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TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

I. SUGGESTION.

THE boiling over of a kettle set Watt to thinking and the power of steam was harnessed; the falling of an apple stirred the brain of Newton and he gave us the laws of gravitation. Great minds throughout the ages have been swayed by the magic touch of suggestion. All the elements of nature and all the agencies of civilization are vying with each other in suggesting progress to the citizenship of Texas.



WATT'S SUGGESTION.

Our broad virgin prairies—130,000,000 acres—have never known the caressing touch of husbandry; our raw material—\$1,200,000 per day—leaves the State on its weary journey to the distant factory. Our minerals—nature's laboratory—are awaiting an opportunity of flooding the channels of trade with a golden stream of prosperity. Our population—progressive and prosperous—must travel in some instances 150 miles to hear the shrill whistle of a locomotive and our latent resources—powerful for progress—can be heard across the continent, crying out for master minds to release them. Texas needs great men.

Steamship Lines.

In describing the greatness of Texas, we invariably recount our railroad mileage, our public highways, our agricultural area and our industrial opportunities, but to gain a clear conception of our power and our possibilities, one needs to navigate our rivers and sail our seas.

A new steamship line opening up commerce is almost as valuable to our prosperity as a new railroad. We now have forty-six steamships plying out of Galveston and the flag of every nation on the globe can be seen floating from this harbor. In tonnage it ranks second to New York.

We have 1,310 miles of permanently navigable rivers which we have practically deserted and considering that freight can be transported by water for two mills per ton mile against one cent by rail and forty-three cents by public highways, we gain a conception of what waterways mean to our commerce.

Preventable Accidents.

Our Boards of Health are performing a splendid service to mankind by directing attention to preventable diseases and teaching us to remove their causes, but one of the most timely suggestions received from these custodians of human welfare is contained in a few rules which, if followed, will greatly reduce the list of injuries and deaths, as well as destruction of property traceable to explosions of oil, gasoline, etc. The rules follow:

First—Keep oil, gasoline or naphtha cans in the shade.

Second—Never pour oil from a can directly into the stove or grate, but pour the oil into a cup or other open top vessel, and from this to the fire.

Third—Never, under any circumstances, use gasoline or naphtha for starting fires.

Fourth—See that cans used for gasoline or naphtha are plainly marked or labeled to avoid possibility of mixing with kerosene.

Note—Lamp oil may ignite, but cannot explode when contained in an open cup.

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LOSE—Several dollars if you don't see the show where, than the Junction Tailor Shop.

The Cashier

By EUGENE FOURRIER

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On looking over his morning's mail, Cassajon, the banker, found a letter from the most important of his London correspondents, Mahenson, director of Mahenson & Company, that most trustworthy and influential of business houses, with which he had had dealings for many years.

This letter ran:

"Dear Monsieur Cassajon:—We come to you to ask you to do us a great favor! Our cashier, in whom we had the most unbounded confidence, has absconded, carrying with him 400,000 francs in securities. He embarked on the steamer Japan, whose destination is Bordeaux. What we want you to do is to meet him and make his acquaintance without arousing his suspicions, win your way into his confidence, so that he will confide his ill-gotten gains to your bank to be negotiated. When the securities are in your possession, will you return them to us? As to the thief, we have decided not to prosecute him, because he has a wife and five children, and because he has served us honestly for 25 years. So kindly give him 50,000 francs if he will promise to go away and hide his shame in some distant land. Believe me, yours, etc., —" and a minute description of the faithless cashier was appended.

The banker, Cassajon, much flattered by this confidential mission with which his British correspondent had honored him, resolved immediately to prove himself worthy of the high opinion his brother banker had of him—of him, a mere business acquaintance. He awaited the arrival of the Japan with impatience. But all things come to an end, and one fine day the boat made its entry into the port of Bordeaux.



"MONSIEUR, NE SAIS-VOUS PAS QUE VOUS ÊTES UN RASCAL!"

deux, about 11 o'clock, and Cassajon, mingling with the curious crowd on the wharf, scanned the passengers eagerly, and readily picked out the recreant cashier and followed him.

The thief, who was dressed in the latest style, went to the Hotel de L'Intendance. Cassajon followed him. The cashier, after securing a room, came down to the dining-room to breakfast; Cassajon sat down at the table beside him.

It is not difficult to make acquaintances at table d'hôte, and Cassajon soon succeeded in his efforts in that direction.

He commenced the conversation by—

"You have come to take a trip in France, monsieur?"

"Yes, I want to see the country."

"You are very fortunate to be able to travel. To travel has always been my dream, but, sad to relate, my business has always kept me chained to Bordeaux."

"Are you a merchant?"

"Yes, a banker, of Cassajon & Co., at your service."

"Oh, what a fortunate meeting. I was going to look up a banker to sell some securities for me."

"Why, this is most fortunate, indeed," said Cassajon. "My house is one of the best in Bordeaux, and it will give me great pleasure to put its services at your disposal."

"If he'll only come with me," thought the banker to himself, "I'll have him trapped, surely."

"That will be very easy to arrange; how much do they represent?"

"They are for 400,000 francs. Can you give me that much?"

"Certainly! after breakfast we'll go to the bank."

"Very well, I am enchanted to have met one of your profession so soon; let's go now; I am in a hurry."

"Truly," thought the banker, "these thieves are not very clever at concealing their crimes."

They left the hotel, the unsuspecting Englishman followed by Cassajon. The banker showed the stranger into his private office and offered him a chair.

"The cashier seated himself. 'Kindly give me your notes,' said the banker.

The Englishman sorted out these documents from other papers in his pocketbook, and handed them to Cassajon.

The banker verified them, they were quite correct; they represented, indeed, 400,000 francs. He shut them up in his safe, shot the door, and, whipping a pistol from his pocket aimed it at the cashier. "Monsieur," he said, calmly, "you are a rascal!"

The Englishman made a gesture of astonishment.

"I know very well who you are," went on Cassajon; "it's useless for you to deny it. You are the cashier of my esteemed London correspondent, Mahenson & Co. They advised me of your expected arrival here; I recognized you from their description, and followed you—you know the rest."

The cashier made a motion as if he would rise, but the banker turned his pistol toward him, saying firmly: "If you dare to take one step, I will kill you."

"I am ruined," murmured the Englishman, sinking back in his chair.

The banker was beginning to enjoy his triumphant "cat and mouse" game. "All resistance is useless; the least attempt at escape, and I will call and have you arrested."

"I am lost, I am lost," stammered the man; "my poor wife, my poor children."

"You should have thought of them before. How could you, a husband and father, have so forgotten your duties," said Cassajon, severely.

"I lost money betting on the races. I put all my money on the 'Fille du Nord,' and she was beaten. I had to get money somewhere, and so—"

"And so you stole your employer's?"

"I lost my head, I did not realize what I was doing," moaned the thief. "A cashier should never gamble," said Cassajon, sententiously.

"I am a scoundrel, I know. I would like to kill myself. Give me the pistol and I'll do it this instant."

"No, not here; your employers have given me certain instructions as to what course of action is to be taken toward you."

"I submit myself to their decision."

"Out of regard for your children and your past services, they wish no scandal; they wish the matter hushed up."

"Thanks for my poor wife," sighed the thief.

"They only wish the notes returned, and instead of delivering you up to justice and hard labor, they intend to look after your welfare."

"That will be too much kindness," said the cashier, much affected.

"With generosity, which I hope you appreciate, Mahenson & Co. have charged me to give you 50,000 francs, if you will go to some distant land and live an honest man."

"I will be honest in the future, I swear it," said the cashier, burying his face in his hands.

"I trust so," said the banker, counting out 50 bills of a thousand francs each to the faithless cashier, who immediately pocketed them and left the room with his head well buried in his hands, his whole frame convulsed with emotion.

Then Cassajon, satisfied with the manner in which he had conducted his mission, sat down and wrote his business friends:

"Monsieur Mahenson & Co.:

"Dear Sirs:—I have paid strict attention in every particular to your instructions contained in yours of the 15th inst., and I was so happy as to gain the confidence of your absconding cashier the day of his arrival and he has just left the notes which he had stolen from you in my possession. I will return them immediately, minus the 50,000 francs which you told me to give him. Your generosity seems to have made a great impression on him, and he thanks you in the name of his wife and children, and has promised to become an honest man again. Permit me, though to say, my dear friends, that though your generosity is most worthy of imitation, still it seems to me a bad example to set, that of rewarding cashiers who steal one's money."

By return mail the banker received this:

"Dear Monsieur Cassajon:—You have been the victim of a malicious and audacious thief! Our cashier has not stolen a cent from us, he is always at his post, and has never betrayed our confidence. The notes you returned to us are forged. As to the 50,000 francs you gave so cheerfully and trustfully to this swindler—Permit me to say, my dear friend, that though your generosity is most worthy of imitation, still it seems to me a bad example to set, that of giving money to the first rascal that comes along and asks for it. I am afraid you'll have to stand the loss."

Cassajon has retired from business.

The Citizen—Job Work.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1911

Rev. S. L. Batholomew says the report given to the Junction charge to the West Texas Conference, was among the best there. Junction is alright!

B. S. Jeter brought us a sweet potato Monday that measures 20 inches in circumference, and weighs 6 pounds; some potato. Today A. S. Ethridge presented us with one which measures 18 inches long, 16 inches in circumference and weighs 7 1/2 pounds. Take these well cooked and smear butter all over them and—say, we wouldn't trade our appetite for Rockefeller's income 5 years. P. S. Kimble soil is alright!

The soulful editor of the Stockdale Times took his quill in hand the other day, became thoughtful and produced the following glowing contribution to American literature.

Boyibus kissbus,
Sweeti girilorum,
Girilibus likibus,
Wanti somorum,
Inibus lapibus,
Siti girilorum,
Thenibus boyibus,
Kissi somorum,
Popibus hearibus,
Soundus sonorum,
Kickibus boyibus,
Outi dodorum.

Don't trifle with a cold is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in case of a child. There is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds in children. It is safe and sure. For sale by all dealers.

Why Buy at Home?

It is told by a contemporary that in a smaller city in the mid-west the inscription, "Why buy at home?" has been posted in street cars and in moving picture shows, and is accompanied by some pertinent answers to the query: They are:

"I buy at home, because my interests are there."

"Because the community that is good enough for me to live in is good enough for me to buy in."

"Because I believe in transacting business with friends."

"Because I want to see the goods."

"Because I want to get what I buy when I pay for it."

"Because my home dealer 'carries' me when I run short."

"Because every dollar I spend at home stays at home and helps work for the welfare of the city."

"Because the man I buy from stands back of the goods."

"Because I sell what I produce at home."

"Because the man I buy from pays his part of the county and city tax."

"Because the man I buy from gives value received always."

"Because the man I buy from helps support my schools, my church, my lodge, my home."

"Because when ill luck, misfortune or bereavement comes, the man I buy from is here with his kindly expressions of greetings, his word of cheer, and his pocket book, if need be."

Here I live and here I buy.

Fine Billies

I have about 20 Billies left which will sell reasonably. Or will lease at from \$5 to \$10 for the season.

ED FLEMING,
Telegraph, Texas

LONDON NEWS

R. C. McCollum and G. T. May left Saturday for Fort Worth and Dallas.

Rev. Jeffrey filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

W. E. Hegerman, R. A. Spoons, Hamp Goodman, Orlan Stewart, R. A. Wahrn and were among those who went to Menard Tuesday.

O. L. Flemings spent a day or two in town this week.

R. T. Amberson and C. D. Hensley left Tuesday for Fredericksburg.

Jim Weaver's smiling face was seen on the streets here this week.

School is progressing nicely under the management of Prof. Chas. Kendrick and Miss Florence Sheppard.

Miss Bell McCollum is visiting her sister Mrs. Leander Miller on the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cannon spent Sunday with friends in the country.

ELEANOR

KENTUCKY LEADS TEXAS

A member of the Kentucky legislature has issued an interesting book entitled "The Experience of a Damphool in the Kentucky Legislature," in which he recites many thrilling Acts he helped to place on the statute books of the Blue Grass Commonwealth and which he now confesses he knew no more about than the man in the moon. Let all members of the Texas legislature, past and present, search themselves to see if they cannot find it in their hearts to enter the new and important field of journalism. Modern literature affords no more inviting zone for economic writers than that of Mistakes in Legislation, and whole libraries can be written on this topic without exhausting the subject.

Texas is the greatest state in the Union and our law givers should look to their laurels and be up and doing. With our magnificent resources, why should Kentucky be permitted to lead us in a progressive movement of this sort? Texas needs great men.—Texas Commercial Secretary.

South Llano Items

Cold weather has found us.

The Telegraph school is progressing nicely with Miss Maud Yett as teacher.

John Hodges and family have moved here from Cogfary for the school.

Joe Lee and family have moved up to the place vacated by G. F. Dale and family.

Ed Fleming went to the city Saturday.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McWilliams last Friday night and left a 12 lb. boy.

Mrs. Tom Taylor has been real sick but is better now.

J. Hood got his arm badly cut Sunday, but is better now.

J. S. Fleming has been digging ribbon cane, preparing for a big freeze.

Misses Ina and Gertrude Hunger and Maude Yett, Messrs. Robert, Julius and Ed Hunger explored the cave in the O. B. Fleming pasture Sunday. All report a most delightful time.

Wonder what gave some of the South Llano girls the blues the past week.

A. Wilkerson and Cecil Walton, of Menard, were at the J. S. Fleming ranch last week.

THE JOLLY KID.

Kansas City capitalists have bought lands in Brewster and Jeff Davis counties and will begin at once the construction of a dam by means of which 23000 acres may be converted into a lake for irrigation purposes.

At Home From Brown County.

A Conversation While There Information Plentiful

James McAuley has just returned from Brown County and tells of the following conversation with a farmer there:

Farmer: "Do you want a job of cotton picking?"

McAuley: "No sir, I want to inquire of you the road to Winchell."

"Old man Bony Smith, brother to Erastus, I reckon you know him, he has just returned from Commanche County; my son married his daughter about 7 years ago, well, she is an invalid, and she has been doing very well until lately, though not so well now."

Say, Mister, I want to go to Winchell."

"Have you a pencil and paper, stranger? I want to give you my name and maybe you could send me some cotton pickers."

"Say, Mister, do you know the road to Winchell?"

"I know every foot of it; it runs across Smith's land, Oliver's, Shield's, Daggett's, Halways; well, it's a mighty crooked road, though you follow the plain straight road; it's a very bad road, though fairly good."

"Well, say, you haven't told me about that road."

"Well, you keep this road for three miles, reckon you'll think it's about twelve miles to Winchell. I used to haul my cotton there, now I haul it to Brook Smith. Well, old Bony Smith, he lives in the edge of town, has 1-4 of an acre in cotton, and it's about breast high; I think it's about 1-8 of an acre."

"Say, I want to go to Winchell. I'm not asking you about Smith's cotton patch."

"Well, you keep this road about three miles, and it forks, the left hand is a little the plainest, and say, there is a tree in the forks of the road, yes a mesquite, but it has no beans on it this year. Well, there hasn't been a bloom on Smith's cotton in 6 weeks. Sharpshooters plentiful."

"I suppose I'll have to go on, and take chances on the road."

"Myself and little girl have picked 3 bales already. Goodbye Mr. Pulliam."

Who is benefited by good roads? Everybody; the farmer because he is able to bring more produce to the market with the same moving power; the merchant because he can handle a larger quantity of goods; the consumer because he has a larger and more varied market to select from.

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that all hunting, fishing or trespassing in any way on our lands is strictly forbidden under the full penalty of the law.

11-10 G. AND ARTHUR SIMON

Attention!

I will thrash cane and maize at my place November 10.

Lon Cowser

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that all hunting, fishing, or trespassing in any way is strictly forbidden upon any and all lands owned or controlled by either of the following parties. Any violation will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

AUGUST BRUNS
AUGUST SIMON

Lost

Good Jersey cow disappeared from my home in Junction Wednesday, October 18. Jersey color has no mark or brand of any kind. Will pay reasonable reward for her return, or for any information leading to same.

REV. S. L. BATCHELOR

A new boy arrived at the Branick Davis home this week.

Just a Message From Telegraph

Jack Frost has been making us stay near the fire.

G. F. Dale and family left Tuesday for Ft. Davis, where they will locate. We regret to lose them from our neighborhood.

Cloma and Leslie Taylor left this week for San Antonio where they will enter the Lake Side Classical Institute.

T. C. Taylor is visiting in Gold this week.

Miss Rosa Hamm has accepted a position as governess at the Paterson ranch.

Miss Virgie Brownrigg has purchased half interest in the South Llano telephone line.

W. R. and J. M. Taylor are visiting at the Taylor ranch this week.

Mrs. Jane Wilson visited Junction Friday.

The Candy Kids

Stock News

From Eldorado success: J. F. Craig sold this week 1008 head of mutton on the Ft. Worth market at \$3.35 per head.

John Rae shipped two cars of cows to the Ft. Worth market, one car brought \$3.55 per hundred and the other \$3.25.

C. C. West sold about 240 head of cows to Thomson Bros. at \$25 per head.

T. L. Benson sold this week 30 head of cows to G. C. Black at \$20 for dry cows and \$26 for cows and calves.

F. C. Bates Jr., sold to S. W. Mathier, 50 ewes, at \$1.75 per head.

Conference Appointments

For San Angelo District The following appointments for the San Angelo district were given out by the West Texas Methodist Annual Conference:

Brady station, J. T. King; Eden circuit, M. J. Allen; Eldorado, H. J. Holland; Garden City circuit, J. S. Moore, supply; Junction, S. L. Batchelor; Lohn circuit, N. E. Bragg; London circuit, J. L. Young, supply; Menard circuit, J. H. Maxwell; Midland station, F. B. Buchanan; Miles station, S. C. Dunn; Ozon station, R. S. Adair; Paint Rock circuit, A. Y. Old; Rechelle circuit, S. M. Hull; San Angelo First Church, W. T. Rentre; San Angelo Cladborne Street, S. J. Franks, supply; San Angelo circuit, P. M. Lane, supply; Sonora J. M. Worrell; Sterling City circuit, J. T. Redmon; Shervood circuit, W. L. Wall, supply; Water Valley circuit, to be supplied; president San Angelo Junior College, W. M. Cratchfield.

Midnight in the Ozarks

and yet sleepless Hiram Seranton, of Clay City, Ill., coughed and coughed and coughed. He was in the mountains on the advice of five doctors, who said he had consumption, but found no help in the climate, and started home. Hearing of Dr. King's New Discovery, he began to use it. "I believe it saved my life," he writes, "for it made a new man of me so that I can now do good work again." For all lung diseases, coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, whooping cough, hay fever, hemorrhages, hoarseness, or quinsy, it's the best known remedy. Price, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. A. Heyman.

Candidates who propose to mount the stage of ignorance and prejudice and win their election by an ambitious flow of words will find themselves behind the times when they face the public in 1912. The man who cannot produce specifications for the development of the resources of the state and his district will find himself without an audience during the campaign and without votes on election day.

R. W. Allison was here from the Roosevelt community today.

Charles Schreiner

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TEXAS

The Citizen

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Subject, "Service"

Song, "Little Sowers,"—Mary and Irma Phillips, Doris Wright, Hazel Randolph, Mildred Kelley, Lois and Blix Hankins, Elizabeth Patterson

"What Is Service?"—Miss Lamb.

Talk, "What Should Prompt Service?"—Coke Stevenson

Song—Methodist Choir

Recitation—Reba Wright

Paper, "Qualification for Service,"—Annie Randall

Male Quartette, "The Field is the World,"—Barney Ragland, Roy Skaggs, Julius Heyman, Lorenzo Skaggs

Recitation—Loma Kelley

Paper, "Temptation Not a Hindrance to Service?"—Mrs. James Cross

Quartette, "Yield Not to Temptation,"—Vida Batchelor, Austin Durst, Olney Patterson, Clarence Nichols

"Results Here and Hereafter"—Blanche Garrett

Duet, "Why Stand Ye Here Idle?"—Kittrell and Leon Durst

Reading, "The Call of the Lonesome Pine,"—Howell Wright

Song, "The Fight is On,"—Choir

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that we will prosecute anyone hunting or fishing in the Bundy and Tom Taylor pastures on Paint Creek.

12-8 GUS F. SCHREINER

For Sale

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Succeed when everything else fails. In nervous prostration and female weakness they are the supreme remedy, as thousands have testified.

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Roosevelt Roundup

Willie Watkins has been courted in Junction the past week.

Miss Ethel Scarborough, of Junction, was in Roosevelt Monday.

Tom Wilson was in Roosevelt Sunday.

There is to be a big dance at Will Eikenlof's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hoots went to Junction Sunday.

Mr. Barber and son John were in Roosevelt Saturday and Sunday.

J. M. Bradley, of Bear Creek was in our midst Sunday.

Miss Elsie Patterson was in Roosevelt Monday.

We are glad to report E. B. Landrum well again.

What has become of the "Busy Two"? Come again, "Reporter" also the other correspondents.

Best wishes to THE CITIZEN and its many readers.

WILD ROSE.

You are not experimenting on yourself when you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a cold as that preparation has won its greatest reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds, and can always be depended upon. It is equally valuable for adults and children and may be given to young children with implicit confidence as it contains no harmful drug.

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Cheaper Better Quicker Horse-Shoeing & Specialty

He can fix it for you
All Kinds of Machinery Repairing and Blacksmithing Done with Promptness and with Accuracy.

Guarantees All Work.

That Monument

you have been thinking of getting. Suppose you let me show you designs and prices.

I Can Save Money for You

M. S. Nichols

Will Amberson was here from London Thursday.

Why not let THE CITIZEN do that Job Work?

Underwear for boys.—Will Hankins.

Joe Cloudt was here with a load of wool Wednesday.

Order that suit from the Junction Tailor Shop. Dress up.

M. A. Petrie, of Segovia, was here Wednesday.

Golden Crown flour is pure; not mixed with bleached middlings.

FOUND—The place to buy dressy clothing.—Junction Tailor Shop

John Taylor came in Friday night to visit relatives and friends. Cheap Union Suits at Will Hankins.

J. A. Heyman is back from a business trip to San Antonio. Buy an "up-to-now" Middy Sweater and Aviation cap at Will Hankins.

Alex J. Hamer came in yesterday from San Antonio where he has been for treatment.

FOR SALE—A fine suit of clothes made to your measure at the Junction Tailor Shop.

Robert Wilson has sold his interest in the skating rink to his brother Ernest.

THE CITIZEN.—\$1 per year
Will Jones, of London community, was in Junction Thursday.

Ladies work a specialty at the Junction Tailor Shop.

Andrew Lively, of Eden, has rented the W. H. Johnson farms and will move here soon.

See those beautiful new winter goods at Will Hankins.

Buck Taylor, of Goliad, is here this week shaking hands with old friends.

Otto Dietert and Mr. Beckman, of Kerrville, were in Junction a few days this week.

Repairing—Cleaning—Pressing—Fitting—Junction Tailor Shop.

We are glad to see Joe Turner out again, after a 52 days' siege of typhoid fever.

Ask your grocer for Golden Crown flour—it is the best flour in the market.

Lewis Caldwell, one of Kimble's former residents, was here from Concho County this week.

Mrs. J. Gardner and little grandson Lester are visiting Mrs. Gardner's mother in Corsicana.

Bring us your repair work; we want it, and guarantee our work.—Mueller-Loeffler-Jordan Co.

Prof. D. F. McCollum, who is attending the University at Austin, writes this week to extend his subscription another year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Meredith left today for Edwards County in response to a message that their daughter Mrs. Pierce is very ill.

J. F. Reid has moved the house he purchased near Mueller-Loeffler-Jordan Co. to his lot east of the Hodges Hotel, and will now have room for two.

Lame back is one of the most common forms of muscular rheumatism. A few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment will give relief. For sale by all dealers.

Mrs. C. W. Burgmann left Sunday morning to join her husband at San Antonio, where Mr. Burgmann has a position in a grocery establishment.

Bascom Stevenson who is attending Draughon's Business College at San Antonio, came in Thursday; he will return Monday to resume his studies.

Mrs. Howard Payne left this week returning to her home in Clarendon, after a few weeks visit here at the home of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hodges.

Arthur J. Basel, of Hobart, Oklahoma, an old friend of N. A. Petrie, was in Kimble this week. Mr. Basel is traveling in the interest of the Page Woven Wire Fence Co.

J. W. Cloud returned from Menard this week where he went to take his daughter, Miss Julia, who goes to Dallas to spend the winter with her sister Mrs. W. A. Harding.

Mrs. E. A. Scott sold her stock of Millinery goods this week to Mrs. W. W. Wallace and daughter Mrs. W. O. Kirchner, who go to Menard to open a millinery store. Mrs. Scott and the children leave today for San Antonio.

Biliousness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it, to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

M. S. Nichols wants to figure with you on that monument you are thinking of buying. He represents one of the best companies in the state. He is an old hand at the business; traveled in the work for years, and can figure close and give you best prices and terms on all kinds of monuments, marble or granite. Iron fencing best prices, best quality. See him for anything in this line.

Letter to F. M. Chase

Dear Sir: A new word has come into use in paint; it is strong. Strong paint is paint as strong as paint can be. Weak paint is paint not so strong.

If one paint takes 10 gallons to do a job and another 15, the 10 gallon paint is the stronger.

If one paint wears 10 years, and another 5, the 10 year paint is the stronger.

The strongest paint is the one that takes the least gallons and wears longest.

But do such differences exist? Yes, and greater. Devco is the strongest of all. A job that takes 10 gallons Devco takes more than 20 of some. And a job of Devco wears several times as long as a job of some paints.

O. E. Perry, East 8th St. Erie Pa., painted two houses same size; same time; with two paints same price; took 3 gallons Devco to 4 of the other; and in three years Devco was the better looking job.

There are strong and weak paints; we all want the strongest; paint can't be too strong.

Yours truly,

F. W. Devco & Co.
46 New York
Alex J. Hamer Co. sells our paint.

H. Lefstede and son were here from the Roosevelt community today.

Hon. J. B. Randolph has made quite an addition to his residence in South Junction.

W. H. Johnson has bought the Caldwell farm on Santa Llano three miles above Junction; 20 acres, consideration, \$2000.

Say, partner, you need a new suit of clothes. Let the Junction Tailor Shop order it for you.

J. F. Cowser returned from attending the West Texas Methodist Conference at San Marcos, but stopped to spend a few days with his son Nat. on the Divide, before returning to Junction.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting is in progress at Baptist church here now. Several visiting ministers are here from various places and others are expected in today.

We have a complete stock of ammunition and solicit your trade. Come and see us.—Mueller-Loeffler-Jordan Co.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one tenth as much. For sale by all dealers.

Coleman Highsmith had a finger badly hurt the other day. He was butchering a cow and started to stick her when she kicked at him and hung her hoof in the ring. Coleman was wearing nearly tearing his finger off.

The sad news comes here from Kendall County of the death of Mrs. Burgmann, mother of C. W. Burgmann. On receiving the news at San Antonio, Mr. Burgmann hurried to his mother's side and arrived there while the funeral service was in progress. Mr. Burgmann has our sincere sympathy.

Rev. J. H. Maxwell and Rev. B. L. Batchelor returned Wednesday from the West Texas Annual Conference in San Marcos. We are glad to welcome Rev. Batchelor as pastor here another year. Rev. Maxwell with his family leaves today for Menard where he is pastor the coming conference year.

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"More salary wanted, I suppose?"
"No."
"Earlier hours?"
"No."
"Trouble with the head clerk, then?"
"Yes."
"Ah! I thought we would be getting at something presently. Is he overbearing and malicious? Does he insult you the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night?"
"No, as a matter of fact he is very pleasant and gentlemanly."
The manager rubbed his chin thoughtfully and then said:
"You've got me guessing, young man. I thought I had all the common ailments committed to memory, but you seem to have a new one. Let's have it!"
"Well," said the complainant, "the truth is that I'm not getting enough work to do. When I came here you assured me that I would be given a chance to rise and you are not keeping your word."
"What?"
"I mean exactly that. You are paying me for nine hours work a day and giving me seven. It isn't fair or generous. You gave me employment under false pretenses."
The manager gazed wildly around with a half-formed idea of calling the police, but checked himself.
"You wish to quit your job, then?" he asked.
"No," said the complainant. "I want more work."
"He got it," said the manager later, discussing the matter. "I gave him enough to wreck the nervous system of a good sized horse and put Thomas A. Edison to shame as a lazy and sniffling trifler; and he did it like a man. Today he is running this office when I am gone, and getting more pay than any two other men in the establishment."

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Services First and Third Sunday in each month, morning and night.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night, 8 p. m. J. J. J. Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services Third Sunday in each month, 11 a. m. Other services by appointment. Rev. Richard Decker, Pastor.
CHRISTIAN—Services Fourth Sunday in each month, morning and night.
PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Fourth Saturday night and every Fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. and afternoon 2:30 p. m.

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A. F. & A. M.
Junction City Lodge No. 548, meet second Saturday in each month, W. A. Quisenberry, W. M., W. P. Riley, Sec. W. O. W.
Mountain Camp No. 434, Meets First Saturday J. N. Holges, J. C. W. P. Riley, Clerk.
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Woodmen Circle meets second and fourth Wednesday afternoons, each month, Mrs. Beatrice Wright, u. d. an. Mrs. Lilla Cheneault, Clerk.
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K. O. P.
Junction Lodge No. 283, meets 2nd Wednesday and 4th Saturday in each month. W. R. McKee, C. C.

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O. N. E. S.
Junction City Chapter No. 2497, meets 2nd Saturday afternoon and 4th Thursday evening of each month.
Mrs. Ethel Atchison, W. M.
Mrs. Minnie Riley, Sec'y.

SOCIETIES
J. B. Robertson Chapter U. D. C. meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays in each month. Mrs. Donna Boone, President. Miss Minnie Stephens, Treasurer.
Woman's Home Mission Society meets Friday before second Sunday in each month. Mrs. J. S. Nichols, Pres. Mrs. J. N. Hodges, Treas. Miss Ella Hodges, Sec. Mrs. F. M. Chasas, Cor. Sec.
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Man with Money.

The man with money, probably receives more advice and abuse than any other individual and he is one of the most indispensable individuals in the community. We are willing to tell him how to invest his money and after making the investment, we frequently insist on showing him how to manage his business. Our interest in the matter is commendable but we should not forget that the man with money is the prime factor in our development and by no known process of economics can we eliminate him from a transaction. We can propose, but he disposes. We can submit our financial propositions for his consideration, but the man with money passes final judgment and from his decision there is no appeal. He is the final judge. This may be unfortunate and humiliating but it is nevertheless true and if we are going to develop Texas, we must first have a heart-to-heart talk with the man with money.

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PROPOSES A TRUST REMEDY



Uniform state laws governing corporations rather than federal corporate control is the remedy proposed for trusts by Edgar H. Farrar, president of the American Bar Association. "The great American national disgrace," said Mr. Farrar at the recent convention of the bar association at Boston, "is found in the issuance of fictitious or watered stock. This is made possible by those corporation laws which provide no governmental supervision over the organization of corporations which require no part of the capital stock to be paid in money and which permit the issuance of stock at the pleasure of the organizers and directors at such valuations as they may choose to place on them. To my mind, the most vicious of all the provisions in the statutes above enumerated is that authorizing one corporation to own and vote stock in another. This provision is the mother of the holding company and the trust. It is under one management and control corporations from one end of the nation to the other.

"Concerted action among the states will end all the trouble. If every state in the Union will purge its corporation laws of all objectionable features, then the breeding places of industrial monstrosities are destroyed. It appears to me that it would require but a small amount of constructive statesmanship to bring about a state conference and united action on this grave subject."

Mr. Farrar ridicules the proposed scheme of E. H. Gary, president of the Steel Trust, for government regulation of prices. He says: "For government to fix the prices of merchandise bought and sold in commerce is utterly beyond the power of any legislative body in America."

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING

Nathan Allen, the indicted leather trust magnate of Kenosha, Wis., accused of smuggling at New York, will, it is stated, make a spirited defense. It is said the Allen side of the Jenkins imbroglio will specify an attempt to carry out a blackmail scheme. That his wife believes absolutely in Allen's innocence is shown by the fact that they spent the entire summer together on a Montana ranch.

Indictments charging Nathan Allen of Kenosha, Wis., and John E. Collins of Memphis, Tenn., with the smuggling of jewels valued at more than \$100,000 were brought to light in the office of United States District Attorney Wise in New York. The gems are alleged to have been smuggled into that port from the steamship Lusitania on June 25, 1909.

The indictments were the outcome of the testimony before the federal grand jury of Mrs. Helen Dwellie Jenkins, to whom the jewelry alleged to have been smuggled was presented, and from whom it was later stolen while she was living at a New York hotel. Following the theft of the gems there was a great deal of publicity given to Mrs. Jenkins and Mr. Allen, and the matter was finally settled by a consideration of \$72,000, of which Mrs. Jenkins says she received \$31,000.



GETS FORTUNE FROM GATES



Henry Rockwell Baker, a twenty-year-old youth of St. Charles, Ill., will get \$250,000 when he is graduated from college. Baker is the late John W. Gates's only nephew. Mr. Gates was very fond of him; the millionaire bequeathed \$10,000 to be given to him at once for his expenses at college and \$250,000 when he gets his degree. But he will not play football. Although his uncle placed no restrictions upon him, the lad remembers that Gates was opposed to football, and, for that reason, will not attempt to make a team.

He has promised when he leaves college and comes into his \$250,000, that he will stay away from Wall Street. This is also out of deference to his late uncle's wishes. John W. Gates once advised him, if he ever got hold of any money, to keep away from that mart of speculation and the boy regards this advice as a request. Baker was greatly surprised by the munificent bequest, but started in studying to earn it at once.

WOULD TAX THE HEIRESSSES

Some time ago Representative S. Bath of Illinois introduced a resolution in congress levying a tariff of 25 per cent. upon all marriage dowries, settlements between Americans and foreigners. Sentiment in favor of such a tax has been growing since and if there is any way of passing a law which will be constitutional and effective at the same time, to regulate this marriage barter, steps to do so will probably be taken in the next session of congress.

There is an economic side to the marriage of our rich American girls to titled Europeans. It is estimated that the purchase of these titles costs the enormous sum of \$1,000,000,000 every ten years—a drain that few countries in the world, perhaps no other country except our own, could stand.

The fact that it is wealth which titled foreigners are seeking when they marry American girls is self-evident. Whoever hears of a European noble marrying a poor American girl? Whoever hears of an English heiress marrying a poor American? If international marriages were based on love the rule would work both ways.



HAPPENINGS IN THE CITIES

Shrimp Fisher Charged with Peonage



NEW ORLEANS.—J. Chung Lee, a rich Chinese shrimp fisher and owner of a store in this city, is a prisoner here charged with holding white men in bondage in Bayou d'Arata, once the refuge of Lafitte and his band. The federal officers who arrested Lee brought with them nine white men who will appear as witnesses. These men assert they were shanghaied from a boarding house in this city and taken to Manila, a fishing village, and often forced to work 30 hours without rest. Once they escaped and boarded a steamer but were discovered and the captain returned them to the shrimp fisheries, as is the custom of all gulf shrimpers when refugees are discovered.

That such a condition could prevail for years without discovery in a territory comparatively near to a large American city will be received with incredulity by those who know nothing of the topography of that country. But to those who have pushed their way only a few miles into the wilderness, the surprise is that anything going on there should ever be known to the rest of the world. As the crow flies, Manila is perhaps not more than 40 miles from New Orleans. But so isolated is it by the marshes, the cypress swamps, the canebrakes, the jungles that it might as well be hundreds of miles away. The only egress is a tortuous channel of stagnant water.

To attempt to force one's way through the swamps would be to invite death. There are no paths through the wilderness, and the man who strayed a mile through the marshes from the channel would find himself lost, in danger of pitfalls and perpetually at war with poisonous snakes, with deadly malaria menacing him at every step.

Manila is one of the largest of the fishing villages, having about 300 residents. Half of them are Filipinos, supposed to have escaped from Spanish sailing vessels years ago. Stories of how the Filipinos are held as slaves are as old as the village itself.

Romantic Notions of Cowgirls Gone

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—When E. L. Poindexter came out west from the east in 1906 he had all kinds of romantic ideas about cowboys, wild Indians, cowgirls and life on the plains. Finding life in Oklahoma City little different from that in the east, he went out on a ranch near Tulsa, in search of the little romance left in western life. There he wooed and wed a ranchman's daughter. In a week he knew what it was to be a real tenderfoot. His wife told him to wash the dishes. He refused. She reached for her revolver, pointed it at him in a threatening manner and told him to dance. He made such a terrible mess of dancing she told him to stop that and take up the dish rag.

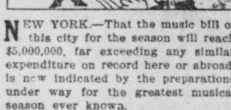
"That's a pretty dear; now kiss me," she said to him after he had washed, dried and stacked the dishes away. He hid it. That would end her wild west methods, he thought. "I will rule the roost for a while now," he chuckled to himself.

"How about dinner?" the wife inquired of him one evening after she returned from a long ride. "Not ready? Then you had better hustle and get it ready."

Not much, he told her. She would have to get the dinner herself. In fact, he was very "chesty" in his new role as boss. She reached for that revolver again. It was gone. She went into the kitchen, took up the butcher knife, and in five minutes that "chesty" husband was elbow deep in bread dough and watching the bacon fry.

But Mr. Poindexter was an obstinate tenderfoot, and refused to be "conquered." Two months of married life satisfied the wife he wasn't the kind of husband she wanted, so she brought out the new revolver she purchased, ordered him to pack his trunk and move right away.

City Spends Five Millions for Music



NEW YORK.—That the music bill of this city for the season will reach \$5,000,000, far exceeding any similar expenditure on record here or abroad, is indicated by the preparations under way for the greatest musical season ever known.

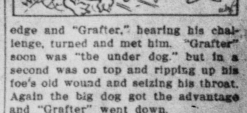
Ten years ago the sum spent in this way amounted to hardly more than \$1,000,000. What it will amount to in another decade in view of the ever-increasing demand for music of every character is merely a matter of conjecture.

Bull Terrier a Bathing Beach Hero

CHICAGO.—"Grafter," a 25-pound Boston bull terrier owned by Mrs. William Mattery, whose husband is prominent as an aviator, is the hero of his story. The thirty-ninth street bathing beach is the scene. The "villain" is an English bulldog that, aided and abetted by six men, had for two weeks, until the appearance of "Grafter," made life miserable for bathers at the beach, especially those who brought their dogs with them, by attacking the bathers and engaging the dogs in fights. Six dogs killed was his record.

"Grafter," led by Mrs. Mattery, appeared at the beach the other afternoon. As had been their custom, the six with the English bulldog in ambush helped a lumber pile, unleashed the animal and set him upon the new arrival as the latter started for a plunge in the lake.

"Grafter" had never been in a fight, but he was game. The older and heavier dog, as a result of his latest encounter, was suffering from a torn shoulder. He dashed to the water's edge and "Grafter," hearing his challenge, turned and met him. "Grafter" soon was "the under dog" but in a second was on top and ripping up his foe's old wound and setting his throat. Again the big dog got the advantage and "Grafter" went down.



Finally "Grafter" managed to break loose and Mrs. Mattery grabbed up her pet. She had attached his strap and was about to lead him away when one of the men sent the other dog against "Grafter" broke his strap and within three minutes had ripped the other animal's throat. The big dog died that night. "I hope after this you will let my dog alone," declared Mrs. Mattery, as she led "Grafter" away.

FOR GOOD LUMBER ORDER FROM MISSION LUMBER CO., MENARD, TEXAS.

HOUSE OF HORRORS GIVES UP 2 BODIES

Wife and Stepdaughter Buried,
Home Burned, Man Collects
Insurance and Flees.

DEAD IN DISUSED WELL

Before Departure Nebraska Shoveled
Dirt Into Hole When Another
Hauled It—Woman's First Husband,
Man He Hated, Also Missing.

Tecumseh, Neb.—An old well at the former home of E. E. Hesse, who was a bridge foreman for the Burlington railroad, was opened by direction of Sheriff Roberts of Johnson county and two bodies, believed to be those of Hesse's wife and daughter, were exhumed.

Mrs. Hesse and the seventeen-year-old girl, Juanita McMaisters, who was her stepdaughter, disappeared in July, 1910, and Hesse said they had gone to Lincoln on a visit. Several days later his house burned and he filled the well with earth. Soon afterward Hesse disappeared. Suspicion aroused by Hesse's disappearance smoldered until an anonymous letter was received by the sheriff hinting at double murder. A drill used at the well turned up human flesh and shreds of clothes and then the well was opened with shovels.

Hesse was about fifty years old. It is known that he frequently quarreled with his wife and daughter. He is believed to have gone to the Pacific coast.

James Clutter, whom Hesse hired to haul dirt to fill the well after the fire, had asserted repeatedly that he believed the women were murdered, but his opinion was ignored until recently. He was one of the men to operate the drill that located the bodies.

When the well was opened the sheriff and his deputies were almost unable to keep the crowd back while the men worked. The body of Mrs. Hesse was discovered in an upright position 14 feet down. She was easily identified. Near the body of the girl were



Where the Bodies Were Found.

four bricks tied in a bundle with wire, which evidently had been used as a weight. Hesse has covered his tracks well. Postcards were sent back to the friends of his stepdaughter from Denver and Pueblo bearing her name. In June of this year he returned his Burlington transportation from Seattle, and it is said he has sent luggage down from Salt Lake City.

EATS CHICKENS UNDER A HEN

Big Blacksnake Apparently Charms
the Mother, Then Calmly Devours
Her Little Ones.

York, Pa.—Having apparently charmed a mother hen, a blacksnake 4 feet 6 inches long was found coiled beneath her wings in Elmer Myers' chicken coop at Cransfield, calmly devouring her brood.

The attention of Myers was attracted to a disturbance in the chicken house during the night. Entering with a lantern, he found the fowls all uttering cries of fright and staring at the brood hen, which appeared to be undisturbed. Some time elapsed before Myers discovered the body of the serpent coiled beneath the spread wings.

The snake was in the act of swallowing one of the chicks, and the others were huddled within easy reach, apparently feeling that as their mother had given no alarm all must be well. Myers dispatched the intruder.

After an examination of the hen he was convinced that she had been under some hypnotic influence, which compelled her to sit rigid as the horrible feast went on under cover of her sheltering mother breast.

Shark Like a Village Store.

Lewes, Del.—A man eating shark, 17 feet in length, was caught at the mouth of Delaware bay. When opened it was found the shark's stomach contained an umbrella, oilcloth and pieces of bric-a-brac, together with several pieces of iron.

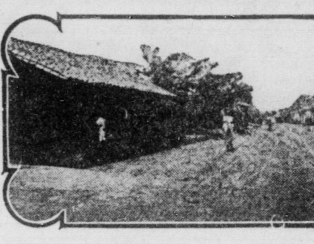
Roasts Snake Alive in Oven.

Loxley, Ala.—Mrs. Aaron West received a fright here recently when she opened her oven door and saw a large snake, about six feet long, nicely roasted in the oven.

CATTLE RAISING IN CHIRIQUI

By FORBES LINDSAY.

THAT portion of the Province of Chiriqui lying on the Pacific side of the Continental Divide and extending westward from the Rio Tabasara, contains the richest lands in the Republic of Panama. Of this area, the choicest section is what commonly goes by the name of the "Divala country," including the districts of Alano, Boqueron and Bugaba. This superlatively fertile region is situated between David, the capital of the province, and



the Costa Rican border. There is no finer agricultural land than it in the world. Alon plays the coco palm thrives. A little farther inland the admixture of sand in the deep stratum of alluvial soil, combined with climate and drainage, make such perfect conditions for the growth of sugar cane that the yield is as great as anywhere in the tropics, although the fields are not irrigated, and tilled only in the most primitive manner. At somewhat higher elevations tropical fruits, tobacco, cacao and rubber flourish, while in the mountain valleys the vegetables of the temperate zone and coffee of excellent quality are produced.

This country is admirably adapted to the pursuit of cattle raising. The land is covered by light forest, locally termed "monte," which may readily be cleared with the machete. At intervals this growth gives place to level expanses of grass-covered llano, often several square miles in extent, dotted here and there with wild fig or other shade trees in small stands or solitary stations. The prevailing herbage of the llanos is jeneverillo, which bears a close resemblance to the famous "blue grass" of Kentucky.

The region is abundantly watered. Every few miles a river or creek intersects the forest, but in the dry season all but the largest of these fall. It is where the interval between streams is unusually great, say, seven or eight miles, that the monte gives way to open grassland. The slope of the ground and the porosity of the soil insure perfect drainage, and there is an entire absence of swamps, save for the inevitable mangrove stripe along the coast.

When the development of Chiriqui shall have fairly set in, irrigation will surely become an important factor in the agricultural industries. Good watercourses are plentiful, and the lay of the land is perfectly suitable to the installation of simple, inexpensive gravity systems.

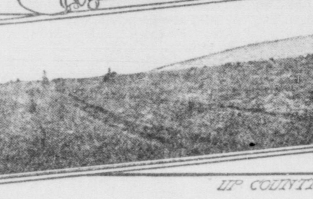
The climate of this section is subtropical and somewhat like that of Florida. The mean temperature is about 75 degrees F., and the extreme variations do not exceed 15 per cent. In either direction. The heat of the day is usually tempered by breeze, and the night is cool at all times. The dry season extends over the first four months of the year, and recurs for a few weeks in September and October. During the remaining period there is almost no rain, which seldom extends through more than three or four hours in any 24, and is preceded and followed by clear weather. Excessive humidity is of rare occurrence. Destructive storms, hurricanes and tornadoes are virtually unknown.

The climate is distinctly favorable to man and beast. Few diseases, if any, are attributable to it. The inhabitants of Chiriqui enjoy exceptionally good health, and this statement applies to the natives of Europe and America, of whom there are a number settled in the province. In the past 25 years, and perhaps much longer, no epidemic disease has appeared among men or animals in the province. Cattle are singularly free from the complaints which commonly afflict them elsewhere. Pleuropneumonia and anthrax have never been heard of. Raveling once made its appearance, but was readily checked by vaccination.

The land in this portion of Chiriqui is of a generally level character, with a gentle, but constantly prevailing slope toward the ocean. The llanos may be traversed in any direction by the lightest vehicles with the ease which would be experienced in crossing a lawn. Cart roads are easily constructed through the forest stretches, in many cases nothing more being necessary than to clear the monte and remove rocks and the larger stones. The existing roads maintain communication between all centers of habitation and are quite equal to the requirements of any traffic which they may be called upon to support for some years to come. They are not macadamized, but the natural material of which they are composed is such as to pack well and erode but little. I have seen extremely heavy downpours of rain run off them without miring. It may be repeated that the drainage of the entire section under consideration is perfect.

In the Divala country all nonfordable streams are bridged. Telegraph and telephone wires connect all the principal points. Extensive improvements are being carried out, which will affect the highway system and other means of intercommunication.

The Pacific Mail and National Navigation company maintains a weekly service between Panama and David, carrying passengers, mail and freight, including live stock, and calling at way ports, on a journey occupying from three to six days. The length of time is mainly to be accounted for by the difficulty in navigating the rivers at low tide. A fast service has lately been introduced, with a



THE RANCH HOUSE IN CHIRIQUI

UP COUNTRY IN CHIRIQUI

schedule time of 30 hours between Panama and David, and an extension of the run to Punta Arenas, Costa Rica.

It is needless to say that after the opening of the Panama canal the facilities of Chiriqui for products for water transportation will be greatly increased.

There is but one point upon the Pacific littoral of Panama at which vessels can approach the shore at low tide. This is a sea hole about eight miles from Divala. It is sheltered by the promontory of Punta Burica and thus lies in a natural harbor. A port could easily be established at Chiriqui, and it would become the outlet for the exports of the Divala country and a point at which steamers could call without any unusual delay.

A railroad has been surveyed from Panama to David and will without doubt be constructed in the near future. It is probable that this line will ultimately be extended to Bocas del Toro on the Atlantic coast.

Stock raising is the principal industry of Chiriqui, and there are in the province more cattle than in all the rest of the republic's territory. There cannot be more than 10,000 head, all told, in Panama. Six or eight large ranches will account for nearly half the number, the remainder being scattered in small ownership.

The domestic supply of beef falls far short of the demand. Large quantities are shipped from the United States to the canal commission, the markets of Colon and Panama, as well as to the depot of the United Fruit company at Bocas del Toro. This concern has tried ineffectually to contract with ranch owners of Chiriqui for 200 head a month. About two years ago a representative of a packing company went through the province with a view to determining whether it would be feasible to establish a packing house there to supply the canned-beef trade of the west coast of South America. He soon determined that the available cattle would not keep a satisfactory running constantly.

Nevertheless, there is land in the republic that would sustain 5,000,000 head of cattle. There is no better country for economical cattle raising. One acre of its potrero will fatten a steer, whereas three acres of our western grazing land is required to support one. But the soil of Panama has not yet been touched by a plow and, although cattle raising is the most advanced of the country's industries, the scope for improvement in the methods of conducting it is extremely great.

The llanos are the public "commons," upon which any man is free to range his stock. Probably 30,000 head, in herds seldom exceeding 15, are pastured on these plains through the rainy months, during which the herbage is ample to keep the animals in good condition, though not sufficient to fatten them.

The llanos, or open grazing lands, are not suitable, nor allowable in any manner. There would be no inducement to purchase llano, except in the case of a large cattle owner who might design to range cattle in connection with potrero fattening, after the present method of our western country. Such a man would require a large extent of "commons" for his purposes. The only land worth having that is purchasable from the government is that covered with "monte." The reason for this is that wherever there is sufficient moisture to make the land cultivable such heavy growth will be found. The llano occurs where the interval between streams is unusually great and the land depends entirely upon rainfall for its moisture. In that case it will support none but the scantiest vegetation in the dry season. Crops could be raised on such ground satisfactorily only through the agency of irrigation.

Before the dry term has advanced far enough to parch the grass, the small owners sell their lean steers to the ranches, whence fattened cattle are sent to market in order to make room in the potreros for the new purchases.

A potrero is a fattening ground, made by clearing away the natural growth, save for a few shade trees, and, after burning over, planting in the several kinds of fodder plants suitable to the different soils. The varieties of grasses generally employed are guinea, savoya, para, and juca.

Para and juca are best adapted to cultivation in low-lying land and along river banks, because they readily absorb moisture and

retain it for a long time. Guinea grass grows to seven feet and over. The objection to it is that the cattle are apt to eat only about half the leaf from the top, leaving the remainder in a stool which has to be cleared at the end of the season. On the other hand, it has the advantage over para of retaining greater vitality during the dry weather. Guinea and para must be planted. They cannot be sown with effect, for while they readily disseminate themselves the seeds will germinate only when gathered at perfect maturity.

Savoya is more spread, but guinea grass and does not grow to as great a height. It stools like the latter, but not with as much waste. Cattle must be put to savoya in good season, for they will not touch it in drier weather.

With these fodder plants the cattle raisers of Chiriqui obtain good results, the average steer yielding 400 pounds of meat, but there is no doubt that fattening might be contrived on more effective and economical lines.

Alfalfa should grow vigorously in many parts of the province, where the loose sandy character of the soil is admirably calculated to promote the deep-rooting habit of the plant. At least two crops of alfalfa could be secured during the rains and with irrigation a third in the dry season. The alfalfa deduction can be drawn from the experiment.

With a view to the introduction of alfalfa to Panama I sent, about two years ago, several packages of selected seed to Chiriqui and the canal zone, but there is every reason to believe that it did not receive proper treatment, and no conclusive would doubt be drawn from the experiment.

It would seem that resort should be made to other forage crops than the grasses. If the land designed for potreros, or certain portions of it, were plowed over and sown in cowpeas, velvet beans, and other leguminous plants, better results would doubtless be secured, especially if this food should be balanced with a proper quantity of starchy matter, such as cassava. Such a regimen would produce a heavier grade of stock in a shorter time than is possible under the present method of fattening.

The by-products of the reduction of sugar cane and coconuts, bagasse and press cake, respectively, are excellent fatteners, and under certain circumstances should be plentifully available.

There is room for much improvement in the breed of Chiriquian cattle. Blooded stock has been imported at great expense by a few ranch owners, and many experiments in crossing have been made. It cannot be said, however, that a satisfactory decision has been reached as to the strain best adapted to the climate and conditions of the country.

Although the purchase of land for stock raising is required to have three-fourths of it in cultivation within four years, the same as with land for crop purposes, yet assurances are given by the authorities that a liberal compliance with the law will by no means be required.

In the case of cattle land any degree of improvement that should indicate the intention of the holder of the land to put it to the declared purpose would suffice to insure title. To illustrate, if an entire tract of 4,000 acres were fenced, 1,000 acres turned into potrero, and 1,000 acres cleared for coconuts, houses, buildings and other purposes, the authorities would deem the intent of the law to have been amply complied with.

It may be well to warn intending settlers against taking up land at a distance from existing centers of habitation or development. The man who should do so will entail upon himself the burden of constructing a road at considerable expense, not to mention a number of more or less serious inconveniences.

There is public land available all along the proposed Panama-David railroad line, but the best lands are in the "Divala country," to the west of David.

Man's Capacity Only Limit

By Rev. BARRY B. HALL,
of Temple Baptist Church,
Memphis, Tenn.

God blesses man at every opportunity and furnishes every real joy by which he is able to appropriate. We enjoy very little, not because of God's unwillingness to bless, but because of our inability to receive and appropriate his blessings. This old world is big with blessings to him who has the eyes to see them. Thousands stand before the most beautiful landscapes and see nothing but hills and valleys. To the singing of the birds and the beauties of nature they are deaf, and blind, and dumb. A missionary saw African boys playing with diamonds of great value. They were rocks and nothing more to the boys.

Before the days of Franklin the air was as full of electricity as now, but our fathers went on burning candles, deprived of the telephone and the telegraph, because none of them had the eyes to see it. All of our modern inventions were as possible to our fathers as they are to us; yet they plowed with crude instruments when they could have ridden the cultivator; they rode in ox carts when they could have ridden on the lightning express, only because they had no eyes to see these blessings and to appropriate them. And the world is big with inventions today, involving great fortunes to him who is able to see them, and the business world is big with marvelous opportunities for those who have the eyes to see. Thus it is clear that material blessings are limited only by man's ability to see and appropriate them.

But material blessings are real blessings only to those who have the eyes to see them aright. If they see wealth as an opportunity to serve their fellows through the channels of legitimate business or philanthropy, it will bless them, but if they see it through carnal eyes, simply an opportunity for the gratification of the flesh, it will cause them to forget God and brotherliness, and to grow cold and haughty. It will lead them into a mad rush for pleasure, causing them to commit involuntary suicide, burning out the candle of life at both ends. To leave the ordinary young man \$50,000 is equal to a through ticket to hell. Wealth is a curse to the carnally-minded. It must be seen through spiritual eyes before it becomes a real blessing.

This is a glorious or horrid old world, according to one's point of view. If his point of view is carnal, instead of Christian, he will complete this life in disappointment; but if he views this world with the good and not the evil eye, he will see a grand old world, even its clouds having a silver lining. One's point of view determines whether children are a blessing or a curse. If he has been reared to view them as an evil or misfortune, he will be able to find no pleasure in them; but if he sees them as God-given and a blessing, he can say, as did the woman of old, "these are my jewels." One man says, "Isn't it a shame I have to work for a living?" Another says, "Isn't it a blessing I have a chance to earn a living?" Some say, "Isn't it a shame that people have to get sick?" Others, "Isn't it glorious that sickness is only temporary and good health is the normal state?"

A man's point of view determines his happiness. He must view things from the spiritual rather than from the carnal point of view to be satisfied and happy. Thousands are happy with little and others are miserable with much. Jesus explained this by the parable of the rich fool, who thought he had all he needed to make him happy because his barns were filled with plenty. And the fools are not all dead yet; because there are thousands who think that all they need to be happy is a fine home, thoroughly furnished, and lots of money. These poor unfortunate souls have not the ability to see that material possessions never did and never will make anyone contented and happy. He who has not learned to be happy with little would not be happy with much. This world is big with blessings, other than money, if one is only able to see and appropriate them. The only pleasures which really satisfy, that give contentment, peace and happiness, are spiritual; and material blessings are only a curse unless they are spiritually enjoyed. This old world is so big with blessings, material and spiritual, that there is an abundance for all, and all of its blessings are only limited by our ability to see and enjoy them aright.

"Thy Neighbor"

"Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." We are all willing to love our neighbors. But that is just where God tests us. He gives us neighbors whom we naturally would not love in order to teach us to act upon the real neighbor rule of helping the man next us, whoever he is. Until we do this, our neighborliness is but a sham, not the Christian kind.—J. R. Miller, D. D.

Lovers of Evil.

Now and then there is a man who appears in every community, who does evil because he loves evil. He goes about sowing the community with misunderstandings, undermining men, poisoning men's thoughts, stirring up bitterness and sowing seeds of evil on every side.—Rev. N. D. Hillis, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1911

What became of that move to incorporate Junction?

It was just good enough here this week to make us appreciate the mild, pleasant climate of Kimble Climes.

Yes, the spooks were rambling Tuesday night! Did they call on us? Yes, thank you. The office cat says if he ever does live to see another Halloween night he wants us to chloroform him two days beforehand and hide him somewhere until Thanksgiving Day.

The biggest rain which this section has received in some time fell here Sunday night and Monday. Then we received another fine ground-soaker Thursday night. We understand some damage was done by storm and hail in Bexar county Monday.

Much excitement was created here Thursday by very startling atmospheric phenomena which fell here for a few minutes. The substance in composition somewhat resembled the product of the Junction Ice Plant but was in very small particles.

Later—The name of that stuff is "sleet." We've been reading up on the matter and find that such is very common in places where they have winter time.

Later—The office cat says that was not sleet; that it was hail.

International Fair
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS
Nov 3 to 12, 1911

Among the features of the International Fair at San Antonio you will find:

The main exposition building completely filled with exhibits; 250,000 square feet appropriated for Land Show exhibits; five days devoted to harness and running races; over 500 entries in the Kennel show; biggest poultry exhibit ever collected in the south; three days of automobile racing; state encampment of Boy Scouts; over 2000 boys coming to Boys' Corn Club Day; great civic and military parade in honor of the Governor; \$2,000,000 Automobile parade, Nov. 10; free band concert and other attractions day and night; Pan's great pyrotechnic display, "Last Days of Pompeii" at night; great show of all kinds of live stock; big exhibits of all sorts from Mexico and Cuba. And these are just some of the things to be seen on this great occasion. Surely no one will be disappointed in this year's fair.

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that all hunting, fishing or trespassing in any way on our lands is strictly forbidden under the full penalty of the law.

11-10 G. AND ARTHUR SIMON

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured by Local Applications.

LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in the world for years and is a regular part of his practice. It is composed of the best known purifiers, combined with the best known surfaces, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. The result is what you desire. The Catarrh Cure is what you need. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Roosevelt Roundup

There was a big dance at the August Brans home Friday night. Delicious refreshments were served at midnight. All report that they enjoyed themselves. Music was furnished by Oscar Weaver and Oliver Kirkpatrick.

Wm. Griffey and Mr. Coupland were in Roosevelt Sunday.

Dan Felps was in Roosevelt Sunday.

Carroll and Allan Odier and Coleman Highsmith were among the guests from Junction to attend the dance Friday night.

A. F. Winkle and family were shopping in Roosevelt Friday.

Jim Slaughter left Wednesday returning to his home in Mason county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grosenacher were among those who attended the dance Friday night. Say, Rastus, it's cold weather Roosevelt these days.

The children at Roosevelt are good. The teacher, Tom Covington, has been teaching a month and hasn't whipped a pupil yet and they all say he is a good teacher. There are more than twenty enrolled.

Mr. Lavinger and family left last week for O'Brien, Texas.

There was a nice rain at Roosevelt Sunday night and Monday.

WILD ROSE.

Mrs. Leota Florence Davis

Mrs. Leota Florence Davis, wife of Branick Davis, departed this life about 11 o'clock, a. m., October 28, 1911, at the family residence at Junction, Texas.

How sad it is to have to record the death of this lovely and bright young mother. She leaves a sweet little baby boy a few days old, to mitigate to some extent the pangs of sorrow brought to the dear loved ones.

Mrs. Bradley, mother of deceased, was summoned by wire from Ft. Worth, to the bedside, but on arriving found her daughter unconscious and she remained so until death.

A happy home has been transformed into one of extreme sorrow. We extend to the bereaved ones our heartfelt sympathies in their sad moments. But nothing can fill the place of the broken link. Leota Florence Davis was 20 years old the 3d of August, was married to Branick Davis the 31st of January, 1910. A brief happy married life is closed by the hand of death. The boat that was launched a short time ago to sail over life's tempestuous sea has gone down, and the lovely wife Leota is the victim. We join with the loved ones in the sad farewell, and may they be consoled by the fact that "It is better further on."

J. S. D.

Epworth League Program

SUNDAY, NOV. 12

Leader, Coke Stevenson
Song
Subject, Duty
Scripture reading and talk by leader.
Prayer
Song
Reading, Our Duty to God—Dovie Lamb
Duet—Rev. S. L. Batchelor and Vida Batchelor
Reading, Duty to our Fellow man—Roscoe Heyman
Recitation—Fay Wright
Quartet—Reba Wright, Lucile Garrett, Kittrell Durst, Olney Patterson

Fine Billies

I have about 20 Billies left which will sell reasonably. Or will lease at from \$5 to \$10 for the season.

ED FLEMING, Telegraph, Texas

LONDON NEWS

Dr. P. H. Rogers is stopping for a few days at the London Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stewart and children are spending a few days in Brady.

Wm. Amberson has sold his blacksmith shop to W. C. Jones. R. O. Cannon and R. T. Amberson made a business trip to Mason first of the week.

W. E. Hegerman and family have moved to the C. D. Hensley residence in North London.

Paul Hensley and sister Miss Bertha passed through town Sunday on their way to Leon, where Miss Bertha goes to teach.

A Union Sunday School was organized Sunday, with Prof. Chas. Kindrick as superintendent and Miss Addie Amberson as secretary.

C. D. Hensley has gone to San Saba on business.

Mrs. J. M. Burt has been sick for several days but is reported better now.

Mrs. W. K. McGonagill came down on Thursday's stage to assist with the phone books.

Judge Walker, Lawyer Shropshire and Dr. Brandon, of Brady, passed through town Wednesday on their way to the Blue Mountains, with a hunting party.

ELEANOR

A Few Lines

from Telegraph

Well, as the "Busy Two" seem to have grown idle, we will get busy for awhile.

Rather chilly up here; at least most everyone is having the chills, we are sorry to say.

Joe Lee and family have moved from Telegraph to the Old Henry Taylor place on Paint.

The County Line school term will soon begin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fleming were in Telegraph Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Bishop went to Junction Saturday.

Miss Ada Terry left for Centre Point last Thursday.

Everybody wake up and go to Sunday school.

You boys had better be careful about shooting turkeys on Paint. Can't you see it's posted?

THE JOLLY TWO.

Just try the Citizen on Job Printing. You'll be pleased.

Saved Child From Death

"After our child had suffered from severe bronchial trouble for a year," wrote G. T. Richardson of Richardson's Mills, Alabama, "we feared it had consumption. It had a bad cough all the time. We tried many remedies without avail, and doctor's medicine seemed useless. Finally we tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and are pleased to say that bottle effected a complete cure, and our child is again strong and healthy. For coughs, colds, hoarseness, lagrippe, asthma, croup and sore lungs, it's the most infallible remedy that's made. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. A. Heyman."

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that all hunting, fishing, or trespassing in any way is strictly forbidden upon any and all lands owned or controlled by either of the following parties. Any violation will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

AUGUST BRUNS
AUGUST SIMON

Lost

Good Jersey cow disappeared from my home in Junction Wednesday, October 18. Jersey color has no mark or brand of any kind. Will pay reasonable reward for her return, or for any information leading to same.

REV. S. L. BATCHELOR

To Goatmen

We appeal to the intelligence of the goatmen of Texas:

This letter is addressed to you personally because your personal help is needed, and the very existence of the mohair industry is at stake.

Have you seriously considered just what it means to you to have the eleven cents duty taken off of mohair? What it will mean in the way of depreciation of land values, the utter ruin of so many small goatmen who are dependent solely upon this one industry for a support, and all brought about by the manufacturers who maintain a small lobby at Washington to work while we sleep. When Congress meets again this winter they will be there, and we must have a strong, earnest capable man to present our side of the case, and give our national representatives some intelligent idea of our needs and demands and to demonstrate the fact that mohair must not and should not be classed with wool, camels' hair, cow tails, etc. and to secure the divorce of the mohair from the wool schedule.

It is expedient that the goatmen of Texas (most of whom are in Edwards and adjoining counties) send an able man to Washington this winter to work in connection with our representatives there, and others who may be for us, and the name of Judge J. E. McCarty, a live enthusiastic Angora breeder of Erath County, has been mentioned as the ablest man we could get, and Judge McCarty has expressed a willingness to go, and if he can spare the time we certainly should bear the expense. It is useless to send a flying delegation to Washington as has been done in the past, and none except our strongest men should be expected to accomplish anything.

The Turkish and Asiatic breeders are the most successful mohair growers today, and their success is due to their better protection and more perfect harmony with their respective governments, and all this could not have come to them without some effort on their part.

The day of concerted effort is at hand and the time for acting is upon us, and there is no time to be wasted in useless and selfish arguments.

Fourteen years ago Edwards County had less than 15,000 goats and today we have 300,000 to say nothing of the better grades, vast investments in lands, improvements and other advancements, largely, if not solely, due to the help of Mr. Angora and his golden fleece. The vital question before us is: can we dispense with the mohair industry and survive? What would it mean to the land owner, the merchant, the banker, the doctor and the school teacher—aye and the school boy and girl—in this portion of the state to cut the number back to that of fourteen years ago?

The last Congress virtually placed mohair upon the free list, and the President saved us by his veto of the bill without a thought of us, and quite likely not a dozen congressmen knew then, or know now that there is such a thing as the mohair industry in the United States of any consequence. We might stand a reduction of eight or ten cents per pound with mohair selling at 33 cents but suppose it were selling as low as many of us have sold it in the past, and there would doubtless be about 300,000 goats for sale in Edwards County and with them would go 750,000 lbs of mohair annually.

The Angoras barred from exportation from Turkey under a death penalty since 1881, while a \$500.00 export tax is levied by South Africa and but one goat has been exported into the United States since 1908. Turkey is the native home of the Angora, and South Africa is its adopted home,

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JUNCTION, TEXAS

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while Southwest Texas is its adapted home, and if we expect to keep it we must protect it.

Should we send a man to Washington this winter it must be done in order, and he should have ample time to gather his "sinews of war" for it will be a man's job to maintain his proper position before the Ways and Means committee with all his facts and figures.

Twenty-five cents per head would be a reasonable assessment to keep the mohair off the free list, but 1c per head will be ample to keep a strong representative at Washington for the time necessary, and none with a dollar invested in the goat country should delay this work that means so much to us all, by refusing to contribute to the cause. Are you going with us, or do you mean to split out through the thicket? To sit still now is next to suicidal.

The mohair industry in America cannot yet compete with Turkey and South Africa. They have barred us from importing their improved stock; it is right that our government should give us protection against their mohair; we have already seen that Congress will not do this unless we can send a man who can induce them to consider the merits of the mohair industry separate from that of wool; we must make an effort and if all will respond we should not fail; with this object in view we earnestly appeal to every man interested in the goat industry in Texas to get busy at once and send in the amount of 1c per head for your goats (or the balance thereof if you have already contributed to this fund) and swell the small fund we now have on hand to make a fund sufficient to accomplish this worthy object, and help save an industry which makes productive millions of

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acres of rocky mountainous country that will otherwise be comparatively worthless, for the ruin of the goat industry must mean the abandonment of many homes in these rocky regions which the Angora goat alone can make resourceful.

Send all checks etc. to J. D. Pepper, Treasurer, Rock Springs, Texas. Yours faithfully, Geo. R. Pepper, Sec. V. A. Brown, Pres.

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Notice is hereby given that we will prosecute anyone hunting or fishing in the Bandy and Tom Taylor pastures on Paint Creek.

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Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould, of Pittsburg, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers everywhere to take the m. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble," she writes. Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully. It helped any woman. They're a tonic and the finest liver and kidney remedy that's made. Try them. You'll see. 50c at J. A. Heyman's.

For Sale

Have some corn for sale and will sell from 10 to 100 bushels in a lot. Price \$1.00 per bushel. Come quick if you want some. A. J. NEIL

Notice

For season 1912 I expect to build a custom Flour Mill at Mason, where farmers can get their own wheat ground. This ought to be encouraging to the wheat industry. WILL ELLEBRACHT

THE CITIZEN.—\$1 per year Butter for sale.—Mrs. H. E. Wilson.

If you are a goatman, read the letter to you in this issue.

Ladies work a specialty at the Junction Tailor Shop.

R. M. Stevenson went to Mehard to attend court this week. See those beautiful new winter goods at Will Hankins.

Tom Phillips was here from the ranch Wednesday. Cheap Union Suits at Will Hankins.

Order that suit from the Junction Tailor Shop. Dress up.

N. C. Patterson leaves this week for San Antonio and other points.

Repairing—Cleaning—Pressing—Fitting—Junction Tailor Shop.

FOUND—The place to buy dressy clothing.—Junction Tailor Shop.

E. P. Finney is back from Eden where he has been at work for some time.

Ask your grocer for Golden Crown flour—it is the best flour in the market.

J. P. Bowers was here from Segovia to attend the Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Underwear for boys.—Will Hankins.

Chester Hamer left Wednesday for San Antonio to continue his work as traveling representative.

Golden Crown flour is pure; not mixed with bleached middlings.

Rev. J. H. Jackson, of Ingram, was here for the Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Cardwell have returned from a few months visit with relatives in Gonzales.

Bring us your repair work; we want it, and guarantee our work.—Mueller-Loeffler-Jordan Co.

Mrs. Ellige and little son leave this week for San Antonio where she expects to make her future home.

Buy an "up-to-now" Middy Sweater and Aviation cap at Will Hankins.

Jno. Fleming was in from South Llano Wednesday and reports 34 inches of rain in his part of the county.

FOR SALE—A fine suit of clothes made to your measure at the Junction Tailor Shop.

Dr. P. H. Rogers, the tooth carpenter, went to London Monday where he will do dental work for a short time.

We have a complete stock of ammunition and solicit your trade. Come and see us.—Mueller-Loeffler-Jordan Co.

N. H. Skaggs leaves this week for San Antonio to attend the fair. He says he may make the return trip in an aeroplane.

For pains in the side or chest dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Liniment and bind it over the seat of pain. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

Wesley Bode came in Wednesday from San Antonio, where he has been attending Draughton's Business College.

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip except when followed by pneumonia, and this never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cures of colds and grip and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

M. S. Nichols wants to figure with you on that monument you are thinking of buying. Here represents one of the best companies in the state. He is an old hand at the business; traveled in the work for years, and can figure close and give you best prices and terms on all kinds of monuments, marble or granite. Iron fencing best prices, best quality. See him for anything in this line.

Letter to T. M. Hedges

Dear Sir: Here's the concentrated fact:

Every job painted Devco takes less gallons than any other paint. And the paint that takes least gallons, wears longest; always, we can't help it.

Yours truly, F. W. Devco & Co. New York

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Married

Mr. Morris Nethery and Miss Mollie Harrison were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents Tuesday evening October 31st, Elder John S. Durst performing the ceremony.

Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. After the ceremony delicious refreshments were served.

The bride is a charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Harrison, and is a most estimable young lady. The groom is a promising young stockman and farmer and is a splendid young gentleman. The couple have a wide circle of friends who wish for them the happiest and best of all life's portions.

The newly-wedded pair will be at home to their friends in the cozy new home which has been prepared by the groom.

J. H. Reid came in from Brownwood Tuesday and is shaking hands with his old Junction friends.

Say, partner, you need a new suit of clothes. Let the Junction Tailor Shop order it for you.

Rev. Ruebottom, of Sandes, Texas, preached the closing sermon in the Fifth Sunday Meeting here Sunday night.

Rev. M. S. Osborne and Lila Billingsley, of Harper, were among those here to attend the Fifth Sunday Meeting which closed Sunday.

"I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Tarpin, Junction City, Ore. This remedy is also unsurpassed for colds and croup. For sale by all dealers.

Rev. J. D. Overton, a former pastor here, preached to a large congregation at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. He is now pastor at Centre Point.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Adams were here a few days from Roswell this week, and while he Mr. Adams came around and brightened the sanctum with a subscription dollar.

Homer Livingston and Mr. Wiley arrived here from San Angelo Wednesday to be among the first sportsmen to take advantage of the hunting season. Homer says he is here looking for his deer.

The Kimble County Angora Goat Breeders Association met at the Courthouse here Saturday afternoon, and among other business transacted was the addition of several names to the list of membership.

"I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and the safest remedy for coughs, colds, and bronchial troubles," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold of Denver, Colo. "We have used it repeatedly and it has never failed to give relief." For sale by all dealers.

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Mrs. A. Blackshaw arrived home this week from Cleveland Ohio, where she spent the summer.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do not sicken or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most delicate woman or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most valuable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and for regulating the bowels. For sale by all dealers.

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AMBITION TALKS

BY HARLAN READ

Be the Right Kind of a "Tight-Wad"

Almost to a unit the people who spend money on themselves with lavish hand, including others only when they are present and can't be dodged, call a person stingy who refuses to do this, saving his money for more noble purposes.

The "good fellow" who rubs his stomach against a bar until there is a worn streak just above the belt line and orders drinks for whoever happens to be near, expecting a return of the courtesy calls the thrifty man who has no part in the performance a "tight-wad."

The town sport who lets loose of a three-dollar bill every time he feels like a buggy ride taunts with close-fistedness the young man who has no money for pool or cigars.

There seems to be a general inclination on the part of men and women who spend money extravagantly on themselves to class as stingy those who save their money and spend it on somebody else or to provide against misfortune to their loved ones.

We will come to a higher and nobler understanding, of the great question of generosity when we fasten in our minds, with rivets spread at both ends, the following definitions:

A stingy man is one who spends money on himself or not at all. A generous man is one who spends money on others.

The matter of economy has nothing to do with either.

There is a high and mighty air about the prodigal that is calculated to make the thoughtful man ashamed of his prudence.

And it often does, for many a man with a backbone like a piece of spaghetti is unable to stand the fire of caustic criticism to which he is subjected by male bipeds of the sport class for watching his money carefully. But the man who is independent enough to keep from spending a dollar unless he or someone dear to him is going to get a dollar's worth of benefit out of it is the man who will sometime be called on every 30 days to give the other his pay check and decide whether he shall ever get another like it.

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First Sunday, Bible, Second Sunday, Prayer, Third and Fifth Sunday, Communion, Fourth Sunday, morning prayer, afternoon prayer, evening at 7:30, Sunday school 9:45. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

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EPISCOPAL—Services Third Sunday in each month, 11 a. m. Other services by appointment Rev. Richard Decker, Pastor.

UNITARIAN—Services Fourth Sunday in each month, 10:30, morning and night.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Fourth Saturday night and every Fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. and afternoon at 2:30.

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The steam engine has been in more political brawls than any other force in nature and the politicians have been trying to use it with the owners ever since it became a factor in transportation. This mighty force of nature has often been handicapped by having boards and commissions placed over it who have neither knowledge or experience. In the business and free railroads have become as popular a campaign issue as free trade.



ILLINOIS TEXAS

Railroad mileage is the yard stick of progress. We have in Texas 14,000 miles of railroad and rank first of all states in the Union in mileage. In miles per area, we rank fourth, having 6.15 miles of railroad per 100 square miles of territory. In mileage per population, we rank nineteenth, having 38.43 miles of railroad per 10,000 people.

The comparative test of railroad facilities is in miles per area. If we had the mileage per area that the state of Illinois has we would have 55,500 miles; that Indiana has 54,000 miles and that Iowa has 45,000 miles. We have only 14,000 miles.

According to the last Interstate commerce commission report, completed June 30, 1909, we constructed 273 miles during the previous year and ranked fourth in the list of states in the Union in construction during the year. We are more in need of railroad construction than any other state in the Union.

The railroad development of Texas has not kept pace with the development of other lines of industry. Our railroad mileage during the past ten years has increased 15 per cent; the value of manufactured products has increased 92 per cent; the value of farm lands 187 per cent and the development of all lines of industry has been retarded for want of railroad facilities.

Texas is the most important field in railroad construction of any state in the Union. According to the 1910 controllers report, we have forty-seven counties in Texas without railroad facilities and we have approximately 40,000,000 acres of territory that is a distance of ten miles and over from a railroad.

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