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## OF INSANITY

### Kills His Wife, Sets Fire to His Own Home and Kills Himself.

[illegible] from Valley Mills in [illegible] Monday says:

[illegible] just reached here of a [illegible] which was enacted [illegible] the farm house of Lem [illegible] few miles northeast of [illegible] at the Moffett home re[illegible] father and mother, the [illegible] daughter and an in[illegible] day the father com[illegible] daughter to carry the [illegible] home of its grandmother, [illegible] distance from the Moffett [illegible] the child obeyed. What [illegible] the child made for the [illegible] known, but her coming [illegible] grandmother with a pre[illegible] disaster and she at once [illegible] the Moffett home. Before [illegible] her fears were augmented by [illegible] that the house had [illegible] and she hastened her steps. [illegible] at the house an ominous [illegible] added to her misgivings [illegible] measure prepared her for [illegible] sight which met her [illegible] entered the house. Wel[illegible] life blood lay the dead [illegible] Moffett where she had [illegible] put to death by [illegible] There had been de[illegible] about the frenzied act, [illegible] wife had been killed [illegible] evidently planned to [illegible] the evidences of the [illegible] had been set on fire As [illegible] up he consummated [illegible] the tragedy by killing [illegible] falling near the body of [illegible] The crackling flames, [illegible] corpses of the dead mother [illegible] and the blood-bespattered [illegible] the frightened grand[illegible]

[illegible] were extinguished and [illegible] was found a pocket[illegible] containing $160, where it had been thrown. Insanity [illegible] as a cause for the [illegible]

### [illegible] from Rattlesnake Bite.

[illegible] of the Swans Chapel [illegible] was bitten by a rattle[illegible] Sunday evening about six [illegible] Everything was done for [illegible] that possibly could be done, [illegible] but at 9 o'clock Wednes[illegible] he died from the effects [illegible] of the bite.—Stamford [illegible] June 8th.

### [illegible] Closed for New Road.

[illegible]wood Daily Bulletin of [illegible] says: The contract [illegible] Brownwood and Cisco rail[illegible] was closed yesterday, [illegible] bonus having been rais[illegible] signed by twenty-two [illegible] citizens, guaranteeing [illegible] subscribed, was made yes[illegible] and its up to the [illegible] to put the enterprise [illegible] The Bulletin understands [illegible] Sunday night the engineer [illegible] completed his estimates [illegible] data and that Mr. [illegible] will leave at once thereafter for the east to finance the road. Mr. Connell is in receipt of a letter stating that the money is there, waiting for him upon a proper financial showing, which he is sure he can make

Mr. J. H. Reese has resigned his position as cashier of the Citizens National Bank at Dublin and is in Brownwood to accept a position in the general offices of the company. The company will maintain offices at Brownwood.

### To Survey Santa Fe Cut-Off.

Chief Engineer F. M. Jones of the Abilene and Northwestern arrived in Brownwood last night and from here will direct the movements of the surveying party that is to locate the Santa Fe cut-off from Brownwood to Texico. Mr. Jones stated that he could not say authoritatively, but that it was his opinion that actual construction would begin in six months from date. He was sent here from Texico, where he has been making a survey, and where, according to Mr. Jones, actual grading has begun on the road to Plainview.

The surveying corps, consisting of some eighteen men, has enstalled camps near town and the surveying was begun today.—Brownwood Bulletin, June 12th.

### A Vicious Attack.

Saturday evening a young man named Cameron entered Perry's drug store and slapped a boy named Ryley, who was sitting on a stool at the soda fountain. Benton Jones protested against the way the boy was being treated and Cameron struck Jones in the left cheek with his knife, and in the left side of the head, breaking off the end of the knife in the skull. Benton in this case should congratulate himself on being the possessor of a good, hard skull, for it proved a blessing. Cameron then made an attack on Ben Pate, who entered the store for something, cutting a light gash across his neck. He then made a demonstration against M. Cohn, but Mr. Cohn believed that descretion was the better part of valor and seeing no good reason to fight, left the field for those who did. An attack was then made on Gilbert Pate, but no damage was done.—Stephenville Tribune.

### Dogs and the Mail Service.

A recent ruling of the postal department reads: "Carriers are not required to deliver mail at residences where vicious dogs are permitted to run at large. Persons keeping such dogs must call at the postoffice for their mail."

Wood yard 'phone No. 158. 1-tf

### A Horrible Accident.

A Mr. Carter living near Indian Creek school house, while working with a reaper last Sunday morning, happened to a most serious accident, resulting in the loss of one of his legs. Mr. Carter in some way got his leg caught in the sickle of the machine and before he could extricate himself, one of the bones in his leg was sawed completely in two and the other bone so badly crushed that amputation of the limb was made necessary.

## SOUTH TEXAS

### A Brief Trip of the Editor to Corpus Christi and Other South Texas Points.

Monday of last week the Progress editor, accompanied by his better half, left by way of the Frisco to Ft. Worth and Dallas to attend the 27th annual convention of the Texas Press Association at Corpus Christi. At Dallas a large number of editors and their wives and sweethearts from various points in north, east and central Texas, assembled and all left in two special Pullman cars over the M. K. & T. Monday evening for San Antonio, where the party arrived about 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. At San Antonio the party was considerably augmented, as it had also been at the stations all along the line of the Katy, by other members of the association, who joined the party at these various points. Breakfast was had at San Antonio and until noon the party visited various places of interest in the Alamo city, including the venerable old Alamo itself, the Veramandi House built in 1716 and where Bowie and other patriots of the republic of Texas were surrounded by the Mexicans in 1835 just previous to their escape into the nearby Alamo. At noon the party left over the Aransas Pass road for Corpus Christi, appropriately called the Naples of the gulf, with the volcano disturbance left out, and they arrived at this beautiful little city, overlooking the broad expanse of Corpus Christi bay about 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night. Some miles up the road our train was boarded by a delegation of Corpus Christi citizens and ladies, including the mayor, members of the board of trade and others who passed through the two special cars and extended a hand of welcome to the press representatives, decorated all with beautiful flowers such as only grow where the pure gulf breeze lends a special fragrance to their delicate perfumes and before reaching Corpus the reception committee had provided all the party with assignments for accommodation, for the party had obtained such proportions that even the rooming accommodations of this well appointed health resort threatened to be taxed and in many cases private houses were thrown open that all might be comfortably situated. The train drew up at the depot amid a magnificent throng of people, who had come to extend further welcome to the editors and the local Mexican band of some thirty pieces rendered the sweet strains of America. All were very soon located at their various homes and were glad to get a rest from the weary travels of the previous thirty-six hours, though after supper many availed themselves of the opportunity of a plunge in the beautiful surf that lashed the beach directly in the front yard of many of the homes provided for the visitors.

Wednesday morning the fatigue of the travel across Texas from Dallas to the gulf, a distance of some five hundred miles, had been overcome by a refreshing sleep and about six o'clock the members of the association enjoyed in the bay the official annual bath, about three hundred bathers being in the surf at one time and at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning the association was called to order by President J. H. Lowry of the Honey Grove Signal, blessing was invoked by Rev. D. B. South, pastor of the Baptist church at Corpus Christi and an eloquent address of welcome was delivered by Hon. Robert W. Stayton on behalf of the board of trade and citizens of Corpus Christi, responded to by Hon. Jasper Collins of Carthage on behalf of the association.

The meetings of the association were held in a large pavillion, extending out into the bay, and continued during the days of Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, adjourning about 5:30 Friday afternoon, though the evening session on Thursday was held at the Epworth League pavillion, located on the beach two miles out from Corpus Christi and to which beautiful place the association was conveyed by a special train, generously tendered by Geo. F. Lupton, general passenger agent of the Aransas Pass railroad. The Epworth auditorium is located on an enclosure of some ten acres of ground, which was selected last year by the Epworth League of Texas for the place of their permanent annual encampment, purchased outright and a pavillion, lunch hall and number of residences erected on the property. At the lunch hall a magnificent fish chowder, with an ample supply of other eatables and drinkables was served during the afternoon by the citizens of Corpus. The grounds had been kindly tendered for the occasion by the officers of the Epworth League of Texas. From eight to 11 o'clock Tuesday night the ladies of Corpus, under the leadership of Mrs. E. A. Born, tendered a reception and served light refreshments on the lawn of the Seaside hotel and Friday night a magnificent banquet was served at the Elks hall where some four hundred plates were laid for the press people and many other visitors and citizens. Col. William G. Sterrett, Washington correspondent for the Dallas News and editor of state press and snap shots in that great paper was the toastmaster of the occasion and with his usual fund of wit and sarcasm added greatly to the merriment of the occasion. One of the guests at the banquet was Miss Clara Driscoll, well known thoughout Texas as the patriotic young woman, who, with Miss De ZeValla recently saved the Alamo from the ravages of commerce and herself bought the property and presented it to the state as a premanent monument to the valor of the early Texas path finders. Miss Driscoll is the owner of a ranch of a half million acres between Corpus Christi and Brownsville, through which the new St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico line runs and over which the association was on the following day to go to Brownsville. In a clever little speech Miss Driscoll insisted that the association stop at her ranch and partake of a barbecue while on the Brownsville trip and it is needless to say that the invitation was accepted and the occasion greatly enjoyed.

Saturday morning about 7 o'clock the party bid adieu to Corpus Christi and left over the Gulf coast line on a special train to Brownsville, kindly tendered by William Doherty, general passenger agent of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Gulf railroad and who chaperoned the party en route. At various points on the line the train was stopped for a feast of watermelons and cantaloups, which are being shipped to the north from that section in train loads every day. At Sarita on this line a big watermelon feast was presented by Senator Willacy, who was in the party out of Corpus and who is a large owner of truck lands throughout the gulf section.

At Kingsville a stop was made for a drive three miles out to the mansion and headquarters of Mrs. King, owner of the great King ranch, which contains more than a million acres and is said to be the largest ranch in the world. Light refreshments were served at the King mansion by Mrs. Kleberg, daughter of Mrs. King and upon return to Kingsville luncheon was tendered the entire party at the celebrated King's Inn by Mr. Kleberg, manager of the King ranch.

At Harlinger, another of the centers for truck shipments, as we approached the historic city of Brownsville, another stop was made for a watermelon feast and Brownsville on the "silvery Rio Grande" was reached about 5:30 o'clock. A citizens committee had met the train several stations up the line and decorated the party with badges and provided all with information for comfortable lodging places and after all were located on arriving at Brownsville a drive about the city was had and points of historic interest shown to the visitors.

That night, Saturday, a reception was held in the auditorium of the main plaza and a magnificent banquet was spread under the overhanging palms in the plaza.

Early Sunday morning the party crossed the Rio Grande river on the old style ferry boat, still the only means of communication between Brownsville and the once great metropolis of Matamorros, Mexico, which was besieged and captured by Gen. Taylor in the war of the United States with Mexico. At that time this ancient city had a population reckoned at from 60,000 to 70,000 and was one of the chief ports of entry into the republic of Mexico, but today is said to contain a population of only about 6,000 or 7,000 persons, most of these Spanish and Mexicans.

Here the car of progress appears to have been wrecked or never to have reached the place at all, for while all along the route thus far improvement had been rife and enterprise was not lacking, at Matamorros the same buildings were evidently in use in which Gen. Taylor's soldiers were sheltered while in possession of the city and in but very few cases was anything approaching a new appearing building noticed. All were old and dingy looking and without color

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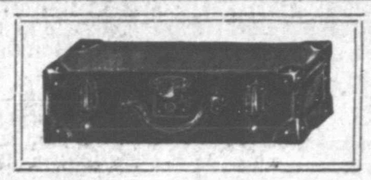

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## BAPTIST MEETING

### Another Revival Meeting Shortly to Begin in Dublin Under Auspices of Rev. Compere.

The Baptist meeting will begin next Sunday morning and continue two weeks or longer if the interest demands. Bro. George W. McCall of Brownwood will come over Monday morning and do the preaching through the meeting. Bro. McCall is a very strong gospel preacher. He is a man among men. He loves men and will do them good if they will hear him He brings things to pass in his own church. But he cannot bring a great meeting to Dublin. He will do his part and if the Christian people of Dublin will do theirs, we will have a meeting that will never be forgotten and that will make the angels rejoice. Every Baptist is expected to make the meeting the thing of greatest importance for the next few days. The salvation of precious souls is the greatest business in this world and I most earnestly call on my people to enter into this work with might and consecration for the glory of God and the good of man.

Prof. R. H. Cornelius will lead the singing, but everybody in or about Dublin that can sing at all is most earnestly invited to come and help to sing the gospel. Don't wait to be invited to the choir. I invite you now.

We will hold our services in the church Sunday morning. Our first service under the tent will be Sunday night. Come to the first service Sunday morning and then attend each service that follows until the close of the meeting and this will be one of the greatest meetings of your life.

I am yours for the upbuilding of the christians and the salvation of the lost.—E. L. Compere, pastor of the Baptist church.

### Erath District Court.

The arson case of T. R. Dunlap on charge of burning the Jarvis college at Thorp Springs in 1904 has occupied the attention of district court at Stephenville of this week. The case was tried fourteen months ago at Granbury and is now up in the Erath county court on change of venue. The accused is a prominent and experienced educator and the motive claimed as prompting him to the crime alleged is said to have been the fear that the Clarks, who made such success with the college a few years back and who had or were to return there would be able to produce greater results and thereby discount the hard work that he had done. We understand the incriminating evidence is purely circumstantial and defendant is able to prove an alabi.

### Built by a Texan.

But few people know that the first successful automobile ever operated on the American continent was built by a Texas man. Such are the facts and Mr. Heber Stone of Brenham is the man, says the Houston Chronicle. Nearly fifteen years ago Mr. Stone conceived the idea that sufficient traction power could be developed by a machine sufficiently light to make highway travel practicable, and along that line he labored for many years, employing skilled scientists and practical mechanics, and finally succeeded in making the first automobile ever operated. The first public try out was made on the streets of Boston and the crowds of sightseers attracted by the horseless wonder were so great that traffic was blocked and the police were compelled to order the machine from the streets.

Mr. Stone then improved upon the first machine and constructed another, which while rather crude in comparison with some of the modern patterns, is still a wonderful machine. They were recently shipped to Texas from Boston and are at present stored in one of the warehouses of Mr. Stone at Brenham. The reason that Mr. Stone never thought to take a commercial advantage of his wonderful invention was from the fact that a multiplicity of mining, banking and manufacturing interests required his attention and he had not the time to devote to the development of his brilliant idea.

### Killed With a Hoe.

From Atwell last Friday evening a 'phone message came to constable G. H. Corn that a man had been killed on the Heyser farm about seven miles south of Putnam. Constable Corn left immediately for the scene of the killing and took into custody one Martin Brown, who it is alleged, committed the deed. It seems that Brown and the deceased, George Hambrick, were chopping cotton on Heyser's farm along with several other hands and were joking each other rather roughly when one became offended and they then began to quarrel. From all reports Hambrick struck Brown first with his hoe and started to strike him again when Brown struck him on the head with his hoe, killing him instantly. Brown is a lad of eighteen years, having come from Tennessee only a short time ago. Hambrick was married and leaves a wife and two children.—Putnam News.

The talk of almost everyone is about those beautiful framed pictures that M. J. Woods gives away.

### May Open New Coal Mines.

Col. W. W. Johnson, the pioneer of the great coal fields of Palo Pinto and Erath counties, according to report, is about to re-open the old Coalville mines near Gordon in Palo Pinto county, on Barton's creek. Col. Johnson is a man of considerable capital and in addition has the confidence of others who possess that useful factor. It was he who discovered and opened the Thurber mines nearly twenty years ago, now one of the largest industries in the southwest. The demand for coal in Texas has increased to such an extent that the present output is wholly inadequate. The Texas & Pacific railroad alone takes eighty-five per cent. of the present output at Thurber and the demand is increasing daily.—Strawn Enterprise.

## GENERAL NEWS

### Brevities of the Most Interesting Happenings Throughout the Country for the Week.

A hill of soap has been discovered in Nebraska.

In a prohibition election at Pecos the pros won by a majority oftwo.

Chicago has opened employment bureaus for the aged and crippled.

A young lady of Nebraska in trying to steal a $350 dollar diamond, swallowed it.

Building increases in Temple but is not sufficient to supply the demand for houses.

The twentieth annual Missionary convention of the Christian church is in session at Waxahachie.

Commissioner Sargent favors Galveston being made the port of entry for immigrants to the south.

Twenty-nine candidates for various officers met in Dallas an agreed to campaign the county in a body.

After a heated contest it was at last decided that the next state democratic convention would meet in Dallas.

The Panhandle country is short on harvest hands at this time and a great cry is going forth for more laborers.

The Christian church is making preparation for their annual camp meeting to be held at Fentress on the San Marcos river.

The famous Longfellow estate in Byfield, which had been in possession of the family more than two hundred years has been sold.

Within the last four weeks people between twenty-five thousand and fifty thousand have left California to seek homes in the east.

The largest powder plant in the United States will be built at South McAlister, I. T. The plant will occupy forty acres of land.

J. Pierpont Morgan has his cigars especially made for him in Havana. They are bigger than the special ones made there for King Edward.

A skating rink in Lawton is causing a dvision among the chruch members. Some preachers are upholding the rink, while others are fighting it.

The British secretary of war has sent a competent officer to America to inspect all canned goods carefuly before any more are purchased by England.

The twenty-second annual session of the colored Knights of Pythias grand lodge of Texas, began Monday night at 8 o'clock at Miller's hall in Fort Worth.

It is estimated that the business done by the packing houses in Kansas City suffered to the extent of $10,000,000 as a result of the investigtion of dressed meats.

Russian assassins killed W. H. Stuart, vice consul at Batum, on the Black sea. Stuart was a British subject, but was acting temporarily as American vice consul.

J. A. Ratcliff of Lufkin, on arriving at Denison for a visit to his sister, found she had been dead for two years. They had not heard from each other in twenty-five years.

Governor Warfield of Maryland has just announced the appointment by him of ex-Governor William Pinkney Whyte of Baltimore to succeed the late United States Senator Gorman.

The Chicago packers are making almost humorous haste to clean up and plan for future changes, since the condition of the packing houses has brought about unfavorable comment.

M. Pollard of Paris, not satisfied with the usual grafting of floriculturists, has started to transform vegetables. It is said that he has succeeded in turning a radish into a potato.

Charles Haynes Haswell of New York, ninety-seven years of age, is a practicing engineer, and was an interesting figure at the laying of the new engineer's club house corner stone by Mrs. Carnegie recently.

It is said that George Fletcher, who lives in Kiley, near Pomeroy, county, Tyrone, is the oldest subject of King Edward. He has recently attained his 118th year and may be the oldest man in the world.

News from the Guatemalan revolutionist operating in the southern part of that republic is that a large American contingent, consisting of 160 men, enlisted in San Francisco, are now included in General Toledo's army.

Rain is beginning to be very badly needed throughout the Texas rice belt and unless good rains come within the next two weeks the rice crop of Texas will be cut short by twenty-five to forty per cent of what it was last year.

The twenty-seventh annual convention of the Texas Press association, meeting at Corpus Christi, after the most successful and largest attended session in its history, came to a close Saturday evening at 6 o'clock after a heated contest between Galveston, Mineral Wells, Temple and Corpus Christa for the next meeting, which resulted in the selection of Galveston.

A canal will probably be constructed between Donaldville, La., and Brownsville, Texas. The canal will cost between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 and will be great saving in the transportation of freight. The Farmers Union of Mason, Menard and McCulloch counties, formed a company for the purpose of building a ware house for the storage of cotton, grain and other commodities at Brady.

One person was killed and twenty were injured in a collision between two St. Louis-Memphis passenger trains on the Iron Mountain railroad near Mengo, Mo., sixteen miles south of St. Louis Friday. The collision occurred as the northbound was about to enter a siding to allow the train southbound to pass. Before the train had entered the switch the south bound train dashed into it.

### The Very Best Remedy for Bowel Trouble.

Mr. M. F. Borroughs, an old and well known resident of Bluffton, Ind., says: "I regard Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as the very best remedy for bowel trouble. I make this statement after having used this remedy in my family for several years. I am never without it." This remedy is almost sure to be needed before the summer is over. Why not buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency? For sale by Overton Drug Co.

### Strange Action of Bird.

A recent dispatch from Roanoke, Texas, says: A very strange episode occurred here Sunday morning, June 3rd, about 7:30 and was repeated again at 8:30. A snow white pigeon flew down and alighted in the doorway of Dr. Segrove's office while the doctor was in the rear preparing his toilet. The bird seemed to be very much depressed and walked from one side of the doorway to the other and cooed incessantly. The doctor walked to the front and laid his hand upon the little creature. Picking it up, he noticed the following inscription, "What will your answer be?"

The doctor was very much aroused and called in several bystanders to witness the action of the pigeon. They all examined the silver ring with no little amazement. The bird was then pitched up into the air to see if it would not fly away, which it did, ascending upward until it vanished from sight.

However, at 8:30 o'clock it returned, but this time it alighted at the postoffice and all the while seemed to be in the greatest pain. After pacing up and down the sidewalk for some time it flew across the street and alighted upon a man's shoulder and offered out its left foot with the silver ring on it as if it desired him to read it. The pigeon clung to the man's shoulder until he had walked a block or more when it voluntarily flew away to the southward. No one here is able to construe the meaning of the bird's actions.

### Origin of a Peculiar Custom in Russia.

At an ancient church at Valsbol, Russia, it has been customary for the congregation, before leaving the church, to turn to a perfectly blank wall and genuflect reverently. The origin of the custom was lost in myth. Inquiring travelers received no answer, even from the old priest, who officiated there, except that the custom had been handed down from father to son for ages. No one knew how or when it started. But while some repairs were being made recently, beneath many layers of whitewash and paint was found a picture of the Virgin Mary, which must have stood out brilliantly on the wall five or six centuries ago.

## NATURE'S WARNING.

### Dublin People Must Recognize and Heed It.

Kidney ills come quietly—mysteriously,

But nature always warns you through the urine.

Notice the kidney secretions. See if the color is unhealthy—

If there are settlings and sediment,

Passages too frequent, scanty, painful.

It's time then to use Doan's Kidney Pills,

To ward off Bright's disease or diabetes.

Doan's have done great work in Dublin.

C. L. Harris, farmer, living two miles west of Dublin, Texas, says:

"Previous to getting Doan's Kidney Pills at the Overton Drug Co., I was troubled for more than five years with my back and kidneys. A dull heavy aching across the small of my back caused me much annoyance, especially if I stooped or lifted any thing, and the least cold I caught settled in my kidneys, causing too frequent action of the secretions and they also contained a brick dust sediment. The first few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me and in a short time I was cured. You are at liberty to refer to me as one who can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills from personal experience."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## LOCAL COURTS

### Recent Doings at the Temple of Justice of Erath and Nearby Counties—Statistics.

Eastland county court met last Monday.

District court at Comanche has adjourned for the term. In the case of the Comanche National Bank vs. W. R. Miller & Co., a judgment was given the bank for $10,929.96, which amount it is alleged the bank advanced on checks issued by Hobdy as Miller & Company's agent. It will be remembered that Hobdy was Miller & Company's cotton buyer at Comanche and it is alleged lost $10,000 of the firm's money, gambling on the cotton exchange. The case will be appealed.

BOSQUE COUNTY COURT JURORS.

Following is a list of jurors for July term of Bosque county court.

First week—H. E. Jordan, S. A. Jorgenson, Tom Robinson, Maley Burns, C. A. Mitchell, J. M. Morris, C. W. Matthews, C. G. Fullers, Dick Childress, Tom Pike, Julius Rachwig, H. M. Lomax, R. Archer Andrew Hanna, Everet Simms, H. T. Airheatt, J. T. Nally, J. W. Green.

Second week.—W. T. Tidwell, W. W. Vinson, H. Isensee, W. W. Jaynes, A. S. Tweedy, J. A. Ragsdale, M. Hilton, I. B. Standifer, T. H. Deatherage, Alvin Sonntag, Eli Waddington, Oscar Anderson, Emmet Callan, A. J. Adkinson, L. H. Allison, R. G. Nowlin, S. I. Rundell, W. F. Neely.

BROWN COUNTY DISTRICT COURT.

In the district court at Brownwood the case of Y. D. Hall, charged with assault with intent to murder, was tried and the jury brought in a verdict of guilty and assessed a penalty of $100 fine and one year's imprisonment. Hall will appeal the case.

Sterling Hudson, charged with cattle theft, plead guilty and was given two years imprisonment.

The civil jury docket was taken up last week and the court has been occupied with the case of Lambertson Milling Co. vs. Richardson Milling Co., Inc., of Gainsville. The suit is for damages on five cars of wheat and corn shipped to Brownwood by the defendants. The plaintiffs claim that the grain was damaged to a considerable extent.

ERATH DISTRICT COURT.

Myrtle Wade vs. M. H. Wade, divorce, granted.

Kate Price vs. J. L. Price, divorce granted.

Mattie Choate vs. Bob Choate, divorce, granted.

Exparte Annie Caver, disability of minority removed.

Daisy M. Payne vs. Ernest Payne, divorce, granted.

Mrs. E. B. Sullivan vs. J. M. Sullivan, divorce, granted.

Dr. A. F. Upton vs. Mrs. C. A. Upton, divorce, granted.

J. W. Neblett vs. J. D. Klepper, suit for land, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Maloney Mercantile Co. vs. Mrs. Grant et al, suit on note. dismissed at cost of defendant.

Cage & Crow vs. A. J. Brown, suit to forclose vendors lien, judgment by default for plaintiffs.

Cage & Crow vs. J. C. Cheek, suit to foreclose vendors lien, judgment by default for plaintiffs.

H. R. Arendell vs. G. A. Fitzgerald, tresspass to try title and damages, judgment for plaintiff at cost of plaintiff.

The Wallace Gregory murder case has been reversed by the court of appeals and is in the district court for another trial.

J. P. Rucker vs. M. J. Rucker, suit on vendors lien notes, judgment for plaintiff. Also judgment for Dublin National Bank against part of same land.

Grand jury.—Ed Starr, foreman; T. M. Lee, R. A. Crocker, Gus Purves, James Johnson, S. C. Baldwin, J. J. Warren, John Kimbro, T. L. Stigler W. B. Warren and G. W. Oxford.

Petit jury.—H. H. Spratt John Salmon, J. R. Burke, J. A. Gardner, J J. Bowers, C. W. Barrett, John Watson, W. C. Cherry, Nat Ross, G. W. Fisher, E. Currier, Frank Faulkner, Henry Collins, W. F. Gilbreath, W. E. Boers, Harvey Smith, J. D. Biggs, G. L. Sikes and I. B. Adams.


## I'm Growing Old Fast

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Mr. Eastwick, who examined the whole, states that in addition to these there are guantlets and belts covered with pearl and diamonds and conspicious among them the Kalanian belt about a foot deep, weighing perhaps eighteen pounds and one complete mass of pearls, rubies, diamonds and emeralds.

One or two scabbards for swords are said to be worth a quarter of a million each. There is also the finest turquoise in the world, three or four inches long and without a flaw. There is also an emerald as big as a walnut covered with the names of kings who have pcssessed it. The ancient Persians prized the emerald above all gems and especially those from Egypt. Their goblets decorated with these stones were copied by the Romans. The Shah also possesses a pearl worth $300,000. But the most attractive of all the Persain stones is the turquoise, which is inlaid by the native lapidaries with designs and inscriptions with great effects and expertness.—Munsey's Magazine.

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### Pursuit of Happiness a Failure.

Many who find themselves restricted in their pleasures by limited means or by the necessity of daily toil, are often inclined to think that they would be much happier if they could escape these limitations and have full opportunity to enjoy themselves in any way their fancy might suggest. But observation of those who have plenty of money and ample time does not justify this idea. Probably the most unhappy people in the world, as a class, are those who do nothing except seek after happiness. As a constant employment the pursuit of happiness is a failure. The greatest pleasure comes to those who have few opportunits to enjoy them. A much-needed vacation after a long season of work; a holiday breaking the monotony of weeks of toil; a rare journey to new scenes by those who are not often able to leave home and work; or a quiet Sabbath at home with the family after a busy week of bustling toil—these are the happiest days of life.—Pratorian Guard.

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### Texas Hen a Money-Maker.

A late special from Austin says: W. C Preston, general freight agent of the Frisco, with headquarters at Fort Worth has obtained the approval of the railroad commission of an application providing for the concentration of eggs, poultry and butter at Fort Worth, Denison, Dublin and Brownwood for shipment to interstate points.

In speaking of this application, Mr. Preston stated that his road is the first in the state to inaugurate a system of concentration of the above products for shipment to points outside of the state. The reason for this is that the egg and poultry business in Texas is fast becoming one of the leading industries in the state.

"I have gone into this industry thoroughly," said Mr. Preston "and find there is as much money to be made in the egg and poultry business as there is in raising cotton and other staple products in the state of Texas. I find that carefully compiled statistics show that in the state of Massachusetts each hen in that state yields $1.40 and in the state of Missouri the egg, poultry and butter industry exceeded the total wheat crop." Mr. Preston believes that the thrifty housewife of the Texas farmer can reach these figures and not only have enough for pin money, but also support the family on the money she makes by raising chickens and selling the products.


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### Pointed Paragraphs.

Even the so-called white lies are more or less tainted.

The world extends the glad hand to the lucky man, but all it hands the victim of tough luck is a little cold sympathy.

At the age of twenty-five a girl is willing to marry a widower with one child, at thirty she will tolerate two children and at thirty-five she doesn't care how many he has.

Wherever you see a party wall you will see a few wall flowers.

A cat, they say, has nine lives, but a frog will croak every minute.

The church may carry a man to the pearly gates, but there he must answer for himself.

Money won't save a man's soul and it begins to look as though it won't even save his reputation.

If it wasn't for clubs lots of fellows would have nothing to do without knowing where to do it.

The speak-easy proprietor rejoices in the knowledge that every day will be Sunday by and by.

Appearances are deceitful, because you never know how much it is going to cost to keep them up.

Public spirit is mostly lung power

A nice way never to disagree with your wife is not to have one.

It would make a trust man feel worse if the way the public abuses him cost him anything.

A girl thinks she is mighty sweet to her mother for kissing her for bringing up her breakfast in bed.

When a man has a little money he pretends it is more than it is and when a lot, that it is less.

### Deadly Serpent Bites

are as common in India as stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter, however, there is a sure remedy: Electric Bitters, the great restorative medicine of which S. A. Brown of Bennettsville, N. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health after years of suffering with dyspepsia and a chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cures chills and fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by Overton Drug Co. Price 50 cents.

### A Curious Book.

On of the most curious books in the world belongs to the De Linge family of France. This book is neither printed nor written. All the letters are cut out of the vellum and interleaved with a peculiar shade of blue paper. The work is so carefully done that the book is read with the greatest of ease. Rudolphus II of Germany offered eleven thousand ducats for it, but it was not sold. The most peculiar thing about this volume is that it bears the royal arms of England but as far as can be traced it has never been in that country.


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Elastic Paint.
Paint must be elastic—it must give and take with the shrinking and swelling of the wood and with the sway of the building. If it is not elastic it scales, crumbles, cracks and breaks away, leaving the surface which it is supposed to protect the surface which it is supposed to cover.
The most elastic paint is Pure White Lead and Pure Linseed Oil. It is so elastic that a piece of soft white pure lead may be struck sufficiently hard with a hammer to make a good-sized dent without cracking the paint at all.
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### ...the World Over.

...and wisdom of proverbs ...different garb in different ...but they are all very much ...identical ideas arising in... ...ly in widely separated na... ...not necessarily expressed in ...suitable terms. They usual... ...says the London Globe, a ...quaintness from the manners ...ions of the people who use

...the old Greek proverb, "The ...eye makes the horse fat," ...different renderings. The ...express it with local color... ...the garden (far from the mas... ...), the gumbo spoils." ...the familiar idea which we ...in the following way, ...get blood from a stone or ...or breeks from a High... ...is rendered in the West ..."The pumpkin vine does ...the calabash." Even in ...the matter of "going before ..." the East Indian and ...Indian have parrellel ex... ...for where the former says ...that he was "pinched," ...observes that they "press...."

...to establish the sisterhood ...it is only necessary to ...touches of nature which ...whole world kin and regard ...various national aspects, ...but homely truth, ...nature with a pitchfork, ...will return," crops out in ...negro tribe in quaint forms, ...following: "A man that ...birds away keeps them ...a pretty face cannot be ..." The idea conveyed by ...must go whom the devil ...universally recognized. ...put it, "The stomach ..." others "The empty bag ...upright."

...we express in the words ...wearer knows where the ...shoes" is conveyed quite as ...the Swahili in his proverb, ...dead man knows where ...too narrow." Seafaring ..."The bottom of the ship ...how the sea presses."

...iliar sayings about "run... ...two hares" and "falling ...two stools" are again paral... ...capped by the Zambesi ..."The rider of two horses ...under."

...quaintness of setting forth ...one better" on our home... ...Our saying "Don't do ...do as I tell you," is good; ...Dutch, "The monk preaches ...thieves with the goose in his ..." or the American "When the ...the fowl stealer acquit... ...paid in fowls," is beter. ...Spanish parallel is the quaint... ..."The friar condemns the ...with the pudding up his ..." Where we say "If you ...thing done do it yourself" ...Indian gets a shade ahead ...with the advice, "Send a dog ...the dog will send his tail." ...advice is given in a still ...form by the Armenian, who ..."If you send a messenger on ...go with him." And the ...believing Chinaman, who, ...proverbial image maker, ...faith either in the gods or ...messenger of the gods, "for he ...what they are made of," sums ...situation in a way that is ...as correct as it is sweeping. ...want a thing done," he says, ...yourself: if not, send."

...is probably no better proverb ...English language than "Still waters run deep." No other nation "goes one better" than this, though many come near it. The Turk says "Distrust the water that does not warble, and the bird that does not chirp." This lacks the element of paradox which occurs in our English rendering. The African parallel has more of that element, "Beware of the silent man," it runs; "he has a brass band in his mouth," and a more southern tribe puts the idea equally well in the shape of "Silence hath a mighty noise."

On the subject of woman it goes without saying that all the nations of the earth formed the same opinion of the fair sex long, long ago, and up to the present none of them have seen any reason to alter that opinion, but whether the opinion in which they all concur is concealed or revealed in proverbs, it would be an insult to the readers' reason and common sense to state. As for the proverbs, which can readily be distinguished at sight as true or false by the clever student of feminine human nature, they yield a good harvest of parallels.

"A woman, a dog and a walnut tree, the more you beat them the better they be," is a remark upon which no two sane persons can hold different opinions. The Spaniard says, "Were a woman as little as she is good a pease pod would make her a gown and hood;" the Italian leaves off killing kings to whisper "If a man loses a woman and a farthing he will miss the farthing," the Frenchman pauses between his absinthes to remark, "A woman of gold is worth a man of straw," the negro medicine man swears to his tribe that "Women are words, deeds are men;" the Persian asserts that "Women and dragons are best out of the world," the German contends that "Wherever there is mischief brewing, a woman and a priest are at the bottom of it," and that "There are only two good women in the world—one is dead and the other is missing."


### Don't! ! ! !

Don't let your child suffer with that cough when you can cure it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, a sure cure for coughs, bronchitis, influenza, croup and pulmonary diseases. Buy a bottle and try it.

B. B. Laughter, Byhalia, Miss., writes: "I have two children who had croup. I tried many different remedies but I must say your Horehound Syrup is the best croup and cough medicine I ever used." Sold by Overton Drug Co.


### Did Chinese Discover the Compass?

Some Asian people, perhaps the Chinese, discovered many centuries ago that a kind of iron ore possessed a very peculiar quality. We call this ore magnetic, or, in more common language, lodestone, and it is very widely distributed, especially in the older crystaline rocks. It was found that if a bit of lodestone were placed in water upon a piece of cork or straw braid it would turn till the axis of the stone assumed a north and south position. A phenomenon of magnetism had been discovered by means of an ore that is peculiarly susceptible to magnetic influence.

It is an open question whether the Chinese utilized the directive power of the lodestone, but it is certain that the first rude compass was not used on European vessels before the twelfth century of our era. By that time the true magnetic compass had been envolved through the discovery that if an iron or steel needle were stroked on a lodestone it would receive the attractive power of this ore. With this wonderful appliance placed at the service of navigation, the vessels that had hugged the coasts soon dared to venture even out of sight of land. A new impetus was gradually given to cartography, for now the true directions of the coast lines might be charted with some approach to accuracy. It was the happy fortune of Italian sailors to make the surprisingly excellent surveys of the directions and lengths of of the Black Sea and Mediterranean coasts and along the Atlantic to British waters that have come down to us in the so-called Portulan maps.—Harper's Weekly.

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### His Master's Voice.

A queer dog story, which had its counterpart in the United States is told in a weekly paper. A couple from the country came to the city for a few days, bringing with them a valuable little pet, a spaniel. Soon after their arrival the dog was lost. His master and mistress were obliged to leave for home after searching vigorously for the dog for three days. A friend was asked to continue the search. A few days ago the friend found a spaniel in a house which he had occasion to visit. The dog answered the description but the friend did not want to send it off into the country until positive it was the right animal. An ingenious idea struck him. He telephoned to his friend and applying the receiver to the dog's ear, waited until his friend called the dog by name. As soon as the spaniel heard his master's voice he began to bark joyously. The dog was immediately sent off to his master who had heard by the telephone his delighted barking.

### Success of Texas Cotton Mills.

Commenting on the success that has been had with cotton mills in Texas the Dallas News wonders that the number of them is not doubled every year. The only reason probably is that until now, Georgia and Carolinas have absorbed most of the outside capital invested in the southern mills while local capital, the savings of farmers and merchants in Texas, is only fairly beginning to seek industrial investment.

But the cotton mills already operating in Texas are so clearly demonstrating the profit of such investment that something like a boom in cotton manufacturing may be expected there in the not distant future. The mill at Itaska is doing a profitable business in the export of sheetings to China. The mills at Dallas, Waxahachie, Bonham and other places are frequently increasing their plants by the addition of new buildings and more machinery, which is the best possible indication of successful business.

Some of these mills says the News, have vastly increased their capitalization, the one at Denison now being refitted with weaving machinery that will give it a capacity for converting into cloth six thousand bales of cotton a year through the labor of two hundred operatives.—Exchange.


### There Are Few

people who know how to take care of themselves—the majority do not. The liver is a most important organ in the body. Herbine will keep it in condition. V. C. Simpkins, Alba, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine for chills and fever and find it the best medicine I ever used. I would not be without it. It is as good for children as it is for grown-up people and I recommend it. It is fine for la grippe." Sold by Overton Drug Co.


### Insane Operator Causes Trouble.

At Huntsville, Ind., recently an insane telegraph operator tied up the whole Wabash system for several hours. He decided that the whole system of train dispatching was dead wrong, that passenger trains should run on freight schedules and vice versa. Telegrams began to fly in every direction. Trains were told to run backward and take the right siding. Then he decided to have several head-on collisions to give the wrecking crews some exercise. He ordered the road open for a train of forty cabooses which were traveling at the rate of 150 miles an hour with the president and his cabinet on board. This last set of orders led to the conclusion that something was wrong with the operator, the wire was grounded and the crazy man taken in charge.

### The Toad According to Bobby Jonks.

The toad is an innocent insect that looks like a pocket-book full of hops, but a fat man playing a guitar is a more repulsive spectacle. And there you are!

A horned toad resembles a good many people, and also a bluff. He makes you think he is dangerous just to look at him, but in reality he is as harmless as cold tea. It is said that the oil of tobacco is so poisonous that a drop on a dog's tail will kill a man but 'most all venerable men drink whisky and chop cords of wood all their lives. Old age is honorable, but it makes a man boast about how much smarter he used to be than the young men of today are.

A reminiscence is a lie that has been told so often that it's got to believing itself.

Once there was a man who had a wooden leg, and he was sort of modest about it. So he went to the slaughter house and got the tail of a cow that had lately given up the ghost and took it home with him and carefully peeled it. Next day the inhabitants were surprised to see a triumphant man strolling down the street with a wooden limb with red hair on it, and one unfortunate citizen, who was walking backwards while he wondered at the sight, stubbed his heels and fell full length into a mortar bed; and the Irishman who was superintending it said begorra that was the time the other fellow got in his work.

I am only a little boy and of course you could scarcely expect one of my age but I honestly believe that nobody can fall slap-dab backwards into a jag of soft mortor and at the same time sing a hymn. This is all I know about the toad.—Tom P. Morgan in June Watson's.

Eggs for sale at $1.00 per setting from best stock white Plymouth Rock chickens.—S. J. Weaver. 34-tf

### Invention for Curing Sea Sickness.

Herr Kappmeier of Altkloster, seems to have discovered a very promising method of compating sea-sickness. The patient, lying in his bunk or bed, has only to apply Herr Kappmeier's compress to his head to secure relief. The apparatus, which is in apppearance like a large steel cap, is applied to the head atfer the manner of a hot-water compress, the only difference being that the temperature is regulated by electric current. The invention may prove a considerable boon to sufferers from sea-sickness which is due to lack of blood in the brain.

### Living One's Own Life.

The idea of following courageously one's own instincts, desires and tendencies is a taking one in the abstract and in the concrete leads often to splendid exhibitions of independence. We must be true too ourselves and avoid undue deference to the opinoins of others or unrighteous compliance with their customs. To be constantly hemmed in and fretted by external restrictions takes the spirit out of an ambitious person and he either becomes an automaton or an anarchist.

But like every good idea this one is subject to abuse. When the college sophomore takes the bits in his teeth and lets the proper liberty accorded him by professors and parents degenerate into an improper license, when an ardent alleged patriot or social reformer defines public sentiment by following his own sweet will, when anyone cloaks his finer faults or coarser sins with the idea that he is only living his own life and that he will take all the responsibility for his actions, if he can only be let alone—such persons stand for only a spurious liberty and block the spread of the real article.

No one can ever live his own life apart from certain external restrictions of personal liberty. He is held first of all by social conventions. Rare occasions arise when he is justified in rising above them but as a rule one would better not disregard the code of morals which represents the best sentiment of the community in which he dwells. That is one of the prices we pay for association with our fellowmen. We tacitly agree to conform not merely to the laws on the statute books but the unwritten standards that are supposed to govern behavior. If these standards are old-fashioned we will do our best to modify them. If we cannot conscientiously conform to them we will temperately express and carry into effect our dissent. But we will not thoughtlessly pain and defy the best moral sentiment of our fellowmen.

Another and greater embargo upon living one's own life in perfect independence arises from the family relationship into which everyone is born. Father and mother, wife and child have claims upon us that cannot be ignored. The man who does despite to these primary and intimate relationships is looked upon as a social outcast and he ought to be. Of course they involve self sacrifice. They often interfere with plans for one's own pleasure or personal development but what of that? Rightly interpreted and fulfilled these obligations do not narrow life. They enlarge it.

Still another restriction on perfect liberty is less palpable, less universally admitted but none the less real and far-reaching. If man has a divine origin, as we believe, then the power that made him has certain rights in him. We may dodge this obligation or postpone our fulfillment of it until we get to heaven but it exists right here and now God has a certain property right in us. It is only a square deal on our part when we accept as from Him, and kindly intended, the wise restrictions He places about us. It is risky business trying to circumvent God. And the effort so to do always fails.

After all living one's own life may be a pleasant pastime for a few days but in the long course of the years it is far more satisfactory to live a life duly related to the best ideals of the community, the obligations of the family, relationship and the claims of God.—Selected.


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### Earthquakes.

No prediction can be made safely as to future earthquakes in any particular region. If any conjecture is warranted, it is merely that regions which are known to have contracted the earthquake habit are, on the whole, more likely to quake in the future than are regions which have long been free from seismic disturbances.

No part of the continent seems less likely to be shaken than the Mississippi basin. Yet there were disastrous earthquakes about the mouth of the Ohio river in 1811-13. Regions covered with thick layers of clay, sand, gravel, glacial drift etc., like much of the basin of the upper Mississippi, are less likely to suffer severly than those where solid rock comes to the surface; for the loose material acts as a cushion to deaden the vibrations which come to the surface from the solid rock below.—The World Today.


### Ancient Rome

is now merely a memory of the past. Ballard's Snow Liniment is the family liniment of the twentieth century. A positive cure for rheumatism, burns, cuts, sprains, neuralgia etc. Mr. C. H. Runyon, Stanbury, Mo., writes: "I have used Snow Liniment for rheumatism and all pain. I can't say enough in its praise." Sold by Overton Drug Co.


### Songsters' Notes of Expression.

Most of our song birds have three notes expressive of love, alarm and fellowship. The latter call seems to keep them in touch with one another. I might perhaps add to this list the scream of distress which most birds utter when caught by a cat or hawk—the voice of uncontrolled terror and pain which is nearly the same in all species—dissonant and piercing. The other notes and calls are characteristic, but this last is the simple screech of common terrified nature.—Exchange.

### Quaker Reflections.

The wise saws cut no ice with some people.

Some land is so poor that it won't even raise the interest on a mortgage.

In baseball circles it often happens that a left-handed pitcher is all right.

Some people indulge in flowry language and others in blooming slang.

After all, the price of ice doesn't mater so much. It's the size of the cake that counts.

Life would be very monotonous if there was nothing to denounce.

Success in politics depends largely on an ability to dodge an issue.

Nearly every man feels that nature intended him for a better job than he got.

Reform is hard to accomplish, because every reformer calls for a different brand.


### Texas Central Excursions.

Account Home Coming Week for Kentuckians, Louisville, Ky. Tickets on sale June 11th, 12th, 13th, limited thirty days for the return trip at $29.40 for the round trip.

Picnic at Walnut Springs, Texas, June 20th, tickets on sale June 20th, good to return the same date at $1.00 for the round trip


### Three Kinds.

There are three kinds of good—the kind that feels good, the kind that looks good and the kind that opposes evil. And the first two are good for nothing.

### Octopus and Conger Eel.

Conger eels hunt for the octopus and, when found, proceed to browse on its limbs. The octopus tries to hug the slippery, slimy conger tight, but in vain, and, finding its limbs growing less, discharges its ink in the face of the foe and, under cover of the turbid water, beats a hasty retreat. It is to escape the too pressing attention of its foes that the octopus possesses the power of changing its color to correspond with that of its surroundings.

### Three of a Kind and a Pair.

Hewitt—Our actor friend claimed that he played to a full house last night, and it turned out there were only five people in the audience. Jewett—Well, it was the regulation full house. There were three men in the gallery and a man and his wife downstairs.—New York Press.

Glass can be cut with a pair of ordinary shears if glass and shears and hands are all kept under cold water.


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# YELLOW FEVER CASES

## Three Parties Are Officially Stated to Have Disease.

## ARE ON SHIP ISLAND

### Patients Were Taken Off a Vessel That Had Come From Colon and Bound For a Mississippi Port.

New Orleans, June 12.—The fact that three cases of yellow fever have been under quarantine for the past ten days at Ship Island, a government quarantine station in the Gulf of Mexico, about midway between the mouth of the Mississippi river and Mobile, was made public Monday by Dr. C. H. Irion, president of the Louisiana board of health.

The announcement of the yellow fever cases was the result of a discussion between Dr. Irion and Health Officer Hunter of Mississippi over the fact that they had not been notified immediately of the fever. The cases came from Colon, and were taken off the steamer White Hall, which was bound for Gulf Port, Miss. The ship passed a short distance south of the Mississippi coast, and in charge of United States marine hospital officers, who immediately notifed Surgeon General Wyman. Dr. Irion commented upon the circumstances under which this report was made. He announced also that quarantine orders have been given against Ceiba, Honduras, at which port it is reported that refugees are gathering to escape yellow fever, which is said to be breaking out at several points in Honduras. He also says he received reports that there is yellow fever in Havana.

### MOFFETT KILLS WIFE.

#### Sets Fire to Their Residence and Then Takes Own Life.

Valley Mills, Tex., June 12.—Lem Moffett, a farmer, suicided about six miles northeast of here, after killing his wife and setting fire to the house.

Before the tragedy occurred, however, he ordered his twelve-year-old daughter to take the baby to his mother, who lives a short distance from the scene. Moffett's mother arrived just in time to extinguish the flames.

A pocketbook containing $180 was found in the yard, and the supposition is Moffett had thrown it there for a special purpose.

### PERKINS PRESIDENT.

#### McKinney Editor at Head of the Texas Press Association.

Corpus Christi, June 9.—Galveston was chosen next place of meeting for the Texas Press association.

Following officers were elected: President, Thomas W. Perkins of McKinney; vice president, W. J. Bule of San Angelo; secretary, C. B. Lusk of Italy; treasurer, C. F. Lehman of Hallettsville. Hon. H. B. Terrell was elected orator; Hon. W. W. Walling of San Antonio, attorney; Lee J. Rountree, essayist, and J. M. Lewis of the Houston Post, poet.

Retiring President Lowery was presented with a handsome set of silver tableware.

S. J. Henderson of Corpus Christi read the annual poem.

The paper of H. B. Cates on the want ad column created great interest.

The annual essay by Sumner Lansdale of Sherman, and the paper on how to get subscribers and how to keep them and "Should a Paper be Stopped at Expiration?" were well received.

A resolution stating that the sense of the meeting was that legal notices must be paid for at the legal rates was adopted.

The committee on the president's address recommended that the association heartily indorse his words in favor of more effective measures being taken towards securing a liberal libel law; that no editor secure the announcement of a candidate in an unbusinesslike method; that all reputable editors will refrain from any coercion or threats in securing advertisements; that the government action in doing the work of private enterprises, such as printing envelopes, be condemned and that the sound advice given by President Lowery be taken by each individual of the body.

Mrs. Wade Waller of Dallas read a poem on Texas and Miss Mary Lehman, at the request of the president recited a new dialect story. The assembly sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again, and Rev. F. W. Cowden of the Bonham Favorite closed the proceedings with prayer.

There was a banquet Friday night.

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### O'CONNOR DEAD.

#### Prominent Baseballist Departs This Life at Capital of Texas.

Austin, June 12.—At the insane asylum here Michael O'Connor, one of the best known baseball players in the southwest, breathed his last. For many years deceased was identified with the national game in Texas. As a first baseman and trainer of players he had few equals. He was a railroader when not playing ball and man of fine physique. For some time Mc. O'Connor had been in failing health. He was a member of the Order of Railway Conductors and Order of Switchmen. The remains were shipped to Marion, O., where his aged mother and two sisters reside.

Manager Maloney of the Dallas Baseball club, declared Mr. O'Connor was the greatest baseball strategist in Texas.

### BRIDGE BURNS.

#### Santa Fe Structure Connecting Galveston With Mainland Gone.

Houston, June 12.—Probably due to locomotive sparks, the Santa Fe railway bridge connecting Galveston with the mainland was destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. Thirty bents, or nearly 1,000 feet, burned. Galveston is cut off from railway traffic and ferryboats are being utilized.

### DREADFUL FRACAS.

#### About Twenty Bullets Hit Wagon and Two Occupants Slain.

Big Springs, Tex., June 12.—John Preyear and Earl Seeds were shot to death while in a wogan in Dawson county. Three pistols were found beside them. One had two empty chambers and the other two one empty chamber each. About twenty bullets hit the wagon.

Mr. Preyear leaves a family, while Mr. Seeds was an unmarried man.

A. L. Wasson, C. L. Wasson, Jr., and A. L. Grant are under bond of $5,000 each.

### SHOT OUT OF TREES.

#### Forty of the One Hundred and Sixty Rebels Killed That Way.

Durban, Natal, June 12.—Colonel MacKenzie's column Monday attacked rebel natives, who sought shelter in the bush. The latter climbed trees, whence they hurled assagais on troops, but bullets dropped them out of the branches. Over forty were thus killed, and altogether 160 natives were slain. Darkness ended the operations of the troops, but the rout of the rebels is regarded as practically complete.

### UNTIL OCTOBER.

#### All Anti-Trust Cases Go Over to That Term of Court.

Austin, June 8.—All of the anti-trust cases against the members of the Fort Worth Livestock Exchange, including the packing house companies, were continued Thursday until the October term of the Twenty-Sixth district court. This was done at the request of defendants.

The Western Union Telegraph company has refused to pay the tax for the last querter under the Kennedy income tax law.

### UNIQUE STRIKE.

#### Berry Patch Proprietor Insisted on Muzzling Boy Pickers.

Denison, June 8.—A strike decidedly out of the ordinary took place near here. A number of boys employed in a large berry patch as pickers quit operations because the proprietor insisted on muzzling them to prevent the lads devouring berries.

### EXECUTION STAYED.

#### Justice Day Holds That the Appeal of Patrick Was Legal.

Canton, O., June 13.—Application was made to Justice Day of the United States supreme court Tuesday afternoon by Attorney Lindsay for a writ of appeal and a stay of execution in behalf of Lawkey Albert T. Patrick of New York. Justice Day, after hearing the reasons of Patrick's counsel, decided the case appealable, and granted a writ to that effect. It will be heard by the supreme court in October. The action was brought before Justice Day because Chief Justice Fuller and other members of the supreme court are widely scattered on their vacation trips, and it was most convenient to reach him.

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# THROWN ON PICKETS

## Frightful Sequel of a Row Between Man and Wife.

## HURLED TO ETERNITY

### Husband Barricades Himself in the Room From Which Woman Was Dashed and Arrest Difficult Matter.

New York, June 12.—Campbell O. Adair, an English bricklayer, was arrested early Tuesday after his wife, Agnes, had been killed by a fall from the front window of their home on the fifth floor of a tenement house at 229 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

James Smith, who lives in the house, said he was coming home and was just about to enter the door on the ground floor when he heard screams overhead. Looking up he saw the body of a woman come whirling through the air and strike heavily on the pickets of an iron railing in front of the house. Smith recognized the woman as Mrs. Adair, and hurried to a police station.

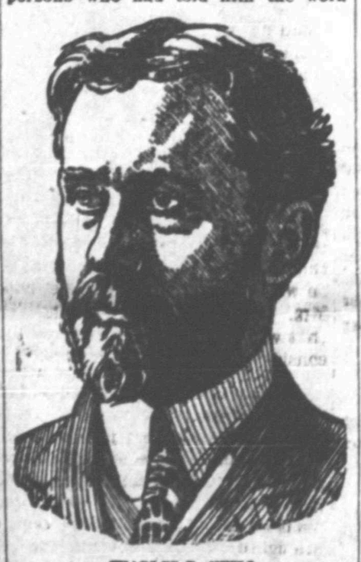
The woman was dead when picked up. Two detectives went up to the Adair apartments and found, they said, that the bricklayer had barricaded himself in the room. When they asked him to open the door his replies were curses and threats. They broke down the door and arrested him. Th questioned his eighteen-year-old daughter, Kitty, who said her father and mother had quarreled during the night.

### NEILL HEARD.

#### Saw Hundreds of Things Not Mentioned in the Report.

Washington, June 8.—Before the house committee on agriculture Thursday Charles P. Neill, one of the two parties who inspected Chicago packing houses, testified at length. He was closely questioned. He said he saw hundreds of things he did not report. "I saw rubbish go into the meat, and said so."

As to tuberculosis, he had made observations, and had also interviewed persons who had told him the work



CHARLES P. NEILL.

tended to produce that disease. As to the tendency of the work in the packing houses to lower the morals, Mr. Neill said this was the case. "An instance," he said, "a young girl sixteen or seventeen years of age had to walk across a long room filled with men to get into a water closet. This does not tend to morality, especially when some of these men are of the lowest type. I will not say the workers are immoral."

Mr. Neill denied that the girls sit down. They may have permission, but there is nothing for them to sit on, he said.

Mr. Neill rather discouraged a visit of the committee to Chicago at this time, as many of the conditions complained of were due to negligence and could have been immediately remedied.

Mr. Neill denied the statement of Mr. Wilson that the floors were scrubbed daily. The dirt in some of the rooms was caked on the floor, and had not been washed for weeks.

### GETS JUST DESERTS.

#### Young Lady Fatally Shoots, Negro, Who Confesses His Intention.

Selma, N. C., June 11.—With rare presence of mind Miss Pearl Jones, night telephone operator here, shot and fatally wounded Bud Anderson, a negro, who, by his own confession, had premeditated an assault upon her. Miss Jones heard the noise in the rear of her office and went to investigate. The negro attacked her, and she shot five times, several bullets taking effect. The negro, who will die, made a confession, implicating a companion. The latter has been placed in jail. In his confession the negro admits the purpose of his errand and attack, and says this is his third attempt to assault the girl.

### ODD CHECK.

#### Part of Alleged Wording Causes Arrest of Signer.

Sherman, June 8.—On complaint of Dr. A. H. Zerby, a veterinary, C. A. Andrews was arrested, charged with criminal libel. Andrews gave bond. The complaint charges that Andrews drew a check on a Sherman bank and that on the check were the words, "Pay to Dr. Zerby five dollars for professional services and five dollars for robbery."

#### Statehood Bill Withdrawn.

Washington, June 12.—By a vote of the senate Tuesday the conference report on the statehood bill was withdrawn. Another conference will be held.

### DALLAS SELECTED.

#### On Second Ballot She Gets Democratic State Convention.

Austin, June 12.—The Democratic state executive committee convened here Monday morning with twenty-six members present. The absentees were Wells of Lamar, Fitzgerald of Smith, Storey of Lockhart, Flournoy of Bee and St. John of Eastland. After the roll call the committee voted favorably as to the admission of proxies and H. P. Brelesford of Eastland was allowed to represent Mr. St. John.

Later on Robertson of Dallas was excused and his rights were placed in the hands of R. E. L. Saner.

The order of business was adopted setting out the place for the convention to meet, the state ticket, resolutions and suggestions, ways and means, the primaries and the test.

The claims of the various cities for holding the convention were presented in alphaetical order.

T. W. Gregory presented the claims of Austin.

George Robertson and Tom Finty spoke for Dallas.

Mayor Highsmith of Mineral Wells set forth the claims of that city.

The name of Waco was presented by Hon. O. H. Stribling of that city. He mentioned the name of William J. Bryan and members of the committee gave a vociferous cheer. Judve Waller Baker also named Waco.

On the first ballot Dallas received 12 votes; Waco, 10; Austin, 3, and Mineral Wells, 2.

On the second ballot Dallas got 15 votes; Waco, 10, and Austin and Mineral Wells one each. Chairman Andrews declared Dallas was chosen.

Adjournment was taken until afternoon.

### TERRELL LAW.

#### Recommendation That It Be Repealed Adopted, but Reconsidered.

Austin, June 12.—After selecting Dallas as the place for holding the state convention a sub-committee recommended to the Democratic executive committee that the Terrell election law be repealed by the legislature. This was adoptd, but reconsidered and dropped.

It was decided that none but white persons could participate in primaries. No race of people but negroes are barred.

A committee was appointed to go to Dallas and make arrangements for the state convention which, under the law, begins Aug. 14.

### OFFICIAL TICKET.

#### Those Who Are Candidates in the Coming Democratic Primaries.

Houston, June 11.—Chairman Andrews has made up the official Democratic ticket for state office nominees, to be voted next month in the primaries, as follows:

GOVERNOR.
C. K. Bell, Fort Worth.
O. B. Colquitt, Terrell.
M. M. Brooks, Dallas.
T. M. Campbell, Palestine.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.
A. B. Davidson, Cuero.
F. F. Hill, Aubrey.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.
Robert V. Davidson, Galveston.

COMPTROLLER OF ACCOUNTS
J. W. Stephens, Austin.

COMMISSIONER GENERAL LAND OFFICE.
C. E. Gilbert, Austin.
J. J. Terrell, Austin.

STATE TREASURER.
Sam Sparks, Belton.
T. S. Garrison, Timpson.
Dan W. Phillips, Galveston.

SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
R. B. Cousins, Austin.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.
L. J. Storey, Lockhart.
William D. Williams, Fort Worth.

CHIEF JUSTICE SUPREME COURT.
R. R. Gaines, Austin.

JUDGE COURT CRIMINAL APPEALS.
John N. Henderson, Bryan.
Robert A. John, Beaumont.

### CAN BE PLACED.

#### Supreme Court Reverses Ruling of Attorney General Davidson.

Austin, June 7.—The state supreme cion of the supreme court Thursday it was held that the names of candidates for district and county clerks in counties polling less than 1,600 votes can be placed upon the official ballot. This was in the case of A. G. Brooks, appellant vs. B. G. Dulaney et al., appellees, certified question from court of civil appeals First supreme judicial district. Brooks is chairman of the county Democratic executive committee of Panola county and refused to place the name of appellees on offical ballot under the attorney general's ruling. Appellees sued out a writ of mandamus in district court. This the court granted. Over fifty counties in the state are affected by this holding of supreme court.

### CHAMPION COYOTE CATCHER.

#### Railroad Agent Succeeds in Bagging, Singlehanded, a Couple.

El Reno, Okla., June 12.—R. F. Prettyman, Rock Island railway agent here, has eclipsed former records in bagging coyotes in Oklahoma. Near Darlington agency he succeeded, singlehanded, in capturing two live ones. United States Marshal Abernathy, who hunted with President Roosevelt last summer, never captured more than one live coyote in one chase. Prettyman is an athlete and is receiving congratulations from all parts of the country.

#### Dupont Elected Senator.

Dover, Del., June 13.—In joint session the legislature Tuesday elected H. A. Dupont United States senator.

#### Sent to His Grandmother.

Bedalia, Mo., June 13.—Willard Farris, the waif left at Boonville, was sent to his grandmother at New York.

# TOO SUDDEN, HE SAYS

## Mr. Bryan, at Vienna, Is Informed of His Endorsements

## BY THE CONVENTIONS

### Tells of Distinctions Between Socialism and Democracy and Dwells Upon Trusts and Regulation of Them.

Berlin, June 11.—"This is too sudden," said Hon. William J. Bryan, with a laugh, when he was told of the adoption by the recent state conventions of resolution favoring his nomination for the presidency of the United States in 1908. "This is the first announcement of this news to me," Mr. Bryan continued. "I have been off the main caravan route for some time and have been absorbed in what I have been seeing and doing."

Mr. Bryan has been moving so rapidly since he left Vienna on Saturday that letters and telegrams for him did not reach him until Monday.

As to the possibility of his nomination he had little to say, declaring it is too early to speak on that question. Taking up the subject of political requirements, he said: "Before leaving home I tried to distinguish between Democracy and what can properly called Socialism. Democracy recognizes competition as legitimate and tries to protect competitive principle from attack. Socialism sees competition as an evil to be eliminated by public ownership and operation of all means of production and distribution. While this distinction between Democracy and Socialism should be overlooked the Democratic platform must be one of progress and reform and not merely opposition to Republican or Socialistic ideas. In our fight for absolute elimination of private monopolies and for regulation of corporations in general it is necessary the party shall be free from any suspicion of an alliance with corporate interests, that have dominated American politics. To this end campaign contributions must be limited to those who have the public interests to advance. I trust public sentiment will require all parties to keep the books open so that hereafter no party will be under private obligations to such corporate offenders."

Alluding o conditions in the meat industry Mr. Bryan said: "The beef trust is not different in its character and methods from other trusts. The inevitable tendency of private monopoly is to increase the price of the product and lower its quality. Why should anyone expect anything else from a trust than lowering the qaulity when the monopoly is established? Observe I have used the words 'private monopoly,' not 'public.' In private monopoly private interests set up against those of the whole people. A quite different principle comes into operation when interest all alone is in view."

Herman Ridder of the New York Staats Zeitung and Mr. Bryan had a long talk Monday on the political situation in the United States.

Mr. Bryan will visit St. Petersburg and from there will go to Sweden and Norway. He will arrive in England early in July and will then visit France, Italy and Switzerland. He expects to sail on the steamship Princess Irene from Gibraltar Aug. 22 and to arrive at New York Aug. 29.

### WILL REORGANIZE.

#### This Course Decided Upon at Meeting in Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, June 13.—At a meeting here of sixty-one Republicans from various parts of the state, forty of them being negroes, it was decided to reorganize Republican party in Texas. A committee of thirty-one was appointed to initiate this movement. One resolution declared that Mr. Lyon is ineligible to longer serve as chairman, he being receiver of the Kirby Lumber company, it being claimed this disqualifies him under the Terrell election law.

A resolution was adopted to the effect that Cecil Lyon should be ousted from the chairmanship. This resolution was one of many sections and many counts, arraigning Colonel Lyon for many things declared against the best interests of the party.

The convention of the reorganizers will not be held at El Paso.

### WOMAN CANDIDATE.

#### Lady Declares to Be Clerk of County of Fannin.

Bonham, Tex., June 13.—For the first tme in the history of Fannin county a woman is aspirng for a county office. Mrs. Mary S. Cope, widow of the late John S. Cope, who was elected district clerk two years ago, is a candidate for that office. Mrs. Cope states that she is not an advocate of woman's suffrage, but that she feels that she should be allowed to fil out the two terms, whch, according to Democratic usage, would have been given her husband. Mrs. Cope has filled this office by apointment since the death of her husband several months ago. There are several candidates for the office.

### FOURTEEN BURN.

#### Business District of South McAlester Sustains Great Damage.

South McAlester, June 13.—Fire which broke out shortly after midnight Monday night, swept the business district of the north end, and burned to ashes the stocks and buildings of fourteen business blocks. All the buildings for a block on each side of the street were entirely consumed, with their contents, entailing a loss of $100,000, with only a small portion covered by insurance.

The fire started in W. A. Walker's store.

At Dallas Mrs. J. R. Coffin was terribly bitten by a bulldog.

### FORTUNE FOR EX-SLAVE

#### Noted Kentucky Turfman Left Farm to Negro Housekeeper.

Aunt Margaret Pryor, Mr. Thomas' faithful negro housekeeper, who was his slave until the civil war, has inherited his breeding farm, Hira Villa, and thoughbred horses left on it at the of the veteran turfman. The probated the other day.

It bequeathes to Aunt Margaret the property, personal and real, codicil dated last December. William Howe, a cousin, and liam Howe's daughter and her ter and two granddaughters Howard, deceased, all of Bardstown, S. C., $10,000 each. To Edward zier, his friend, he leaves his brary and his Texas land, and Clay, his colored jockey and his two sons, $5,000; all colored servants $500.

Aunt Margaret gets all the after the funeral expenses are paid. Her holdings also city residence in which Major entertained most of the distinguished New York turfmen who came tucky. On the farm are two ling thoroughbred colts and the brood mares Grace Lee Himyar, each now twenty-five old. He sold all of his horses last fall.

The will is a disappointment close personal friends in who were looking for handsome quests.

### ROCKEFELLER FEELS

#### Pleasure Oil King Takes in New Home Benefits.

The work of excavating the $500,000 house which John feller intends to build on highest point on his large Pocantico Hills, N. Y., began morning, says a special from town, N. Y., to the New York

The mansion will be about long and eighty feet wide surrounded by an inclosed planned to catch the sun which Mr. Rockefeller can ant days and enjoy sun bath he is very fond.

Mr. Rockefeller has been spring planning his new has not played any golf at town home. Every detail ranged by him. The building absolutely fire and water will be six stories high on side and about three sides south, on account of the ground. It will be of rough colonial style. On the sixth be an observatory.

Mr. Rockefeller enjoys the planning his home. To a day recently he said:

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BEN PALMER

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W. H. BLACKMOND
T. J. ROBERSON

Flotorial Representative 29th
JESS BAKER, of Hood
W. A. BINYON, of Gra

For County Judge
M. J. THOMPSON (re-el

For Sheriff
GEO. DOUGHARTY
N. N. JOHNSON
BATES COX
MACK CRESWELL (re-
G. E. TOLIVER
JIM JORDAN
GEO. B. MALONEY

For County Clerk
H. P. COLE
GEO. P. KNIGHT
RUFUS A. MORTON

For District Clerk
M. L. ASHWORTH
ED COLLIER
JOE J. PATE
HENRY CLARK

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GEO. F. (BUD) PARKER

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WM. PANNILL
B. E. COOK

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TOM STINNETT
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C. Dickson of Carlton is attending the theo-

Hamilton, who has been her home in east Dublin month or more, has re-strictly to sit up.

carpenters of Dublin met on and adopted the nice to take effect on the first of R. Warner, for commit- 5-3t

Drake returned yester- visit of six weeks with relatives at Abilene, and other points in west

and family and Mrs. expect to leave Sat- for Brenham, Texas, visit with Mr. John- and other relatives.

Hall, who has been very typhoid fever for the past is thought to be improved this morning and of her recovery is enter-

is in Tolar this week the vault for the First there. The first one not satisfactory, being that the doors would not shut.

of a lack of sufficient and proper street crossings department has for the rejected the application of Brownwood for free mail service in the city.

Barber, who has for the months been employed Maloney Mercantile Com- Alexander, has returned with to Dublin and has accept- at Jordan's grocery store.

contract for a ten thousand temple for Cisco has by the Masons and excavat- the foundation of the build- begin at once as the order have a corner stone laying

en route to Downing from recently Dr. Fowler, his baby of De Leon, drove in- team of water and their overturned, throwing the into the water. No one

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At the residence of Mrs. Bruce Cage Thursday evening a swell function was given in honor of Miss Swan Jordan, being what is denominated a linen shower. It is really the forerunner of a more important event—the wedding ceremony—and is a very graceful way for the bride-to-be to formally announce her engagement and also for her friends to "shower" her with numerous articles of linen, useful and ornamental when she takes on the serious cares of a wife. Miss Swan is a very popular young woman and has the distinction of being numbered on the list as one of the prettiest girls of the city, yet it is said to her credit that the flattery and adulation of her many admirers has never spoiled her, and for this reason she easily retains the love, respect and admiration of all who know her intimately. The groom-to-be is Marsten L. Sutphin of Tucson, Arizona, who will come later on in June and transplant this fair young product of Erath's genial climate to that of his own torrid zone.—Stephenville Tribune.

Some two weeks ago the Tribune announced a deal that was on foot at the time, for the sale of the Pioneer Mill & Elevator Co. This week we are permitted to announce the sale consummated. J. F. Weiser & Co., who own mills at Hico and Dublin, are the purchasers and are successful mill men. We feel assured they will make the Stamford mill a paying institution. The former owners of the mill have plants at Cisco and Albany, which are so extensive that they can not devote the time to the Stamford mill that it needs, hence the sale. The new firm will take charge soon and will further equip the mill and make it one of the best in west Texas.—Stamford Tribune, June 8th.

J. H. Reese, who recently resigned as cashier of the Citizens National Bank, left Dublin this morning for some point west on a prospecting trip. We learn that it is probable that Mr. Reese may go to Brownwood and accept a place with the new railroad to be built from Brownwood via Rising Star to Cisco and probably into the Panhandle. Mr. Reese has interested himself in the road with Messrs. G. H. Connell, Brooke Smith and others of the original promoters. W. E. Reese is now acting cashier of the Citizens National until the regular election of officers.

Prof. Stallings has tendered his resignation as manager of the Proctor Supply Company's business at Proctor and Mrs. Stallings has also resigned her position in the school there. The directors of the Proctor Supply Company have appointed Lathaggar Green, a Proctor boy and a graduate of the John Tarleton college at Stephenville, as manager and the school board have elected Miss Kate Moore of Stephenville, who recently graduated at the Denton Normal, to fill the place of Mrs. Stallings, resigned

Deputy Jackson went to De Leon last Wednesday and arrested H. B. Bibby, charged with boot-legging whiskey. Bibby was brought to Comanche and carried before Judge McMillan and allowed to enter a plea of guilty. He was fined $25 and thirty days in jail. Mr. Jackson went to Hasse the following day and placed O. H. Davenport, charged with assault, under bond. Also Bob Huckabee, charged with driving a cow into a farm of another man, under bond.—Comanche Visitor, June 14th.

Frank Bennett of Stephenville, who was principal of the school at Harbin the past year, was Monday unanimously elected principal of the Merkel high school. We are glad to see an Erath county boy do so well in his profession. There will be thirteen teachers in the Merkel school next year and the enrollment is expected to reach eight hundred. Merkel is a fine town on the Texas & Pacific railroad in Taylor county and boasts of a population of 2,500.

The Woodmen and Odd Fellow lodges at Alexander are making preparations for a big picnic to occur at that place on Thursday, June 28th. Features of the celebration will be an address by Hon. James W. Swayne of Ft. Worth in behalf of the Woodmen and Jugde M. J. Thompson of Stephenville in behalf of the Odd Fellows. There will be other speeches, ball games, a variety of races, big basket dinner and other entertainments.

The revival meeting being conducted by Evangelist A. P. Lowry at the Methodist church is proving to be one of the greatest spiritual awakenings ever known in Dublin. There has been about fifty conversions and reclamations and twenty additions to the church. The meeting will continue over Sunday night and probably longer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bledsoe will leave tomorrow over land for a visit with Mrs. Bledsoe's mother in Callahan county. They will be gone perhaps a month and during their absence Mr. Bledsoe will visit Coke and other western counties in the interest of his mattress factory.

**Personal Mention.**

Drew Dial spent Saturday and Sunday in Waco.

J. M. Vance of Springdale Ark., was in the city this week.

Mrs. I. S. Albin of Comanche spent Saturday with friends here.

Attorney Joe Carter was over from Stephenville on business yesterday.

Miss Adell Bramlette of Stephenville is visiting Miss Lottie Maloney.

James Latham has returned from Waco, where he has been attending school.

J. D. Brock went to Hico Tuesday to assist Mr. Strong in loading a car of chickens.

Miss Clara Guntler of Gorman was here Tuesday en route home from Stephenville.

Charles Harbison of Ft. Scott, Kansas is visiting the family of Mrs. G. B. Herndon.

Miss Earle Smith left Wednesday night for a ten days' visit to relatives at Duncan, I. T.

Mrs. James McKinney spent from Monday to Thursday visiting friends and relatives in Hico.

Joe Higginbotham Jr. has returned from Waco, where he has been attending Baylor university.

Mrs. S. D. Greaves of Cumby, Texas, is visiting her niece, Mrs. A. M. Maloney, this week.

C. H. Hyde is spending a few days in Brownwood, prospecting for a location for a dairy and truck farm.

Mrs. Lucy Fagan and children returned Saturday from Colorado city, where they have been visiting her brother, Phillip Harrell.

**Rags! Rags! Rags!**

Special until July 20th I will pay in cash 40 cents per 100 pounds for all the old mixed rags of any kind, delivered to me in sacks. Scrap iron 25 cents for 100 pounds.—H. K. McKully, Dublin, Texas. 5-tf

Wm. H. Boyes, plumbing, metal turning and repairing. Leave order with Dublin Gas & Electric Co. 44-tf

**Grant-Laird.**

Mr. Spencer Grant of near Alexander and Miss Lillie Laird were married Sunday morning at 10:30 at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Tom Laird, in the Field's School House community, Rev. Adams of Hico performing the marriage ceremony, only a few friends and the immediate members of the families being present. Both young people are well and favorably known in this section. Miss Laird has taught school at various places in this county, teaching in the Purves school the session just closed. Mr. Grant is a prosperous young farmer who has a promising future before him. We join their many friends in wishing them a successful and happy life.

Cut prices for the balance of the summer at M. J. Woods' and a picture free. 4-tf.

**Notice.**

A water meter will be put in service where parties are detected using water through a hose.—Dublin Gas & Electric Co.

**Cox-Jackson.**

Sunday last at 7:30 p. m. Napoleon Cox and Miss Valera Jackson were united in holy wedlock. The ceremony was performed at the home of T. G. Jackson, in Eastland by Rev. Tooley, and was witnessed by a few friends and relatives. The bride is the accomplished daughter of M. G. Jackson of Romney and a sister of County Attorney Jackson. Mr. Cox is an employe at the Latham mercantile emporioum and a son of J. B. Cox.—Eastland Bulletin, June 8th.

Insure your health in Prickly Ash Bitters. It regulates the system, promotes good appetite, sound sleep and cheerful spirits. Overton Drug Co., special agents.

List your farms for sale with R. L. Pipes, office over Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co. 5-tf

**Power's Case Continued.**

Lester Power's case came up for trial at Haskell last week and was continued until the November term of court. Power is charged with complicity in the killing of young Walker at Carney last fall, for which Jake McKinney was given a life sentence.

**Additional Train Service for Colorado Tourists.**

Beginning on the 10th inst. the F. W. & D. C. Railway, ("The Denver Road") re-established double-daily train service between Fort Worth and Denver under faster schedules than ever before. These trains leave Fort Worth at 9:45 a. m. and 8:45 p. m. and arrive at Fort Worth from Denver at 5:10 p.m. and 7:25 a. m. daily, thus preserving connections with all other Texas lines in both directions and affording Colorado tourists all that could be desired. Each of these trains is operated solid between Fort Worth and Denver and carry Pullman palace sleepers and also serve all meals in superb cafe cars at city prices upon the "pay only for what you order" plan.

In connection with the foregoing, this company has placed in service additional trains between Fort Worth and Quanah, Texas, a distance of 192 miles, for the accommodation of local travel, and by reason of same has been enabled to reduce the time of through trains between Fort Worth and Denver more than two hours, all of which should and will be appreciated by vacationists bound for "cool Colorado" and by the traveling public generally. 5-4t

Capt. T. O. Moore and Mr. Robert Lee of Comanche were here Saturday in the interest of securing a contract for the Comanche band to furnish the music for the ex-Confederate reunion in August. The band is lead by an ex-Confederate.

T. M. Tyson sold his meat market this week to Messrs. Billingsly and Rankin of this place and is preparing to leave the first of next week for a prospecting trip to the west with a view to locating somewhere in west Texas or New Mexico.

Ben Palmer this morning sold his telephone line from Dublin to Purves, Edna, Wilson and Lamkin to the Southwestern people. The purchasers, we are informed, will improve the line and possibly put in a local exchange at Purves.

Hon. Ben Palmer was in Dublin today seeing the voters and left on the noon train for a professional visit to Stamford as counsel for the state in a murder case of a Mr. Cornell for the killing of Henry Boyd at that place a little over two weeks ago.

The skating rink at Eastland is now closed, awaiting the courts action in an injunction suit filed by Marshall Connellee of that city, claiming the rink to be a private nuisance or annoyance. The case is set for hearing on the first day of court.

Prof. L. T. Green, who was principal of the school at Lingleville last year and was re-elected for next year, has resigned that position to accept the position of manager of the Proctor Supply Company at Proctor. Prof. Everett Davis succeeds him at Lingleville.

The grand jury at Brownwood found an indictment against Jerry Green, charging him with negligent homicide in the alleged accidental shooting of Lee Lawson in a club room at Brownwood several days ago. Green was arrested and allowed bond in the sum of $2,000.

Mrs. R Utterback of Brady, a sister-in-law of B. M. Utterback of this city, has been in Brownwood this week in an effort to secure a lot on which to erect a sixty-room hotel. Mrs. Utterback found several lots that would answer her purpose but considered the price unreasonable.

A big picnic was enjoyed at Hico yesterday at which a large number of Dublin people were present. In a contest there between the Dublin and the Hico fire teams, the Dublin boys as usual came out with first honors. Hico has a good team of fire fighters but it requires the best in the state to compete with Dublin.

W. T. Tatum will leave this morning for Kennedy in Karns county at the junction of the Aransas Pass and the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railroads. Mr. Tatum will take the position of engineer for a cotton compress now being erected at Kennedy by McFadden & Co. His family will remain in Dublin for some time yet.

Mrs. S. S. Davis, Mrs. F. M. Browne, Misses Maggie Hartgrove, Bess Maloney and Leve Roberson, Rev. A. L. Clinkinbeard and J. S. Pipes are in attendance at the Texas Christian Missionary convention at Waxahachie which closes today. Hundreds of delegates are in attendance and the meeting has been an interesting one.

The chief mail carrier of rural route two out of Cisco has dropped onto an easy way of handling his work and giving his ponies a rest. He uses a bicycle in favorable weather on days that there is not much mail to handle. He attaches his stamps to a little pouch on his bike and with his napsack on his back he splits the breeze over his circuit.

Dr. Robinson will again be at Commercial Hotel, Dublin, Monday, June 18th, until 2 p. m. He especially requests his old patients to call. Dr. Robinson's method of treatment is the only method that offers hope for cure of catarrh deafness and all catarrhal conditions of nose and throat, cross eyes straightened, glasses accurately fitted, artificial eyes inserted. 1t

Hurley, the little fourteen year old son of J. D. White of near Purves happened to the painful accident last Wednesday night of breaking an ordinary sewing needle off in his left knee. The child was bathing and an old rusty needle happened to be in a cloth which he was using and penetrated the knee between the cartilage of the knee cap and broke off. He suffered great pain with the wound and was brought to Dublin yesterday and the needle was extracted by Dr. R. A. Miller.

## SOCIETY NOTES

Miss Ethel Neel is visiting friends in Hico.

Mrs. N. C. Waltrip of Buffalo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pollan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Durst have returned from a visit to Ft. Worth.

Miss Lucy Collier has returned from a visit to friends at Ft. Worth.

Misses Beulah and Pearl Hallmark spent several days last week in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh K. Brewer and family leave the first of July for Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Neel and family will leave the first of July for Shadrick's Mill.

Mrs. Pat Thompson of Sulphur Springs is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Moore.

Mrs. Tom Jordan of Hico arrived Sunday for a visit of several weeks with relatives.

Miss Grace Williams returned Friday from Waco, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. George Tatum of Stephenville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hallmark.

Mrs. Charlie Neil and family left Thursday to spend several days with relatives in Hico.

Mrs. Will Key and little daughter, Lucile, have returned from a visit to Hamilton.

Miss May Williams was one of the graduates at Baylor university. She returned last Friday.

Mrs. Tom Miller and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. George Doubleday at Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hallmark and family will leave the first of July for Shadrick's Mill.

Mrs. Frank Weiser and Miss Minnie Davies spent last Saturday with friends in Stephenville.

Miss Norvell Harris of Dallas arrived Thursday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris.

Mrs. G. M. Bingham and little daughter, Alice, of Buffalo are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Pollan.

Miss Madge Latham returned Friday from Waco, where she has been attending Baylor university.

Misses Vera Grider and Tom Neblett of Stephenville spent last Sunday with Miss Eloise Pollan.

Mrs. Roussell and children, Bonnie and Norma Lina, returned Saturday from a visit to relatives at Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiser and Mrs. D. F. Weiser and family of Hico leave early in July for Colorado.

Mrs. D. L. Harris entertains the Halcyon club Friday afternoon, complimentary to Miss Norvell Harris of Dallas.

Mrs. James Baker and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Brownwood is visiting her mother, Mrs. G. B. Herndon.

Miss Mary Weiser of Hico, who is attending the normal at Stephenville, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiser.

Misses Ethel and Myrtle Fisher will leave the first of July for Tennessee, where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

One of the pleasant affairs of last week was a dance given Saturday evening at the Shamrock club rooms, complimentary to the visiting young ladies.

Misses Louise and Nina Higginbotham have returned from Waco. Misses Higginbotham were graduates in the literary department of Baylor university.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Higginbotham and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Higginbotham will leave early in July for Boulder, Colorado, where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Jud Hollis chaperoned a crowd of little folks to Stephenville Saturday to attend a birthday party given by her little niece, Nona Wilson. Those attending the party were Nina Marie Pipes, Jessie Easley, Nina Brown and Wilson Hollis.

Cards have been received announcing the wedding of Miss Virgie Paddock to Mr. Guy Pitner, which occurred June 12th. Miss Paddock visited the family of Mrs. G. B. Herndon and is known here to a limited circle of friends, by whom she is much beloved for many graces of person and character.

One of the largest skating parties so far chronicled and in everyway the most delightful was on the re-opening of the rink Tuesday night. The spectators gallery was well filled and a large crowd participated in the skating. The Dublin orchestra was in attendance and as the pianist, Miss Ethel Neel, was out of town, her place was filled by Misses Rockh Jordan and Abbie Wiley. The new floor and electric fans added zest to the skating. Those noticed on the floor were Mr. and Mrs. George Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiser, Mr. and Mrs. John Durst, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lisle, Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Smith, Mrs. Will Neel; Misses Lottie Maloney, Ellen Harris, Nina Higginbotham, Dollie Perkins, Alice Higginbotham, Abbie Wiley, Loraine Maloney, Kate Mahone, Vera Neel, Salena Moore, Madge Brown and Isla Jordan of Hico.

Mrs. Frank Weiser was hostess at a charmingly planned dinner last Tuesday evening, complimentary to her guest, Mrs. D. F. Wieser of Hico. For decortations Mrs. Weiser used sweet peas and ferns and an elaborate menu, consisting of eight courses was served. Those of the much enjoyed gathering were Mrs. R. A. Miller, Mrs. Burroughs, Mrs. S. J. Weaver, Mrs. Tom Miller and Mr. Henry Weiser.

For plumbing or windmill or tank repairing see E. O'Brien. First class service. If you need work in this line leave word at Jordan's grocery store. 34-tf.

**Paul Keith Granted Bond.**

Saturday Judge Calhoun and District Attorney Cunningham came to Eastland and heard the habeas corpus proceedings in the Paul Keith case which was reversed and remanded recently by the higher courts. The bond was set at $5,000, which was given Thursday and Paul Keith released from custody. We understand the case was reversed on about eight points of law. It is thought here that the case will be carried by agreement to Waco for trial.—Eastland Bulletin.

**Notice.**

A water meter will be put in service where parties are detected using water through a hose.—Dublin Gas & Electric Co. 4-2t.

**Down Town Express Office.**

The glad tidings have at last been given out that Dublin is at a very early date to have an up town express office and free delivery of express. S. R. McMullen, route agent for the Wells Fargo Express Co., is expected to arrive Monday to close the contract for a building to be used for this purpose for the next two years and we are informed it is probable he will either arrange for the Witcher building or the O'Brien building. The Fargo has heretofore only handled express over the Frisco road and the Pacific has had the Central, but the Fargo has contracted to take the Central also and the Pacific will withdraw from the field. The up town office is to be entirely independent of the depots and provided with a special agent, whose duties will not be divided. The new arrangement will be a decided relief to both the depot agents and their forces as well as to the people in general, who patronize the express companies and the new system will be a decided improvement over the old.

**Love's Labor.**

Homer T. Wilson, chaplain of the T. P. A., had this to say to the traveling men at the Houston meeting last week. "Life is passing away. If we have borne each other's burdens to the best of our abilities to make them lighter, then all the happier we are for our labors. It is one thing to bear your grip and sell goods, and it is quite another thing to bear about us the kind word and the hearty hand clasp and the 'God bless you.' Wherever we go it is a beautiful thing to show a kind, loving heart for those in trouble. I believe we are growing better, boys, as we grow older. Let us so live that the mantle that will drop from our shoulders will be worthy of those who come after us. If we live in such a way that others shall rise up and call us blessed, then is life worth while, indeed. Let this convention not only be a milestone on the journey upward and onward in the beautiful life before."—Exchange.

**Gasoline Engine For Sale.**

2 H. P. latest improved Fairbanks-Morse, equipped with spark and burner igniter and magnetic generator. More of these engines in use than any other on the market. Practically good as new. Will sell at half price. A bargain for some one wanting small power for any purpose. Call on or address J. S. Daley, Dublin.

Man is the only creature that knows he will die. Yet he is the only creature that laughs. He is the only creature that manifests joy in his existence. It is hard to understand. Every rational man knows that he has no mortgage on tomorrow. It is not his, he may never see it; he may die before dark. Few let the dark shadow of this unchangeable fact fall athwart their path. They laugh and are gay, even when their heads are grayed for the grave. They hasten to a future of which the wisest have as shadowy knowledge of as the fool. This future is forever, and is said to be influenced for eternity by our conduct here. Yet this is nearly the only fact that man is careless about. It is a mystery.—Exchange.

# NEWS FROM LOCAL EXCHANGES

## Items Clipped From Newspapers From Surrounding Towns

### STEPHENVILLE.

From the Tribune.

June 8th.—J. S. Meador, who lives in the Bluff Dale country, reports reports fine rains last week. He estimates that his wheat will make between seventeen and eighteen bushels. There are other crops not so good however. Corn is unusually fine.

J. E. Mobley sold his farm of 180 acres four and one half miles of the city to Ben C. Fry, the consideration being $5,175. Mr. Mobley then bought 120 acres from B. M. Linville, also west of the city paying therefor $4,420.

Jesse Collins, who lives six miles west of Bluff Dale, was in the track of the big hail storm which visited that section at 3 p. m. on Friday, June 1st. His wheat was ready to cut and it was literally threshed and of course ruined. Cotton on a number of farms was so badly damaged that it will have to be replanted. Corn blades were torn to shreds. On Saturday morning hail lay in drifts nearly a foot deep. Fortunately the devastated area is small.

Lee Willis is now of the opinion that all cows are dynamos, electric batteries and concentrated dynamite in their heels, for one of them tried to put her foot down his throat Wednesday evening just as he had finished milking, and he felt the mighty power of these agents. In fact it seemed as if the falls of Niagara had been turned loose in his mouth. His teeth prevented the cow from accomplishing her evil designs, but four of them were loosened at the roots, his fine shapely mouth somewhat disfigured and his voice now has a muffled sound.

John Fooshee of Wichita Falls is in the city and gives some interesting data concerning the work of the cyclone which destroyed Bellevue, a place which he visited after the storm and helped bury the fourteen of the victims. With the exception of one woman every one who did not go in a storm house was killed. The storm cellars of the city were all filled with people, each containing from twenty-five to thirty. One old man, wife and boy sought refuge in a basement. The building over them was torn all to pieces and swept away, and they were unhurt until a pick was hurled into the basement. It struck all three, wounding the woman so badly she died in two days. Mr. Fooshee says the destruction of buildings and trees was complete and that no one realizes the destructive force of a cyclone until he views the ruins and sees the dead and wounded people.

### HAMILTON.

From the Herald.

June 6th.—Norton A. Baker of Stephenville was in town a short while Monday.

W. W. Lynch has finshed taking the scholastic census of the Hamilton independent school district. He reports 384 scholastics, an increase of 36 over the previous year.

The ice plant was to have been sold Tuesday to satisfy a judgment issued against the old company from Harris county, but an injunction was secured and the sheriff was kept from selling it.

P. J. Snell, known as "Texas Bud," came in Saturday evening from Shreveport, La., where he has been located for some time. He returns this week and expects to start out with a wild steer roping and bronco riding show of his own get up. He says that he has been taking all premiums in this line.

E. R. Williams and wife and little son, Robert, accompanied by James Williams and Mrs. Mamie Misner, returned from Salado last Tuesday, bringing Miss Margaret Williams, who will visit here for some time. The latter graduated in her school with distinguished honors, being awarded the state University scholarship. On their way to Salado the party had a narrow escape from serious injury, the hack they were in being capsized and the occupants getting a few slight bruises. It was a close call, and it was almost a miracle that no one was killed.

### Unknown Friends.

There are many people who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with splendid results, but who are unknown because they hesitated about giving a testimonial of their experience for publication. These people, however, are none the less friends of this remedy. They have done much toward making it a household word by their personal recommendations to friends and neighbors. It is a good medicine to have in the home and is widely known for its cures of diarrhoea and all forms of bowel trouble. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

### COMANCHE.

From the Chief.

June 9th.—Fred Kilpatrick came over from Dublin last Sunday.

Prof. Sims spent several days in Hico last week.

Cromer Fisher of Dublin spent Sunday in our city.

The Baptists have called Rev. O. L. Hailey, late of Texarkana, as their pastor here. He has not accepted the call.

Dr. Gray pronounced several cases of smallpox in the northern part of the county last week. Several new cases have been reported this week.

Deputy Sheriff Jackson went to Sipe Springs Monday and placed C. W. Macune Jr., under bond. Macune is under indictment in Denton county on charge of swindling.

Prof. D. P. Parker, superintendent elect of the school, has rented the house formerly occupied by Prof. Donaldson and he and his wife will move here in about two weeks.

The following marriage licenses have recently been issued: Jerome McCarty and Miss Mynette Wishart, Beeman Franklin and Miss Violet Pendergrass, J. N. Routh and Miss Minnie McDonald, Lon Myers and Miss Lillie Stewart.

J. W. McNeill who is the government crop statistician for this county, has sent in a report that the increase in cotton acreage for this county is five per cent. There are some who claim Mr. McNeill's estimate is too low, while others agree with him.

Vital Statistics:—Boys born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anthony at Comanche, W. B. Richardson at Hasse, Pete Miller at Gustine, James Steel at Sowall's Creek, C. A. Parsons at De Leon, J. O. Crowder at Highland, G. L. Wooley at Lamkin Will, Hulitt and W. H. Murphy at Gap, James Baykin and Chas. Roe at Sipe Springs. Girls to Jack Waldrop, Wm. T. Stewart, Emil Rauhut and J. M. Carter at Comanche, J. D. Hayes at De Leon, E. C. Mullens at Proctor, J. M. Holcomb at Gustine, D. Riddish and T. Sanders at Hasse, Joe Huse at Proctor.

Good wooden hay press to trade for a good Jersey milk cow.—R. A. Crocker, Dublin. 52-4t

### The Man Who Advertises.

The man who advertises will sell you goods cheaper than the man who does not advertise. The man who advertises is the public spirited man and the fellow who always helps along a worthy cause. Besides, he is the fellow, who is always drawing new customers through his wide-awake methods. He meets you more than half way and is ready to sell at a small profit, that he may reinvest his capital. He finds that the expense of advertising is really a saving to himself and his customers, since it enables him to supplement personal effort to the greatest extent by his local paper's subscription list, and by so doing increase his list of business acquaintances to such an extent that he can and does invarably undersell the fellow who sits down, does not use this method of inviting people to his store and when he makes a deal, skins you in some manner.—Exchange.

### GRANBURY.

From the Democrat.

June 9th.—The Brazos river at this point has been very high most of the week, the water being level with the second bank.

The remains of Miss Bertie Martin, sister to Mrs. C. A. White, were brought here from Ft. Worth Thursday for burial.

Deputy Sheriff Swofford went to Madill, I. T., Tuesday and arrested Jess and H. Vestal, aged twenty and twenty-two years respectively, charged with defacing public property, i. e., tearing out the windows of the Antioch church and riding through it with their horses. They were brought back here Wednesday and entered pleas of guilty, contributing $119.50 in fines and costs.

Friday afternoon of last week during the storm J. C. Heathington and Terrell Weeks were badly shocked by a stroke of lightning while at the home of J. A. Nelson. The bolt of lightning struck a tree about fifty feet from them, the shock knocking Weeks down, while Heathington soon began to feel his head aching and after going home was thrown into a high fever. Both parties were very sore in body and limbs for several days after the shock. The tree which the bolt struck was split open to the ground.

Wednesday afternoon about 5 o'clock the barn of J. R. Jayroe on South Crockett street was destroyed by fire together with a large amount of feed. The fire was under too great headway, fanned by a brisk wind, when discovered to save anything. Contiguous outhouses and fences were removed in order to protect near-by residences. The fire is believed to be due to a lot of alfalfa, which had been ubaled. Alfalfa contains a latent heat, and when acted upon by the heat of the sun resulted in spontaneous combustion, setting istelf on fire and destroying the barn.

### Following the Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired Commissary Sergeant C. S. A., rural route one, Concord, N. H., says: "I was two years in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which kept me in perfect health. And now in New Hampshire we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and lung diseases. Guaranteed at Overton Drug Co. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

### Ghost Shocked Oats at Farm.

It's true that not many people will acknowledge to a belief in ghosts, but there are several men out at the Cameron farm who will believe to their last day that they saw a real live ghost Tuesday night. The harvesting season is on there and in order to harvest the big crop of oats now ripe the reaper is kept going night and day. It requires two men to operate the reaper and at a late hour last night while they were busily engaged they discovered that the oats they were cutting were being shocked in the path of the reaper. This caused them to look around and they could see a man busily at work shocking the oats. The young men called to their fellow worker but received no response. They approached within a few feet of the silent worker and repeatedly called but he took no notice of them. This was a little more than they could stand and it was a foot race from the field to the house, both arriving about the same time. Two older men were sent out by Mr. Milam to drive away the ghost and carry on the work. These recruits saw the same sight a little while after they had begun the work and they started back to catch Mr. Ghost. When they would walk in the direction of the strange object it would move away. Finally they started to run after it and it stopped and the men came up almost in reach of it and it had such a phantom look that they decided to go to the house and leave Mr. Ghost master of the oat patch.

When these men returned to the house and reported to Mr. Milam he telephoned to Seriff Denman and waited until the sheriff arrived before the men were sent back to the field. And then they were accompanied by the sheriff and himself who kept watch until daylight. Sheriff Denman says he did not see any signs of a ghost except some well shocked oats in the patn of the reaper. It's a strange story and one that is puzzling the workmen out at the farm.—Brownwood Bulletin.

### How to Break up a Cold.

It may be a surprise to many to learn that a severe cold can be completely broken up in one or two days' time. The first symptoms of a cold are a dry, loud cough, a profuse watery discharge from the nose and a thin white coating on the tongue. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is taken every hour on the first appearance of these symptoms it counteracts the effect of the cold and restores the system to a healthy condition within a day or two. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

### Good Record for Motor Yacht.

Twenty thousand miles of travel in and about the coastal and inland waterways of the United States is no unworthy record for a little gasoline motor yacht. To be accurate, one little motor boat covered just 18,655 miles in five seasons. The longest single cruise undertaken by this boat, and one of the longest and most remarkable voyages ever attempted by a gasoline motor yacht was a trip of 6,256 miles. Starting from New Orleans she sailed up the Mississippi river, through the Great Lakes, and the Erie Canal and down the Hudson to New York. The return trip to New Orleans was by way of the Atlantic coast and Gulf of Mexico, including the "inside passage" to Florida, a succession of rivers, canals and bayous from Charleston to Jacksonville. This cruise was completed in five months. The two-cycle engine had consumed 556 gallons of gasoline—.857 gallon per hour. The average speed from New Orleans to New York was 5.9 miles per hour; Chicago to New York 6.73 miles per hour; New York to New Orleans 8.04 miles per hour.—Exchange.

### Death From Lockjaw

never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, merchant of Rensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch of this place of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures cuts, wounds, burns and sores. 25c at Overton Drug Co.

### A Little Story of Real Life.

The great financier buried his face in his hands as a great flood of bitterness crowded his soul. He had locked the door of his private office and denied himself to every one all the morning, just as years before he had shut the world and its people from his heart. When but a child he had been branded as a "bad boy," and other children were forbidden to play with him. He had grown up asking himself why no one loved him. That he was bad he had learned as a parrot would, but the real meaning was too vague to be understood by his childish mind.

At school no one had understood him. Once, when he was disobedient, a plan had been conceived to punish his favorite teacher. He was so grieved that he ran away for fear he might cause pain or punishment to the one he loved. No one came and asked why he did so—he was expelled.

That to starve or to die was better than to live without sympathy had been his early conclusion, for truly he was being eaten up with a gnawing hunger for sympathy and companionship.

Once, when he was a young businessman, successful indeed because he gave his life, his whole energy to the work, some one started a report that he was dishonest in a deal.

He cried out against the injustice of a world which would not see. He was tried and the judge, who, no doubt meant to be honest, decided against him, because circumstances were not in his favor. Not one came to say, I know, I believe you are honest. No wonder, like a haunted thing, which would fly to shelter from the eyes of the world, he lived alone in his grief of being misunderstood.

Years after when it was found that he was honest, that he had been falsely accused, no one came to rejoice with him—and he cared but little, but realized anew how little the world cared to be just.

His eyes were kind and seemed to appeal to you to respond, but his mouth was set and firm, and lines, which once expressed sweetness, had now deepened into furrows of care and coldness.

As he sat there dreaming his life over, he wondered who was ever denied sympathy as he.

A rap came on the door, and he admitted his bookkeeper, a woman. She looked frightened and there were traces of tears in her eyes.

He asked her to be seated. Any one in trouble was welcome, especially this woman, whom he had more than admired.

I have come, she said, to ask what you are going to do wih me. There is money missing from the safe. There is no way to prove my innocence, for I believe I alone have the combination, and I am too poor to return the money. Of course you cannot know or understand that I would not steal—and the woman wept bitterly.

Why do you say I cannot understand? he asked.

I do not know, she said, I only felt you would not—no one ever does. We are born in one sphere and forced to live in anotner, where it as all mistrust and bitterenss.

I do know; I do understand, he replied.

The woman looked at him through tears and saw two great eyes of kindness, yet she dared not believe. You really do not think I took the money? she asked.

And if I didn't would you care other than the disgrace?

Yes, oh yes! I should want you to think me honest, because I know how you hate dishonesty.

Then I do believe in your innocence. There are none who can so sympathize as those who have suffered, and I only hope you may never suffer as I have.

But you sir, are rich, she said.

Yes, in money, but as for friends I have none.

How she wished to tell him! But she was a woman and only a bookkeeper, so she thanked him for his trust in her, but forgot to offer him a word of sympathy, and he thinking no one could love him, mistook her modesty for indifference. So the word which trembled on his lips when he saw her troubled was left unsaid.—Exchange.

### The Belled Buzzard.

Several years ago the papers were filled with accounts of the belled buzzard. People who saw, or said they saw the vulture with a bell on and heard the bell jingle would write the papers about it, until some skeptical readers began to doubt the existence of the bird. But a Ledger subscriber, John A. Butner of Bronte, saw the belled buzzard last verifies its existence. H noticed the bird on a Kickapoo mountain and white object at its throat to get within twenty ya slipping up behind a bu white object proved to b bright bell. When the bi its wings the bell could heard, though when sail the air, Mr. Butner stat of the bell could be hea ger Ledger.

### About the Size of It

Little Elmer (who has ing turn of mind)—Papa, divorce like?

Professor Broadhead—son, it resembles hash to erable extent, being made form scraps around the ta son's Magazine.


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"I decided a change might help, so took him to Kansas City for a visit. When we got there he was so very weak when he would cry he would sink away and seemed like he would die.

"When I reached my sister's home she said immediately that we must feed him Grape-Nuts and, although I had never used the food, we got some and for a few days gave him just the juice of Grape-Nuts and milk. He got stronger so quickly we were soon feeding him the Grape-Nuts itself and in a wonderfully short time he fattened right up and became strong and well. "That showed me something worth knowing and, when later on my girl came, I raised her on Grape-Nuts and she is a strong healthy baby and has been. You will see from the little photograph I send you what a strong, chubby youngster the boy is now, but he didn't look anything like that before we found this nourishing food. Grape-Nuts nourished him back to strength when he was so weak he couldn't keep any other food on his stomach." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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### DOCTOR EXPLAINS.

His Article in the Medical Magazine about Coffee.

One of the most famous publications in the United States is the "Alkaloidal Clinic" in a recent number of which an entertaining article on coffee by a progressive physician and surgeon was published. In explaining his position in the matter this physician recently said:

"In the article in question I really touched but lightly upon the merits of Postum Food Coffee. I have had several cases of heart trouble, indigestion and nervousness, where a permanent cure was effected by merely using Postum in place of coffee without any other treatment.

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...that conditions would ...pure white marble has ...at every point where ...permissible the sculptor ...its beauty. On the two ...the architect has plac... ...adornment. Both of ...mounted by Byzantine ...Falmouth and Norway ...cloister porches con... ...old church.

## ...'S QUAINT ESCORT.

...Accompanied Mgr. ...Country Church.

...was recently es... ...picturesque cavalcade on ...St. Joseph's church at ...Belair road, where he ...persons, says a Balti... ...Dispatch to the New York ...of people along the ...to see the procession. ...male members of the con... ...other residents of Nec...

...was elaborately deco... ...and cords of dif... ...Each bridle was hidden ...and white ribbon, while ...of the horse's head and ...forehead there was a ...of the same colors. Long ...tied to the horses' ...and white blanket was ...each animal.

...had bows of ribbons in ...and streamers on his ...George Seidel, had ...silk wrapped about his ...shoulders, and his horse was ...covered with bunting and ...only his legs were visi... ...brass band led the ...The cardinal rode in a ...

## ...OR BRITISH CREW.

...to Bring Us Fireworks to ...Their Defeat.

...reporter inquired ...of the officers of the ...ship Yeddo, just arrived ...from the far east, what ...was he quite innocently ...a matter which had been ...their minds the whole voy... ...New York Globe. Nor ...of all strange that these ...of King Edward should ...touchy on the subject of ...freight, since it consists ...of fireworks with which ...the achieving our inde... ...Great Britain.

...a bit tough on us, you ...one of the officers, smil... ...that we have any hard feel... ...you Americans, but all ...would like it a bit better, you ...you'd bring over your own ...crackers."

...For Nervous Women.

...ingenious "cures" that ...faddists have promulgated ...dared until now to advise ...cure" for any woman, says ...York Press. At last a Lon... ...who has a high reputa... ...society women, has tabooed ...water, sunshine and blue ...and insists that all that ex... ...society leaders need is simply ...an hour every day in absolute ...This treatment is recommend... ...for women who are ex... ...nervous, but for beautiful wo... ...physician insists that an ...middle of the day spent in ...not only soothes the nerves, ...the lines of worry to leave ...and ...a more peaceful, ...expression to the counte... ...his "cure," the phy... ...it is well known that a ...nerves talks twice as ...stigmatic sister. If the ...can be persuaded to ...and permit the brain ...will have fewer break... ...neuralgia and nervous

## A COAT OF ARMS.

**How One May Be Acquired For a Consideration In England.**

The practice of granting arms is still in vogue in England, Ireland, Scotland, Austria, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Germany, etc., and at times the pope, as sovereign pontiff, exercises the power.

Indeed, it is by patent or grant alone that a new family can legitimately acquire a coat of arms.

The modus operandi in England, for example, is as follows: The applicant for a patent of arms (from the crown) may employ any member he pleases of the heralds' college and through him present a memorial to the earl marshal of England, who acts for the crown in these matters, setting forth that he, the memorialist, is not entitled to arms or cannot prove his right to such and praying that his grace the earl marshal will issue his warrant to the kings of arms, authorizing them to grant and confirm to him due and proper armorial ensigns, to be borne according to the laws of heraldry by him and his descendants. This memorial is presented and a warrant is issued by the earl marshal, under which a patent of arms is made out, exhibiting a painting of the armorial ensigns granted, the royal arms of England, the arms of the earl marshal and those of the college and describing in official terms the proceedings that have taken place and a correct blazon of the arms. This patent is registered in the books of the heralds' college and receives the signatures of the garter and one or both of the provincial kings of arms.

A grant or patent of arms is made to a man and his male descendants. This gives him a fee simple of them—that is to say, to him and to his male descendants equally and altogether and to his female descendants in a qualified manner—i. e., for life, to bear the arms in a lozenge or impaled with their husbands' arms (if the husbands have arms), as arms can only be brought in by arms, or, if they be heiresses or coheiresses, on an escutcheon of pretense upon their husbands' shields, and in the last case their descendants inherit such maternal arms, but only as a quartering.—Nineteenth Century.

## SMUGGLING.

**It Was Considered a Legitimate Pursuit In Days Gone By.**

A book by J. C. Wright entitled "In the Good Old Times" throws some interesting light on the ways of days gone by: "Of every three pounds of tea it was said that two were contraband. In fact, smuggling was considered a perfectly legitimate pursuit. Everybody was ready to profit by it, from the squire, who filled his cellars with cheap wine, and his wife, who adorned herself in cheap silks, to the shopkeeper, who got cheap groceries, or the laborer, who got high wages for work that was secret, unlawful and perilous. Even Adam Smith confessed to a weakness for smuggling and nobody was above bargaining to have a pipe or a hogshead put in his cellar at a low figure. But smuggling on a large scale was not carried on without bribery, perjury, informing, violence and murder."

Of the old time London watchman: "He was wrapped in a wide skirted heavy coat, a useful garment for protecting him from the cold, but not adapted to enable him to cope with the bullies who assaulted the weak and unprotected. He wore low shoes and a big broad brimmed hat, which could be turned up or down, worn forward or backward. The only means of defense which the watchman seems to have possessed was a staff something like a beadle's. In his left hand he carried his lantern."

In those primitive times pins were manufactured by hand and went through several stages of manufacture: Worker No. 1 formed the wire, No. 2 cut it into lengths, No. 3 smoothed it, the fourth man made the head, the fifth stuck it on, the sixth ground the point, the seventh washed and dried it, and it had to go through three more hands after that; hence it used to be a familiar proverb, "It takes ten men to make a pin."

**Queer Judicial Decisions.**

Some queer judicial decisions in Victoria are mentioned in the Australian Review of Reviews. A man who embezzled some money from a bank has received a sentence of nearly three years' imprisonment, while a man who murdered his mother by stabbing her to the heart received only one year, and another man, who shot his sister and killed her, was sentenced to only two years, and immediately after that a man who wrote a letter to another man threatening to kill him received three years' imprisonment.

**Schoolboy Answers.**

Here are some assertions from compositions by American schoolboys: "Franklin's father was a tallow chandelier." "The climate of North America is embracing." "This song is in the key of B flap." "There are five bowels—a, e, i, o and u." "The snow is painting the town white." "He lived in Cambridgepork." "Man is in the muscular gender because it denotes a male." "They went to the foolish (Polish) church." Question: "What is geography?" Answer: "Geography is round, like a ball."

**Fame.**

It is an indiscreet and troublesome ambition that cares so much about fame, about what the world says of us; to be always looking in the faces of others for approval; to be always anxious about the effect of what we do or say; to be always shouting to hear the echoes of our own voices.—Longfellow.

Laws are like cobwebs—if any trifling or powerless thing falls into them they hold it fast, while if it is something weightier it breaks through them and is off.—Solon.

## A PECULIAR FISH.

**The Turbot's Ball and Socket Eye of Black and Gold.**

Lying limp and slimy on a fishmonger's slab, or dry and sandy in the fishwives' baskets, the turbot is, perhaps, the least interesting of fish. When swimming in an artificial sea or lying on the sandy bottom it is the most attractive of all of the denizens of this mock ocean and whether at rest or in motion has an air of vigilance, vivacity and intelligence greater than that of any of the normally shaped fish. This is in part due to its habits and in part to the expression of the flat fish's eye. This, which is sunk and invisible in the dead fish, is raised on a kind of turret in the living turbot, or sole, and set there in a half revolving apparatus, working almost as independently as the "ball and socket" eyes of the chameleon. There is this difference, however, in the eye of the lizard and of the fish—the iris of the chameleon is a mere pinhole at the top of the eyeball, which is thus absolutely without expression. The turbot's, or "butt's," eyes are black and gold and intensely bright, with none of the fixed, staring stupid appearance of ordinary fishes' eyes. It lies upon the sand and jerks its eyes independently into position to survey any part of the ground surface, the water above, or that on either side at any angle.

If it had light rays to project from its eyes instead of to receive, the effect would be precisely that made by the sudden shifting of the jointed apparatus which casts the electric light from a warship at any angle on to sea, sky or horizon. The turbots, though ready, graceful swimmers, moving in wavelike undulations across the water or dashing off like a flash when so disposed, usually lie perfectly still upon the bottom. They do not, like the dabs and the flounders, cover themselves with sand, for they mimic the color of the ground with such absolute fidelity that except for the shining eye it is almost impossible to distinguish them. It would appear that volition plays some part in this subtle conformity to environment, for one turbot, which is blind, has changed to a tint too light and not at all in harmony with that of the sand.—London Spectator.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

No man is as dangerous as his threats.

When some men have nothing to do they become reformers.

If a man asks a candid opinion from a friend and gets it, it makes him mad.

Some people invariably get the worst of it, because they are always demanding the best of it.

As soon as a man gets a notion that his employer can't get along without him he is getting ready to lose his job.

There is always the danger that every man will become the hired man and every mother the hired girl to their family.

When a young man begins to make regular visits to a girl, how it would knock out the romance if it were said that he was calling on her to make arrangements for hiring a cook.—Atchison Globe.

**Where Kit Marlowe Was Buried.**

St. Nicholas, Deptford, possesses richer literary, artistic and naval associations than most churches of the river side. It was the parish church of John Evelyn and his tenant, Peter the Great, who delighted to make the parson drunk, as well as of a long line of naval heroes. One of the many historic monuments quaintly commemorates Peter Pett, "the Noah of his age," who invented the frigate. A weird wood carving, representing the prophet Ezekiel in the valley of dry bones, is by Grinling Gibbons, who was "discovered" here by Evelyn. The parish register records the burial of Christopher Marlowe, "slaine by ffrancis Archer" on June 1, 1693.—Westminster Gazette.

**Oddly Shaped Spiders.**

The most peculiar spiders in the world, as well as the largest ones, inhabit the island of Sumatra. They are of all conceivable forms and colors, and some of them spin threads almost as large and strong as the grocer's twine. Some queerly shaped spiders have square bodies poised on long red legs, and others have crooked green and yellow legs which support heart shaped bodies. One of the very oddest of the lot has a body that looks like that of a young turtle, the "shell" having round knobs and pear shaped projections all over it.

**Monument to a Fish.**

A "tombstone" which is to be seen in the garden of Fish cottage, Blockley, a picturesque village in South Worcestershire, is believed to be the only fish's tombstone in existence. The inscription is as follows:

In Memory of the Old Fish.
Under the soil the old Fish, do, lie.
Twenty years, he, lived and then, did, die.
He was so tame you, understand
He would, come, and eat, out, of, our, hand.
Died April the 20th, 1885.
Aged 20 years.

—London Graphic.

**Sad Story.**

Kind Lady—Do you mean to tell me that reading Shakespeare brought you to prison? What works did you read? No. 411—"Romeo an' Juliet," mum. Kind Lady—But what evil influence could that have on you? No. 411—Why, it learned me to be a porch climber, mum.—Puck.

**Mistaken Identity.**

"I just dropped in again today," said the lady, "to see those lovely sideboards you had last week"—

"Not me, ma'am," replied the callow furniture salesman. "I ain't never been able to raise even a mustache."—Philadelphia Press.

## SUBMARINE REEFS.

**How They Are Located by the Naval Engineers.**

Prior to the nineteenth century navigation, except on the high seas, was mainly that of the Irish pilot who claimed to know all the rocks in the harbor. "An' there's wan of thim!" said he as he struck.

On approaching land one needs to know how far he is from the lighthouse or headland in sight. Triangulation tells him. Two points on land being taken for the base of the triangle, lines from these points, representing the other two sides of the triangle, are drawn until they intersect. That apex of the triangle will be the point where the observer is. Then the distance from his point to the land can be easily calculated.

The maritime wars under Napoleon disclosed the dangerous ignorance of French mariners about their own seacoast. French vessels were unable to break or run their enemies' blockade. After peace was established Beautemps-Beaupre was appointed as the organizer and chief of corps of engineers to chart the whole coast of France. His work was so well done that the other naval powers hastened to chart their own coasts according to his methods.

The head of a rock may easily escape ordinary soundings, or lie between soundings. When covered by ten or more feet of water and unmarked by ripples or breakers, it is hard to find. Even when known it is hard to get soundings. The lead may glide over it, so that even in well surveyed waters some unlucky ship out of hundreds passing there may "find the rock with its keel."

Groups of buoys with grappling irons are lashed together in long sweeping lines and sunk behind the small sounding boat until they touch bottom, and are then towed until they strike a rock. In calm weather rocks and reefs may be seen at great depths from great heights in balloons. Even after a rock has been discovered, its depth and position must be precisely ascertained. Fishermen, too, help make known these uncharted rocks, rewards being offered for all new ones discovered.

England, the United States, Spain, Italy and other maritime nations have adopted French methods. Japan for years has devoted to the subject its usual minute, trustworthy and masterful study, but has imitated the English crowded and complicated charts rather than the artistic execution of the French.—New York Tribune.

**Toilet—Toylet.**

In the "New World of Words," 1720, "toilet" is defined as "a kind of Tablecloth or carpet made of fine Linnen, Satin, Velvet or Tissue, spread upon a Table in a Bed Chamber where Persons of Quality dress themselves; a Dressing-cloth." A similar definition is given in Bailey's dictionary. The origin of the word is curious, for Cotgrave has: "See 'Toilette,' 'A toylet, the stuff which drapers lay about their cloths; also a bag to put nightgowns in.'" In the "Rape of the Lock," 1, 121, "toilet" seems used for the table and its contents:

And now, unveil'd, the toilet stands display'd,
Each silver vase in mystic order laid.

—Notes and Queries.

**Giant Tomato Plants.**

The largest tomato plants in the world are found in California. One grower has three plants which have reached a length of thirty feet. In three months from the time the seeds were planted the vines had climbed to the top of a twenty foot trellis. The trunks of these plants, says What to Eat, are one and a half inches in diameter and the foliage is thick and luxuriant. Enormous quantities of tomatoes have been picked from them and the fruit is of unusual size, possessing an extraordinary fine flavor.

**Lava.**

Lava may be blown into opaque bottles of gossamer lightness, and the harder sort makes a beautiful green glass of half the weight and double the strength of ordinary glass. But it is not always the same. Every volcano pours out its own special brand of molten mixture, disagreeable to walk on, but sometimes yielding precious products, as pumice stone. Lava, like all things, decomposes under the touch of time, as the fertile plains of Sicily testify.

**Marriage.**

"What I want," said the young man, "is to get married and have a peaceful, quiet home."

"Well," said Farmer Corntossel, "sometimes it works that way, and then again sometimes it's like joinin' a debatin' society."—Washington Star.

**New Sport For Autoists.**

Walter J. Hill, a son of President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad, recently arrived at Billings, Mont., with his forty-five horsepower automobile from Lewistown. On the way over he had the novel experience of running down a jack rabbit, says a Billings dispatch. The chase began on the level prairie just out of Lewistown and was kept up until the rabbit was exhausted. This is probably the only case on record where a wild jack rabbit was chased in an automobile.

**Zebras to Draw Street Cars.**

Street cars in Zanzibar are to be drawn by domesticated zebras, says the Railway and Engineering Review. Lord Howard de Walden, proprietor of a 40,000 acre zebra farm in Uganda, Africa, has received an order for forty of the animals for that purpose.

The zebra is stated to have some advantages over the mule for the work in question. He endures the climate better and is stronger and is immune from the attacks of the tsetse fly.


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## MARATHON RACE WINNER.

**W. J. Sherring Tells How He Won Chief Event of Olympic Games.**

William J. Sherring, lithe, light haired, blue eyed and twenty-eight, looking hardly bigger or older than a boy, who went to Greece a few weeks ago an almost unknown Canadian, returned recently to New York on the steamship Campania a hero, honored citizen of Greece, decorated by king and potentate because his wonderfully developed powers had carried his 112 pounds of weight to victory in the famed Marathon race, the greatest event of the Olympic games, says the New York American and Journal.

The young victor of the race of 26 miles and 170 yards, which drew competitors from all parts of the world, went to Greece alone after the Canadians had failed to make up a team to contest in the Olympic games, and alone he returned, but there was a delegation of the members of the Canadian club of New York at the pier to give him a noisy ovation, and they entertained him at dinner.

Sherring modestly described how he ran and won the race.

"Daly of Ireland and Blake of Australia set the pace for the first ten miles," he said. "I took things easily and lagged a half mile behind the Irishman and Australian. After twelve miles had been run I took the lead, which I maintained until the end of the race, making the distance in 2 hours 51 minutes 23 2-5 seconds.

"The first six miles I made in just 30 minutes, and then I began running in earnest, making ten miles in 56 minutes. Then Blake was seized with a cramp. Shortly after I gained the lead all the other runners were out of my sight.

"Five miles from Athens I looked behind me on a long stretch of level road, and, seeing none of the runners, I sat down and rested five minutes."

**Washington Foretold It.**

A bill recently introduced in congress provides for the drainage of the great Dismal swamp of Virginia, thus fulfilling, says Farming, the prophecy made a hundred years ago by General Washington that some day this swamp would be converted into farm lands.


Does your neighbor take the Progress? If not tell him how newsy it is and we'll send him a sample copy for the asking.

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about asking us for the best in the shop at the fairest market rates. We are in the meat business not to sell you a pound of steak, or a brace of chops, now and then, but to secure and hold your trade in our line. To that end we promise our very best service all time. Don't be modest about insisting on getting it

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## OVER THE COUNTRY.

### LAMKIN.

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—We have had a very nice norther for a few days, but would like a rain better.

Don Miller of Energy is in our village today.

We had a show here last Tuesday night. Quite a crowd was out.

One of B. M. Boatwright's childen has been quite sick for two or three days.

Jim Swayne of Ft. Worth was here last week, in the interest of his candidacy for congress.

Mr. Bingham and daughter of Carlton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bingham of this place last week.

Our telephone system is an assured thing. We are sure of at least three lines to begin with and more coming later.

Some party with a few thousand in cash could do a large mercantile business at this place. The fact is, we have to have it.

A new road from the Siloam neighborhood to Lamkin is being urged by some of the most influential citizens of that community and will likely be opened up soon.

The Leon river has been full for about a week as a result of the heavy rains in the Cisco country, and those who have crops in the bottoms have been very uneasy for fear of an overflow. All danger is past now until more rains come.

H. O. Williamson has bought the Baldebuck lot and residence and will move in later. Harve Miller has also bought a part of the lot from Mr. Williamson and will put a neat residence on his part. Lamkin is not on a boom, but grows a little at a time and holds her own.

Fifty sections of school land in Terry and Yoakum counties, $1.00 to $3.50 bonus.—Clemons Stephens & Neill, Gomez, Texas.

### KEYSER

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—The unusually pretty weather for the past few days has enabled the farmers of this section to get their crops in excellent condition. Crops of every description are looking fine. Oats are about all harvested with a good yield.

Ed Hatchett is serving on the jury at Stephenville this week.

Mrs. Hatchett visited her sister, Mrs. Burks, near Clairette Tuesday.

Wm. Thompson of Knox county is visiting his sister, Mrs. Hatchett, this week.

George P. Knight, candidate for county clerk, was seeing the voters here Tuesday.

Judging from the numerus candidates it is safe to infer that Salt Branch will be on a boom about July 29th.

Mrs. Golightly, who has been at Stephenville under medical treatment for some time, is reported as very much improved.

A Mr. Carter, living near Indian Creek school house, got his leg caught in the sickle of reaper last Sunday morning, resulting in one bone of the leg being sawed completely in two and the other one so badly mangled that the limb had to be amputated.

I have 170 acres of fine unimproved sandy land located five miles southwest of Carbon that I will sell at a bargain on easy terms. Also eighty acres northeast of Carbon.—J. E. Spencer, Carbon, Texas. 42-tf.

### DE LEON.

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—Mrs. W. S. Whaley and little daughter, Dorothy Nell, left Thursday last for Hamlin, Texas, to join her husband. They will make their future home at Hamlin.

B. L. Nance has purchased J. C. Adams' interest in the Smith-Bell Realty Co.

Mrs. Koen and two grand children returned Sunday from a week's visit to Gorman.

Vegetables are unusually abundant here, but fruit of all kinds is very, very scarce indeed.

W. C. Streety of De Leon and O. E. Whaley of Sipe Springs are in Amorilla this week on business.

The little infant of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Terry Jr., died at their home three miles southwest of town Monday last.

Tuesday was "chicken day" here and Mr. Strong informed us that he bought something over $250 worth of chickens.

Messrs. C. S. Bell and B. L. Nance left Tuesday for Seminole in Gaines county on land business and perhaps will be gone a month.

Mrs. O. A. Tunnell and son, Lloyd, left Thursday evening last for their home in Brownwood, after a ten day's visit in De Leon.

Mayor John Wren of Rising Star was in the city Monday trying to contract to put up some concrete buildings here. He will perhaps put in a large warehouse for the Streety-Ham Co.

Last Friday a twelve year old son of Anderson Ruff, living two miles south of town, jumped in front of a ranger to catch a rabbit and the sickle cut his left leg almost entirely off just above the ankle. Sunday about noon Drs. Rusk and Self amputated the foot as it was impossible to save it. The little fellow is doing well at this writing.

Mrs. Lucinda Cumie Bice, wife of Robert Bice, died last Friday evening, the 8th, at 3:30 p.m. at the residence of her uncle, T. J. Nabors, and was buried at the De Leon cemetery Saturday at noon. She leaves a husband, five children and many relatives and friends to mourn her loss. She had for twenty years been a consistent member of the Christian church. Our sympathy is with the bereaved ones.

Homeseekers—Terry county is the best farming county on the plains. Fertile soil, good water.—Clemons Stephens & Neill, Gomez, Texas.

### POINT LOOKOUT.

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—J. M. R. Stephen went to Stephenville Monday on business with the assessor.

Mrs. Sam Davis is slowly improving.

Farmers are busy killing grass and weeds.

Mr. Forson and children are chopping cotton for L. M. Stephen.

Mrs. S. A. Greaves expects to visit her children in Hopkins county soon.

Mrs. Maude Stephen, who has been sick the past three weeks, is up and able to do her housework.

Mrs. Rhoad's baby, who is very sick, is thought to be out of danger. The rest of the sick have about recovered.

Mrs. S. A. Greaves and daughter, Mrs. J. M. R. Stephen, attended the revival meeting at Dublin Friday, Saturday and Sunday, returning home Monday.

Corn is about all layed by. Cotton looks bad from insects and has no forms on it yet. The high winds and sun shine dryed the land fast and we will need rain again soon. Fruit, especially is almost a complete failure. What there is, is small and wormy. The blackberry crop is exceptionally good.

### BLUFF DALE

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—Miss Lou Gordon of Granbury is visiting here this week.

Miss Julia Kelly left for Tolar Tuesday morning.

Miss Fannie Gordon left Monday for a visit to Decatur.

Upian Holt and Harry Raiza went to Stephenville this week.

T. E. Hall made a trip out west, returning Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fleetwood and sister, Kittie Gordon, visited in Granbury Friday.

Mrs. L. F. Gordon visited friends and relatives in Granbury Saturday.

Mr. Will Fleetwood and wife, L. F. Gordon and family left Monday for a visit to Boyd.

Mr. L. W. Bellamy and family, H. L. Kight and family, went to Paluxy where they will spend a few days fishing.

Miss Dora Chandler entertained the young married and unmarried people Monday night complimentary to Miss Nettie Bellamy of Ft. Worth.

The following went to Paluxy last Friday morning, spent the night and day, returning early Saturday morning: Misses Singleton, Ballentine, Davis, Hines, Kelly, Greenwood, Chandler and Hall; Messrs. Hines, Gordon, Lynch, Holt, Warlick, Singleton, Eugene Lynch and Joe Holt.

### HARBIN.

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—Crops are looking fine. Some few have not cut their oats.

J. R. Raney is on the jury this week.

Forney McCleskey is on our sick list this week.

Dr. Goodner has sold out here and is moving to Dublin.

Rev. Cameron preached to us Sunday. He preached an excellent sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hickey visited Mr. Hickey's mother in Comanche county last week, returning Monday.

Miss Drucie Perkins of Polytechnic college is teaching a music class here. Miss Perkins is highly accomplished in both instrumental and vocal music. We are glad to have her teach our girls.

Hides—I will give 9½ cents for county butcher hides. Office west of Dublin National Bank.—R. H. McCampbell, Dublin, Texas.

### HIGHLAND

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—Crops are looking fine with the exception of corn, which is needing rain.

A few of the boys went tothe Leon Saturday night to fish.

J. R. Beecher and family visited H. E. Thiebaud and family Sunday.

Mr. Middlebrook has his mill in running order and will grind every Saturday.

We have a blacksmith now and are quite proud of him. He says he will stay if we patronize him.

We had a sand storm here Monday evening and for a while one could not see farther than ten steps.

Berry Reeves has returned from Blanket and says that his father and mother are in better health than they have been in ten years.

### CLARKSON.

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—Farmers are very busy plowing cotton and cutting their oats.

J. C. Carr is visiting his sister, Mrs. M. P. Cline.

W. M. Carr made a business trip to Dublin Tuesday.

Mrs. Brantley visited Mrs. T. D. Durham Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bates visited relatives near Stephenville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Durham are the proud parents of a new baby boy.

Miss Della Carr and Mrs. Brantley attended church at Green's Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carr visited their daughter, Mrs. T. Durham, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. P. Cline of Dublin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carr.

Mrs. Eva Bradley is this week attending the bedside of her sister, Mrs. M. P. Cline, who is very ill again.

The ice cream supper at Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Groves' was very much enjoyed last Saturday night by those who attended.

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for sale or trade on easy terms. Will sell from eighty acres up. Trade for town property or farm lands here. Come to see me or write.—Dr. R. A. Miller, Dublin, Texas, Box 143. 3-4t

### HASSE

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—The farmers are very busy and with a few more days favorable weather they will get up with their work.

The sick of our town are improving.

J. H. Dunn and wife visited relatives near Alexander Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Purves of Alexander is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Gaines of Hillsboro is here this week looking after her interests.

Rev. Able of Comanche preached here Sunday at eleven and at three p. m.

H. H. Macon has bought the stock of goods owned by G. W. Ross and will move them to his own house.

C. H. Stagner has built a new front to his drug store, which adds to the appearance of same. Hasse is improving all the while and bids fair to soon become a town of considerable size.

I have etxra facilities for reaching every buyer of land who comes to this section. If you want to sell, list with me. R. L. Pipes, office over Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co., Dublin. 5-tf

Wood yard 'phone No. 158. 1-tf

### PALMER.

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—Everybody is busy this week chopping cotton and cutting oats. While oats will make lots of good feed, we don't think they will thresh out much grain.

J. M. R. Stephen was assessing taxes here last week.

G. B. Maloney was canvassing this part of the county last week.

The weather is too cool for cotton, which is infested with lice and is in need of hot weather.

Mr. Barkley has been very sick for several days. Bob McPherson has been sick this week.

There will be an all day singing at Palmer the first Sunday in July. Everybody is invited.

The members of Palmer farmers union are requested to meet next Saturday night. There will be preaching at that time, but a meeting of the union can be held after preaching.

Fine thoroughbred Poland China and Berkshire pigs for sale at the McCampbell Stock Farm, one mile east of Dublin.—E. M. Peeples, Manager. 48-tf.

### BUNYAN.

Regular Correspondence.

June 12th.—Rev. Miller preached at the Protestant Methodist church last Sunday.

Miss Lee Otie Sharp is on the sick list.

Arthur Grissom has returned from Amorilla.

Mrs. Edna East is visiting her parents at Waco this week.

Miss Irene Lamberth is visiting relatives at Dublin this week.

Bunyan Merchant and family visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Hiram Courtney and wife of Harbin visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Joe Cox and wife of Desdemona visited their parents here last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll of Navarro county are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Tonie Caney, at this place.

The young people enjoyed an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reid Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickens Kiker and Miss Howell Morton of Green's Creek visited Mrs. Keller last Wednesday.

### LINGLEVILLE

Regular Correspondence.

June 13th.—Farm work is progressing nicely at present. Cotton chopping is in full sawy and hands are in demand at $1.25 per day. Oat cutting is also in order and the yield is generally good. Binders were running in some fields Sunday.

J. W. Moss is in Mineral Wells for his health.

Richard Lee and Joe Echols left Monday for Arizona.

Mrs. W. H. Parker is visiting relatives in Ft. Worth.

Master Carl Daley of Dublin is visiting relatives here.

Miss Essie McAllister of Amorilla is visiting friends here.

Miss Annie M. Caver of Stephenville visited here last week.

J. R. Beecher, our restaurant man, visited Highland Sunday.

Miss Cora Carter of De Leon visited Miss Kate Livingston last week.

Misses Bertha and Pearle Voliva entertained a few friends Friday night.

Mrs. Jennie Carr returned last week from an extended visit to Amorilla.

Work will soon begin on the new Baptist church. It will be a handsome structure.

Merchant J. F. Bowen and wife moved into their handsome new cottage last week.

Mrs. Annie Simpson of Trent, Texas, visited her sister, Miss Rose Bower, this week.

Mrs. Lillie Patterson and daughter, little Miss Treasure, are visiting relatives in De Leon.

The young people enjoyed an ice cream party at the home of Dr. Chunn Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Price and son Dennis, visited in Stephenville from Monday till Wednesday.

Misses Corrinne and Eulalie Parker returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit at Ft. Worth.

Miss Eula Kirklen entertained a large number of friends at a social Monday night of last week.

Misses Dolly Moss, and Julia Cox leave this week for Austin to attend the University summer school.

Marion Maxwell's new residence is nearing completion as is also the addition to the home of Joy Cuttler.

Mr. Bowers of Tolar, who has been doing painting here for some time, left last week for Huckabay.

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Livingston of Blum, Texas, visited Rev. Livingston's father, D. S. Livingston, here last week.

Prof. Bodenheimer and wife, the new teacher in Christian college, who takes the place of Prof. Cox, resigned, have moved here and are at present stopping at the home of Prof. J. L. Long.

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**We've Met 'Em All.**

In our newspaper career of many years we have met all classes of people. The man who is too poor to take his local paper is the gentleman we first got acquainted with. To him we only have to say: a man who can't spend two cents a week for a paper that tells him what is going on in the world is a sorry citizen and is of no benefit to a community. We have had men to tell us that they were too poor to take their local paper and in less than three hours later we would see them on a "jag" that had cost them several times as much as a year's subscription to the paper would have cost.

Our next experience was with the man who had been reading the paper three years and had just learned that he had "never subscribed for the paper" and when he received a statement from the editor, put the paper back into the postoffice marked "refused." Now the editor don't mind for a subscriber to refuse to take the paper out if his subscription is paid up, but it gets next to us to have a paper refused when the subscriber is several years behind. Pay up before you refuse the paper and you will have the respect of the editor.

The man who "don't like to be dunned" has also been among our audience. He gets mad when he receives a statement from a newspaper man. If every business man got angry when he received a statement he would get angry nearly every time he went to the postoffice. Look at it in a business like way, call and settle and thank the editor for having credited you so long. We have met them all, but these are the most important and frequent subjects.—Athens Banner.

## SOUTH TEXAS

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except the dingy grey walls of light looking brick and mortar, though most of them were surprisingly clean and cool. The best and most pretentious looking building in the city is the United States consulate, over which floats in large pattern the familiar and reassuring stars and stripes. The flag can be seen from all parts of the city and is the only touch of color that meets the eye in the ancient city. The grand old flag takes on additional glory when observed in such surroundings and the heart thrills with pride and assurance to see its eloquent folds boldly fluttering in the breeze among a strange people and on a foreign shore. The consulate was naturally the first point visited and Mr. Griffith, the consul general, a native of Ohio and a most courteous and agreeable and cultured gentleman, served light refreshments to the visitors in the spacious drawing rooms of the consulate building.

The special train had been announced to leave Brownsville on the return trip at 11:20 this, Sunday morning, and the party all too soon had to recross the Rio Grande and board the train for home and as the train for home rolled out a mighty "hurrah" was given "for Brownsville and the Brownsville country," echoed by "three cheers for the Texas Press Association," from the assembled citizens of the gate city of Brownsville.

The writer and Mrs Daley had decided to remain another day in Brownsville and Matamorros and hence did not return with the special, which we understand had a continuation of the delightful trip and with many other stops en route to San Antonio, stopped at the Driscoll ranch and partook of the big barbecue and luncheon, presided over by Miss Driscoll and her managers and assistants at the ranch.

We spent the remainder of the day in a further visit to Matamorros and the points of greatest interest there, to various points of interest in Brownsville, including Ft. Brown and the United States government military reservation adjoining the city and a drive some three miles out to a large irrigation truck and fruit farm, owned by Mr. P. E. Blalack, a native of Ohio, who is adding greatly to his already large wealth in that greatly favored section and Sunday night we again visited Matamorros and spent several hours in the magnificent plaza, the only really enjoyable spot in Matamorros.

Monday morning of this week we left Brownsville on the regular train over the Gulf Coast line, reached Kennedy on the Aransas Pass about 5 o'clock that evening and San Antonio over the Aransas Pass Tuesday morning, saw more sights in San Antonio during the day, left over the I. & G. N. for Austin at about 5:30, reached Austin about 10:30 and found the final University of Texas ball in progress at the elegantly appointed Driscoll hotel. Wednesday morning we devoted to a hurried visit to the several state institutions, including the state capitol building and left at noon over the Katy for Waco, reaching that point in time for the west bound Central flyer to arrive at home at 10:30 Wednesday night.

Galveston was designated as the place of the meeting of the Press Association for next year and the following officers were elected: Tom W. Perkins editor of the Daily and Weekly Gazette and mayor of McKinney president; W. J. Rule of Waxahachie Light vice-president; T. B. Lusk of the Italy News-Herald, re-elected secretary and C. F. Lehman of the Halletsville Herald re-elected treasurer.

We shall have more to say about the trip and the country traversed, the courtesies shown and the elegant people whom we met, in the next issue of the Progress.

**The Erath County Farmer.**

When a business man leaves his office in the evening his profits cease, but rents and interest go galloping down the pike as happy as larks, never thinking of nor caring for the premature wrinkles and gray hairs they are creating. Not so with the farmer. For him all nature smiles. He retires at night and sleeps without fear of being bothered with bill collectors the next morning. When he wakes up he finds all through the night Nature has been adding to his stores of wealth. There has been no idling, no loitering. On the broad acres of her favored son this generous goddess lengthened the blades of grass and increased the weight by many tons that his stock might grow sleek and fat. His corn, cotton, potatoes and other stuff likewise increased in bulk and value. The man who owns a good farm in Erath county is indeed to be envied, and when he sells—he's not a fool, but he makes a very grave mistake. No wonder intelligent Erath county farmers are becoming wealthy.—Stephenville Tribune.


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### THE VATICAN PALACE

**Its Existence Is Mainly Due to Builder Pope, Nicholas V.**

The present existence of the palace is principally due to Nicholas V., the builder pope, whose scheme would startle a modern architect. His plan was to build the palace of St. Peter's as a starting point, then to construct one vast central palace for the papal administration, covering the whole of what is called the Borgo, from the castle of Sant' Angelo to the cathedral. In ancient times a portico, or covered way supported by columns, led from the bridge to the church, and it was probably this that the real structure that Nicholas had in view, the imaginary one, only a small part of which was ever completed. This portion alone comprises the Vatican and the Vatican palace, which together form by far the greatest continuous mass of buildings in the world. The Coliseum is 165 yards long and 156 broad, including the thickness of the walls. St. Peter's church also is 156 yards long and 156 broad, so that the whole Coliseum would easily stand upon the ground plan of the church, while the Vatican palace is more than half as large again.

Nicholas V. died in 1455, and the oldest parts of the present Vatican are not older than his reign. The tower generally known as the Tower of Nicholas, from having been inhabited by Alexander VI., who died of poison, the third of the rooms now occupied by the library, counting from the lake side. The windows of these rooms look upon the large square court of the Belvedere, and that part of the palace is not visible from without.

Portions of the substructure of the earlier building were no doubt laid by Nicholas, and the secret passage which connects the Vatican with the mausoleum of Hadrian is generally attributed to Pope John XXII., who died in 1417, but on the whole it may be said that the Vatican palace is mainly a building of the period of the renaissance, to which all succeeding popes have made additions.

### SELECT EL PASO.

**Twenty-Seven Republican State Committeemen Take This Action.**

Dallas, June 12.—President Chairman Lyon of the Republican executive committee met here today and ratified the action of men in San Antonio in selecting El Paso to hold state convention.

**Miscellaneous Advertisements.**

Strayed—From Dublin, one sorrel mare mule, shod all round, harness marks on hind legs, standing rests right hind leg, stiffened. Will pay $5.00 for her to me at Dublin—J. M. Britton.

Lost.—A nearly new coat, colors, checked with red. $1.50 reward for return to Friend's grocery store, Dublin. White & Gilbert. Purves-Pickett.

For Sale—Choice milch cows. Apply to H. F. Mayer, seven northwest of Dublin, near Hico route three.

For Sale—Two good milch cows. Apply to R. H. McCampbell.

For Sale—Three horse power oline engine in order to put in electric motor. Inquire of Boyes or Dublin Gas & Electric Company.

Barred Plymouth Rock setting and eggs for sale (foundation stock from the best breeders). Satisfaction guaranteed.—Carlisle Poultry Yards, Dublin.

**Notice.**

A water meter will be put in service where parties are detected using water through a hose.—Dublin Gas & Electric Co.


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