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OVER THE COUNTRY.

PALMER.

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Farmer's union held a meet- Saturday. Another meeting occur next Thursday night.

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PROCTOR.

r Correspondence.

rch 27th.—The unusual amount ckness in our community has alarming, and the doctors have running almost constantly for than a month. Only one has occurred, however. Mrs. died of pneumonia and was to the Reid cemetery at Gra- Chappel for burial. She had exemplary Christian life for and the entire country join her in mourning her loss.

der Johnston is erecting a nice ce at this place.

W. Gray has returned from a rest at Mineral Wells.

e Christian denomination at lace are planning to build a hurch.

. G. H. Morrison, the Chris- district evangelist, preached ast night.

Daisy Pinson's school near e will close next week and she eturn home.

hur Ewing is building a good which, with his cozy residence, substantial addition to our

Coffey has been very low for days, but is now improving. Cattie is also seriously ill, but for her recovery are justifiable.

high winds and frost have de- early gardens, but as there of time and all have re- d we still hope for vegetables ndance.

B. Ewing is having a good walk made to his front and his enterprise will cause to improve the principal which would be a credit to wn as well as property owners.

measles are raging in the borhoods hereabouts. This is informed that Mr. J. W. ell and four or five of his fam- e confined with the disease. ild of Mr. Oliver, near Buffalo Springs, is the only fatal case we have learned of, though Mike Roach had a relapse and has not fully recovered from an attack.

The marriage of Mr. H. H. Carrell and Miss Ola Cook at the Methodist church last Wednesday night was by no means a surprise to their host of friends, who wish them bon voyage.

Farmers who planted corn early and succeeded in getting up a good stand complain of the ravages of the cut worm and field larks, which threaten the complete destruction of the young plants.

The postoffice department has ordered service to begin on Rural Route No. 1 from here on April 15th. This will be good news to many who now have to go from three to nine miles for their mail. Congressman Gillespie deserves credit for his efforts in this line for this section of the state. In our minds nothing could more directly benefit the country people than rural mail service.

HIGHLAND

Regular Correspondence.

March 30th.—We had a good rain on the 24th inst., and farmers are planting cotton and plowing their corn.

Frost on the 28th inst. damaged corn and killed all cotton that was up.

J. W. Lynch has purchased the blacksmith shop at this place and is working at the trade.

O. P. McKeenan are the proud parents of a nine-pound baby boy, born on the 26th inst.

J. T. Watson has purchased a farm two miles west of Highland and has decided to remain with us.

J. R. Beecher's little daughter has the whooping cough, though the case has not fully developed yet.

A little son of Mr. Thiebaud's has a case of the measles, but is getting along nicely and is expected to be up again in a few days.

SILOAM.

Special Correspondence.

Mar. 29th.—Farmers are quite busy in this section. Some have planted cotton, but it looks now like its a little early for cotton, as we have had quite a stiff breeze since Friday night of last week.

Billie Dewees family have the measles.

''Grandpa'' Evans of near Purves is visiting his son, Burnett, of this place.

We had quite a nice rain last Thursday night. Some people were needing it quite badly, while others were not suffering for rain.

Prof. J. D. Wilkins will sing at this place on the first Sunday afternoon in April with a view of organizing a class at Siloam and one a Farmer's Chapel.

A Farmer's union has been organized at this place with about thirty members. We think this movement is a grand one if it will put farmers on equal footing with other organizations or unions.

We are to have preaching the first Sunday night in each month by Rev. Moore, a missionary sent out by four churches of the county. There will also be preaching at the Farmers' Chapel church Saturday night and Sunday following.

ST. GEORGE.

Regular Correspondence.

March 29th.—We have had a light rain and the farmers are planting some cotton. Some have cotton up.

Erwin Phillips and lady visited at Boss Williams' Sunday.

We had a light frost yesterday morning—bit some things in spots.

Jim Whittenburg and lady of Mt. Airy attended prayer meeting here Sunday.

Our school will close on April 15th. The pupils are preparing for a concert at the close.

John Daffern has the measles and quite a lot of St. George folks have been exposed to them.

Misses Fannie Smith and Dona Harris and one of Bill Daffern's little boys are on the sick list this week.

Prof. A. M. Pair and Miss Dona Williams attended church at Green's creek last Sunday and were the guests of Mr. Pair.

Messrs. George Higginbotham and Will Branum and their families attended Sunday school and prayer meeting at this place last Sunday.

CLAIRETTE

Regular Correspondence.

March 29th.—We have been having some wintry weather for the past few days and considerable frost, but without any bad results.

Wash Jones is this week moving back to Dublin.

Mrs. J. R. Cook is visiting near Altman at present.

W. A. Fewell is having two chimneys built to his new home.

Elder J. C. White filled his regular appointment Sunday evening.

Elder R. A. Briggs of Culp, Hill county, was in our town yesterday.

Mrs. C. J. Lambert, who has been sick for some time, is reported mending slowly.

Miss Nervia Whisenant of near Dublin is visiting W. H. Chaney and family.

Elder S. A. Paine of Auburne, Ellis county, was in Clairette yesterday en route to Waco.

The family of A. M. McClanahan has recently had the measles, but all are getting well again.

E. R. Duke had the misfortune of getting one of his horses' foot very badly cut on wire a few nights ago.

Elder J. C. Brinson of near Comanche preached at the Primitive Baptist church at this place last Sunday.

Messrs. G. H. McCarty, J. G. Salmon, George Salmon and E. R. Duke went to Hico this morning on business.

Judging from the number of new boats that have been made during the past week there will be plenty of fishing hereabouts.

Elder J. C. Sikes of Tidwell, Texas, will preach here Tuesday and Wednesday of next week and at J. J. Warren's, near Purves, on Thursday. Let everyone that can attend these services as Rev. Sikes is an able and interesting preacher.

V. F. Dupree has his new house about completed. It is a nice building and adds grealty to the appearance of his farm.

W. W. Norwood, salesman for the Monning Dry Goods Co. of Ft. Worth, was here this morning on business for his firm.

Col. W. C. Bishop is again able to drive around and get some fresh air. The colonel has been on the sick list practically all the past winter.

A. W. J. Weeks was down from Brady a few days since preparing to move back to Clairette. You can't keep good people away from Erath.

W. H. Chaney and sister, Mrs. Lambert, went to Dublin last week to visit their sister, Mrs. W. C. Stringer, who underwent an operation for apendicitis. The patient is reported doing well.

Miss Mamie Blackmond returned last Sunday from Tyler, where she has been taking a course in shorthand and type-writing. She completed the course and we hope for her much success in her new work.

''Grandma'' Ligon, mother of Mrs. Johnson down on the Bosque, died last week and was buried in the Clairette cemetery. She leaves several children and a number of other relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

EMPTY NOW

How One Woman Quit Medicine.

''While a coffee user my stomach troubled me for years'' says a lady of Columbus, O., ''and I had to take medicine all the time. I had what I thought was the best stomach medicine I could get, had to keep getting it filled all the time at 40 cents a bottle. I did not know what the cause of my trouble was but just dragged along from day to day suffering and taking medicine all the time.

''About six months ago I quit tea and coffee and began drinking Postum and I have not had my prescription filled since, which is a great surprise to me for it proves that coffee was the cause of all my trouble, although I never suspected it.

''When my friends ask me how I feel since I have been taking Postum I say, 'To tell the truth I don't feel at all only that I get hungry and eat everthing I want and lots of it and it never hurts me and I am well and happy and contented all the time.'

''I could not get my family to drink Potsum for a while until I mixed it in a little coffee and kept on reducing the amount of coffee until I got it all Postum. Now they never belch it up like coffee.

''We all know that Postum is a sunshine maker. I find it helps one greatly for we do not have to think of aches and pains all the time and can use our minds for other things.'' Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich.

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BUNYAN.

Regular Correspondence.

March 28th.—A good rain fell here last Thursday.

Mrs. Coopers' folks are down with the measles.

Some of our farmers are planting cotton this week.

Mrs. Langster is visiting relatives and friends at this place.

John Sharp and lady are the proud parents of a new baby girl.

P. D. Cooper visited his cousin, Mr. Cornelius, last Friday.

Miss Pearl Bishop visited Miss Susie Cooper last Sunday evening.

Mr. Floyd Bostick and Miss Agnes Shillingburg were married last Sunday evening.

Johnnie Schooler has returned from Oklahoma where he has been improving his place.

Miss Maud Ellis is staying at her uncle, Dee Ellis, this week while they are down with the measles.

The young people enjoyed a musical entertainment at the home of Albert Pair last Saturday evening. All report a pleasant time.

ARRARAT.

Regular Correspondence.

March 30th.—Miss Effie Austin is improving from a recent spell of sickness. Mrs. Landers is also much better.

''Grandma'' Dennis is again at home after a visit of three weeks with ''Grandma'' Russell at Shiloh.

There is a great amount of sickness in our community, in fact more than at any time since 1887; so it is claimed by the old settlers.

Dock Brown and lady and Mr. McCan left today for a fishing trip and incidentally a brief visit with friends in Hamilton county.

The late rain has placed the ground in fine condition for planting and no time is being lost in this respect. The grass was likewise freshened and given a new start by the copious shower.

SCHOOL HILL.

Regular Correspondence.

March 28th.—Cool weather is prevailing at present and retarding the growth of corn, cotton and vegetables in general.

A Farmer's union has been organized at this place which promises to be a success.

Health in this community is good; but few cases of measles have been known for miles around.

Luther Hare of the Rose school community visited relatives and friends in this section last Saturday and Sunday.

The School Hill singing class is under good headway with John E. Holly as leader, S. L. Anderson president, and Miss Vesta Britton secretary.

The School Hill literary society rendered a most interesting program at the entertainment last Friday night. A large and appreciative audience was in attendance.

There was preaching at this place last Sunday morning by Rev. J. W. Glen. Rev. Ellis of Desdemona delivered a discourse in the afternoon and at night the pulpit was filled by Rev. S. E. Holly.

Farmers of this section have been very busy since the rain of a few days ago, which did considerable damage to farms. In the country just north of here there was a hail storm more severe than has been known for some years.

LOWELL.

Regular Correspondence.

March 29th.—A fine rain visited this section of the country last Thursday night, which was a great benefit to the farmers. In the School Hill neighborhood, about four miles north of this place, the rain was terribly heavy and the hail ruined the fruit crop in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Fair are the proud parents of a ten-pound baby boy.

Three new cases of measles have developed at the home of T. J. Fair this week.

W. H. Lauderdale, R. W. Ellison and L. C. Steele made a business trip to De Leon yesterday.

Mr. S. D. Yardley and Miss Mattie Ellison were married last Sunday at the home of the bride's parents.

W. W. Martin, R. W. Ellison and L. C. Steele attended the Farmer's union at Desdemona last Saturday night.

Al Ellison and lady of the Howard community visited relatives and friends in this neighborhood Saturday and Sunday.

POINT LOOKOUT.

Regular Correspondence.

March 28th.—Thursday night we had a good rain—not as much as we desired, but we are very thankful for what we got, as it was badly needed. This scribe was in the southern portion of the county at the time and good rains also fell there, together with considerable hail.

Willie McNeill is working for W. G. Stephen.

Some cotton was planted in this section last week.

Ten of the family of Fountain Johnson have the measles, but all are getting along nicely so far.

A letter from Mrs. J. R. Stephen of the 25th inst., conveys the information that J. R. Stephen has a bad case of catarrh in his head.

Now that it has rained wheat and oats will come out and make a good yield. Fruit, unless some disaster befalls it, will be plentiful. Grass is good and stock are looking fine.

In our rounds over the county we find that there are many cases of measles and considerable pneumonia. Farmers seem to be well up with their work, however. We also find that the Progress is a welcome visitor in most of the homes visited.

We hear considerable complaining over the county in regard to the coming democratic primary. In place of reading ''democratic primary'' it ought to read only ''primary,'' so say many of the voters. Quite a number declare they will not vote under the head of ''democratic primary.''

HAMILTON.

From the Herald.

March 23rd.—J. W. Lillard from Mustang was in town yesterday. He said they picked up hail-stones at his house Monday evening that measured 11¼ inches around the long way.

Hamilton experienced a genuine hail storm Monday evening. The stones that fell were as large as hen eggs and lots of window lights were broken out.

We have received a letter from Bud Snell, dated at Tyler, Texas, March 20th. Bud seems to be having good success in his riding and roping contests and other amusing features of his ''wild west'' show.

Judge John C. Main has handed us another letter received from Mr. Morgan, secretary of the Citizens' club of Meridian, relative to the proposed road to Hamilton, in which it is stated that the right of way, franchise, bonuses, terminals and depot grounds have all been secured for the main line of the new railroad from Waco to Thurber. He wants the people of Hamilton to make a proposition to the road to build to this place. He states that another branch line will also be built from Meridian to Granbury via Walnut Springs and Glen Rose.

Chas. Schuwirth and W. A. McSpaddea of the Hamilton Ice and Manufacturing Co., came in last night and will have the new light and ice plant in operation as soon as suitable buildings can be put up. Our people may just as well get their refrigerators ready.

Mark Logan returned Friday from Haskell, where he spent a week looking after some land matters. He says the wind and sand were terrible in that country. He thinks land in that section will soon be worth twenty dollars an acre, as it is rising very rapidly in value.

A horrible case of burning occurred near Star on Monday of last week. Mrs. Frank Hognett was making soap when her dress caught on fire from the blaze under the kettle and she was badly burned before any help could reach her. Her husband tried to tear her clothes off and both his hands were burned so that it is thought he will never again have use of them. Mrs. Hognett has suffered untold agony and her death has been momentarily expected for several days. Until she became unconscious her only way of resting was on her hands and knees. It is very sad. She has two little twin boys not quite a year old.

It was indeed a sad spectacle in our district court this week when a young man, not yet arrived at his majority and already serving a term in the penitentiary for theft, stood before Judge Lindsey and in reply to a second charge of the same nature pelad guilty, and District Attorney Arnold asked the jury to give him the lowest penalty of two years, which they did. This young man has disgrace before him, a career stained with crime to go with him all down the journey of life when he might just as well have been an honored and upright citizen. Had he not followed the footsteps of those who would lead him astray, he would not now be in a felon's cell.

MORGAN.

From the News.

March 25th.—Mrs. Eva Coulter, wife of Chas. M. Coulter, died at her home in Denver, Colo., at the age of twenty-eight years, eleven months and eighteen days. She was a daughter of J. L. Pedigo, who lives about five miles south of town.

The reutrns of the prohibition election recently held in this county show a pro majority of 191, the vote having been 1,058 to 867.

In a difficulty last Sunday night at the Womack livery stable between Claude Sherril and Ed Ward, Ward was cut three times with a knife. None of the wounds proved serious. Sherril was tried in the county court Tuesday and fined twenty-five dollars and costs.

J. A. Crews of Des Moines, Iowa, met the citizens of Meridian for the purpose of making a proposition looking to the building of a hosiery mill with a capacity of one hundred and fifty dozen per day. A committee of the Business Men's club was appointed to make a thorough investigation of the proposition and report it as early as possible. It will require a capital of $15,000 to build and operate the mill. The mill will employ twenty-five girls, four young men and a superintendent. The class of goods to be manufactured will be half hose for men of the cheaper qualities.

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PRINTING STEAL

Gigantic Frauds Committed Against the State By Printing Concerns in Texas.

A great deal has been said during the past few months in regard to the exorbitant prices charged by three printing houses in Texas and one in St., Louis who furnished blanks in this state under the workings of the Terrell election law. In this connection the San Antonio Record recently printed the following dispatch from Austin:

"Much complaint has reached here from the county authorities throughout the state of the excessive charges that are being made by two or three large printing establishments, including a St. Louis concern, for printing the necessary election blanks required under the Terrell election law, and which forms have been prescribd by the secretary of state. It is asserted that these concerns have entered into a combine to absolutely control this busines and that their bid on the work are always so close together as to indicate that they have an understanding as to a division of the patronage. It is also said that in some counties the representatives of these three or four larger printing houses claim that the blanks prescribed for use are copyrighted by them and can not be used by local printers.

"It is ridiculous to suppose that any of the election blanks prescribed under the law can be copyrighted. In Travis county the assertion was made and bids of the members of the alleged trust was so high that the board of county commissioners called in an outside disinterested printing expert who declared that the necessary blanks could be easily printed at a profit for about $250, while the bids of the trust ranged from $1,200 to $1,500 on the same work. This is being done in almost every county in the state.

"It is asserted that the local printers are being deprived of the work without being given an opportunity even of biding on it. When the forms for these necessary blanks were being devised the representatives of two or three of these large printing establishments, including on situated in St. Louis, were called in and their advice sought and followed in their make-up.

"It has been repeatedly asserted in the newspapers that this printing steal combine has been assisted in robbing the counties of Texas by the state officers at Austin.

"The editor of the Record had an interview with one of the largest printers and blank book manufacturers in Texas, who has the following to say concerning the above:

" 'Yes, I read the article in the Record and know a great deal about the workings of the said printer's trust. I don't know what their charges are for election blanks, but do know that some of the county printing orders are soft snaps, and this state is sorely in need of laws to regulate the purchasing of supplies. In regard to the election blank trust, I think a great amount of the blame for this trust being in existence lies with the secretary of state and attorney general. If a printer or publisher who does not belong to the trust writes to Austin for a copy of any of the blanks, he receives a neat little reply signed 'Curl,' stating 'there are no copies left, and your letter has been referred to the public printer for attention,' but no attention is ever paid same. Or he may say 'you can get copies from the county judge,' which he knows you can not do, as they will not part with the copy they have. As to the attorney general, it seems strange that he can find a grocery or brewery trust and fail to see a printers' trust working under his very eyes. I don't much blame the trust for getting all they can for a job, but I do think it is time for the public to call a halt on some of the officers who permit their counties to be robbed in this systematic manner. A few days ago one of the counties not far from San Anntonio paid $1,000 for poll tax receipts, which was at least $800 more than any printer in Texas would charge a business house for the same amount of work. The city which was a very large proportion of the voting population of the county, only paid thirty-two dollars for receipts for city poll taxes, which were much better bound and on better paper. Now, can you blame the trust for picking up $800 of the public's money when the officers elected by the people can be so easily worked?

" 'The last time a bill was before the legislature to regulate the county printing the trust had a gang of lobbyists and boosters in Austin to prevent same from being passed. When the vital statistics law went into effect the trust printers were the only ones able to get copies of the books or blanks which allowed them to again charge the counties about five prices. Who is to blame if it is not the secretary of state, attorney general and public printer? It surely looks like the officers at Austin are boosting trusts instead of breaking them up. At the last county election in a certain county in this state one of the members of the printers' trust closed his office all day to allow his workmen to spend the day at the convention to boost for a particular lot of candidates. He was successful in his efforts and those candidates were the officers who paid the trust printer one thousand dollars for a two hundred dollar job of printing not a great while ago.

" 'The trust, with the assistance of their Austin friends, surely work a hardship on the country printers, as most of the small work could be done at home at about one-third the price paid the trust. You would be surprised to know that the trusts have most of the election blanks made at a Galveston house, and from there they are shipped to the other members at a profit and then reshipped to parties ordering same, thereby causing the county to pay two profits.' "

Mill Remnant Sale!

David S. Husted, a wealthy recluse died at Greenwich, Conn., last week from Addison's disease, a rare ailment which causes the skin to turn black. His diet for twenty years had been bread and milk. Many years ago Husted was sued on a charge of setting fire to a neighbors' barn. He spent thousands of dollars in fighting the case, became estranged from his family, and since then had lived almost apart from every person except his physician.

Cotton Gambling.

The smash up for Daniel J. Sully, the head of the cotton gamblers, ought to have been expected, whether it was or not. Sully and his partners had been engaged for months in a gigantic conspiracy to suspend the ord'nary laws of demand and supply and force cotton to an altogether fictitious price. They succeeded for a time, but retribution hit them, as it usually does the concerns in all sorts of products some time or other. The price mark to which the gamblers sent cotton could not be sustained and the collapse meant ruin for the conspirators.

Ostensibly Sully and his friends found, in the government's cotton report, justification for their forcing up the price of that staple. The government figured that the crop of 1903 was below the ten million mark, which would, considering the active demand, justify a higher price than prevailed through last season. But the cornerers were not satisfied with a reasonable advance, but pushed the price beyond the seventeen cent line, and they predicted that it would pass the twenty cent mark. The forces against the gamblers, however, were too powerful to be resisted long. The collapse came, and though there were temporary advances, the decline could not be entirely checked.

Statements at the time indicated that Sully's profits up to two or three months ago mounted high up in the millions. Probably these were exaggerations. Whether exaggerations or not, it is certain that all were swept away in the drop which has just wrecked him. There will be no regrets at Sully's fall. The advance which he engineered did a great deal of harm to the country. It checked cotton consumption by the mills at home and abroad, put many mill operatives out of work advanced the prices of cotton goods and gave a new incentive to the manufacturing countries of Europe to look elsewhere than to the United States for their raw cotton.—The Fact.

The Telephone Plays Important Part.

A recent issue of the Baltimore News says: "The telephone is playing a grewsomely important part in the annals of crime these days. Its possibilities were illustrated by a bit of dramatic fiction a few seasons ago, producing on the New York stage, in the course of which a husband, at one of the telephone line, hears his wife, miles away, in their country home, tell him of the approach of a burglar and finally hears her screams as she is killed. This seemed altogether fantastic and imaginative beyond the point of likelihood, but a case has just been reported authentically from Louisville which in a certain degre reproduces this happening in a real life. A man called his wife on the telephone from his office, and while she was talking with him she heard a shot fired; then his voice rose in a shriek and next she heard his body fall. She ran at once to the office, which was not far distant, and reached it almost as quickly as did the other occupants of the building. Her husband lay dead on the floor, having been shot through a window.

"More grewsome than even this tragedy of the wife was that enacted quite recently in a western city. A young man called up a friend on the phone and told him to hold the wire and he would soon hear something interesting. The friend listened and detected the noise of a quarrel between husband and wife, the woman's screams, the husband's angry words and finally after much confusion, incident as it afterward appeared, to the overturning of the furniture in the fruitless fight of the woman, a pistol shot, a fall, then another shot and another fall. The horror-stricken man at once summoned police aid, and the scenes of the tragedy was soon reached. The two people lay dead, the husband having first killed his wife and then himself."

Sea Power Illustrated.

It was an American author who, in what might fairly be called an epochal book, first effectively grouped the facts of history in proof of the theory that the power and growth of nations have been decisively influenced by the strength exerted on the ocean. Capt. Mahan's work made a profound impression in England and other countries, and is undoubtdly in part the reason for the rapid growth of modern navies. By crippling its adversarys' fleets in the east and driving their remnants into hiding, Japan is able to send its transports loaded with troops to any unfortified harbor, protect their landing and furnish them with a safe base of supplies. Of course the transports must have a convoy of warships, for, if a Russian crusier, or even gunboat, could overhaul them, a serious disaster would result. The Russians have been unable to cover all the east side of the Yalu, because the Japanese ships are at liberty to enter an unfortified stretch and put infantry ashore, the batteries of the battleships furnishing the needed protection against infantry and cavalry, if it happened to be near the scene.

Japan is thus able to choose the point of debarkation, to cover it, and to supply the wants of its troops by sea. To meet such a movement at any place remote from the railroad Russia must depend on wagons for supplies in a region where roads are comparatively few and poor.

Paving for the Canal.

In a short time the first payment must be made on our canal purchase—$40,000,000 to the French Panama Canal Co. and $10,000,000 to the Republic of Panama.

Three-fifths of this sum will be paid without disturbing the funds in the treasury—from the heaps of money that Uncle Sam has lying around loose, if you please. The special national bank depositors have been notified by Secretary Shaw that they will be required to pay twenty per cent of their holdings before March 25th, as it is planned to make both payments about April 1st.

The very fact that the secretary can make up the amount so easily without drawing on the treasury for more than two-fifths of it, and without even requiring a large per cent of holdings from each of the national depositors, is the best testimony to Uncle Sam's financial condition. The whole sum of $50,000,000 will be paid out without either the treasury department or the national banks feeling the strain to any great extent—we might almost say paid from money that is lying idle.

Money Buried in Bell County.

Authentic information concerning an unusual occurrence is in possession of a gentleman of this city. The matter referred to was the finding of a paper among the effects of Fred Niblin of Moffat, Bell county, Mr. Nibling having died recently, the paper containing directions about the location of buried money. It appears that Mr. Nibling was cautious about putting money in banks, as some people are, and thought that it would be safer carefully buried. He was an excellent man and respected citizen, and his plans included the future welfare of his family. After death in looking over some old papers, something which he knew would necessarily result when he died, Mrs. Nibling, his wife, found an envelope addressed to her.

The envelope was opened and an enclosure addressed to Mrs. Nibling was found. This was a statement of the location of money which Mr. Nibling had buried, giving exact details, so that the treasure could not be overlooked.

A hole was dug in the spot indicated and the sum of $8,000 in good money taken out. This was a pretty large sum to be consigned to the earth, but it found its way into the hands intended. It was buried near the smoke house in the yard. Mr. Nibling was a father-in-law of W. C. Halbert, a well known resident of Temple.—Gatesville Messenger.

Mill Remnant Sale!

Stamp photos at the Gem studio.

Col. Cody Wants Divorce.

Col. Wm. F. Cody, known throughout the civilized world as "Buffalo Bill, has entered suit for divorce against his wife in Big Horn county, Wyoming. Col. Cody expects to sail shortly for Europe and be absent from this country at the time of the trial. In proceedings had at Denver, Colorado, Wednesday of last week, the deposition of Mr. Cody was taken. He said in part:

"Mrs. Cody tried to poison me three years ago. She had frequently threatened to do it. We were visiting in Rochester, N. Y., during the holidays of 1900 and the day after Christmas I was ill. I supposed the turkey and plum pudding did not agree with me. She said she would fix me up. She pretended to give me medicine. It was poison. It almost finished me, for I was unconscious for some time. I think it must have been an overdose, for it made me vomit, and I supposed this saved my life."

Col. Cody related many instances of his wife's having humiliated him at his former home in North Platte, by her conduct toward his guests.

"She drove my friends away," he said. "When they were no longer welcome in the handsome residence I built and eleborately furnished, it was no longer my home."

The witness recited many specific instances of his wife's discourtesy to his guests.

Mrs. Cody's counsel inquired into the character of guests to which she objected, and their conduct while in their home. The purpose of the inquiry was to show that the men whom he brought into the house were a fast and riotous set and behaved in such a manner that she had a right to object to them.

JUST ONE WORD that word
Tutt's
It refers to Dr. Tutt's Liver
MEANS HEALT
Are you constipated?
Troubled with indigestion?
Sick headache?
Vertigo?
Bilious?
Insomnia?
ANY of these symptoms and many indicate inaction of the LIVER.
You Need
Tutt's Pi
Take No Substitute.

E. ROULEA
Wagon, Carriage and General Repair Shop.
Rubber tires furnished and
A specialty of overhauling
All work cash, except by
arrangement.
Shop Near Public Water Tr

G. H. FLOWERS,
HOUSE PAINTER,
GRAINER,
PAPER HANGER.
Close attention to busi
Prompt Service. All work gu
anteed in every particular.
earnestly solicit your bus
HEADQUARTERS AT
Smith & Co. Lumber Y

BREEDERS NOTI
My horse and my jack will
the season of 1904 at my stab
mile from Alexander. Horse
glish draft and Hamiltonian
are fine breeders.
Terms—$8.00 to insure foal
$10.00 to insure living colt.
fail to see my stock.
W. F. HARVEY
Alexander, Te
One mile north of town.

THE WAR IN CHINA!
Has Not Advanced Prices at Baxter Bros.

By going ot market early, we bought goods before they advanced and we are now in position to make you the same prices as we did when cotton sold for 4 cennts, and on some things a better price. We are here to fight Mr. High Price and to level our cannons with sure aim upon the weakened walls of the credit system. We intend to keep up the fight until every man will lay aside a system that causes many men to commit suicide, and drags many a family down to poverty-the credit system. Friends, when you go to the merchant that runs this system in his business and want twenty-five dollars' worth of goods on a credit, what does he say to you? Listen, here is a good answer: "Give me a mortgage on the ten acres of cotton that you are going to plant, and one cow and a calf, and that four and a half inch Mitchell wagon of yours and that mule and gray horse and ten per cent interest and we will treat you like a brother." Dear friends, can you not see at once that all of this that is mentioned above would make a man safe for a hundred and fifty dollars? Why not use one-fourth of this security and go to the bank and borrow the money for ten per cent per annum, which would be about five per cent, as you would use the money only about six months, then come to Baxter Bros. and get 30 pounds of rice for $1.00, instead of only getting 16 and 20? Instead of paying $1.60 for a ladies' nice dress shoe, come to Baxter Bros. and buy the same shoe for 98 cent. Our motto is UNDERBUY, UNDERSELL, SPOT CASH BEFORE DELIVERY. By so doing you can go home happy, out of debt, and we can go home and sleep good because we have no books to worry over. To show you the differencee between our price and Mr. High Price we are going to place them down here on this paper for you to read. Friends, it is a debt that you owe to yourself and family to BUY GOODS WHERE YOU CAN GET THEM THE CHEAPEST. READ OUR PRICES.

Read Our Prices
Men's extra heavy work pants, 90c.
Men's heavy work pants, 43c.
Men's heavy blue duck pants, 50c.
A big job lot of suspenders, 23c suspenders 7c.
A job lot extra heavy work socks, 5 pair for 25c.
Ladies' nice smooth black hose, 3 pair for 25c.
Nice linen lace, per yard 2c.

Shoes
Men's nice dress shoes, satin calf, 98c.
Men's nice dress shoes, $1.35.
Men's heavy work shoes, all solid, 98c.
Ladies' nice dress shoes, $1.10.
Babies' kid shoes, 20c.
Look Out Mr. High Price
12 yards of nice lace, 5c.
White braid, per bunch, 4c.

Nice white bleaching, per yard, 3½c.
Nice dress calicoes, per yard 3½c.
Standard grey calicoes per yard 4c.
Nice, ginghams shirting, per yard 8½c
Light shirting, per yard 5c.
8 spools of best thread made, 25c.
These things are so cheap that you should always keep them handy.
144 dress and shirt buttons, 5c.
12 spools of good thread, 25c.
Best sewing machine oil, 4c
10c bar of shaving soap, 8c

8c bar of shaving soap, 5c
One pair towels, 7c
Up-to-date buggy whip, 5c
Nice dress comb, 5c
One fine comb, 2c
Shaving brush, 2c
5 papers of needles, 4c
40 clothes pins, 4c
Best safety pins, per dozen 2c
One paint brush, 4c
75 marbles for 5c
75 bars of laundry soap, $1.00
Boy's nice dress hats, 20c
1000 matches for 5c
5 boxes Golden axle grease, 25c

4 cans of Giant lye, 25c
Nice mixed candy, per pound 8c
Good heavy lamp chimney, 4c
Heavy tumblers, per set 13c
Soda crackers, per pound 8c
30 pounds nice white rice, $1.00
Coal oil, per gallon 15c and 18c
12 pounds evaporated apples, $1.
Faultless starch, per box 8c
Brace for bits, 12c
$1.00 rachet brace for bits, 65c
Mouse trap, 5c
Egg beater, 2c
Stove shovel, 4c

Heavy black handle dipper, 5c
Red cedar bucket, 60c
One dozen lamp wicks, 4c
Hardware
Hand saw file, 5c
Hoe file, 10c
Large box of brass shoe nails, 4c
6 boxes of carpet tacks, 5c
Best steel hammer, 35c
Heavy plated spoons, 10c
Loaded shells, No. 12, per box, [illegible]
Farmers monkey wrench, 20c
Steel trap, 10c
Smoothing iron handles, 8c

If these prices are not right, tell us so and we will get right. Yours for business
Dublin and Comanche. BAXTER BROS.

DUBLIN PROGRESS
LEY Sr., Publisher and Founder.
, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1904

l Remnant Sale!

h bread every day at McCamp-

Conner & Co. can sell your

R. A. Miller is visiting in today.

k Wieser was quite sick for l days this week.

rent—Three nice rooms. Ap- Progress office. 45-tf

w Methodist church building g erected at Blanket.

monds' photos are the best. over postoffice. 30-tf

Easter toggery will doubtless in full array next Sunday.

Flora Hutchinson of Alexan- in the city Wednesday.

R. A. Miller made a profes- trip to Alexander Wednesday.

l stock of fresh groceries at Bros., Turbeville old stand.

r Binning was confined to his ith lagrippe several days this

G. L. Jackson went to Dallas ay morning to be gone several

T Hunt is again able to be ter a protracted spell of la-

st on having those big twelve loaves of Dublin bread at Mc- bell's.

ou are thinking of trading all farm for a larger one see Conner & Co.

Utterback, Jr., who is in Christi for his health, is re- quite sick.

best! It's fresh! It's home- Call for Dublin bread at mpbell's.

hing too small—nothing too r J. G. Conner & Co. They e real estate men.

Quillan of Dallas, who form- sided in Dublin, was in the eral days this week.

your baker's bread from New- s. at Turbeville old stand. ays fresh. 44-2t

J. G. Bennett of Groesbeeck Tuesday for a visit to her Mrs. B. M. Utterback.

M. E. Smith of Lingleville r. Miller's sanitarium taking ent for a nervous trouble.

n in need of dental work il to see Dr. Jackson, over Miller's store. 40tf

P. Cole of Stephenville, candi- r county clerk, was here this in the interest of his can-

nos, organs, sheet-music, thing in the music line.—Thos. n & Bros., Galveston, Dallas, ntonio. 50-1yr

Interest in the forthcoming city election to be held next Tuesday is beginning to wax warm and as there are many good citizens offering for the various positions to be filled it is quite probable that Dublin will show her voting strength on that day as it has not been shown for some time and especially since the poll tax amendment became a law. The election will also come in all respects under the Terrell election law which will introduce a number of features to which we have not heretofore been accustomed and some of which are good. Among these is one provision against crowding about the polls and the soliciting of votes thereabouts, and another requiring an official ticket and these to be had only at the polls and none of them to be carried away. Considering the gentlemen who are aspiring for city positions it is not probable that Dublin will be without good and efficient officials during the coming two years.

Allie Burnett, who resides one mile southwest of town on the Comanche road, had both bones of his right leg broken while pulling stumps last Tuesday. He was using a log and chain to twist out the stumps and the chain broke, causing the log to fly back and strike him on one leg, which was broken by the blow. He was about five miles from home when the accident occurred and he was taken home by his brother-in-law, Lee Jones. Dr. Miller & Son were called to set the fracture and he is doing nicely at this time.

The wooden structures on the lot adjoining the Grange store on the north have been torn away this week in order that the foundations may be at once laid for the new stone building to be erected by the Grange store people. Excavations are already being made for the reception of a foundation and from all appearance it will be but a short time until the walls of the new buiding will be going skyward.

Preparations are being made for a fine new cement pavement to be laid in front of the Dublin Drug & Jewelry Co., the Citizen's National bank and on around the corner to also cover the front of Pipes & Eddleman's barber shop, the postoffice and McCord's jewelry store. The improvement will be a decided one in appearance as well as utility.

Mrs. J. C. Stringer of near Carlton was operated upon Tuesday of last week for appendicitis at the sanitarium of Dr. R. A. Miller & Son, who were assisted in the operation by Drs. Weaver of Hico and Friend and Mulloy of Dublin. Mrs. Stringer is rapidly recovering, notwithstanding her advanced age.

Quite a number of Dublinites went to Comanche Wednesday evening to hear Bob Taylor lecture. Among the party was Dr. R. A., T. A. and Dee Miller, Mrs. F. M. Browne, J. R. St. Clair and lady, R. W. Higginbotham and daughter, Miss Sallie Herndon and Miss Virginia Wood.

Dr. J. J. Mulloy, practice limited to the diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Office over the Grange Store, Dublin, Texas.

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18 lbs Granulated Sugar	$1.00
20 lbs Y. C. Sugar	1.00
5 gallons Eupion Oil	1.00
5 " Brilliant Oil	.75
30 lbs Cood Rice	1.00
16 lbs Full Head Rice	1.60
Pure Louisiana Syrup, per gallon	.50
9 lbs Rio Package Coffee	1.00
25 lb box Prunes	1.15
Onion Sets per gallon	.25

McCampbell & Sons,

SPOT CASH GROCERS.

League Program.

Following is the Epworth League program for Sunday, April 3rd:

Topic: "The Covenant of the Quiet Hour."

Scripture Lesson: "The Lord's Prayer." C. H. Strong.

Prayer—E. I. Hall.

Quartette—Messrs. Marr and Shillingburg, Miss Mary Potts and Mrs. McKinney.

"Prayer Indispensable to the Christian."—L. F. Sensabaugh.

Solo—Miss Alma Ray.

"Covenant of the Quiet Hour."—T. K. McCarter.

Little Susie Doubleday, who has been visiting her grandparents here, returned to her home at Hico Thursday.

A kidney remedy that can be depended on will be found in Prickly Ash Bitters. It heals and strengthens.

Dublin's volume of trade can be greatly enlarged this year by a timely effort at fixing up the roads leading to town.

An occasional dose of Prickly Ash Bitters keeps the system healthy, wards off disease and maintains strength and energy.

Newton Bros. at the Turbeville old stand, will buy all the country produce brought them and pay the highest price for same. 42-tf

The Erath County Medical Society will meet at Stephenville Monday. Several of our local physicians expect to attend the meeting.

Mrs. Cooper of near Alexander, upon whom an operation was performed in this city last week for appendicitis, died Friday night last.

The entire family of W. S. Payne have been confined to their beds with measles during the past ten days. We are glad to note they are now all about recovered.

Ex-Governor Bob Taylor of Tennessee spent Wednesday in Dublin en route from Cisco to Comanche, where he delivered one of his characteristic lectures that night.

Geo. Clark left yesterday for Sabine county, where he will spend several weeks and possibly two or three months fishing and hunting and incidentally visiting relatives.

A car load of the celebrated Joseph W. Moon buggies has just been received at Higginbotham Bros. You should see to it that you get a genuine Moon buggy when you buy.

Alvin May of Stephenville, who was married on the ninth of this month to Miss Edith Wilson of Dallas, died suddenly in the City of Mexico last Monday.

A car load of the celebrated Joseph W. Moon buggies has just been received at Higginbotham Bros. You should see to it that you get a genuine Moon buggy when you buy. 46-1t

Chas. W. Day has this week purchased from the Tobe Williams heirs a lot adjoining his residence property near the Christian church. The consideration of the purchase was $300.

New calendar samples just received by the Progress. Don't give your orders to foreign concerns, when we can meet their prices and show you as complete a line of samples to select from.

A little four-year-old son of J. M. Taylor, station agent for the Frisco at Blanket, was hooked by a vicious cow on the public square there one day last week. The child was not seriously hurt.

Patronize home industry in buying calenders for next year. The line of samples on hand at the Progress office excells anything that will be shown this year by traveling agents and the prices are not higher.

J. T. Smith of the St. George community was in yesterday. He reports that one of his children has been taken sick with measles and that he expects five more of his family to have the disease before he is finally through with it.

The Progress management regrets the occurance of a typographical error in the county court news published in a recent issue of the Progress which through the error stated that Will Long had been convicted and paid a fine for gambling.

Elvis C. Edmonds and wife left Wednesday for Eastland, where they will in future reside. Mr. Edmonds is to be cashier of the new national bank recently organized there. The well wishes of many good friends in Dublin will follow him and his estimable lady to their new home.

J. R. Holland, who resides one and a half miles west of Bunyan, was in yesterday to correct an impression that he was standing his jack only on certain days, as the animal is ready for service every day in the week except Sunday. Charges ,$8.00 to insure a living colt. 46-1p

The Ft. Worth Record, Ft. Worth's new and progressive newspaper, is preparing to invade this section of the country as it has never before been invaded in a newspaper way and the management promises the reading public along the line of the Rio Grande division of the Frisco all the news of the world fresh from the wires in time each morning that they may digest it before breakfast. On or about the middle of next month the Frisco will put on an early morning train service out of Ft. Worth to be known as the "Record Special" and which is paid for by that paper. The train is to leave Ft. Worth between three and four o'clock each morning and will reach Dublin about or before seven o'clock. This arrangement will place the Record into Dublin and to all points on the Frisco several hours ahead of any other publication and through this stroke of enterprise on behalf of that popular paper we shall also receive our letter mail from northern points about twelve hours sooner.

Stamp photos at the Gem studio.

Lyceum Entertainments.

The fourth number of the lyceum course of entertainments will take place in the auditorium next Friday night, April 8th. Hon. Luther Manship will give us one of his famous lectures. You will be delighted with the evening's entertainment. Read what is said about him. Bishop Galloway: "My friend, the Hon. Luther Manship, has remarkable histrionic talent, and as an impersonator I doubt if he can be excelled on the American platform."

Henderson (Ky.) Gleaner: "Our people went wild over Manship. The universal verdict is that he is emphatically the best entertainer who ever visited Henderson."

Come out and spend an evening with us.—E. I. Hall.

Mill Remnant Sale!

The Shoffner House.

We desire to inform our friends and patrons that we have re-opened our house, the Shoffner hotel, in a remodeled and improved condition and respectfully invite a renewal of your patronage.—Nelson Green, Manager.

Referring to the above, I desire to say to the traveling public and hotel patrons that I have personally assisted and surperintended the THOROUGH DISINFECTION of the above house and assure the public that there is absolute safety in the premises as it is possible to make and as much so as any house in the city.—J. G. O'Brien, County Health Officer.

Dublin, Texas, March 30th, 1904.

Photos from $1.00 up at the Gem.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles who has received considerable favorable mention during the past few months in connection with the problem of a suitable democratic candidate for president, is an ardent prohibitionist. In a recent letter to a member of the prohibition party national committee he advises the holding of the national convention at some date after the democratic and republican conventions in order to see what those organizations may do in the matter of a candidate and platform.

Mill Remnant Sale!

John H. Jones, postmaster at Carl, Ga., arrived in Dublin last Tuesday for a brief visit with relatives here and with his mother at De Leon, who is very ill. During his stay hereabouts Mr. Jones will look over the country with a view to returning and settling here this fall.

Photos from $1.00 up at the Gem.

When you buy a buggy it always pays to buy the best and that means that you will get a Moon. A full car of this celebrated brand has just been received at Higgiubotham Bros. They are a high goods at very little more than the low grade prices.

Herbine Cures.

Fever and ague. A dose will usually stop a chill, a continuance always cures. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, May 31, 1899, writes: "We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we have ever used, for lagrippe, bilious fever and malaria." 50c at Overton Drug Co.

Bosque County Court.

A. P. Anderson, plead guilty to unlawfully selling liquor on election day and was fined $1000. Three other cases against the same defendant for the same offense were dismissed by the state.

Ludwig Larsen, plead guilty to unlawfully selling liquor on election day and was fined $100. One other case against the same defendant for the same offense was dismissed by the state.

John Foster, unlawfully selling liquor on election day, bonds forfeited in two cases.

Ike Fossett, defendant found guilty of theft of turkey and fined six days in jail.

Claude Sherril, found guilty of an aggravated assault and fined $25 and costs.

DISEASE Caused by Constipation 80%
Through other Causes 20%
100%

DR. THACHER'S
Liver and Blood Syrup
CURES BY REMOVING THE CAUSE
A THREE-FOLD REMEDY for all ills due to functional troubles. Acts on the Liver and Kidneys and
Purifies the Blood.

Thousands have used this reliable remedy with perfect confidence and success for 52 years, because they know just what it contains.

The *formula* consists of Buchu, Hydrangea, Mandrake, Yellow Dock, Dandelion, Sarsaparilla, Gentian, Senna and Iodide of Potassium.

Any doctor or druggist will tell you that this is a scientific and reliable combination of great merit for all diseases having their origin in the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. After years of experience and patient experiment, Dr. Thacher so perfected the process of manufacture, that it never fails to bring the expected relief when taken according to directions.

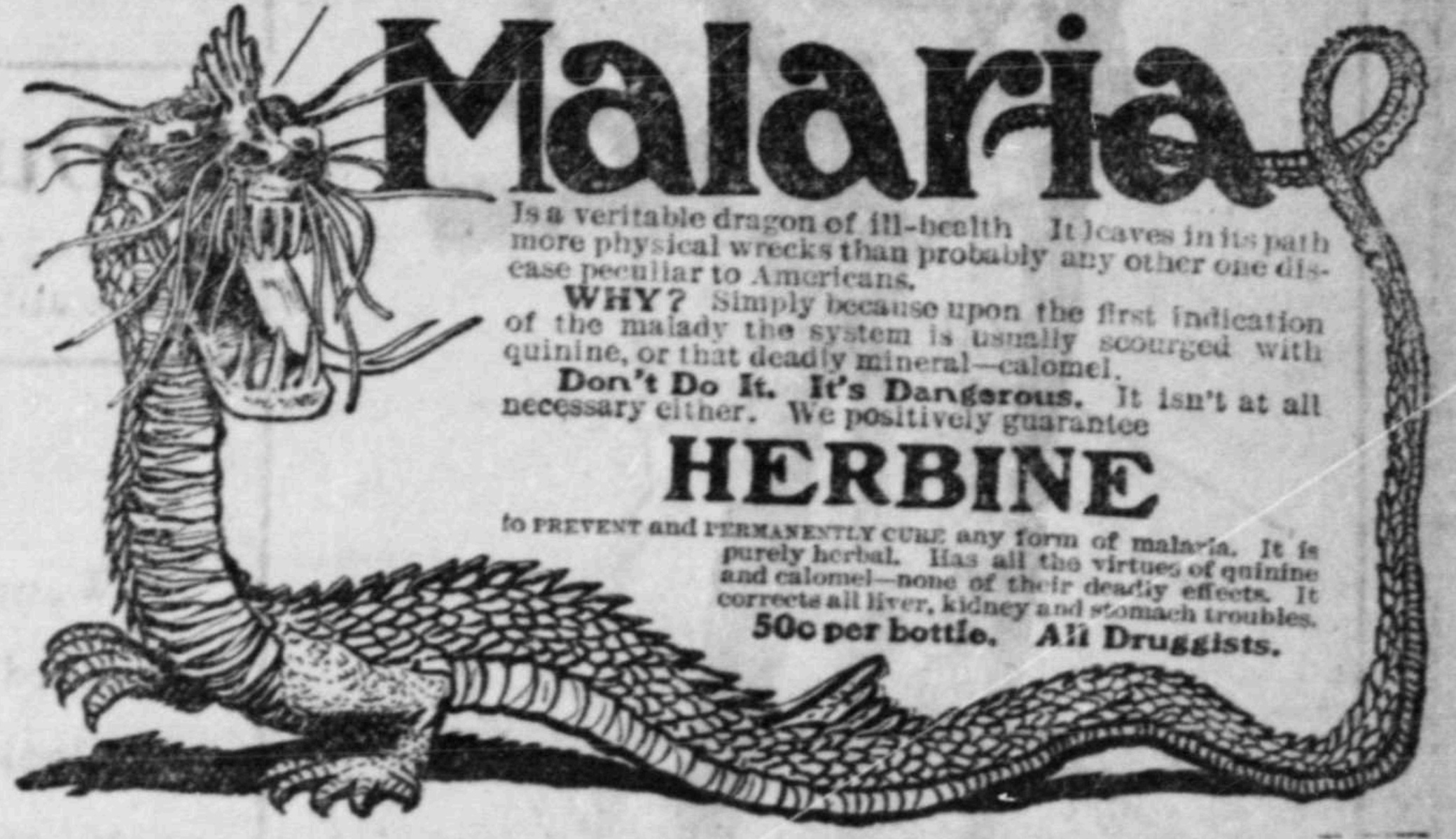
Thousands of sick ones to whom life has been a burden have written grateful letters of thanks.

SPEED, MISSISSIPPI, Oct. 17, 1902.

"I have suffered greatly with indigestion, constipation, also a severe liver trouble, with loss of appetite. Could not rest well at night; in fact, had no energy to work or even walk around. I felt like I was packing a heavy load and, was easily exhausted, until I took Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup, which helped me almost from the first dose. When I had taken one and one-half bottles I felt like a different man, and I knew that it was due entirely to your medicine. I used in all three bottles, and consider myself perfectly cured. At this time my appetite is good, I sleep well, and feel strong and refreshed on arising in the morning." T. L. SPEED.

If you need a medicine write to-day for a Free sample bottle and "Dr. Thacher's Health Book." Give symptoms for advice. We simply ask you to try it at our expense. We know what it will do. At all druggists. 50 cents and $1.00.

Thacher Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.



Malaria

Is a veritable dragon of ill-health It leaves in its path more physical wrecks than probably any other one disease peculiar to Americans.

WHY? Simply because upon the first indication of the malady the system is usually scourged with quinine, or that deadly mineral—calomel.

Don't Do It. It's Dangerous. It isn't at all necessary either. We positively guarantee

HERBINE

to PREVENT and PERMANENTLY CURE any form of malaria. It is purely herbal. Has all the virtues of quinine and calomel—none of their deadly effects. It corrects all liver, kidney and stomach troubles.

50c per bottle. All Druggists.

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY OVERTON DRUG CO., DUBLIN, TEX

Local railway traffic officials in Chicago are disturbed over the decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission to the effect that cattle shippers can recover damages for excessive transfer charges in Chicago. According to the decision, any charge above one dollar for switching cars into the stock yards is excessive, and the shippers can recover the excess charged since 1894, when the commission decided the matter. There are about four hundred thousand cars of live stock annually handled in and out of Chicago, and if the shippers recover the excess on all cars it would mean a loss to the railroads of between two million and four million dollars. The matter will undoubtedly be taken into the courts.

Beauty And Strength.

Are desireable. You are strong and vigorous when your blood is pure. Many—nay, most—women, fail to properly digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion, depart. Remedy this unpleasant evil, by eating nourishing food, and taking a small dose of Herbine after each meal, to digest what you have eaten. 50c at Overton Drug Co.

Hamilton County Court.

District court met again Monday morning and has been in session all week. Following is the proceedings:

G. W. Robertson, assault to murder, convicted, and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

F. Standfield, theft of horse, plea of guilty, given two years in the penitentiary.

Robt. Mosely, theft of horse, plea of guilty and given two years in the penitentiary. Will Martin, assault to rape continued. Given bond in the sum of $750.

F. L. Hambright, perjury, continued. Bond given in the sum of $500.

J. J. Young, theft of horse, continued. Given bond in the sum of $750.

Save the Loved Ones!

Mrs. Mary A. Vliet, Newcastle, Col., writes: "I believe Ballard's Horehound Syrup is superior to any other cough medicine, and will do all that is claimed for it, and is so pleasant to take. My little girl wants to take it when she has no need for it." Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for all pulmonary ailments. 25c 50c and $1.00 at Overton Drug Co.

WORLD'S FAIR CONTEST.

For the purpose of stimulating spring trade a number of leading business firms of Dublin have decided to put on a contest, offering as premiums two tickets to and from the St. Louis World's Fair.

Premium No. 1: Free transportation to and from world's fair, with admission to fair grounds for ten days.

Premium No.2: Transportation to and from the world's fair.

This is a very liberal offer and one we feel sure the people of Dublin trade territory will appreciate. It is a chance of a life time to either see or help some friend to see, without one cents' cost to you, the greatest fair in the history of the world.

Rules governing this contest will be as follows: The firms supporting this contest will issue one vote for each dollars' worth purchased from them, the votes to be cast by customer for whom they please. Party receiving the greatest number of votes to get Premium No. 1, and party receiving second greatest number of votes to receive Premium No. 2.

Tickets may be had at any of the following business institutions and may be voted at any of the places named:

J. H. WILDER, Music Store.
UTTERBACK & HARRIS CO.
General Merchants.
R.B. SPENCER & CO. Lumber.
OVERTON DRUG CO. Drugs.
JONES & NORTON, Market.
DUBLIN PROGRESS,
News and Job Printing.

For one-tenth fractional portions of a dollar in trade fractional tickets will be accordingly given.

Call For Your Tickets.

READY-TO-WEAR SKIRTS.
In the latest styles, something you need..................$1 to $10.00

Lovely Spring Goods Here!

U NEED A SPRING HAT.
We have the latest styles and the largest line to select from.

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Dress Goods.

In Dress Goods we have taken a great deal of care in selecting the newest and most up-to-date goods. We realize that the trading public demand a better class of goods than ever before and we have bought accordingly. We also have in this connection the prettiest line of Novelties and trimmings ever shown in Dublin. It will pay to see this elegant line of goods.

Attractive Millinery.

Our Milliner, Miss May Murphy, is an artist in her line as is evidenced by the great enthusiasm shown by the visitors and purchasers to this department, and all because of the unusual beauty of the styles displayed here, also the extremely low prices in vogue. This line is original, attractive and different from those seen elsewhere. Come and see them.

In Our Clothing For Men we are showing a magnificent line of fashion's best. We have the famous Hart, Schaffner & Marx brand of Men's clothing. Each and every garment guaranteed to fit. We have no hesitancy in saying this is the nobbiest and most up-to-date line of clothing ever shown in Dublin. If you want to look neat and dressy get one. Going from .... $12 50 to $25 00

EVERY MOTHER

Wants her boy to look the best and to do this he must be dressed well. Our Grindstone suits for boys are what you are looking for. They are mane to fit and will wear longer than others that cost more money. Now going ... $1 to $10.00

2-Piece Suits For Men.

The Rosenwall & Weil Clothing. You know it to be the best on the market for Men's Spring and Summer wear. Neat and nobby. Now on sale at from .... $5 00 to $10 00

SHOES.

Shoes for women, Shoes for men, Shoes for the boys and girls, Shoes for children and Shoes for everybody. We have the Krohn-Techeimer Shoes for ladies—The Packard's Shoes for men, and the Edwin Clapp Shoes for men. Standard goods—Standard Prices. You know them when you see them. Come and look through.

WALKING SKIRTS.
The popular Walking Skirts of Woolen Novelty and wash fabrics, light and heavy materials............$1.00 up.

Higginbotham Bros.

Gents' Furnishings.
We handle the famous Eagle brand of Shirts and the well-known Clewett-Peabody collars. See this line.

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DUBLIN, TEXAS, FRIDAY APRIL 1, 1904.

Democratic Committee Called.

I hereby call the democratic executive committee to meet at Stephenville in the court house at 1 p. m., on the first Saturday in April, for the purpose of determining whether a primary convention or election shall be held in said county at the time prescribed by law to nominate county officers and to instruct for district and state officers, and to transact such other business in the interest of the democratic party as may be brought before it. Below is printed a list of the committee that are respectively urged to be present:

No. 1. W. A. Hyatt, Stephenville.
No. 2. Geo. Daugherty, Lingelville.
No. 3. Geo. Maloney, Dublin.
No. 4. W. M. Keller, Bunyan.
No. 5. J. D. St. Clair, Alexander.
No. 6. John Simmons, Purves.
No. 7. H. T. Shelnutt, Duffau.
No. 8. T. C. Beach, Johnsville.
No. 9. E. H. Chandler, Bluff Dale.
No. 10. A. B. Cowan, Cowan.
No. 11. W. R. Killian, Morgan Mill.
No. 12. Homer Blankenship, Patillo.
No. 13. Pete Thornton, Tempest.
No. 14. Alford Jones, Highland.
No. 15. J. K. Hilliard, Lowell.
No. 16. S. L. Waynick, Dnffau.
No. 17 R. P. Campbell, Lingleville.
No. 18. J. E. Huckabay, Huckabay.
No. 19. Joe Guyden, Chalk M'ntain.
No. 20. Bob Blair, Lipan.
No. 21. J. G. Salmon, Clairette.
No. 22. Clem McCormack, Topaz.
No. 23. W. P. Box, Selden.
No. 24. Dr. J. W. Wharton, Victor.
No. 25. Doc Alexander, Altman.
No. 26. Andy Barrett, Gordon.
No. 27. S. R. Slaughter., St'enville.

J. C. GEORGE.
hairman Democratic Executive Committee of Erath County.

ge Daniel for District Attorney.

Stephenvillle Appeal of last D d: "To the Appeal man Daniel had announced ositively in the race for e nomination for dis- This means that he will make a hard fight for that office and will prove an antagonist worthy of a good man.

"Judge Daniel already has served the people in this office. He has strong friends scattered all over the district and he is every day receiving assurances of their support.

"An able lawyer and a fair and just prosecuting atotrney who will be no experiment in the office, a man of mature judgment and not easily influenced by personal ends; this is the kind of man whom the Appeal believes should hold this office and J. T. Daniel is such a man.

"It will be remembered that Mr. Daniel served the district in this capacity from 1892 to 1897, and therefore is experienced in its duties and their performance. He made a splendid official, doing his duty well and failthfully, acting without fear or favoritism, obeying the law and his oath of office to the letter as he saw it.

"Judge Daniel comes before the people again asking their suffrage and they may vote for him secure in the knowledge that he is a mature attorney, already graduated in the school of the practice of law, recognized throughout this and other sections of the state as one of the best and most successful attorneys in this district.

"Placing him again in the office of districct attorney will be no experiment. The people know J. T. Daniel; they know they can depend on him to obey to the letter the laws of our state; they know that if elected to this office he will have no favorites to protect, no personal spleen to vent; but that as district attorney, J. T. Daniel will be fair and impartial in the prosecution of all causes which as a state's attorney he must prosecute."

City Election Notice.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as mayor of the city of Dublin, Texas, an election is hereby ordered to be held in said city on Tuesday, April 5th, 1904, between the hours prescribed by law, the purpose of said election being to elect the following officers: One alderman from each of the three wards in the city, one city marshal, one recorder ,one city tax assessor and collector, one city treasurer and one city attorney. C. G. Foust is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election and the R. B. Spencer & Co. lumber office is designated as the place for holding same. R. B. SPENCER,
Mayor of Dublin.
Dublin, Texas, Feb. 4th, 1904.

Erath County Court.

John Bates, selling liquor, to a minor, plea of guilty, fine $25.

Ed Grissom, carrying knucks, plea of guilty, fine $25.

Matt Huffman, gaming, plea of guilty, fine $25.

Phil Chisum, disturbing the peace, plea of guilty, fine $1.

Grover Carroll, theft, plea of guilty, fine $5 and ten days in jail.

Dave Sanders, petty theft, plea of guilty, fined $5 and five days in jail.

Eugene Gilbert, petty theft, plea of guilty, fined $10 and ninety days in jail.

Arthur McMillan, aggravated assault, acquitted.

W. W. Watson, taking up and using estray, acquitted.

Wirt Parish, carrying pistol, acquitted.

Frank Powell, carrying pistol, acquitted.

Cage & Crow vs. W. M. Brewer et al, suit on note, judgment by default for $253.

First National bank vs. S. P. Bone et al, judgment for plaintiff for $300.

J. G. O'Brien vs. Dublin Cotton Oil Co., suit for damages, judgment for plaintiff for $87.50.

J. F. Wieser et al vs. Chas. McGunnigle et al, suit on note, verdict for plaintiff for $275, with verdict for intervenor, Rotan Grocery Co. against J. F. Wieser & Co. for $18.35 in one instance and $114.65 in another.

Chas. Neblett vs. Lewis Lawson, continued by consent.

G. M. Clark vs. M. L. and H. L. Gunter, continued tc abide the result of a companion case in court of appeals.

Fourth National bank of Wichita, Kan., vs. B. H. Estes, verdict for defendant.

Chas. Neblett vs. G. B. Maloney & Co., verdict for plaintiff for $35.76.

G. W. Pearcy vs. Ft. Worth & Rio Grande Ry., case appealed from justice court, appeal dismissed.

Dublin National bank vs. R. T. Browning et al, suit to foreclose mortgage, judgment for plaintiff.

Will Adams, theft, plea of guilty and fined ten dollars and ten days in jail.

J. F. Wieser & Co. vs. Baxter Bros. et al, suit on account, compromised.

Jas. Bailey vs. Chas. Neblett, suit on account, compromised.

If you have any dental work you wish to have attended to it will be to your interest to consult Dr. Jackson, over Tom Miller's store. 40-tf

Democratic campaign material must be a bankrupt stock when we find our Senator Gormans and Representative Fitzgeralds counseling the abandonment of the American naval policy and decrying the president for being its most aggressive champion. In the prospect that the United States may be forced to play a part in world affairs which cannot be shirked without dishonor, the American people, we firmly believe, will refuse to take counsel that would have them disregard the striking military lesson the world is learning today in the far east—where American commercial and political interests are not in the least degree inferior to those of any other power, and where, we think, the nation that is served with Roosevelt firmness and caution and Hay diplomacy cannot but fare well.

Max Wunderwald, a German boiler maker, who located at El Paso two years ago from St. Louis, killed his two little girls, perhaps fatally wounded his wife and then killed himself one day last week. A son of eight years, who was at school, escaped the general slaughter. Wunderwald, who secured a divorce from his wife a few weeks ago, wanted her to return and live with him and upon her refusal to do so, endeavored to kill the entire family. The woman was shot three times, each of the little girls were shot through the head and then Wunderwald sent a bullet through his own brain. The woman regained consciousness after the police arrived and gave an account of the tragedy and the causes leading up to it.

O. L. Stribling of Waco came home from Washington last week and speaking of the political sentiment there and the possible democratic nominee, said: "I would not be surprised to see the name of D. R. Francis sprung on the convention. He is a close friend of Mr. Cleveland and also a close friend of the strongest supporters of Mr. Bryan in Missouri. Calling the convention in St. Louis may not have been without a definite purpose."

District Singing Convention to Meet.

I hereby call the Texas Central District Singing convention to meet at Comanche on the 16th and 17th days of April, 1904. Let every county in the district be represented. Prominent musicians from different parts of the state will attend the meeting. Special railroad rates given. Everybody invited.—J. W. Neill, president.

Fire at Albany.

Fire broke out in the flue of the Wilson barber shop, just south of the First National bank, at Albany last Saturday morning, burned the building occupied by S. A. Newcomb & Co. as a gorcery store and C. A. Wilson as a barber shop, and the one occupied by J. W. Manning as a drug store, the buildings being an entire loss. The loss is very heavy to all of the business affected. Some goods were saved by each of the occupants. The loss is only partially covered by insurance. This is the first fire among Albany's business houses since 1893. The buildings were owned by the First National of this place and were insured. In one hour after the fire these thrifty business men were in another building with their goods ready for business.

But for the hard work of the men and boys, many of whom did very heroic work, the First National bank and the Albany National bank buildings and the offices of Webb & Hill and Matthews & Blanton would have burned also. The office of Matthews & Blanton was damaged some, as were also the south windows of the First National bank. The losses approximate $8,000.

Recently congress granted a pension to an alleged ex-soldier who based his claim on rheumatism which was contracted while washing his feet in the army. It is presumed he never washed his feet before he joined the army and in the debate on the pension it was not shown that he had performed a similar ablution since the war. There are thousands of similar disabled soldiers on the pension rolls, however.—Beaumont Journal.

Thomas E. Watson of Georgia is out in a signed statement asserting that Presidnt Cleveland entertained the negro Fred Douglass and wife at his marriage reception at the white house, which was purely a social function. He also charges that Cleveland, when governor of New York, signed the bill which provided for "mixed schools" in that state.

The dental work done by Dr. Jackson is guaranteed to be of the best workmanship and material. 40-tf

The Daily Oklahoman came out in green for St. Patrick's day and in a line across the top of the page put this revised version: "The harp that once through Tara's halls sent forth its music grand, is laid away in champhor balls, and the Irish head the band."

Calendars for 1905.

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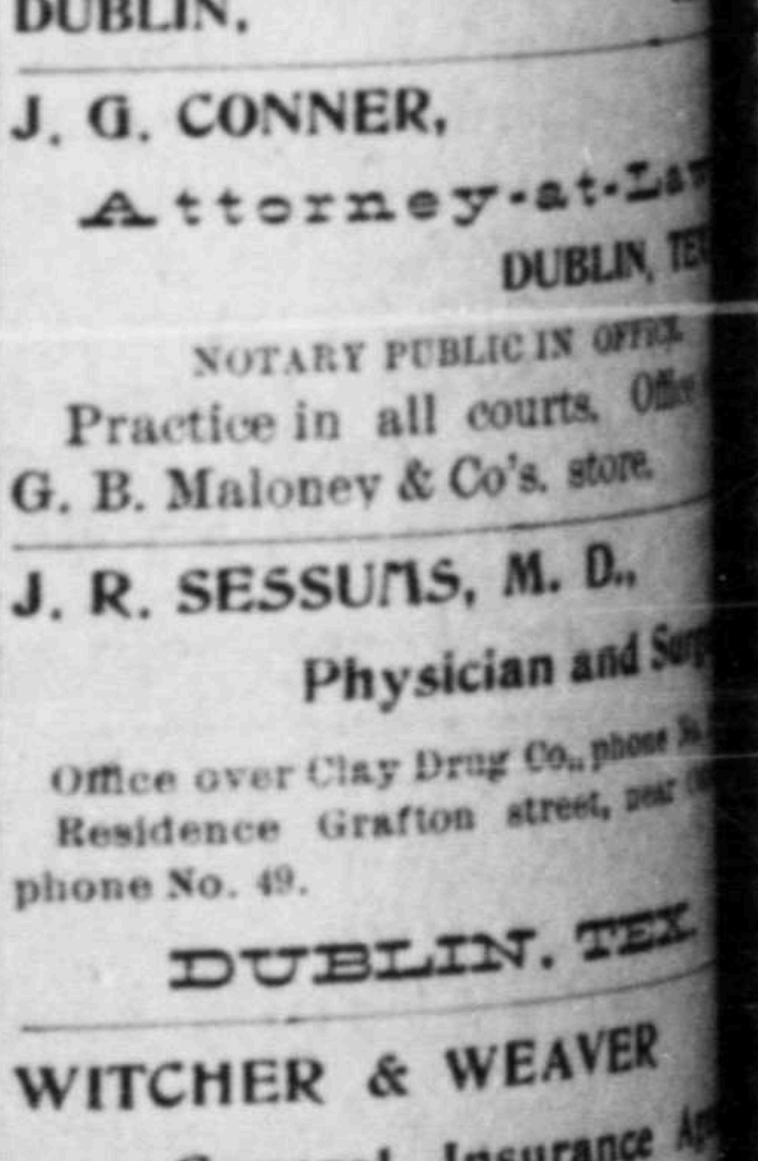

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The famous Jack formerly belo Mr. Stokes of Lingleville, is now o me and will make the present seas farm four miles west of Linglevill Desdemona road.

TERMS—$10.00 to insure living Money due when colt stands up and If mare is sold or traded or moved fr county money at once becomes due.

SAM BAY
LINGLEVILLE, TEXAS.

The Haskell Free Press says a valuable discovery for the cattle interests of Texas if it turns out to be as claimed, is reported from Albany in the Dallas News by Mr. S. Webb. It is no less than the discovery of the cause, prevention and cure of black leg. Mr. Webb states that Mr. Center of that place has demonstrated by observation and experiments carried on for several years that the "wolves" or grubs in the backs of young cattle poison the blood and cause the disease of blackleg and that the application of anything that will kill the grubs will prevent, if not neglected to long, the blackleg.

The City National bank of Eastland, capital stock $25,000, was organized last Saturday with J. M. Wagstaff, president; Ed Cox, vice-president; W. C. Lasley, cashier; and J. A. Linton, assistant cashier. The above mentioned officers and W. G. Swenson constitute the board of directors. The new bank is in operation and absorbs the Eastland County bank. This is another institution from the one being organized at Eastland by Dublin parties.

J. Atkins, an exporter of fine horses who resides at 373 Normal avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., has recently been trying to locate some good horses in various parts of Texas which he might be able to buy for shipment to London. Mr. Atkins says he wants big and good colored carriage horses with a good step, lots of vitality, unbranded and from five to eight years old. Such horses will command a fancy price.

The Citizen's club of Meridian is considering a proposition from Iowa parties to establish a knitting mill in Meridian. Of the enterprise the Meridian paper says that it will give employment to thirty or forty families if established there and would probably be the means of inducing other desirable investments. A knitting mill is always a good enterprise for the town that gets it.

The De Leon country enjoyed a splendid rain last week, which put a fine season in the ground. Some cotton is already up, and corn and oats are in fine shape. There is a good prospect for a large fruit crop. There will be much increase in the cotton acreage in that section this season. An abundance of corn, oats, sorghum, milo maize and kaffir corn has been planted.

The Progress is this week in receipt of a letter from Hugh Stroble at Grandview in Johnson county, who once resided in Erath county near Moccasin Rock, now called Lowell. Mr. Stroble reports crop prospects in his section very flattering at this time, with corn and some cotton up and looking very thrifty. He is well pleased with Johnson.

T. A. Zimmerman, living six miles west of Stamford, was seriously hurt there Monday of last week by his horse falling, breaking his shoulder and bruising him severely. This is the third serious accident that he has experienced within the last year. First, his eye was put out by a stick of wood. Six months later a horse stepped on his foot and crippled him for weeks.

Now, this is something that will be hard for most people to believe, but it was told to us as a fact. J. J. Garrett was digging a well for S. J. Johnson, one-half mile north of town, last week and at the depth of fifty-five feet, just at the edge of sheet water, he says he dug up a live frog.—Carbon Herald.

The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad, which is being built from Kansas City to the City of Mexico, is expected to be completed as far as San Angelo by spring. The concession for the road through old Mexico was procured during the administration of General Grant as president of the United States.

Farmers living as near to some of the competing towns as to Dublin can hardly be expected to come to Dublin this fall over impassable roads when they can go elsewhere over a good highway. The good roads question is all important to the mercantile interest of Dublin.

Hon. J. J. Bennett of Stephenville was here Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy for re-election as representative from the Erath county district. Mr. Bennett has made a good representative and his return for another term will be of benefit to his district.

The attention of our readers is this week called to the announcement in the proper column of Esquire W. R. Ables for re-election to the office of justice of the peace in the Dublin precinct, a position which he has creditably held for two years past.

During 1903 there were three hundred and fifty-six miles of railroad built in Texas and it is claimed she now leads every state in the union. The Railway Age reports 1,258 miles in Texas under contract for construction, so 1904 should show more new mileage than last year.

Little Folks Entertained.

Quite a nice "little" affair was given last Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garnett L. Jackson on north Patrick Street in honor of the first birthday of Garnet Logan Jackson, Jr. At about four o'clock the invited guests began to arrive and before long the house was full of little beings who conversed in "baby talk" only.

After some time was spent in acquainting the guests, for in many instances they had never met before, and if they had they seemed not to recognize each other, tea was announced and all gathered around a small table some eighteen inches high, provided with small chairs, and in a short time all were busily engaged making away with the tiny ham sandwitches, small cakes, candy, lemonade and other sweets fit for sons and daughters of kings. The junior host was the recipient of a number of presents calculated to make glad his heart and "remember" long the occasion. Those present were Misses Mary McCarty, Louise Miller, Julia St. Clair, and Masters Robert St. Clair, George Miller, David Harris, Jr., and Richard Risien.

An interesting case was tried in the county court this week, says the Meridian Tribune, wherein the defendant was found guilty of the theft of a turkey and sentenced to six days confinement in the county jail. This should be a good lesson for the chicken thieves of Meridian, and the next "raid" they make, if the officers will do their duty, regardless of persons, places or things, some of them will have a chance to board a week or so in the Hotel de Randal. Meridian is not the only burg in this section which has boys who will probably have to learn by dear experience that its best always to be honest and honorable.

About two years ago a man named C. H. Stanfield was indicted for forgery in Ft. Worth. By the use of acids he so simulated a case of smallpox that he was transferred from the county jail to the pest house and from the latter institute made his escape. Recently he was arrested at Muscogee, I. T., on a pistol-carrying case, was identified, and after his thirty days' jail sentence there had expired he was turned over to the Tarrant county officials.

The Morgan News says: Tom Frazier this week received from the department of agriculture an appointment as lecturer to the Farmers' Institute. He will be accompanied by two or three other lecturers. They will beign their tour of the state some time in April. Tom will discuss the raising of hogs and, having become one of the most successful hog raisers in the state, we are sure his lectures will be very interesting as well as instructive.

S. E. Golden received a shipment of Japanese sugar cane one day this week from some point in Florida. It is claimed for this species of cane that it is much better than the ribbon cane. Mr. Golden at once plantted it on soil well adapted to the growing of cane and thinks that it will prove to be the thing to plant here for syrup making.—Iredell Sentinel.

An old gentleman was in town a few days since, says the Iredell Sentinel, and stated to a reporter that people who desire to kill timber at one effort should chop around trees the day before, the day of and the day after the full moon in May and they will never be troubled with sprouts coming up from the roots.

Newton Bros., at the Turbeville old stand, propose to cater to the grocery trade of Dublin. Free delivery to all parts of the city. They carry a good grocery stock and make a point of having what you want and delivering it promptly.

Stamp photos—you wanted them, now you can get them at the Gem.

Don't give your orders for calendars for the coming year to traveling concerns from the north. The Progress can do as well by you in price as they can and we can quote prices on anything you want. Prices guaranteed as low as the lowest.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Election Tuesday, April 5th, 1904

For City Assessor and Collector:
W. A. TROUTT.
WALTER WATSON.

For City Treasurer:
GEO. KELLER.
W. T. (THAD) COX.

For City Marshal:
HENRY TROUTT.
J. E. BISHOP.
J. D. (JEFF) HAMPTON.
W. A. GOODWIN

For Recorder:
W. H. KEY.

For Alderman, First Ward:
B. W. LAFFERTY.

For Alderman, Second Ward:
S. J. WEAVER.
R. B. MOORE.

For Alderman, Third Ward:
ALBERT J. McMURRAY.
JNO. D. HAY (re-election)

The Whitney Messenger of last week says: "Last Monday afternoon between five and six o'clock this section was visited by a most threatening disturbance of the elements and a terrific gale that lasted for several hours. The elements presented a peculiarity of aspects and experiences, such as the people here are seldom accustomed to. A good rain shower from the south was promising, but it was succeeded with cyclonic demonstrations and but comparatively little rain fell. Great clouds of dust were carried through the air, in some places assuming the proportions of a cyclone in appearance and approaching it in force, as they went boiling and twisting over certain areas. Many of our people became alarmed and the storm-houses sheltered those who had them convenient. One particularly peculiar feature of the visitation was a hot wind which prevailed, though it was intensely strong, and many have reported as observing a semblance to smoke accompanying the demonstrations, which smoke, or whatever it was, kept close to the ground and was very destructive in force. For a long time a great cloud of dust was visible in the northwest, but the greatest damage was expected south of us. After an hour or more of changeable weather the second hurricane came just before sundown and it proved the most destructive of all. The next morning large damages from the storm was reported."

The first issue of "The Helper," with Rev. S. C. Lockett of Whitney as editor, made its appearance last week, and is quite a creditable publication. It contains eight pages about nine by twelve inches and the printing is done at the job office of Rev. Locketts' son at Dallas. It is published in the interest of religion and temperance in general and the Whitney pastorate of the Cumberland Presbyterian church in particular, being a monthly publication. The first issue was liberally patronized by Whitney's business men, and there also was presented the portraits of some of the prominent members of the Whitney Cumberland Presbyterian church. From the Helper we note that the building committee of the new $3,000 house of worship to be erected this year is composed of the following: R. H. Hampton, chairman; E. K. McMahan, secretary and treasurer; T. R. Stewart, M. D. Fewell and T. H. Green.—Whitney Messenger.

To purchase goods of any description from a traveling agent is in most cases to lay yourself liable if not indeed to court being humbugged and beat out of your money. If the goods are delivered and paid for on the spot in nine cases out of ten the goods prove to be an inferior grade or if not that it is soon discovered that the same goods could have been bought cheaper from the home dealer. A favorite method of this traveling horde of fakirs is to sell on easy payments for a small cash payment and charge fully, and sometimes more than double what the same goods could be bought for from home merchants and on as easy terms if installment payments were asked. By all manner of means it pays to buy from your home people, whom you know and who are permanently located and from every standpoint it is a duty to one's own community to do so.

Weaver Case Affirmed.

County Attorney Greenwood of Hill county on last Saturday received a telegram from Howard Martin, assistant attorney general, stating that the Jess Weaver murder case had been affirmed by the court of criminal appeals. This finally disposes of one of the most sensational murder cases ever tried in Hill county.

Weaver was indicted at the spring term of the district court, in 1899, the indictment charging him with the murder of his brother-in-law, Charlie Martin, in April of that year. He was tried at the fall term of court, 1899, the result being a mistrial. He was again tried at the spring term of 1901, when a verdict was returned of murder in the first degree and assessing his punishment at life imprisonment. His attorneys appealed the case, chiefly on the point that the state was allowed to prove, on the trial of the case, that Weaver refused to look at the body of his deceased brother-in-law on the day following the killing. The court, sitting at Tyler, reversed the case on this point and he was again tried at the fall term of 1903. The outcome was the same as before and has now been affirmed.

The farm you want to buy is in the hands of J. G. Conner & Co.

Work has begun in preparation of a tract of fifteen thousand acres of land in Victoria county for a colony of experienced truck farmers. All the colonists are of German descent, but have become American citizens. They will come direct from Ohio and include five hundred and twenty families, nearly three hundred of which have already bought land in the colony.

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THAT FIRST DOLLAR?

Bring or send us the Dollar—we will place it to your credit and will open an account for you. The way to have a bank account is to start one. You will find it easy enough to keep it growing after you once begin. Plan to arrange your expenses according to your account. Pay your bills with checks—You will find that you will have a comfortable balance to your credit. We have lots of money to loan on approved security. Save Money on your supplies by borrowing money at the bank and buying your goods for cash. We especially invite the business of the farmers. Make this bank headquarters when in the city.

The Citizen's National Bank.

Directors: J. H. Latham, J. H. Reese, Mrs. F. E. Browne, G. H. Connell, W. R. Youny, S. H. Prim. B. C. Cage.

Dental Facts.

Tatistics show that most dentists are failures. The successful dentist is generally the one who builds up a good practice with good work and stays with it.

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Established at Dublin almost 8 years.

Child Took a Ride.

Mary, the little four-year-old daughter of W. E. Hughes of Abilene, last Friday attempted to follow some friends of the family who were leaving on the train for Van Horn. The mother of the child at the time was down town shopping, having the little one with her, when the child strayed away from her. A search was instituted, the city marshal notified and the citizens aroused, but the child could not be found. It was feared that she had been kidnapped by a strolling band of gypsies who had recently been in the neighborhood. Late in the afternoon a wire was received from Cisco saying that a child had been taken off the train at that place, the description of which suited that of the lost child. The child was started back to Abilene on the next train and Rev. L. R. Scarborough went down to meet her. The little one did not seem much disturbed, and had not been crying. The only thing she said about the matter was that she was sorry that the train did not get to Van Horn. It developed that she wandered to the depot there and boarded the train along with two ladies, taking the east boud train instead of the west bound; that no one paid any particular attention to her, each one of the ladies thinking that she belonged to the other, and the conductor thinking that she belonged to one of them, made no inquires, as the child was under the age for which fare could be demanded. A short while before the train reaced Cisco, one of the ladies remarked to the other something about her child, which of course developed the fact that the child did not belong to either. The conductor was notified and made inquiries. Finding that no one on the train knew anything of the child he put her off at Cisco, with instructions to the agent there to make inquiries, which resulted in the child being restored to her parents. The mother was overjoyed after spending many anxious hours grieving for her lost child to have the little one safely resorted to her.

If you have farm or ranch property that you want to sell now or expect to want to sell at any time within a year, see us at once. We have present and prospective buyers. —J. G. Conner & Co., over Maloney's.

Bud Sin Clair invites his friends and the public in general to call on him at his new stand when in need of tonsorial work. Shop has been removed to the building opposite the Red Wagon yard. 45-1t

To purify the blood take Prickly Ash Bitters three or four times a week during the Spring months. It will insure health in hot weather.

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40 Cans Lye	$1.00	2 bbls Carpet Tacks	.05
No. 1, Iron Tub	.50	2 Boxes Shoe Tacks	.05
Iron Water Bucket	.15	Hickory Axe Handle	.10
Iron Well Bucket	.25	Hickory Hammer Handle	.05
10-qt Milk Bucket	.15	Hickory Hatchet Handle	.05
½-gal Tin Cup	.05	1000 Best Parlor Matches	.05
		Our Can't Break Tumbler Set	.50

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DUBLIN, TEXAS.

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For District Judge.
J. W. PARKER.
W. J. OXFORD (Re-election).
For Representative,
J. J. BENNETT.
For District Clerk.
JNO. W. GRAY (Re-election)
For County Judge.
M. J. THOMPSON.
L. N. FRANK (Re-election)
BEN PALMER.
For Sheriff.
MACK CRESSWELL
R. T. HUME.
For County Attorney.
B. E. COOK. (Re-election)
WILL PANNILL.
For County Treasurer.
GEO. F. (BUD) PARKER.
J. T. STARR (Re-election).
W. T. LOWE
S. A. HILL
For County Clerk.
RUFUS A. MORTON.
H. P. COLE.
JNO. W. FREY (Re-election)
J. I. MINTER.
DAN A. ROGERS
For Assessor.
I. N. POND.
J. L. HALL.
J. WILL FULKERSON.
A. L. WARD.
W. C. (BILL) BURNETT.
JOHN E. BURNETT.
For Tax Collector.
R. T. ROBERTS (Re-election)
DAVIS K. DOYLE.
For Commissioner, Prec. Two:
JNO. O. STRIPLIN.
R. S. POPE.
L. R. MAYFIELD.
G. H. MAYES.
J. M. KIKER.
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 2:
JESSE G. CONNER.
W. R. ABLE, re-election.
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 8:
JNO. O. STRIPLIN.

STEPHENVILLE.

From the Empire.

March 24th.—The game of base ball Monday evening between Tarleton college and Lingleville Christian college teams resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of seven to five.

Mayor Collins is in receipt of a letter from the consulting engineer of the proposed new railroad in which he expresses himself as sanguine of the ultimate building of the road through Stephenville.

Dock Hickey stands charged with having entered Frier's gun store on Belknap street and appropriating four pistols and one shot gun. The affair was a mystery for some time, but suspicion rested on Hickey, who subsequently was arrested at the home of Joe Hickey on Green's Creek. All the property was recovered and Hickey is now in jail.

Prof. M. A. Childers has had to close out his school at Wesley Chapel near Bluff Dale. on account of measles in the community.

Dr. Burger returned Monday from Marlin. He is much improved by his trip. Mrs. Burger came home a little over a week ago.

Crit Newton, having sold his interest in the laundry, has returned to Dublin.

Miss Willie Chambers came over from Proctor Saturday morning to spend Saturday and Sunday at home.

The Granbury News notes that Price Kiker, formerly of Stephenville, has gone to Mansfield to work at the telephone business.

Tom Payne, Selden's enterprising merchant, was in the city last week and stated that the telephone line between Stephenville and Selden would soon be ready for businesss. The line will extend also to Johnsville and Chalk Mountain and will have connection with Duffau.

Mr. George Benson, a young man about twenty-five years of age, died Tuesday night at his home near Alexander of consumption.

The school at Bethel closed Wednesday night with a concert. There was a good crowd present, though not so large as it would have been had there been no measles in the country. Several candidates were present and were invited to make their announcements. The school was taught this year by Prof. Ed W. Morton, who appears to have done good and faithful work. The pupils acquitted themselves well in the concert.

Edgar L. Marston of New York, president of the Texas & Pacific Coal Co., has donated $250 to help the boys at Thurber in paying for a base ball park and grand stand.

J. M. Birdwell, one of the good citizens of the Bluff Dale country, was in the city Tuesday. He reports the farmers in his section pretty well up with their work, and ready for a rain. That part of the country was visited by a light rain last Friday night.

Mod Magruder of Troy, Mo., came last week for his wife, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dunn at Selden for about four months. They returned to their home the first of the week. Mrs. Magruder is in very bad health.

Prof. L. O. Cox, of Bluff Dale was severely stabbed last week by a grown school boy whom he reproved for misconduct in school. Prof. Cox is one of the foremost teachers in the county and his many friends and all the friends of discipline in school will greatly regret this very unfortunate affair.

The engine of the evening train Friday broke down here and was delayed until an engine could come from Ft. Worth.

But one marriage license has been issued this week, viz.: J. A. Daniel and Miss R. M. Burnett.

Application has been made for the establishment of four more rural free delivery routes out of Stephenville and prospects are good for getting them all.

We understand that Mrs. Edgin, who recently went form Lingleville to Ft. Worth to have her eyes treated, is getting along nicely.

A letter received by Major Baldwin from Prof. C. W. Briles, who is now superintendent of the schools at Ladonia, conveys the information that the professor has been elected conductor of the normal to be held for the counties of Fannin, Lamar and Red River this year.

COUNTY DEATHS.

The following deaths have been reported to the county clerk this week:

Mrs. H. L. Dyer, Dublin, forty-five years, consumption.

A. D. Hensley, Dublin, sixty years, pneumonia.

Rev. John Humphrey, Dublin, fifty-three years, pneumonia.

Mrs. A. E. Caswell, Dublin, seventy-four years, lagrippe.

Thos. Jones, Dublin, sixty-three years, pneumonia.

Virginia Eliza Barnhart, Duffau, fifty-one years, Bright's disease.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Killian near Morgan Mill.

Wm. Beneke, Thurber, fifty-five years, Bright's disease.

Abe Bradford, Thurber, twenty-seven years, pneumonia.

COUNTY BIRTHS.

Andrew Wilson, boy.
I. P. Caldwell, Stephenvlile, boy.
Archie Jones, near Dublin, boy.
B. F. Pate, near Victor, girl.
L. M. Bergius, Stephenville, girl.
J. L. Hollingsworth, Stephenville, boy.
J. B. Methers, Stephenville, boy.
M. H. Starr, Stephenville, boy.
S. H. Davis, Morgan Mill, boy.
Sipie Yates, Morgan Mill, boy.
T. S. Wigington, Duffau, boy.
I. Griffith, Stephenville, girl.
Theo. Williams, Morgan Mill, girl.
Arnold Deaton, girl.
W. T. Graves, girl.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind. when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis and grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and $1.00. Guaranteed by Overton Drug Co. Trial bottles free.

CISCO.

From the Apert.

March 24th.—John Chesley has purchased a resident block of property from Will Eddleman on west Broadway.

Rev. E. A. Bailey will preach at the First Methodist church next Sunday night.

J. E. Luse has twenty-two acres in alfalfa that is very promising, and he has arranged to increase the acreage to forty-five acres—so much for diversification.

Married—Yesterday morning at the family home, Miss Alice Eddleman and Rev. A. D. Livingston, Rev. S. J. Vaughan officiating. The couple left after the ceremony for Blum, Texas, via Texas Central, where Rev. Livingston has charge of the Methodist church. He is to be congratulated on capturing one of Cisco's most elegant ladies, and the Apert joins their host of friends in wishing them well.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

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Major Tom Lacy of Comanche.

A recent issue of The Artesia Advocate, published by our old time friend, Gayle Talbot, at Artesia, New Mexico, has the following article regarding Tom Lacy of Comanche, who was once employed for several years on the Progress force. The Advocate says:

"Major J. Thomas Lacy, who has wielded the humpbacked rule in the Advocate office for some months back, is a citizen of Artesia no more. He packed his suit case Wednesday and went to Roswell and he says the country that knew him then will know him no more forever. We have known Tom Lacy for twenty-four years and we can recall the name of no one more trustworthy and honorable. As barefooted boys we stood upon the same box and learned the art that has held us so firmly in its pleasant and unprofitable grasp and from that time until the present Tom has never shirked a duty or missed a meal. We regret to loose his service at this time, but have no word of censure. Through the long winter months, Tom has been at the case picking up, with undisturbed regularity the type that have told the optimistic tale of Artesia's growth. Through gcod report and bad he labored on with nothing to disturb the tranquility of his dreams until recently, when the willow trees had shaken off their jackets of ice and put on the light green midities of spring. The afternoons' sun stole across the room and filled his space box with a mellow radiance, suggesting green fields and purple blossoms and shady trees beside the running stream. It was all off with the major then and when there drifted out upon the balmy air the refrain

"Nobody knows,
Where the hobo goes
In the Spring time,"

we knew his spirit had answered the call. Tom says he will probably summer in California, but we know that "some day he'll wander back again" and all will be well.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind. knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at Overton Drug Co.

He Caught the Flyer.

An event out of the ordinary occurred last Tuesday at Denison. Charles De Gheest of Paris, France, was a passenger on the northbound Katy Flyer en route to New York city from California, where he went for pleasure several weeks ago.

When the flyer pulled up to the depot the wealthy Frenchman, instead of taking dinner at the hotel, went up Main street to size up the city's business center. When he thought he had enough of sightseeing he returned to the depot. As he was crossing the tracks the flyer to his surprise, was slowly moving out of the station. He started on a run up the tracks and made the water tank, near the Sears street crossing, but did not succeed in getting aboard the passenger, which was by this time going around the bend.

Mr. Gheest hurried back to the dispatcher's office, and breathlessly told his troubles. He explained that he had through sleeper transportation on the flyer and that his daughter was very ill in the sleeper. He said he would pay one hundred dollars to the company if he could overtake the flyer. Engine No. 185 was at once summoned. The Frenchman got into the cab. Engineer J. K. Farley was at the throttle, and he pulled her wide open, and almost in less time than it takes to tell the story the flyer was overtaken at Warner Junction.

WEEDS

Consumption is a human weed flourishing best in weak lungs. Like other weeds it's easily destroyed while young; when old, sometimes impossible.

Strengthen the lungs as you would weak land and the weeds will disappear.

The best lung fertilizer is Scott's Emulsion. Salt pork is good too, but it is very hard to digest.

The time to treat consumption is when you begin trying to hide it from yourself. Others see it, you won't.

Don't wait until you can't deceive yourself any longer. Begin with the first thought to take Scott's Emulsion. If it isn't really consumption so much the better; you will soon forget it and be better for the treatment. If it is consumption you can't expect to be cured at once, but if you will begin in time and will be rigidly regular in your treatment you will win.

Scott's Emulsion, fresh air, rest all you can, eat all you can, that's the treatment and that's the best treatment.

We will send you a little of the Emulsion free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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There is nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, bruises, cuts, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It is only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by Overton Drug Co.

Mill Remnant Sale!

A Remarkable Will.

Copies of a remarkable will left by Colonel C. M. Strader, United States army, retired, who died a few days ago at St. Joseph's hospital in Philadelphia, have been received by several prominent business men of Louisville, Ky., friends of the dead man. Colonel Strader, after directing that all debts be paid, requests that his body be cremated at Philadelphia and the ashes taken to Louisville, his birth place, there to be scattered on the waters of the Ohio river.

"If, after the process," reads the will, "the Angel Gabriel, for whom I have all due respect, can with his trumpet arouse me from the dead he is a "darling', and I will take off my shadowy hat to him.

"I will pass away believing in no other deity than that which is specified by Pope as being 'the first great cause—least understood'—believing that my first duty is to my fellow man and that he who lives this life in justice to his people and follows the precepts of him who said 'love thy neighbor as thyself' has nothing to fear from the hereafter, no matter what it is. With best wishes to you all and 'drink hearty.' "

Colonel Strader graduated from West Point before the civil war and was one of the few southern officers who remained loyal to the union. After the war he saw hard fighting in several Indian campaigns, serving with Custer and other well knnon commanders. Prior to his death he held a position at the Schuylkill arsenal.

Mill Remnant Sale!

The time to fix the roads is all the time, but there is a best time and that's now.

India Rubber.

Few articles seem more strangely named than india rubber. It gets the "rubber" from the first use to which it was put—that of erasing pencil marks by rubbing. Nor should it be associated with India. The tree was first mentioned by an explorer among the Mexican Indians three centuries ago, and the first account of the substance occurs in connection with Columbus' visit to Haiti on his second voyage. Most of our present importation comes from Brazil. But Columbus and those explorers who followed him were searching for a short passage to India, and they supposed that the land they discovered was India. The name india rubber is therefore a permanent sign of their mistake.

Nothing Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for Bowel Complaints in Children.

"We have used Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Dirrhoea Remedy in our family for years," says Mrs. J. B. Cooke, of Nederlands, Texas. "We have given it to all our children. We have used other medicines for the same purpose, but never found anything to equal Chamberlain's. If you will use it as directed it will always cure." For sale by Overton Drug Co.

Not Compulsory.

"Tell me, colonel," asked the beginner in politics, addressing the gray haired statesman, "can a politician be honest?"

"I suppose so, my boy," replied the veteran, "but—ah!—it isn't necessary." —Collier's Weekly.

He Was.

Miss De Muir—Were you ever hypnotized, Mr. Hector? Hector — Yes, I'm married.—Illustrated Bits.

Mill Remnant Sale!

Walks Without Crutches.

I was much afflicted with sciatica, writes Ed. C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benifited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c 50c and $1.00 at Overton Drug Co.

Second Count in the Big World's Fair Contest is Announced.

As has been previously announced three trips to the World's Fair, a gold watch and a ladies' $10 hat is to be given away by several Dublin business firms just to liven up things and as votes do not cost anything a friendly and interesting contest is anticipated.

The lady receiving the highest vote by the close of the contest will receive a round trip ticket and expenses to and from the World's Fair; the lady receiving the second highest vote a round trip ticket to and from the fair; the lady receiving the third highest vote will get the gold watch and the one getting the fourth highest vote will get the $10 hat; the gentleman receiving the highest vote will get a round trip ticket to the World's Fair.

The following ladies and gentlemen have received, without their knowledge, the votes given below:

Miss Willie Davies, Dublin	1870
Miss Gertrude Andruss, Dublin	1240
Miss Wood Washington, Proctor	2840
Miss Annie Bowen, Lingleville	2400
Miss Lura Collier, Dublin	1080
Miss Mary Marr, Bunyan	132
Miss Lorendia Tyson, Dublin	1140
Billie Gilbreath	2820
Conner Fisher	570
Rev. E. L. Compere	200
Jos. G. Hoch	120
Ed S. Whitacre, Lingleville	920

Many votes have been held back to see who would be in the contest and therefore a big vote is expected next week. Remember you can vote for the lady and gentleman of your choice and you can get tickets free from the business firms.

Mill Remnant Sale!

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

For sale or trade—Good milk cow with young calf. Will sell for cash or trade for good second-hand organ. Apply to or write John Neal, five miles east of Dublin. 44-3p

Strayed:—Span of grey horses, about sixteen hands high, ten and eleven years old, one branded C5 on left side, neither shod, one thin and one in good order. Were raised in Dallas county. $10 reward for delivery to J. H. Sims, Lingleville, Texas. 46-3p

Mill Remnant Sale!

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by Overton Drug Co.

A Missouri Munchausen.

There are some pretty fair Nimrods in Missouri now, but a story which is printed in an old history of Callaway county shows that some of those of former days could make contemporary sportsmen look like 30 cents either as shots or as raconteurs. "Mr. Calvin Tate," according to this history, "says that the wild pigeons were so plentiful one summer that frequently when they would alight on a tree it would bend down to the ground with their weight. He went hunting one day, and seeing a fine lot of pigeons in a tree he hitched his horse to one of the limbs and fired and killed 300 at one shot. The rest flew away, and as soon as the tree was relieved of their weight it straightened up, carrying his horse with it, and the poor brute had to hang there until Tate could go home and get an ax and cut the tree down." —Kansas City Journal.

Robbed The Grave.

A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia as follows "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at Overton Drug Co.

The Indian and a Gas Furnace.

Just before gas began to be used in Pawhuska one of the Osage braves visited Bartlesville and got his first glimpse of a gas fire. All he could see in the stove was a pile of redhot bricks, through the crevices of which the blue flames were curling. He said nothing, but before starting home he went to the yard and bought a lot of brick and hauled them home. He burned up six boxes of matches and all the dry wood his wife had cut trying to get the bricks to burn and finally hauled them back to Bartlesville and told the yard man they were no good.—Pawhuska (Okla.) Capital.

Best Cough Medicine for Children.

When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is unquestionably harmless. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. It is also a certain preventive and cure for croup, and there is no danger whatever from whooping cough when it is given. It has been used in epidemics of that disease with perfect success. For sale by Overton Drug Co.

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have a mighty atom in Japan e future mikado is not quite ears old, says the London Mail dson of the present emperor, his highness Prince Micchi is a healthy, lusty boy, whose are already chronicled and nar- throughout Japan, even as are f the youngest princes of the reigning house.

is up to date in many things. everything there is always a blend of the oriental with the n. The mikado is not the least perstitious and in spite of early ces, when he was taught poetry e arrangement of flowers, pre- verything about him to be Eu- It is curious to learn, there- at on the birth of Prince Mic- rt astrologers were set to work the baby's horoscope. Indeed, been done every day since. The t is the people demand that this be done. A horoscope had been for other royal princes for twen- centuries, and every one in Ja- s most anxious to know what d is store for the new baby. a small matter, and both the and the crown prince gave nsent to mystic rites and elab- incantations being performed, they have not the smallest be- the published results.

e little Prince Micchi was six s old a most elaborate imperial d been made for his "use." gain the ancient customs of Ja- ere too powerful for the new n ideas. In the land of the nthemum a man's seal is his mportant possession. Forgery eal is punished more severely robbery. Consequently baby Micchi's seal became a matter of the greatest importance. It be different from that used by her. Special artists worked at months before a suitable em- s made. Now it is affixed to ing worn or used by the prince. heir presumptive to the great throne has the distinction of e first baby of the royal house n Tenno who has been allowed his hair like an English baby. s father and the mikado when had their heads shaved daily by rses. It is on record that when peror was seven days old his displayed her talent as a bar- shaving her son's tiny head. s the hair grew her chief de- s to experiment with various to discover the most becom- Sometimes she shaved the top e rim and left a tonsure, some- he left only the rim and some- scalp lock and two other locks This went on for quite six years. gh Prince Micchi has twenty- f the prettiest little Japanese imaginable, they are not al- to practice their decorative ton- powers on the wee prince. Count moura, a lifelong friend of the prince, is superintendent of the nursery, and he regulates mat- a very stern fashion for Prince 's well being. Not even a silken goes into the nursery unless at has first seen it and has set mark of approval and the s seal to it.

after the prince's birth meas- were taken to eliminate the "al- eye" of his race. A painless lit- rgical operation was performed. An incision was made on the outer point of the baby's eyelids in a straight line for the barest part of an inch. The lashes were then drawn into shape and held firmly by a piece of chemically prepared sticking plaster. The wound healed in less than a week, and the effect now is that Prince Micchi does not look a bit like a son of the eastern island empire.

The embryo Mikado Micchi's wedding is already under most serious discussion, and quite three noble young ladies goo-gooing with might and main in Flowery Land nurseries have been selected as candidates for the future ruler's partner in life. By the time Prince Micchi wants a wife matters may have progressed so much that he will possibly be allowed to contract a love match. At present, however, the law forbids it. Prince Micchi's wife will be, maybe has been, selected from the daughters of the five highest families in the land. In addition he is also entitled to choose inferior wives to the number of eleven from the best families, and the position of such wives is recognized.

Curiously enough, custom will condemn Prince Micchi to buy his bride's trousseau. At present he is not thinking much about the matter, but, according to an English paper published in Kobe, has for a long time been in possession of a number of toy battleships, which he impartially smashes up, be they flying the flag of Russia, England, France, Germany or even of Japan.

The prince has learned to ride a beautiful Shetland pony and is always delighted to be on its back.

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No Opera Glasses In Court.

The president of the high court in Vienna has issued a notice, says the Vienna Tagblatt, that for the future the public will not be allowed to use opera glasses in court.

Lofty Mountain Lakes.

The most lofty lakes are found among the Himalaya mountains in Tibet. Their altitudes do not, however, seem to have been very accurately gauged, for different authorities give widely different figures regarding them. According to some, Lake Manasarowar, one of the sacred lakes of Tibet, is between 19,000 and 20,000 feet above the level of the sea, and if this is so it is undoubtedly the loftiest in the world.

Two other Tibetan lakes, those of Chatamoo and Surakol, are said to be 17,000 and 15,400 feet in altitude respectively. For a long time it was supposed that Lake Titicaca, in South America, was the loftiest in the world. It covers about 4,500 square miles, is 924 feet in its greatest depth and is 12,000 feet above the sea. In spite of inexactitude with regard to the measurements of the elevation of the Tibetan lakes they are no doubt considerably higher than this or any other.

The Oldest Herbarium.

The oldest herbarium in the world is in the Egyptologist museum at Cairo, and consists of an inconspicuous collection of dried portions of plants. These portions of plants and flowers were taken from wreaths and garlands in the coffins with mummies, where they were placed by the ancient Egyptians as death offerings, and from edible plants which were set in earthen vessels on the floor of the sepulcher as the furniture of the last resting place of their beloved ones.

Many of these floral remains are so well preserved that, after being treated with warm water, they can be handled like modern herbarium specimens. The colors, too, are preserved in a remarkable way. The most important matter in connection with these plants is their age. The remains of funeral food are found in tombs as far back as 3,000 years before Christ.

Substitute For Candles.

There were two substitutes for candles. The one was the ancient oil lamp, the croosie (French creuset), a triangular metal saucer with an upright hook at the base to be hung up by. There was an inner saucer, movable, to graduate the use of the oil. At the apex of the angle was flame, coming from a wick made of pitch of rushes, which must be cut at full moon, as the flame was thought to wax and wane with the moon if cut at any other time. The other substitute for the candle was the bog candle. It was made by splitting up the resinous logs of the primeval firs that are found imbedded in the bogs.

They were left to dry at the fireside over the cruck or chain that held up the pot over the fire. The candlestick, called the peerman, was a stone with a hole in its center, into which was fixed a pillar of wood about four feet high and tipped with a cleft piece of iron, into which the candle fitted. The nose of the candle was always turned to the door.—Blackwood's Magazine.

When Japanese Maids Are Jilted.

A Japanese woman when abandoned by her lover takes a peculiar and picturesque revenge.

When she no longer has any doubt as to his faithlessness, she gets up in the middle of the night and puts on a pleasing dress and wooden sandals. Attached to her headdress she carries three lighted candles, and suspended to her neck hangs a small mirror. She takes in her left hand a small straw effigy of the faithless one, and in her right a hammer and nails.

Walking gravely to the sanctuary, she selects one of the sacred trees, and nails the effigy securely to the trunk. She then prays for the death of the traitor, vowing that if her wish is granted she will take out the nails which trouble her god, since they are fastened to a sacred tree. Night after night she comes to the tree, adding one or two nails and repeating her prayers, persuaded that the god will not hesitate to sacrifice the man to save the tree.—London Mail.

WASHINGTON CHITCHAT

President Roosevelt's Strenuous Plan to Reduce His Flesh.

TAKES LESSONS IN REAL JIU JITSU

Remarkable Feat of Strength of One of the Japanese Wrestlers Who Are Training the President — W. A. Smith to Be Cannon's John Hay. Representative Sibley's Fastest Automobile Ride—An Embarrassed Romeo.

President Roosevelt has again taken up jiu jitsu, and this time it is the real thing, says the Washington correspondent of the New York World. His instructors are two Japanese who are masters in the art of doubling a man up in agony with a gentle punch of the thumb or breaking an arm with the twist of the wrist.

They are thin little fellows with frail looking bodies, but they are bundles of steel. They were brought over from Japan by Samuel Hill, son-in-law of James J. Hill, who introduced them to the president. They had heard that Mr. Roosevelt took some lessons in jiu jitsu from Professor O'Brien two years ago and they asked him to let them show him what they could do.

The president told Captain Loeffler, his doorkeeper, to admit no callers, not even senators or cabinet members, and turned his office over to the Japs. Their exhibition caused Mr. Roosevelt to stop winking and gasp. They showed him what jiu jitsu really is and they were engaged on the spot. The president is now spending an exceedingly strenuous hour with them on two afternoons a week and he always is promptly on hand, no matter what business has to be dropped.

There are seven degrees in jiu jitsu. The president's instructors have it up to the fifth degree and Mr. Roosevelt intends to have all five of them. Jiu jitsu really is the science of anatomy, wonderfully developed. It brings into play unheard of muscles and turns them all into steel, while superfluous flesh melts under the exercise like snow in a blast furnace. That is the feature that especially appeals to the president just now, as he weighs more than 200.

When the two Japs reached San Francisco one of them was matched against the champion heavyweight wrestler of the Pacific coast, who stirred up the Japs by publicly declaring that jiu jitsu was a useless fad and that the strength it was supposed to develop was theoretical or imaginary.

The strangle hold, which is the terror of all wrestlers, was allowed in the contest. The Jap waited for the wrestler to get him into a good strangle hold. Then the Jap pressed his chin into the arms that clinched his neck, grasped his antagonist around the chest, tightened his muscles a bit and in a minute the wrestler rolled over in a faint, with the blood pouring from his nose and mouth. Then the Jap took on two big prize fighters and quickly rendered both of them helpless with a few lightning twists.

With the two Japs is a Japanese woman, who is also an expert in the art, and she is teaching jiu jitsu to a large class of Washington society women, whose husbands are in a panic.

"William," said Speaker Cannon to William Alden Smith of Michigan the day after Smith nominated Cannon for president in a speech in the house, "that was very kind of you to nominate me for president."

"I'm glad you liked it," smiled Smith.

"Yes, William, and when I get to be president you can have John Hay's job. You needn't bring any testimonials or use any influence. Just go right up to the state department and take your seat."

Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania, who owns several automobiles, was telling some members of the house of his fastest automobile ride.

"I was out trying a new car when it got away from me and started through a cornfield," Mr. Sibley said. "In the same field, twining about the cornstalks, were growing lima beans. The machine traveled so fast I thought I was going through a sea of succotash."

Archie Roosevelt is not old enough to pose as a lover and to appreciate impassioned love songs directed at him. A few days ago Mrs. Roosevelt went to a matinee performance in Washington of "The Wizard of Oz" with her young sons Archie and Quentin and several of their playmates. The party of little folk occupied a box next to the proscenium arch. When Lotta Faust sang her famous "Sammy" song she selected Archie as her young Romeo and centered the attention of the great audience of children on the little fellow. He moved uneasily in his embarrassment and tried to look unconcerned, but the more endearing the song became the more he blushed. Miss Faust was recalled repeatedly, and each time she sang another stanza she became more demonstrative. "Oh, Sammy, I'm pining for thee!" and the other endearing terms in the chorus finally made Archie so nervous that he ignominiously retired behind his mother's chair, remarking afterward that he "liked bears better than girls."

Zulu Prince's Course of Study.

The latest student to be admitted to the reading room of the British museum is "his royal highness Prince Cetewayo, third son of King Cetewayo," the Zulu chief of famous memory, says the Sheffield Telegraph. The prince proposes to study the history of his country, from the time of his celebrated ancestor, Chaka.

The Old English Coffee Houses.

In 1657, we are told, the first coffee house had been prosecuted as a nuisance. In 1708 there were 3,000 coffee houses, and each coffee house had its habitual circle. There were coffee houses frequented by merchants and stockjobbers carrying on the game which suggested the new nicknames bulls and bears, and coffee houses where the talk was Whig and Tory, of the last election and change of ministry, and literary resorts such as the Grecian, where, as we are told, a fatal duel was provoked by a dispute over a Greek accent, in which, let us hope, it was the worst scholar who was killed, and Wills', where Pope as a boy went to look reverently at Dryden, and Buttons', where at a later period Addison met his little senate. Addison, according to Pope, spent five or six hours a day lounging at Buttons', while Pope found the practice and the consequent consumption of wine too much for his health. Thackeray notices how the club and coffee house "boozing shortened the lives and enlarged the waistcoats of the men of those days."—"English Literature and Society In the Eighteenth Century."

Programmes Worth Fortunes.

London playgoers often grumble at the mere slips of paper, sometimes sold for as much as sixpence, that constitute the programmes of most of the theaters in the great city; but, from the theatrical speculator's point of view, these same printed sheets form a most valuable asset. It is estimated that £30,000 worth of advertisements alone appear every year on these programmes and that a gross profit of quite £50,000 a year is made out of the aggregate lot of programmes. In many cases sums of from £1,000 to £3,000 are paid for the right to farm out the programmes. —London Globe.

The English Husband.

A poor woman in a London parish was consulting me in connection with her domestic troubles, and there was some doubt as to whether her marriage was a legal one, inasmuch as her "husband" (as she had just discovered) appeared to have a wife living from whom he had separated. The woman's pathetic inquiry was, "If he is not my husband, what right has he to knock me about?"—A Clergyman in London Spectator.

Nature's Sweet Restorer.

Blessings on him who invented sleep, the mantle that covers all human thoughts, the food that appeases hunger, the drink that quenches thirst, the fire that warms, the cold that moderates heat and, lastly, the general coin that purchases all things, the balance and weight that equals the shepherd with the king and the simple with the wise.—Cervantes.

A Blemish.

Mrs. Newrich (in art store)—I'd take this picture, but some person has been scribbling on it. Salesman—But, madam, that is the artist's signature. Mrs. Newrich—Well, he's got his nerve. Still, I guess you could scratch it out, couldn't you?—Puck.

Voices.

All long known objects, even a mere window fastening or a particular door latch, have sounds which are a sort of recognized voice to us—a voice that will thrill and awaken when it has been used to touch deep lying fibers.

Do Animals Dream?

Much research and investigation warrant the assertion that man is not the only animal subject to dreams. Horses neigh and rear upon their hind feet while fast asleep; dogs bark and growl and in many other ways exhibit all their characteristic passions. It is highly probable that at such times the remembrance of the chase or of a combat is passing through the dogs' minds. Besides the above signs of fleeting pain, anger and excitement these noble creatures often manifest signs of kindness, playfulness and of almost every other passion. Ruminant animals, such as the sheep and the cow, are believed to be less affected with dreams than those of higher passions which spend their waking hours in scenes of greater excitement.

Philosophers and investigators tell us that if we trace the dream faculty still lower in the scale of animal life we shall probably find that the same phenomena exist, and judging from analogy it is only reasonable to reckon dreaming as one of the universal laws—almost as universal as sleep itself.

Lion Signs In England.

In the middle ages the country houses of the nobility in England when the owners were absent were used as hostels for travelers. The family arms always hung in front of the house, and gave it a popular name among travelers, who called a lion "gules" or azure simply "red" or "blue." As these were intimations of good cheer and entertainment, innkeepers adopted the idea.

Lions have always been, and are now, very favorite signs in England; lions white, black, red, brown, golden, yellow—red being the most common. Probably the Red Lion originated with the badge of John of Gaunt, duke of Lancaster, who married the daughter of Don Pedro, king of Leon and Castile, and who adopted the lion rampant gules of Leon to represent his claim to the throne. Under Richard and John lions became the settled arms of England, and were generally used by those who could find any claim.

A Perfect Nose.

Nothing is more rare than a really perfect nose—that is, one which unites harmony of form, correctness of proportion and proper affinity with the other features.

The following are, according to the rules of art, the conditions requisite to the beauty of this organ:

The nose should have the same length as the forehead and have a slight depression at its root. From its root to its extremity it should follow a perfectly straight line, and come exactly over the center of the upper lip. The bridge of the nose, parallel on both sides, should be a little wider in the center. The tip should be neither too thin nor too fleshy, and its lower outline neither narrow nor too wide. The lobes must be gracefully defined by a slight depression. Seen sideways, the lowest part of the nose will have but a third of its total length.

An Old Testament Verse.

The twenty-first verse of the seventh chapter of Ezra in the Old Testament contains all the letters of the alphabet. "And I, even I Artaxerxes the king, do make a decree to all the treasurers which are beyond the river, that whatsoever Ezra, the priest, the scribe of the law of the God of heaven, shall require of you, it be done speedily."

Have you procrastinated about the repairs on your wheel? If you feel satisfied it is in perfect condition to begin the season's riding we can have no business with you, but if toere is something wrong, something which calls for expert hands to set right, we expect to see you. Our facilities for doing thoroughly good work are not surpassed. Bicycle repairing is second only in importance to bicycle selling with us. Our prices are the lowest consistent with good work,

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Dublin, Texas.

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THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY
produces the above results in 30 days. It acts powerfully and quickly. Cures when all others fail. Young men will regain their lost manhood, and old men will recover their youthful vigor by using REVIVO. It quickly and surely restores Nervousness, Lost Vitality, Impotency, Nightly Emissions, Lost Power, Failing Memory, Wasting Diseases, and all effects of self-abuse or excess and indiscretion, which unfits one for study, business or marriage. It not only cures by starting at the seat of disease, but is a great nerve tonic and blood builder, bringing back the pink glow to pale cheeks and restoring the fire of youth. It wards off Insanity and Consumption. Insist on having REVIVO, no other. It can be carried in vest pocket. By mail, $1.00 per package, or six for $5.00, with a positive written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Book and advise free. Address
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DUBLIN DRUG & JEWELRY CO.

Her Good Point.

Even the most impulsive women have their good traits.

An Irishman, mourning his late wife, tearfully remarked:

"Faith, she was a good woman. She always hit me wid de soft ind av the broom."

How to Hold Actors.

"It always makes me mad to talk to an actor. He pretends to listen politely, but his attention is wandering all the time. Ever notice it?"

"No; I always talk to them about themselves."—Philadelphia Ledger.

His Waterloo.

Hewitt—Gruet has lost all his money. Jewett—But I thought he was a Napoleon of finance. Hewitt—He was, but he met a Wellington.

Take a good book slowly. You see much finer country in a mover's wagon than you do from a car window.

FARMERS' ATTENTION!

We will close down our plant in a few days and would like to get in all the seed you expect to sell before we close.

We Are Paying 18c Per Bushel

We will keep some Meal and Hulls for the Summer trade, but after the mill closes down we will have no Quilting cotton to sell. Bring you seed in at once and buy Meal and Hulls for your milch cows.

DUBLIN COTTON OIL CO.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For District Judge.
J. W. PARKER.
W. J. OXFORD (Re-election).

For Representative,
J. J. BENNETT.

For District Clerk.
JNO. W. GRAY (Re-election)

For County Judge.
M. J. THOMPSON.
L. N. FRANK (Re-election)
BEN PALMER.

For Sheriff.
MACK CRESSWELL
R. T. HUME.

For County Attorney.
B. E. COOK. (Re-election)
WILL PANNILL.

For County Treasurer.
GEO. F. (BUD) PARKER.
J. T. STARR (Re-election).
W. T. LOWE
S. A. HILL

For County Clerk.
RUFUS A. MORTON.
H. P. COLE.
JNO. W. FREY (Re-election)
J. I. MINTER.
DAN A. ROGERS

For Assessor.
I. N. POND.
J. L. HALL.
J. WILL FULKERSON.
A. L. WARD.
W. C. (BILL) BURNETT.
JOHN E. BURNETT.

For Tax Collector.
R. T. ROBERTS (Re-election)
DAVIS K. DOYLE.

For Commissioner, Prec. Two:
JNO. O. STRIPLIN.
R. S. POPE.
L. R. MAYFIELD.
G. H. MAYES.
J. M. KIKER.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 2:
JESSE G. CONNER.
W. R. ABLE, re-election.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 8:
JNO. O. STRIPLIN.

STEPHENVILLE.

From the Empire.

March 24th.—The game of base ball Monday evening between Tarleton college and Lingleville Christian college teams resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of seven to five.

Mayor Collins is in receipt of a letter from the consulting engineer of the proposed new railroad in which he expresses himself as sanguine of the ultimate building of the road through Stephenville.

Dock Hickey stands charged with having entered Frier's gun store on Belknap street and appropriating four pistols and one shot gun. The affair was a mystery for some time, but suspicion rested on Hickey, who subsequently was arrested at the home of Joe Hickey on Green's Creek. All the property was recovered and Hickey is now in jail.

Prof. M. A. Childers has had to close out his school at Wesley Chapel near Bluff Dale. on account of measles in the community.

Dr. Burger returned Monday from Marlin. He is much improved by his trip. Mrs. Burger came home a little over a week ago.

Crit Newton, having sold his interest in the laundry, has returned to Dublin.

Miss Willie Chambers came over from Proctor Saturday morning to spend Saturday and Sunday at home.

The Granbury News notes that Price Kiker, formerly of Stephenville, has gone to Mansfield to work at the telephone business.

Tom Payne, Selden's enterprising merchant, was in the city last week and stated that the telephone line between Stephenville and Selden would soon be ready for businesss. The line will extend also to Johnsville and Chalk Mountain and will have connection with Duffau.

Mr. George Benson, a young man about twenty-five years of age, died Tuesday night at his home near Alexander of consumption.

The school at Bethel closed Wednesday night with a concert. There was a good crowd present, though not so large as it would have been had there been no measles in the country. Several candidates were present and were invited to make their announcements. The school was taught this year by Prof. Ed W. Morton, who appears to have done good and faithful work. The pupils acquitted themselves well in the concert.

Edgar L. Marston of New York, president of the Texas & Pacific Coal Co., has donated $250 to help the boys at Thurber in paying for a base ball park and grand stand.

J. M. Birdwell, one of the good citizens of the Bluff Dale country, was in the city Tuesday. He reports the farmers in his section pretty well up with their work, and ready for a rain. That part of the country was visited by a light rain last Friday night.

Mod Magruder of Troy, Mo., came last week for his wife, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dunn at Selden for about four months. They returned to their home the first of the week. Mrs. Magruder is in very bad health.

Prof. L. O. Cox, of Bluff Dale was severely stabbed last week by a grown school boy whom he reproved for misconduct in school. Prof. Cox is one of the foremost teachers in the county and his many friends and all the friends of discipline in school will greatly regret this very unfortunate affair.

The engine of the evening train Friday broke down here and was delayed until an engine could come from Ft. Worth.

But one marriage license has been issued this week, viz.: J. A. Daniel and Miss R. M. Burnett.

Application has been made for the establishment of four more rural free delivery routes out of Stephenville and prospects are good for getting them all.

We understand that Mrs. Edgin, who recently went form Lingleville to Ft. Worth to have her eyes treated, is getting along nicely.

A letter received by Major Baldwin from Prof. C. W. Briles, who is now superintendent of the schools at Ladonia, conveys the information that the professor has been elected conductor of the normal to be held for the counties of Fannin, Lamar and Red River this year.

COUNTY DEATHS.

The following deaths have been reported to the county clerk this week:

Mrs. H. L. Dyer, Dublin, forty-five years, consumption.

A. D. Hensley, Dublin, sixty years, pneumonia.

Rev. John Humphrey, Dublin, fifty-three years, pneumonia.

Mrs. A. E. Caswell, Dublin, seventy-four years, lagrippe.

Thos. Jones, Dublin, sixty-three years, pneumonia.

Virginia Eliza Barnhart, Duffau, fifty-one years, Bright's disease.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Killian near Morgan Mill.

Wm. Beneke, Thurber, fifty-five years, Bright's disease.

Abe Bradford, Thurber, twenty-seven years, pneumonia.

COUNTY BIRTHS.

Andrew Wilson, boy.
I. P. Caldwell, Stephenvlile, boy.
Archie Jones, near Dublin, boy.
B. F. Pate, near Victor, girl.
L. M. Bergius, Stephenville, girl.
J. L. Hollingsworth, Stephenville, boy.
J. B. Methers, Stephenville, boy.
M. H. Starr, Stephenville, boy.
S. H. Davis, Morgan Mill, boy.
Sipie Yates, Morgan Mill, boy.
T. S. Wigington, Duffau, boy.
I. Griffith, Stephenville, girl.
Theo. Williams, Morgan Mill, girl.
Arnold Deaton, girl.
W. T. Graves, girl.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 13 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind. when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes; "I endured insufferable agonies from asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis and grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and $1.00. Guaranteed by Overton Drug Co. Trial bottles free.

CISCO.

From the Apert.

March 24th.—John Chesley has purchased a resident block of property from Will Eddleman on west Broadway.

Rev. E. A. Bailey will preach at the First Methodist church next Sunday night.

J. E. Luse has twenty-two acres in alfalfa that is very promising, and he has arranged to increase the acreage to forty-five acres—so much for diversification.

Married—Yesterday morning at the family home, Miss Alice Eddleman and Rev. A. D. Livingston, Rev. S. J. Vaughan officiating. The couple left after the ceremony for Blum, Texas, via Texas Central, where Rev. Livingston has charge of the Methodist church. He is to be congratulated on capturing one of Cisco's most elegant ladies, and the Apert joins their host of friends in wishing them well.

Major Tom Lacy of Comanche.

A recent issue of The Artesia Advocate, published by our old time friend, Gayle Talbot, at Artesia, New Mexico, has the following article regarding Tom Lacy of Comanche, who was once employed for several years on the Progress force. The Advocate says:

"Major J. Thomas Lacy, who has wielded the humpbacked rule in the Advocate office for some months back, is a citizen of Artesia no more. He packed his suit case Wednesday and went to Roswell and he says the country that knew him then will know him no more forever. We have known Tom Lacy for twenty-four years and we can recall the name of no one more trustworthy and honorable. As barefooted boys we stood upon the same box and learned the art that has held us so firmly in its pleasant and unprofitable grasp and from that time until the present Tom has never shirked a duty or missed a meal. We regret to loose his service at this time, but have no word of censure. Through the long winter months, Tom has been at the case picking up, with undisturbed regularity the type that have told the optimistic tale of Artesia's growth. Through good report and bad he labored on with nothing to disturb the tranquility of his dreams until recently, when the willow trees had shaken off their jackets of ice and put on the light green midities of spring. The afternoons' sun stole across the room and filled his space box with a mellow radiance, suggesting green fields and purple blossoms and shady trees beside the running stream. It was all off with the major then and when there drifted out upon the balmy air the refrain

"Nobody knows,
Where the hobo goes
In the Spring time,"

we knew his spirit had answered the call. Tom says he will probably summer in California, but we know that "some day he'll wander back again" and all will be well.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind. knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at Overton Drug Co.

He Caught the Flyer.

An event out of the ordinary occurred last Tuesday at Denison. Charles De Gheest of Paris, France, was a passenger on the northbound Katy Flyer en route to New York city from California, where he went for pleasure several weeks ago.

When the flyer pulled up to the depot the wealthy Frenchman, instead of taking dinner at the hotel, went up Main street to size up the city's business center. When he thought he had enough of sightseeing he returned to the depot. As he was crossing the tracks the flyer to his surprise, was slowly moving out of the station. He started on a run up the tracks and made the water tank, near the Sears street crossing, but did not succeed in getting aboard the passenger, which was by this time going around the bend.

Mr. Gheest hurried back to the dispatcher's office, and breathlessly told his troubles. He explained that he had through sleeper transportation on the flyer and that his daughter was very ill in the sleeper. He said he would pay one hundred dollars to the company if he could overtake the flyer. Engine No. 185 was at once summoned. The Frenchman got into the cab. Engineer J. K. Farley was at the throttle, and he pulled her wide open, and almost in less time than it takes to tell the story the flyer was overtaken at Warner Junction.

WEEDS

Consumption is a human weed flourishing best in weak lungs. Like other weeds it's easily destroyed while young; when old, sometimes impossible.

Strengthen the lungs as you would weak land and the weeds will disappear.

The best lung fertilizer is Scott's Emulsion. Salt pork is good too, but it is very hard to digest.

The time to treat consumption is when you begin trying to hide it from yourself. Others see it, you won't.

Don't wait until you can't deceive yourself any longer. Begin with the first thought to take Scott's Emulsion. If it isn't really consumption so much the better; you will soon forget it and be better for the treatment. If it is consumption you can't expect to be cured at once, but if you will begin in time and will be rigidly regular in your treatment you will win.

Scott's Emulsion, fresh air, rest all you can, eat all you can, that's the treatment and that's the best treatment.

We will send you a little of the Emulsion free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y.

50c. and $1; all druggists.

Makes A Clean Sweep.

There is nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, bruises, cuts, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It is only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by Overton Drug Co.

Mill Remnant Sale!

A Remarkable Will.

Copies of a remarkable will left by Colonel C. M. Strader, United States army, retired, who died a few days ago at St. Joseph's hospital in Phildelphia, have been received by several prominent business men of Louisville, Ky., friends of the dead man. Colonel Strader, after directing that all debts be paid, requests that his body be cremated at Philadelphia and the ashes taken to Louisville, his birth place, there to be scattered on the waters of the Ohio river.

"If, after the process," reads the will, "the Angel Gabriel, for whom I have all due respect, can with his trumpet arouse me from the dead he is a "darling', and I will take off my shadowy hat to him.

"I will pass away believing in no other deity than that which is specified by Pope as being 'the first great cause—least understood'—believing that my first duty is to my fellow man and that he who lives this life in justice to his people and follows the precepts of him who said 'love thy neighbor as thyself' has nothing to fear from the hereafter, no matter what it is. With best wishes to you all and 'drink hearty.' "

Colonel Strader graduated from West Point before the civil war and was one of the few southern officers who remained loyal to the union. After the war he saw hard fighting in several Indian campaigns, serving with Custer and other well knnon commanders. Prior to his death he held a position at the Schuylkill arsenal.

Mill Remnant Sale!

The time to fix the roads is all the time, but there is a best time and that's now.

India Rubber.

Few articles seem more strangely named than india rubber. It gets the "rubber" from the first use to which it was put—that of erasing pencil marks by rubbing. Nor should it be associated with India. The tree was first mentioned by an explorer among the Mexican Indians three centuries ago, and the first account of the substance occurs in connection with Columbus' visit to Haiti on his second voyage. Most of our present importation comes from Brazil. But Columbus and those explorers who followed him were searching for a short passage to India, and they supposed that the land they discovered was India. The name india rubber is therefore a permanent sign of their mistake.

Nothing Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for Bowel Complaints in Children.

"We have used Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Dirrhoea Remedy in our family for years," says Mrs. J. B. Cooke, of Nederlands, Texas. "We have given it to all our children. We have used other medicines for the same purpose, but never found anything to equal Chamberlain's. If you will use it as directed it will always cure." For sale by Overton Drug Co.

Not Compulsory.

"Tell me, colonel," asked the beginner in politics, addressing the gray haired statesman, "can a politician be honest?"

"I suppose so, my boy," replied the veteran, "but—ah!—it isn't necessary." —Collier's Weekly.

He Was.

Miss De Muir—Were you ever hypnotized, Mr. Hector? Hector — Yes, I'm married.—Illustrated Bits.

Mill Remnant Sale!

Walks Without Crutches.

I was much afflicted with sciatica, writes Ed. C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons, all express themselves as being benifited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to perform a great deal of light labor on the farm." 25c 50c and $1.00 at Overton Drug Co.

Second Count in the Big World's Fair Contest is Announced.

As has been previously announced three trips to the World's Fair, a gold watch and a ladies' $10 hat is to be given away by several Dublin business firms just to liven up things and as votes do not cost anything a friendly and interesting contest is anticipated.

The lady receiving the highest vote by the close of the contest will receive a round trip ticket and expenses to and from the World's Fair; the lady receiving the second highest vote a round trip ticket to and from the fair; the lady receiving the third highest vote will get the gold watch and the one getting the fourth highest vote will get the $10 hat; the gentleman receiving the highest vote will get a round trip ticket to the World's Fair.

The following ladies and gentlemen have received, without their knowledge, the votes given below:

Miss Willie Davies, Dublin	1870
Miss Gertrude Andruss, Dublin	1240
Miss Wood Washington, Proctor	2840
Miss Annie Bowen, Lingleville	2400
Miss Lura Collier, Dublin	1080
Miss Mary Marr, Bunyan	132
Miss Lorendia Tyson, Dublin	1140
Billie Gilbreath	2820
Conner Fisher	570
Rev. E. L. Compere	200
Jos. G. Hoch	120
Ed S. Whitacre, Lingleville	920

Many votes have been held back to see who would be in the contest and therefore a big vote is expected next week. Remember you can vote for the lady and gentleman of your choice and you can get tickets free from the business firms.

Mill Remnant Sale!

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

For sale or trade—Good milk cow with young calf. Will sell for cash or trade for good second-hand organ. Apply to or write John Neal, five miles east of Dublin. 44-3p

Strayed:—Span of grey horses, about sixteen hands high, ten and eleven years old, one branded C5 on left side, neither shod, one thin and one in good order. Were raised in Dallas county. $10 reward for delivery to J. H. Sims, Lingleville, Texas. 46-3p

Mill Remnant Sale!

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by Overton Drug Co.

A Missouri Munchausen.

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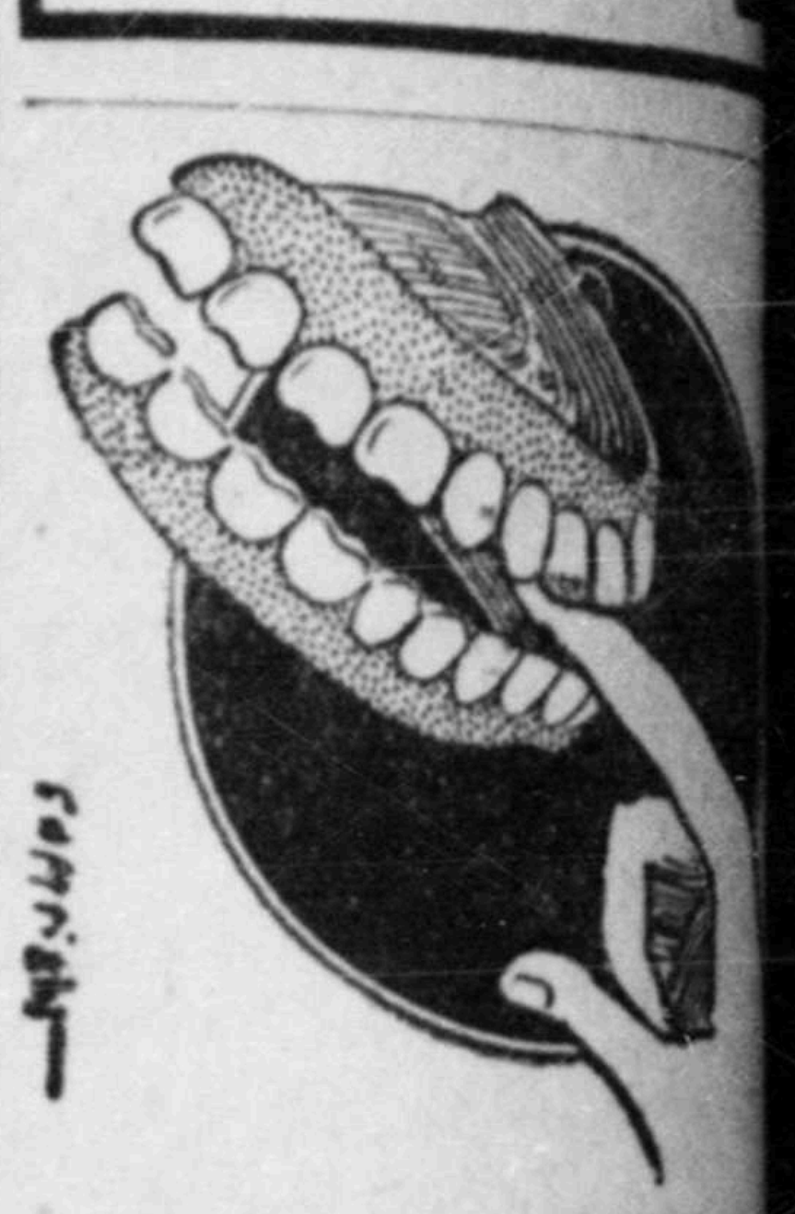

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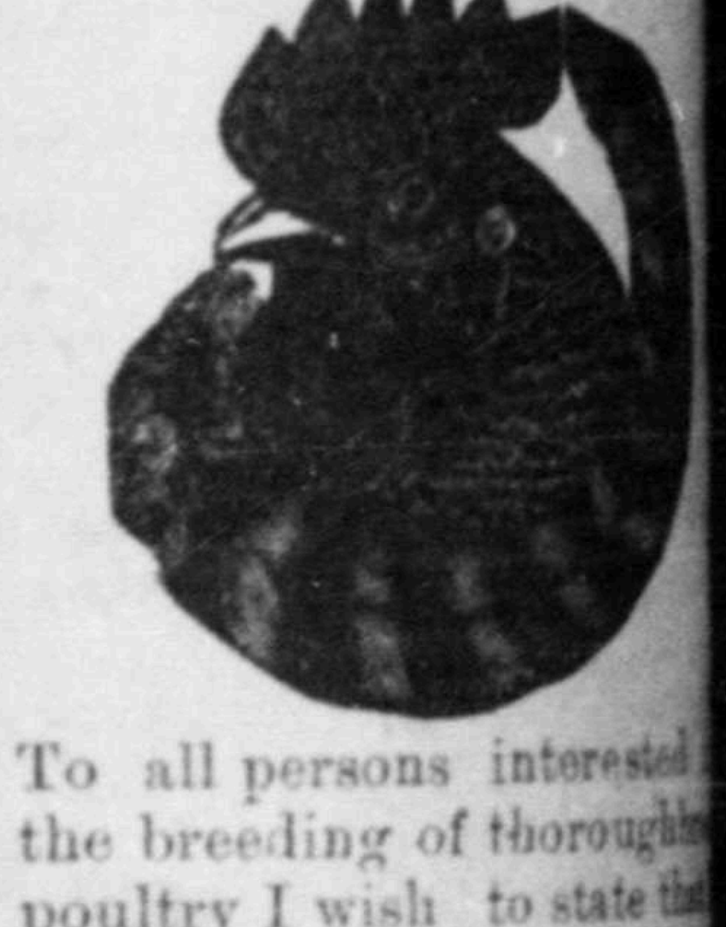

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have a mighty atom in Japan future mikado is not quite years old, says the London Mail don of the present emperor, his Highness Prince Micchi is a healthy, lusty boy, whose are already chronicled and narthroughout Japan, even as are of the youngest princes of the reigning house.

s up to date in many things. everything there is always a blend of the oriental with the . The mikado is not the least erstitious and in spite of early es, when he was taught poetry arrangement of flowers, preerything about him to be Eu- It is curious to learn, therest on the birth of Prince Mict astrologers were set to work the baby's horoscope. Indeed, een done every day since. The t is the people demand that this be done. A horoscope had been r other royal princes for twencenturies, and every one in Jas most anxious to know what d in store for the new baby. a small matter, and both the and the crown prince gave sent to mystic rites and elabincantations being performed, they have not the smallest bethe published results.

e little Prince Micchi was six s old a most elaborate imperial d been made for his "use." gain the ancient customs of Jare too powerful for the new ideas. In the land of the themum a man's seal is his portant possession. Forgery al is punished more severely robbery. Consequently baby Micchi's seal became a matter of the greatest importance. It be different from that used by er. Special artists worked at months before a suitable ems made. Now it is affixed to ing worn or used by the prince. eir presumptive to the great throne has the distinction of e first baby of the royal house n Tenno who has been allowed his hair like an English baby. s father and the mikado when ad their heads shaved daily by rses. It is on record that when peror was seven days old his displayed her talent as a barshaving her son's tiny head. s the hair grew her chief des to experiment with various to discover the most becom- Sometimes she shaved the top e rim and left a tonsure, somehe left only the rim and some scalp lock and two other locks This went on for quite six years. h Prince Micchi has twentyf the prettiest little Japanese imaginable, they are not al to practice their decorative tonowers on the wee prince. Count mura, a lifelong friend of the prince, is superintendent of the nursery, and he regulates mata very stern fashion for Prince s well being. Not even a silken goes into the nursery unless t has first seen it and has set mark of approval and the s seal to it.

after the prince's birth measere taken to eliminate the "alye" of his race. A painless litgical operation was performed. An incision was made on the outer point of the baby's eyelids in a straight line for the barest part of an inch. The lashes were then drawn into shape and held firmly by a piece of chemically prepared sticking plaster. The wound healed in less than a week, and the effect now is that Prince Micchi does not look a bit like a son of the eastern island empire.

The embryo Mikado Micchi's wedding is already under most serious discussion, and quite three noble young ladies goo-gooing with might and main in Flowery Land nurseries have been selected as candidates for the future ruler's partner in life. By the time Prince Micchi wants a wife matters may have progressed so much that he will possibly be allowed to contract a love match. At present, however, the law forbids it. Prince Micchi's wife will be, maybe has been, selected from the daughters of the five highest families in the land. In addition he is also entitled to choose inferior wives to the number of eleven from the best families, and the position of such wives is recognized.

Curiously enough, custom will condemn Prince Micchi to buy his bride's trousseau. At present he is not thinking much about the matter, but, according to an English paper published in Kobe, has for a long time been in possession of a number of toy battleships, which he impartially smashes up, be they flying the flag of Russia, England, France, Germany or even of Japan.

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No Opera Glasses In Court.

The president of the high court in Vienna has issued a notice, says the Vienna Tagblatt, that for the future the public will not be allowed to use opera glasses in court.

Lofty Mountain Lakes.

The most lofty lakes are found among the Himalaya mountains in Tibet. Their altitudes do not, however, seem to have been very accurately gauged, for different authorities give widely different figures regarding them. According to some, Lake Manasarowar, one of the sacred lakes of Tibet, is between 19,000 and 20,000 feet above the level of the sea, and if this is so it is undoubtedly the loftiest in the world.

Two other Tibetan lakes, those of Chatamoo and Surakol, are said to be 17,000 and 15,400 feet in altitude respectively. For a long time it was supposed that Lake Titicaca, in South America, was the loftiest in the world. It covers about 4,500 square miles, is 924 feet in its greatest depth and is 12,000 feet above the sea. In spite of inexactitude with regard to the measurements of the elevation of the Tibetan lakes they are no doubt considerably higher than this or any other.

The Oldest Herbarium.

The oldest herbarium in the world is in the Egyptologist museum at Cairo, and consists of an inconspicuous collection of dried portions of plants. These portions of plants and flowers were taken from wreaths and garlands in the coffins with mummies, where they were placed by the ancient Egyptians as death offerings, and from edible plants which were set in earthen vessels on the floor of the sepulcher as the furniture of the last resting place of their beloved ones.

Many of these floral remains are so well preserved that, after being treated with warm water, they can be handled like modern herbarium specimens. The colors, too, are preserved in a remarkable way. The most important matter in connection with these plants is their age. The remains of funeral food are found in tombs as far back as 3,000 years before Christ.

Substitute For Candles.

There were two substitutes for candles. The one was the ancient oil lamp, the croosie (French creuset), a triangular metal saucer with an upright hook at the base to be hung up by. There was an inner saucer, movable, to graduate the use of the oil. At the apex of the angle was flame, coming from a wick made of pitch of rushes, which must be cut at full moon, as the flame was thought to wax and wane with the moon if cut at any other time. The other substitute for the candle was the bog candle. It was made by splitting up the resinous logs of the primeval firs that are found imbedded in the bogs.

They were left to dry at the fireside over the cruck or chain that held up the pot over the fire. The candlestick, called the peerman, was a stone with a hole in its center, into which was fixed a pillar of wood about four feet high and tipped with a cleft piece of iron, into which the candle fitted. The nose of the candle was always turned to the door.—Blackwood's Magazine.

When Japanese Maids Are Jilted.

A Japanese woman when abandoned by her lover takes a peculiar and picturesque revenge.

When she no longer has any doubt as to his faithlessness, she gets up in the middle of the night and puts on a pleasing dress and wooden sandals. Attached to her headdress she carries three lighted candles, and suspended to her neck hangs a small mirror. She takes in her left hand a small straw effigy of the faithless one, and in her right a hammer and nails.

Walking gravely to the sanctuary, she selects one of the sacred trees, and nails the effigy securely to the trunk. She then prays for the death of the traitor, vowing that if her wish is granted she will take out the nails which trouble her god, since they are fastened to a sacred tree. Night after night she comes to the tree, adding one or two nails and repeating her prayers, persuaded that the god will not hesitate to sacrifice the man to save the tree.—London Mail.

WASHINGTON CHITCHAT

President Roosevelt's Strenuous Plan to Reduce His Flesh.

TAKES LESSONS IN REAL JIU JITSU

Remarkable Feat of Strength of One of the Japanese Wrestlers Who Are Training the President — W. A. Smith to Be Cannon's John Hay. Representative Sibley's Fastest Automobile Ride—An Embarrassed Romeo.

President Roosevelt has again taken up jiu jitsu, and this time it is the real thing, says the Washington correspondent of the New York World. His instructors are two Japanese who are masters in the art of doubling a man up in agony with a gentle punch of the thumb or breaking an arm with the twist of the wrist.

They are thin little fellows with frail looking bodies, but they are bundles of steel. They were brought over from Japan by Samuel Hill, son-in-law of James J. Hill, who introduced them to the president. They had heard that Mr. Roosevelt took some lessons in jiu jitsu from Professor O'Brien two years ago and they asked him to let them show him what they could do.

The president told Captain Loeffler, his doorkeeper, to admit no callers, not even senators or cabinet members, and turned his office over to the Japs. Their exhibition caused Mr. Roosevelt to stop winking and gasp. They showed him what jiu jitsu really is and they were engaged on the spot. The president is now spending an exceedingly strenuous hour with them on two afternoons a week and he always is promptly on hand, no matter what business has to be dropped.

There are seven degrees in jiu jitsu. The president's instructors have it up to the fifth degree and Mr. Roosevelt intends to have all five of them. Jiu jitsu really is the science of anatomy, wonderfully developed. It brings into play unheard of muscles and turns them all into steel, while superfluous flesh melts under the exercise like snow in a blast furnace. That is the feature that especially appeals to the president just now, as he weighs more than 200.

When the two Japs reached San Francisco one of them was matched against the champion heavyweight wrestler of the Pacific coast, who stirred up the Japs by publicly declaring that jiu jitsu was a useless fad and that the strength it was supposed to develop was theoretical or imaginary.

The strangle hold, which is the terror of all wrestlers, was allowed in the contest. The Jap waited for the wrestler to get him into a good strangle hold. Then the Jap pressed his chin into the arms that clinched his neck, grasped his antagonist around the chest, tightened his muscles a bit and in a minute the wrestler rolled over in a faint, with the blood pouring from his nose and mouth. Then the Jap took on two big prize fighters and quickly rendered both of them helpless with a few lightning twists.

With the two Japs is a Japanese woman, who is also an expert in the art, and she is teaching jiu jitsu to a large class of Washington society women, whose husbands are in a panic.

"William," said Speaker Cannon to William Alden Smith of Michigan the day after Smith nominated Cannon for president in a speech in the house, "that was very kind of you to nominate me for president."

"I'm glad you liked it," smiled Smith.

"Yes, William, and when I get to be president you can have John Hay's job. You needn't bring any testimonials or use any influence. Just go right up to the state department and take your seat."

Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania, who owns several automobiles, was telling some members of the house of his fastest automobile ride.

"I was out trying a new car when it got away from me and started through a cornfield," Mr. Sibley said. "In the same field, twining about the cornstalks, were growing lima beans. The machine traveled so fast I thought I was going through a sea of succotash."

Archie Roosevelt is not old enough to pose as a lover and to appreciate impassioned love songs directed at him. A few days ago Mrs. Roosevelt went to a matinee performance in Washington of "The Wizard of Oz" with her young sons Archie and Quentin and several of their playmates. The party of little folk occupied a box next to the proscenium arch. When Lotta Faust sang her famous "Sammy" song she selected Archie as her young Romeo and centered the attention of the great audience of children on the little fellow. He moved uneasily in his embarrassment and tried to look unconcerned, but the more endearing the song became the more he blushed. Miss Faust was recalled repeatedly, and each time she sang another stanza she became more demonstrative. "Oh, Sammy, I'm pining for thee!" and the other endearing terms in the chorus finally made Archie so nervous that he ignominiously retired behind his mother's chair, remarking afterward that he "liked bears better than girls."

Zulu Prince's Course of Study.

The latest student to be admitted to the reading room of the British museum is "his royal highness Prince Cetewayo, third son of King Cetewayo," the Zulu chief of famous memory, says the Sheffield Telegraph. The prince proposes to study the history of his country, from the time of his celebrated ancestor, Chaka.

The Old English Coffee Houses.

In 1657, we are told, the first coffee house had been prosecuted as a nuisance. In 1708 there were 3,000 coffee houses, and each coffee house had its habitual circle. There were coffee houses frequented by merchants and stockjobbers carrying on the game which suggested the new nicknames bulls and bears, and coffee houses where the talk was Whig and Tory, of the last election and change of ministry, and literary resorts such as the Grecian, where, as we are told, a fatal duel was provoked by a dispute over a Greek accent, in which, let us hope, it was the worst scholar who was killed, and Wills', where Pope as a boy went to look reverently at Dryden, and Buttons', where at a later period Addison met his little senate. Addison, according to Pope, spent five or six hours a day lounging at Buttons', while Pope found the practice and the consequent consumption of wine too much for his health. Thackeray notices how the club and coffee house "boozing shortened the lives and enlarged the waistcoats of the men of those days."—"English Literature and Society In the Eighteenth Century."

Programmes Worth Fortunes.

London playgoers often grumble at the mere slips of paper, sometimes sold for as much as sixpence, that constitute the programmes of most of the theaters in the great city; but, from the theatrical speculator's point of view, these same printed sheets form a most valuable asset. It is estimated that £30,000 worth of advertisements alone appear every year on these programmes and that a gross profit of quite £50,000 a year is made out of the aggregate lot of programmes. In many cases sums of from £1,000 to £3,000 are paid for the right to farm out the programmes. —London Globe.

The English Husband.

A poor woman in a London parish was consulting me in connection with her domestic troubles, and there was some doubt as to whether her marriage was a legal one, inasmuch as her "husband" (as she had just discovered) appeared to have a wife living from whom he had separated. The woman's pathetic inquiry was, "If he is not my husband, what right has he to knock me about?"—A Clergyman in London Spectator.

Nature's Sweet Restorer.

Blessings on him who invented sleep, the mantle that covers all human thoughts, the food that appeases hunger, the drink that quenches thirst, the fire that warms, the cold that moderates heat and, lastly, the general coin that purchases all things, the balance and weight that equals the shepherd with the king and the simple with the wise.—Cervantes.

A Blemish.

Mrs. Newrich (in art store)—I'd take this picture, but some person has been scribbling on it. Salesman—But, madam, that is the artist's signature. Mrs. Newrich—Well, he's got his nerve. Still, I guess you could scratch it out, couldn't you?—Puck.

Voices.

All long known objects, even a mere window fastening or a particular door latch, have sounds which are a sort of recognized voice to us—a voice that will thrill and awaken when it has been used to touch deep lying fibers.

Do Animals Dream?

Much research and investigation warrant the assertion that man is not the only animal subject to dreams. Horses neigh and rear upon their hind feet while fast asleep; dogs bark and growl and in many other ways exhibit all their characteristic passions. It is highly probable that at such times the remembrance of the chase or of a combat is passing through the dogs' minds. Besides the above signs of fleeting pain, anger and excitement these noble creatures often manifest signs of kindness, playfulness and of almost every other passion. Ruminant animals, such as the sheep and the cow, are believed to be less affected with dreams than those of higher passions which spend their waking hours in scenes of greater excitement.

Philosophers and investigators tell us that if we trace the dream faculty still lower in the scale of animal life we shall probably find that the same phenomena exist, and judging from analogy it is only reasonable to reckon dreaming as one of the universal laws—almost as universal as sleep itself.

Lion Signs In England.

In the middle ages the country houses of the nobility in England when the owners were absent were used as hostels for travelers. The family arms always hung in front of the house, and gave it a popular name among travelers, who called a lion "gules" or azure simply "red" or "blue." As these were intimations of good cheer and entertainment, innkeepers adopted the idea.

Lions have always been, and are now, very favorite signs in England; lions white, black, red, brown, golden, yellow—red being the most common. Probably the Red Lion originated with the badge of John of Gaunt, duke of Lancaster, who married the daughter of Don Pedro, king of Leon and Castile, and who adopted the lion rampant gules of Leon to represent his claim to the throne. Under Richard and John lions became the settled arms of England, and were generally used by those who could find any claim.

A Perfect Nose.

Nothing is more rare than a really perfect nose—that is, one which unites harmony of form, correctness of proportion and proper affinity with the other features.

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An Old Testament Verse.

The twenty-first verse of the seventh chapter of Ezra in the Old Testament contains all the letters of the alphabet. "And I, even I Artaxerxes the king, do make a decree to all the treasurers which are beyond the river, that whatsoever Ezra, the priest, the scribe of the law of the God of heaven, shall require of you, it be done speedily."

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"It always makes me mad to talk to an actor. He pretends to listen politely, but his attention is wandering all the time. Ever notice it?"

"No; I always talk to them about themselves."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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