolog-

much damage.

ty miles from here.

it, the star and words and strange things they tell; the coin of our fathers well; the coin of our fathers, we're glad that we know grain it is but an act of wisdom it, for sometime or other it will and business foresight to stack come in so well. The spread-ea- the wheat and thus reduce the ligle dollar, the star-spangled ability of loss to a minimum." gle dollar, the star-spangled dollar, the old silver dollar we all Spoiled Sooner-How did you

love so well .- Monitor. 4 fighting out of Texas, Governor Seldum Fedd-Aw! I wasdriv-Culberson has vetoed an extrav- en to it by fate. One time when agant appropriation bill, and in- I was a growin' youth, jist passin' sists upon more economical county through de pin feather stage, administrations. The first thing travellin' phrenologist cum along Texas is to find out is that she has an' prognosticated dat I was sure a very level-headed young man to go to congress some day. In for governor,-New Orleans Pica order to avoid sich a calamity,

day an editor was roundly abused for calling two persons "reputabje" citizens. They did't know South America to be used in the meaning of the word and act- South Africa. ually theatened to make the editor Sixty men arrested in Russia prove it. The papers have not been filed yet we understand but the two "reputables" are trying to find witnesses to "lay the editor in a lie"

Sixty men arrested in Russia are to be sent to Siberia without trial.

Kitchen

"WANTED-By a competent woman, a place to work for husband's board." This local notice appears in an Arizona exchange. It is said her husband took the Product. hint, got a situation, and is now other women who might use the same means in an effort to produce

MATTHEWS., TIDWELL & NORMAN. like results. Notices of the above character are inserted free of

erate struggle r

A Sucker Defined.

A sucker is a "hoodoo" who

"I say, 'squire, can't you ask A sucker is a farmer who buys dler when he can buy them from

He was annoyed by the man's a home merchant twenty-five per A sucker is a youth who sticks his money on the pasteboards

"You need not be so cranky and high minded, my friend. I ven-

not worth the little worm it takes Struck with his words, the gen- to eaten him, but the human sucktleman set down his glass and er is generally caught on an turned to look at him. His eyes empty hook, and hooked in the

filthy. "Then it was drinking suckers and the shore is lined ADELPHI LODGE "Yes it was, and it will bring cipally down stream and the you to the same if you stick to it." suckers must swim socious the

6. & B. V. R. R.

A force of men with plows and and Milsap and something like a mile has been graded. President though the heavens take a tumble. Squires informed us that more men would be put to work in a

> who had about lost faith are now enthusiasts again. Let her come, we are ready, God knows .- Mineral Wells Health Resort. Editor Gresham, of the Craw-

haste and dexterity at the root of his home. But he went away from home to get her, as the following "What we advocate:-One from his paper explains: "We were in the midst of quite a

sensation when the train pulled "Our object:-To live in pomp out from Cleburne last Wednesday and found ourself in possession of a fine looking baby girt One of our exchanges describes that had been left with us while the man who could not afford to the train waited at Cleburne. A take his home paper as follows: nicely dressed lady asked us to By getting hold of a foreign hold her baby a few minutes, and advertising sheet he spent 81 by we continued to hold it until we the pledge. He also sent fifty two quite proud of it. She has spent cent stamps to fiftd out how to the past two days showing it to raise beets, and received a postal her friends who have called to see man who sent fifty cents to a fel- nothing of its name or parentage in the east for twelve household and will probably never know. articles and received a paper of When it was made known that it needles. He is a near relative had been left on the train, the lated to a man who sent \$6 to find the civil authorities. | We decided, out how to write without pen and that as we had no little once, we ink, and the answer was, "Try a would take it home with us, and lead pencil." He is a twin broth- we would care for it as the Lord er to the man who sent \$2 to find may give us grace and strength.

crop is now in sight and since wheat is no longer a drug on the The last twenty-four hours have market of our country, but a product commanding good price, ical displays in the central south. it behooves every farmer to look Last night hail fell here, doing carefully into the best method of This morning snow three inches to lay plans to bridge over emerdeep was reported on Yellow geneies if possible. It will be no-Mountain in North Carolina, six- ted that a large number of the threshers of our county have, A tornado unroofed several through various causes, been disbuildings in the vicinity of John- abled and are unfit for work, and son City last night killing sever- that doubtless it will be much harder to get threshing done at In eastern Kentucky to-day, the proper time than heretofore. near Pineville, six men were over- For this reason it has been suggested that the farmers should How dear to our hearts is the make preparations to stack their old silver dollar, when some kind wheat and thus guard against the friend presents it to view-the ravages of rain, storms and bleak Liberty head without nicktie or collar, and all the strange things that seem to us new. The wide seems that our country is becomspreading eagle, the arrow below ing more rainy every year, and

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lit out from home an' have kept a-movin ever since, never lin-Newspaper men have some gerin long enuff enuff in one place strange experiences. The other to git a residence.—Judge.

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