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Saint Louis and Oklahoma Southern has Junction on Proposed Route

The information is given to the public by H.P. Christensen, president of the Saint Louis and Oklahoma Southern R.R. Co., offices at Saint Louis, that his road would build through Texas and Old Mexico to the Pacific coast. making it a transcontinental line. The proposed route of this line is to traverse Fannin county, thence to Ft Worth, on to San Saba Mason, Junction and Rock Springs. then to Del Rio, and through Mexico to the Pacific.

Initiative, Referendum and Recall

Can you give a clear and concise definition of the initiative, referendum and recall? Here is the definition given at one time by the Ft Worth Record and is a good one:

"The initiative is a proposal whereby a certain number of voters—10, 20 or 30 per cent, as may be provided by law—may submit for public approval or have submitted through the legislature, any law which they may desire.

"The referendum is a vote by citizens on a law iniated by a per centage of the people, as provided under the initiative or by the legislature upon its own motion or by petition before the law goes into effect,

"The recall is a device whereby an officer may be dispossessed of his office by a vote of citizens before his term expires. It contemplates that when a certain percentage of voters become dissatisfied with an officer they may petition for his recall and then an election shall be held to determine whether he shall retire or continue in office.

"The initiative and referendum are designed to vest in the people the right to enact or reject laws by direct action, instead of through representatives chosen for that purpose

"The recall is designed to afford an opportunity for the removal of officers who become unpopular or commit unpopular acts while in office."

Two farmers were not long since discussing the local paper. One thought it had too many advertisements in it. The other replied: "In my opinion the advertisements are far from being the least valuable part of it. I look them over carefully and save at least five times the cost of the paper each week through the business advantages I get from them." Said the other: I believe you are right—I know that they pay me well and rather think it is not good taste to find fault with the advertisements after all." Those men have the right idea of the matter It pays any man with a family to take a good local paper for the sake of the advertisements if nothing more And if business men fail to give farmers a chance to read advertisements in the local paper they are blind to their own interests. to say the least of it. "You never trade with me," said a business man to a prosperous farmer. "You have never invited me to your place of business and I never go where I am not invited: I might not be welcome" was his reply.

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A fellar at the other day what was the bEst thing to be done when a person sets down on a custard pie at a picnic I tole him if 'twas me doin' the sEttin I'd set still until all the rest had gone hoaM.

Fortunes in Faces

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TEXAS STATE NEWS

Waco—Judge W. H. Jenkins, the former County Judge, states that he will frame a bill for the next Legislature making it a felony to explode a pistol in any street, residence alley or public place in Texas. The man who fires a pistol will then know he has a felony ahead of him at least.

Ballinger—The jury in the George Brown case has rendered a verdict and fixed the punishment at life imprisonment. The jury was out five hours.

Brown was charged with battering out his wife's brains with an iron cudgel as she lay asleep on the porch of their home on the night of September 30, 1911.

Temple—Deputy Sheriff George Robinson returned from Kansas City having in custody a negro named Joseph Pollock, charged with the theft of a horse and buggy from H. L. Sherrill. The prisoner was shot in the leg and wounded by the police of Kansas City when being placed under arrest.

Kerrville—An election has been ordered by the city council of Kerrville, to be held April 23, to decide whether or not the city of Kerrville shall issue bonds in the sum of $20,000 for the purpose of grading, gravelling and repairing the streets and sidewalks of said city.

Sherman—Easter eggs, eaten Sunday and Monday, are believed to have been the cause of the death of Tommie, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Knott.

The child died yesterday afternoon and it is believed that the color on the eggs was the immediate cause of death.

Houston—A fast one-round bout between women was staged on Main street the other afternoon in front of Levy Bros.' store. The bone of contention was a beautiful black Raglan cloak. So intense was the excitement following the encounter that Officer Goodson had much difficulty in pushing his way through the crowds after he had placed the two women under arrest.

Laredo—The trial of Private R. M. Lemaster of the Twenty-third Infantry, charged in connection with the killing of Policeman Salomon Martinez in this city on the night of August 11 last, will be called for trial in the District Court April 24. At the last term of court the case was continued on application of the defense.

Lockhart—Searcy Hyatt, accused in connection with the killing of Dick Taylor, the Southern Pacific depot porter, some time during the winter at Luling, is being tried here. Many witnesses from Luling are in attendance.

Del Rio—Last Wednesday afternoon C. S. Young of San Antonio, who has been engaged on the survey for the proposed dam on Devil's River, lost an almost new automobile by fire. The accident occurred some thirty miles south of Del Rio. The gasoline ignited while Mr. Young was under the car working on it. The car was a total loss.

Brownwood—Telephone reports from Talpa, Runnels County, say a furious storm struck that place late the other afternoon, doing considerable damage. Hail and rain fell in great quantities and lightning killed a horse and struck and almost demolished the First Baptist Church. The storm was confined to a small area.

El Paso—The Fourteenth United States Cavalry, en route to Fort Clark and McIntosh, passed through here in two trains, returning from the Philippine Islands.

Paris—Announcement that Congressman Morris Sheppard would become a candidate for the United States Senate if Cone Johnson withdraws caused much activity among Sheppard's friends here today.

Austin—Inspectors from the State Pure Food and Drug Department are to take a hand in the investigation into the slaughter houses of Austin, which has been under way for the last three or four weeks. This announcement was made by Dr. E. H. Golaz, chief chemist of the department. The State inspectors will work in conjunction with those of the city health department.

Belton—The Belton Pastors' Association adopted the following resolutions:

"We, the pastors of Belton, Texas, hereby agree that we will not perform the marriage ceremony for divorced people unless the divorce was for the one scriptural cause."

Palestine—Peter Donald, a young negro boy who was lost in the woods in the Black Foot community three weeks ago, was found dead by Joe Williams. The Coroner's verdict was that Donald met his death by falling. Negroes searched for the boy for several days.

Stockdale—E. L. Bennett, with headquarters in San Antonio, is here on business. Incidentally he is putting in some sledge-hammer blows in behalf of the good roads movement in general and the proposed San Antonio-to-the-Gulf highway in particular. Mr. Bennett has large land interests in Wilson County, but he is more than willing to stand an increase in his taxes consequent upon such an improvement of the public roads as will prove commensurate with the phenomenal growth and development of the county.

Houston—United States District Attorney Lock McDaniel received a telegram from Attorney General George W. Wickersham of the United States, saying the offense of violating the neutrality laws was a felony under the Federal statute and not a misdemeanor, as contended by counsel for Gen. Bernardo Reyes.

The ruling of the head of the Department of Justice of the United States construing the offense to which a number of persons entered a plea of guilty in Brownsville recently, will have the effect, under the laws of Texas, of forfeiting the citizenship rights of those persons, as well as forfeiting their right to hold political office in this State.

Del Rio—Senor Leon Gomez, who had been stationed in Del Rio for several months past as Mexican consul, has been transferred by his government to Phoenix, Ariz., and left on last Wednesday evening for his new post of duty. His successor at this place has not yet been named.

Floresville—Prof. W. H. Butler, principal for Floresville public school, accepted the principalship of the Coronal Institute of San Marcos for the next term.

Temple—As a result of one day's vigorous campaigning by teams representing the Railway Y. M. C. A., $2,167 was raised in one day out of a desired total of $3,000. The campaign will end in two days instead of being prolonged to three, as was at first intended.

Galveston—Friday, April 19, has been set apart by the Galveston public schools for their annual celebration of San Jacinto Day, which this year falls on Sunday. This celebration is in line with the request of State Superintendent of Public Instruction Bralley. Quite an interesting program for the day has been arranged through Superintendent W. Hopkins of the Galveston schools.

Austin—John Henry, the Austin negro who killed his wife over on East Sixth street last summer, must pay the penalty for the crime with his life. The Court of Criminal Appeals today affirmed the death penalty assessed by the lower court.

Henry Lee of Harris County will have something to say to the penitentiary for manslaughter. The court affirmed his case. This was the second appeal by Lee. His conviction grew out of the death of James S. Simpson.

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BEE KEEPERS' DEPARTMENT

We have made arrangements to have this column devoted each week entirely to beekeeping. We have secured the services of Mr. E. G. LeStourgeon, secretary of the Bexar County Beekeepers' Association, and one of the best known beekeepers in the State of Texas, to conduct this department for our readers. Any questions concerning apriculture or any request for advice about beekeeping should be addressed to E. G. LeStourgeon, Box 1048, San Antonio, Texas, and will be fully and carefully answered in this column. We trust that every one of our readers will take advantage of this opportunity, because beekeeping is rapidly becoming one of the most extensive industries in our part of Texas.

EASY TO START BEEKEEPING.

As a hobby, or diversion, or something outside of regular employment, or in connection with berries, fruit or poultry, beekeeping is a good thing for women, as it is for almost everyone else. The cost of a good colony of Italian bees in a modern hive need not be more than $10, and, while the average surplus yield will not be more than thirty-five pounds, they may yield in a single season as much as 150 pounds.

Probably the most economical and satisfactory way for the beginner, says Farm and Home, will be to get the hive fully equipped from the manufacturer, and have a swarm put into it by some neighbor between May 15 and June 1, before the flow of honey from clover begins. If they are not pure, put in an Italian queen and introduce her to the colony after removing the old queen. As the queen is the mother of all the bees in a hive, and as the average life of the worker bee is but forty-five days, all will be changed to yellow, gentle Italians before winter.

BEES WERE NOT GUILTY.

The bee is often accused of eating fruit. The charge is often made that bees suck the juices of fruits, and some even declare that these little busy creatures puncture ripe fruits to suck the juice from them. This, practical beekeepers deny.

It is true that bees will suck the juices of fruits when they are decayed or punctured by birds or insects, but they do not attack fruits until the skin is once broken.

It is said that a practical beekeeper once found his bees sucking the juices of grapes and upon investigation he found that the skins of the grapes had small punctures, and he was almost ready to decide that his bees had been "caught in the act." But doubting that there was any mischief in bees, he decided to investigate further before condemning them.

The next morning he noticed some birds flying around the vines. They were about the size of a sparrow and were called Cape May warblers. Carefully examining the grapes, the "guilty parties" were found and the bees exonerated. These birds had punctured the grapes with their beaks and as the season was very dry and honey scarce, the bees thought it not amiss to eat the juices of the grapes. Do you think them guilty?

FARM NOTES

IMPROVING SOD-BOUND PASTURES.

Pastures should be improved. If there was a good stand of grass, weed and grow. The trouble is the pasture is packed hard. Water runs off when it rains instead of soaking in. In other words, the pasture is sod-bound.

Here is the way to handle such a pasture. As soon as the frost goes out of the ground this spring and before we get busy with the regular farm work, we should use a disk drill and thoroughly cut up the pasture. At the same time drilling in from eight to ten pounds to the acre of red clover seed on the high lands and alsike clover seed on the low lands.

Here is the result: The drill loosens the sod-bound condition of the old pasture and lets the air down to the roots, stimulating a more vigorous growth and spreading the plants so that where one plant grew last year, two will grow this year and both of them will grow better. In addition, the clover seeds will fall on those bare spots where weeds grew last year, and clover, one of the best feeds in the world, will grow. Cows will be able to secure two or three times as much feed to the acre. They will get growing and milk-forming material—protein.—Farm and Home.

Red clover grows best on the hillsides, and rich lands. Alsike clover is a mighty good grass for the low lands, for on such land it will make a wonderful growth and provide remarkable pasturage and hay. Farm and Home says that sorghum furnishes a good crop for summer feeding of cows. It is a heavy yielder and will furnish feed when the pastures are short.

EARLY PASTURE FOR HOGS.

As early in the spring as possible prepare a piece of rich ground. When a good seed bed is made, drill in from one to one and one-half bushels of barley or early oats per acre; or, better still, a mixture of these. Be sure to use the beardless barley. Then follow with a grass seeder, sowing a mixture of four pounds Dwarf Essex rape, three pounds timothy, and eight pounds clover seeds per acre. I have been using alsike, medium and mammoth clovers, but this spring shall include alfalfa, writes an expert in Farm and Home.

I cover the seed with a weeder, sometimes crossing. A light spike-tooth harrow will answer also. If sown early, and the earlier the better, this light covering will be sufficient, as there is usually plenty of moisture in the ground at this time.

When the rape is about six inches high, which will be in six or eight weeks, hogs may be turned in; the rape, barley and oats should furnish abundant pasture for about twenty-five shotes per acre, in the meantime timothy and the clovers are growing to supplant the maturing barley and oats, and, with the rape, will furnish a well-balanced ration until covered with snow. This lot will next year furnish the best meadow or pasture on the farm.

FARMING AND DYNAMITE.

Where the surface soil is underlaid with a layer of compact subsoil or hardpan that is impervious to water and impregnable to the roots of growing crops, the rain runs off quickly and the land suffers severely in times of drouth.

Blowing up with dynamite this compact subsoil to form underground reservoirs has been tried with good results, says Farm and Home. Bore holes in the ground two to six feet deep and from twenty to thirty feet feet apart, according to the nature and compactness of the subsoil, and hardpan. About eighty sticks of dynamite are used per acre, which cost $1.50 with caps and fuse.

An ordinary two-inch auger with a long handle is used and a half-pound stick of blasting powder is placed in each hole. The explosion breaks the ground all around for a distance of ten to fifteen feet, makes an opening at the surface eight to ten inches in diameter, and forms a subreservoir below the bottom of the hole from three to six feet in diameter, with the hardpan shivered into fragments. The openings and holes so created should be partially filled with sand or gravel to keep them opened permanently for the surplus rainfall. The work can be done in leisure time in dry weather. Largely increased crops result. The modern method of tree planting is to blow a hole for each tree with dynamite.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

RAISING CHICKENS FOR PROFIT.

(Mrs. Viola Daugherty.)

The first essential thing is to know the parents to be strong, healthy birds. Next, incubate the eggs carefully, so you will be sure to hatch strong, healthy chickens to begin with, otherwise you will make a failure.

When the chicks hatch, don't feed or water them for twenty-four hours; water them first, but don't give them cold water. Feed them hard-boiled eggs and bread crumbs mashed fine; also give dry wheat bran. Feed as often as they get hungry. This kind of feed is all o. k. for several days. Then begin feeding the wheat bran and bread moistened with milk. At two or three weeks old begin feeding wheat bran and corn chops mixed and moistened with milk. Continue the bran from the first feed until the chickens are ready for market. I don't think there is a better food than the corn chops and bran. Give them some milk and they will drink all times. When the chickens are large enough, feed them Kaffir corn and milo maize in whole grain.

See that the chickens are comfortable at all times. I prefer the heated brooders, believing they are especially beneficial in damp or cold weather. Notice the chicks carefully and you can soon tell when they are too cold or too hot. Don't overheat or chill them, either will weaken the chickens.

When they are about six weeks old they can do without artificial heat.

Cleanliness is half the battle. The coops and brooders should be cleaned and sunned, when possible, every day.

Hatch strong, healthy chickens and at the right time, so you can market them when prices are highest. To do this you will necessarily have to use incubators and brooders.

Feed the chicks often; and all they will eat up clean, and no more. Keep them dry and warm and everything clean; supply plenty of fresh water and grit, and never neglect your chicks and your success is assured.

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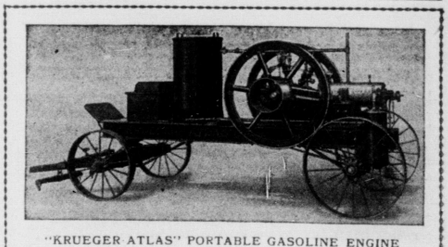
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Within the past few days hundreds of Northern farmers have passed through this city bound for the farming sections to the south. Many of them had been in Southwest Texas before and were on their way to settle on acreage previously purchased. The large land companies operating in this section have played no small part in bringing settlers, thoroughly experienced in their respective lines, with sufficient backing to start their business or farming ventures until the gradual developed industries become profit-producing.

The Howell Bros. Co. of Big Wells and San Antonio have sold land in their Big Four colony to E. M. Mandigo and S. M. Levine of Seattle, Wash., who passed through this city two days ago with a number of carloads of nursery stock bound for Big Wells, where they will establish one of the largest nurseries in the South.

Mr. Mandigo, in speaking of their trip to the Big Four colony said they had formerly been in this business on the Pacific Coast and for the past five months had traveled throughout the entire country seeking a location which would guarantee them an even climate with a certain and sure supply of water for their respective undertakings. The Imperial Valley in California we considered to be just the proper place for our location until a chance acquaintance brought us in contact with Howell Bros. of your city, who immediately persuaded us to investigate the lands on the Big Four colony adjoining the town of Big Wells. This at first we were loath to do, but always open for conviction we came to Southwest Texas and viewed the country thereabout, discovering to our surprise that the soil was richer than that of the Imperial Valley or any other section on the Pacific Coast, with ample railroad facilities for moving stock as soon as grown. This, in addition to lower freight rates and a shorter haul to the already waiting markets, caused us to purchase the land in preference to that of California, and we are here today with more than 500,000 grape-cuttings, and as many if not more of soft-shell walnut and other nursery stock, which are practically adapted for culture in a semi-tropical climate.

Mr. Mandigo says the best indication of this section's future is the wonderful crops that will soon be harvested from the numerous truck gardens and farms located here. Just in view of the extensive developed section is sufficient evidence of the future of the Big Wells section. The new railroads which are now building from San Antonio south and the "go-to-it" spirit of the business men and farmers of Southwest Texas is sufficient evidence of the great awakening that has taken place here within the past few years. One of these new roads will build into the Big Four colony, which, with the present railroad, will give the farmers and business men of that community traffic facilities equal to those of the North. We are more than pleased to think we investigated Southwest Texas before locating in California, and rest assured that it will be but a short time before this State will take front rank in the nursery business, and, further, it's our aim to make the Managua Nursery, under which name we will do business, known throughout the entire country.

FEDERALS AGAIN FACE DEFEAT

Federals in Position They Were Prior to Rebel Victory of Seventeen Days Ago.

JIMINEZ, Mex., April 16.—Developments of the last few days have resulted in a situation almost identical with that existing just prior to the battle which ended in Federal defeat near Corralitos seventeen days ago. The Federals under the immediate command of Gen. Telles are at Conejos, forty-six miles south of Escalon, where the van guard of the rebel army is located. The rebel commanding officers are Gens. Campos, Argumedo and Murillo.

Gen. Salazar is expected here tomorrow to assume charge of operations to the south, while Gen. Orozco will direct the campaign from Chihuahua. If the resumption of hostilities depends on the initiative being taken by the rebels there will be no fight for some days.

The Federals continue the operation of military trains between Bermijillo and Conejos, and rumors come of the presence of Government troops near Santa Rosalia. It was near this place that the railway wires were cut last night.

Goody-Goodies Failures

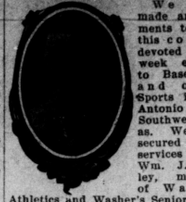
Minneapois Preacher Says Model Boys Aren't Worth Much.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 16.—That the "goody good" boy who does not play "hookey" from school, "swipe" watermelons and go swimming in the creek in the face of parental objection isn't worth much, even as a minister, when he grows up is the belief of the Rev F. A. Cone, pastor of the St. Anthony Park Methodist Church.

"If preachers are taken from this goody-good type of boys, so much the worse for the profession," said the Rev. Mr. Cone, in his address here at the Minneapolis Ministerial Association meeting.

"I do not believe that the adolescent period of a boys' life, when he rather would follow in the footsteps of Buffalo Bill than any of the saints, should be avoided."

BASEBALL NOTES



We have made arrangements to have this column devoted each week entirely to Base Ball and other Sports in San Antonio and Southwest Texas. We have secured the services of Mr. Wm. J. Dooley, manager of Washer's Athletics and Washer's Seniors. Any questions or information regarding Base Ball, etc., for the coming season, should be addressed to him, care Washer Bros. Co., San Antonio, and same will be fully and carefully answered in this column.

HOUSEHOLDS AND WASHERS WINNERS IN OPENING GAMES

Commercial League Starts Play After Hard Luck With Weather.

PARADE FEATURE OF THE DAY

Commercial League Standing.

Households	1	1	0	1000
Washer Orioles	1	1	0	1000
Chapa Reds	1	0	1	.000
Johnston & Bur'tt	1	0	1	.000

After disappointment because of bad weather on three Sundays, the Commercial Baseball League got under way at Krisch Park Sunday afternoon before a good crowd. In the first game the Households won from the Johnston & Burnett team, 10 to 2. In the second the Washer Orioles defeated the Chapa Reds, 5 to 3.

The first game went seven innings by agreement and the Households had the lead all the way. The second game traveled the complete nine, early activity standing the Orioles in good stead, for the Reds rallied in the eighth and ninth innings and made it interesting for their opponents.

The afternoon was nearly perfect for the opening of the league, which was preceded in the forenoon by an automobile parade through the city.

First Game.

Taking the lead in the first inning, the Households rocked along the balance of the route, never in danger from the opposition. The hitting of Hardy easily was the feature. Out of four times at bat he got a home run, a two-bagger and two singles. The balance of the time he ran bases and scored runs between whiles. Johnston & Burnett's team could do nothing with either Tracey or Toeppermen, while Williams and Harris had their troubles, errors also hurting them a bit.

Score by Innings.

Johnston & Burnett..000 020 0—2
Households.....220 600 *—10

Second Game.

The Washer Orioles had all their five runs in the second game before the Chapa Reds got started. The latter, however, kept up until they fell only two runs short of the other side's total. The hitting of Merkel, Hoffman and Gothardt for the winners was a feature, while Salinas and Rico walloped the ball for the other side. The Chapas' chances were injured a bit by errors, the long time since the real last spring practice sessions being in a measure responsible.

Score by Innings.

Washer Orioles.....020 020 10*—5
Chapas.....000 000 012—3

TWAIN'S FALL FROM GRACE.

Mark Twain was quite at his best as an after-dinner speaker at the dinner given in his honor a few years ago by the members of the Authors' Club. Incidentally he told the story of his first lapse from the paths of honesty. He was very young at the time, he explained, and the day was an exceedingly hot one. As he walked down the street of the village in which he was living he saw a cart loaded with melons of most attractive appearance.

"It is with regret I mention," Mark Twain went on, "that I was tempted and I fell. I grabbed the most likely looking melon of the lot and hurriedly made my way back to the woodshed. I gouged a huge slice out of it and bit it. No sooner had I done so when something within me convinced me that I had done wrong. A voice seemed to say, 'Mark, get up and take that melon right back to where you got it from.' It was about the greenest melon I had ever tasted. I went back to the cart and carefully replaced it, and—took a ripe one in its place."—Boston Traveler.

FREEL ALLEN DEFIES AUTHORITIES

SIDNA ALLEN AND WESLEY EDWARDS SEND WORD NEITHER WILL BE TAKEN ALIVE.

Lad Says the Spot Where His Uncle and Cousin Are Camping Is a Natural Fortress and They Will Fight to the End.

Hillsville, Va., April 16.—One more member of the famous Allen outlaw band is a prisoner today. Freel Allen, youngest member of the clan, is the sixth of the eight fugitives to fall into the net which the law has spread over the Blue Ridge Mountains. But two more of the outlaws are at large —Sidna Allen, the leader of the clan, and Wesley Edwards, his nephew—and it is doubtful that they will ever be captured alive.

After he became a prisoner Freel Allen transmitted to the posse leaders an ominous message from the two remaining clansmen, who are now the object of the great man hunt. First the youth told his captors that he had left his kinsmen two nights previous in a remote place in the mountains known as "No Man's Land." He said he and his two relatives had hidden in that spot for ten days, living on bread and water, and not daring to venture forth for fear that their trail would be immediately taken up by their pursuers.

The boy declared that the spot in which he last saw his uncle and cousin is a natural fortress. He said they are entrenched under a shelf rock, which protects them on three sides and from above. The fourth side, which is the only method of approach to their position, is defended by a breastwork of large tree trunks.

Talk of Starving Them Out.

"Tell the men who are hunting for us that they will have to fight to the death to capture us," is the message which the boy outlaw gave to the posse leaders, as sent by his two kinsmen. "Tell them that they will never get us alive. We never expect to see our homes or families again. We are ready to fight until the bullets flies free, but we will never be led into Roanoke prisoners. If the posse gets us, they will get two dead men, and they can be sure that there will be some dead detectives and deputies, too.

"We have four pistols and a Winchester pump gun that will shoot steel bullets a mile and our ammunition supply is sufficient to withstand a long battle. We are prepared to die fighting with our boots on, but we will never die in the electric chair."

Freel said that his uncle and cousin admitted to him that there had been a well-planned conspiracy to kill the officials at the Carroll County court house. If Floyd Allen, Sidna's brother, was sentenced on the charge of aiding a moonshiner to escape.

For Free Canal Service

But Waterway Conference would Bar Ships Controlled by Railroads.

Nashville, Tenn., April 16.—The report of the Committee on Resolutions of the Waterway Conference of the Southern Commercial Congress made public this afternoon, favors the use of the Panama Canal by American ships in the coastwise trade free of toll, but bars "ships owned or controlled by railroads or monopolistic interests."

Legislation necessary to bring about the construction of an American merchant marine and the carrying of American commerce in American ships under the American flag is favored.

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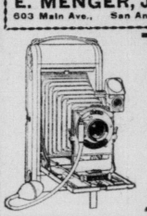


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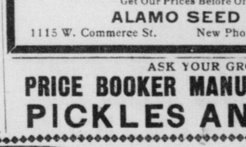
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Answer: There are some people who don't know as much as the ordinary long eared specimen of the braying tribe; view this class rather with pity than with censure, brother, they are suffering with an incurable case of complicated congested hollowitis of the head—they can't help it. As with two sore thumbs, we must deal gently with them and be glad there not more of them.

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FROM LONDON

George Fritz a business man of Harper, has been here several days visiting his brothers.

Lottie May and Mona Black visited at the A. J. Ivy ranch Wednesday.

R. C. Cannon and adopted daughter Myrtle, and Miss Rosa Amberson, accompanied Mrs. Linville and two sons to Menard Tuesday.

Mrs. Ida Linville and two sons Don and Carlos left Tuesday for Missouri

C. D. Hensley and Miss Belle McCollum attended the marriage of Prof. Coplen and Miss Cora Reese at Mason Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Bob Ivy and Miss Lottie Freeman left Wednesday for Temple, where Mrs. Ivy goes to the Temple Hospital for treatment. They were accompanied as far as Brady by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones in the Jones car.

T. J. Long, the Yates merchant was in London Wednesday on business.

ELEANOR

TO MARE OWNERS

"Scott Wilkes" combination Saddler and Driver, "Prince," Percheron Draft Horse, "Bruin," Registered Black Spanish Jack will make the season of 1912 at my place on Bear Creek. The stallions at Ten Dollars, the Jack at Fifteen Dollars, to insure mare with foal. Payable one half at time of service, balance by note payable when mare foals, is sold traded or moved out of the county. Mares proving to be not with foal can be returned for following season or another mare bred in her place. One dollar per month will be charged for care and pasturage on mares left at ranch, payable when mare is removed. Every care will be taken but no responsibility assumed in case of loss or accident. Fred Hall

The Death Angel's Visit

Within little more than twelve hours time the Death Angel claimed two people from our town this week. Elbe Pettitt, a nephew to Rance Pettitt the restaurant man died suddenly Wednesday evening. He had been working out in the country and not feeling well was being brought to town, when becoming suddenly worse he was dead almost before town was reached. It is not known exactly what was the cause of his death. Supposed to be either brain congestion or blood poison. He had complained but little up to the very last. Funeral services will be held here some time today, as the body is held awaiting the arrival of relatives.

Thursday morning the news flashed over the city that Mr. Ellis who has been lingering in a dying condition here for some time, had crossed over to the great beyond. Funeral services some time today.

B. Y. P. U. Program For Sunday, April 21, 2:30 P. M

Leader, Miss Alice Heyman.
Opening Song
Scripture Reading, Heb. 9
Prayer
Song by Misses Reba Wright, Ila Hurley, Ruth Stevenson, Messrs. Olney Patterson, and Kittrell Durst
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Roosevelt Roundup

There was preaching at Roosevelt last Sunday morning and evening.

There was singing at Tom Barfield's last Saturday night. All had a pleasant time.

Albert Meredith, of Junction, attended church here Sunday.

There was a party or "swing them round" at Mr. Flanagans last Friday night. Among those attending from Roosevelt were Miss Lora Penland and Miss Watkins, Messrs. Willie Watkins Henry Leifeste. All reported a jolly time.

Lewis Watkins' brother and family, from Mississippi, moved ere last week. We are glad to welcome them in our midst.

There will be a dance at Wm Wagners next Friday night, April 19. Everybody invited. Music will be furnished by Messrs. Barfield and and Wagner, the best musicians on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Moglan, of Owensville, were guests at the Grossenbacher home Sunday.

Bud Hodges and family, of the Divide, were in Roosevelt Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Prier returned home Tuesday from attending her mother's funeral.

Mr. Leifeste was in Sonora Saturday.

The received this morning the sad news of the death of Mr. Lewis Watkins' little baby. Obituary next week.

The Citizen is improving. It is a much better paper than it was three years ago, and is getting better all the time. It is certainly well worth $1.00 per year. We hope the subscribers won't be slow about paying up their subscription; the editor has to live, same as you or I do, and it appears to us that a man has a rather narrow nature who is not willing to pay $1.00 per year for a paper as good as THE CITIZEN is now—or has been the past years.

WILD ROSE

Thanks, Wild Rose; we appreciate your opinion in this matter, and are very glad to hear anyone say that they are liking the paper better. We are doing our best to build up a paper that is a fit representative of the county for which it stands. It is only by the help of our correspondents and others this may be done. Every time a man helps his local paper, financially, in collecting news, or otherwise, he is making the paper that much better for all the readers.

A Card of Thanks

An aching void is in our hearts that can never be filled. We have lost a loving husband and father, and we are so bowed down with grief and sorrow that we feel almost powerless to go on with duty. Yet we remember the kind friends who came to our assistance with words of consolation and deeds of kindness. And while can never express in mere words the grateful feeling in our hearts towards them, still we want to say we thank you all; and we thank those who brought beautiful tokens of flowers and evergreens.

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Will Fairchild was here from Segovia Saturday.

J. F. Gardner, of Roosevelt community, was in Junction Monday

Ed Fleming, a ranchman of the Telegraph community, was in Friday with a load of mohair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McWilliams were in from the ranch Friday and spent Friday night in the city.

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B. F. Corder was in from the ranch Tuesday.

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Ollie Fleming, of South Llano was in Junction Monday.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's liniment and it will soon disappear. Sold by all dealers.

Mrs. Wallace and son Ancil of Menard, were here on business first of the week.

Andrew Woods, of Bear Creek, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Sid Peterson, of Kerrville, was in Junction Saturday.

L. Beasley, of Segovia, was in Junction Saturday.

B. T. Joiner, of Bear Creek, was in Junction Saturday, and while here called around and added another subscription dollar to our accumulated millions.

W. T. Swanson, of San Antonio, is here this week writing insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hull and daughter Miss Ophelia were in from the Keystone ranch Monday

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Mrs. Newt Nance was in from the ranch Saturday and called at The Citizen office and left some cash on subscription "to enable the editor to help build the railroad."

CITIZEN want ads bring results

John Weaver was in to see us one day this week and ordered The Citizen sent to his friend Clint Spalding, at Waxahachie Texas.

A very important meeting of the B. Y. P. U. will be held a Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist Church. A nice program will be arranged and Mr Hart will sing for the young people A very important matter will come before the young people at that hour.

Those cakes at the F & M Restaurant tastegood to me.

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I know how to order that suit. —Edd Sanders.

A Singing Evangelist At Baptist Church

Mr. Vallie C. Hart, of Dallas, Texas, for years with the great Evangelist Major W. E. Penn, will be in Junction Saturday night of this week, and has phoned Mr. Simms, "I will sing for you a few nights while I'm there if you will have a meeting. I am dying out for want of a singing season."

Mr. Hart is not a preacher, but a lay member and will be in Junction on business, and offers to sing for Mr. Simms "because they are old friends." Mr. Simms will preach each night while Mr. Hart is in Junction.

Closing Notice

San Jacinto Day, (April 21) falling on Sunday, Junction State Bank will observe Saturday, April 20 as a holiday and will be closed for business on that day

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Edgar Patterson, one of our best known citizens and former business man, has been elected cashier of the First State Bank of Ft. Davis and entered upon the discharge of his duties last Monday morning. Mrs. Patterson and the children are still here but will probably go to Ft Davis next week. We regret to see this family leave Balmorhea but what is our loss is Ft. Davis's gain —Toyah Valley Herald.

Mr. Patterson is a son of our fellow-townsman. N. C. Patterson, and has many friends here who will be glad to hear that the young man is doing well.

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Two Women

(By Jeannette I. Helm.)

She had been lying there awake for some time watching the dawn creep grayly in through the window, bringing one familiar object after another out of the darkness: the white walls with prints tacked upon them, the table of medicine bottles, her bed, and finally the bed of her neighbor opposite. She tuned her head slowly and looked across. The occupant of the bed was sleeping with her face turned toward her and she looked at it closely, glad of any new interest after the night's weary vigil.

It was a sweet young face she saw, shaded by masses of dark brown hair, with a childlike mouth and long lashes that touched her cheek as she lay sleeping peacefully. The woman had been half asleep when the other was brought in the evening before, but she remembered hearing the nurses talking about her and the serious operation to be performed in the morning. Now she studied her in the growing light and wondered with a cool dispassionateness what mental caliber she had to support her in such a stress.

As she still watched her the other stirred and opened her eyes. They met those of the woman for a minute quite trustfully and happily and then a sudden rush of memory and fear blurred and broke up their quiet depths. The woman looked away, half ashamed to be caught, even unconsciously spying on her.

Presently she heard the other speaking.

"I beg you pardon, but do you know what time it is?"

"About half-past six."

"Thank you."

The voice was youthful and sweet, like the face. After a moment's silence she went on:

"I am glad there is not long to wait. They come for me at half-past seven."

"You have slept well?" the woman said rather curiously. "You are not nervous, then?"

"Terribly," the girl answered with a sudden shivering contraction of her whole body. "But they gave me something to make me sleep—I begged them to. I couldn't even bear the idea of the operation if it were not for my husband. I must be brave for him."

The woman lay silent for a little with averted face. The proud, yet tender tone in the other's voice had struck savagely on a still throbbing memory. She remembered her own hour of trial and endurance, faced alone, and the bitter lines about her mouth cut themselves still deeper.

"He is so worried about me," the girl went on. "But he is so wonderfully brave and hopeful all the time. I know I could never go through the operation if it were not for him. Dying would be easier; but I have him to live for, so that helps me to go on."

She noticed the tenseness of the woman's attitude and broke off.

"I—I didn't mean to bother you this way," she said, half timidly. "Only it makes the waiting less hard to talk to someone. But I won't speak if you want to sleep."

"I can't sleep," the woman answered briefly. "Please talk, if it helps you. Have you been married long?"

"Over a year," the girl said. "But I can't believe it, even yet. He is so clever and strong and I am so stupid and foolish that it seems impossible to me that he should have cared to marry me. I often tell Keith that I can do nothing well but love him."

"Is that his name?" asked the woman quickly.

"Yes. I think it suits him so well. It is strong, like himself. He is coming as early as they will let him, and then you will see for yourself that he is really too good for me."

"Don't believe that," the woman said brusquely. "Very few men are too good for their wives. I found that out long ago."

The day had now fully dawned, bright and cold, and the clear light fell full upon her face, bringing out mercilessly its worn grayness. The girl, looking over, wondered what dull tragedy lay behind its still traceable beauty.

"Your husband is dead?" she ventured after a pause which the other did not seem inclined to break.

"He deserted me three years ago," answered the woman bluntly, "and I believed in him as much as you do in your husband."

The girl drew in her breath with a sharp sound.

"Please forgive me for asking—I didn't know—I though—"

"It doesn't matter," the woman said wearily. "Only you see I have reason for what I said."

"You have been through a terrible experience indeed," said the girl, looking at her with deep pity in her soft eyes. "But it is an exceptional one, I know it must be. It would kill me to think that he—that all men were so heartless and cruel!"

"I hope you will never have occasion to think so," said the woman, with an involuntary softening of her hard tone. "Keep in your paradise as long as you can. You can never get back again once it is lost, that I assure you."

They were both silent for a while. The ward was quiet and empty except for themselves, but outside a baby wailed fretfully from some distant room and soft steps were heard hurrying up and down the corridors.

Suddenly the girl covered her face with her hands. "Oh, the awful, awful waiting!" she cried brokenly. "If it were only over now. I feel my courage going with every moment!"

"It will soon be over," soothed the woman. "It is not so terrible, after all—I know, for I have gone through the same thing—only you have youth and love on your side to fight for you. Think if you were alone! But you have him to live for."

"Oh, if I were only sure that he loved me!" wailed the girl. "All the rest would be easy to bear."

"Why should you doubt him?" asked the woman in some surprise.

"Just a moment ago you told me how much he cared for you. Has he ever given you any reason to doubt him?"

The girl stared at her with eyes wild with pain and dread.

"No, never. He has always been love and devotion itself; but ever since he married me I have had a fear, unspoken and hidden—for I've always thrust it far away from me as long as I could—that some day I should wake up to find it was all a dream and I was stone once more. And now you have roused that fear by what you told me, and I cannot conquer it. You have made me wonder if perhaps he, too, is like other men—have made me think and fear—I don't know what!"

She broke off with a choked sob and raised herself up in the bed wildly, gasping for breath.

"Don't think of anything but his present love for you," she said, holding the girl with steady eyes. "Don't fear that your love may not stand the test bravely. It will—I know that!"

They seemed now to have changed places, the woman's voice was strong and full of courage, and the girl felt a sudden sense of support and uplifting as she met her firm gaze. She fought back her tears.

"Yes, you are right," she gasped. "I will be brave. I know he loves me, and me only. But I would rather die than live to share his love with anyone else."

"You will not die then," said the woman, still with the same steady confidence in her voice. "I feel sure of that."

The girl leaned over suddenly and caught the other's hand.

"How you have helped me!" she said. "I cannot thank you enough."

The door was opened softly and the nurse came in, pausing to look, staring up at the ceiling while they went about their morning duties. When all was finished the girl pushed aside the screen and smiled over at her.

"My husband is coming to see me now," she whispered. "Now you will know why I love him so."

Nevertheless the woman did not turn to look when the door opened presently, and she heard the glad cry of welcome from the girl's bed, and it was only after a silence which lasted strangely long that she at last lowered her eyes slowly. They met those of a man standing still with his hand on the knob of the closed door behind him, and staring at her with a face blotted of all color and expression. Then suddenly the hospital walls, the narrow bed, the wondering girl opposite dropped away from her sight like mist-wreaths from a hilltop, and left only herself and the man before her. Shrill voices seemed to be hammering in her ears, asking quick questions that her brain spang to answer even before they took shape. Was this the reward of years of grimly patient waiting, of a never-acknowledged hope which yet had clung tenaciously at her heart? This the end of love and the beginning of hate? At all events—her brain made quick answer—she could strike and terribly. Then why not do it? He had not hesitated to strike the blow which wrecked and laid low her whole life and had turned her love into a corroding blight! Now the scales had shifted and it was her turn to speak, to slay!

His eyes went for a swift instant to the girl and then returned to her in a dumb, hopeless appeal. She knew well what he meant. Had the nurse not told her of the serious operation to be performed and of the girl's weak heart? What was it the girl had said herself a few minutes—or was it hours—ago? "I would rather die than live to share him with anyone else!" To tell her the truth now, she well knew, would be the girl's death warrant as well as his punishment. Well, what did it matter to her, after all? When the weak cling to the knees of the strong what wonder if they are trampled under? Let them be trampled under so long as revenge endures and hate stalks unsatisfied! So the voices shouted and urged—and then the girl spoke.

"I couldn't get a room, Keith; they were all taken; so they put me in here; but this is my friend, even though I don't know her name. We have been talking together and she has helped me to be brave, almost as much as you have, Keith. See how calm I am now."

She held up her hand and showed him its steadiness with a smile. "I don't feel at all afraid of the operation. She told me that she felt sure it would be all right, and somehow I feel sure of it, too, now. Won't you thank her for me, Keith?"

A sudden flash of love lit up the somber eyes of the man as they turned toward her for a moment, but they dulled again hopelessly as they came back to the woman. Her own eyes were hard and cold as steel as she looked at them both. She raised herself up in the bed with an involuntary movement of recoil, and the girl watched her with half-hurt wonderment at her silence.

"Don't thank me," she said at last in a harsh, choked voice. "And don't thank him. Thank yourself for all that you have, get well and be happy in your paradise."

She lay back again on the pillow with a sudden relaxing of her grim self-control that told how it had been shaken.

The man's face flushed for a moment and then paled as abruptly. He made a step toward the bed.

"Are you—do you mean——?" he asked hoarsely.

Her eyes burned him with their scorn. She had gained control of herself once more.

"See that you deserve her faith," she answered brusquely, and turning over on her side lay there with averted face. She heard his quick, indrawn breath of relief, the girl's puzzled call, "Keith!" heard him go to her with one glad step, heard their murmuring voices and the noise of the nurses and attendants as they brought the wheeled chair and took the girl out. But still she lay there motionless, staring with unseeing eyes at the white walls which seemed to close in upon her like a relentless future.

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Charles King, who is wanted by his lonesome family, bears numerous examples of the work of the best tattoo artists, as for example, that belt around his waist, made of the flags of all nations, carefully done in colors. On his chest an American eagle looks natural enough to steal chickens, and brandishes an olive branch in one talon, a bundle of arrows in the other.

But this isn't all; on body and legs are elaborate pictures of men, women and horses, while on one instep is the picture of a pig and on the other a picture of a hen. On one leg is a hound, but whether of the Missouri variety the writer does not say.

King's versatility in working is almost equal to his private art gallery. His first bet is employment as a stove molder, but he is capable also of acting as a hammer helper in a locomotive works; he can run an automobile; he is experienced as a yardman, a brakeman and a fireman on an engine.

He is more than 6 feet tall, has light hair, blue eyes, large nose and a gold tooth in the front of his upper jaw.

The letter to Chief Young is signed by Mrs. Sarah S. King.

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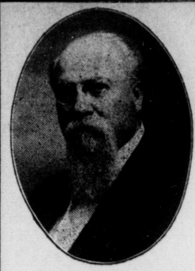
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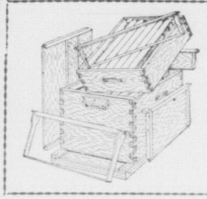
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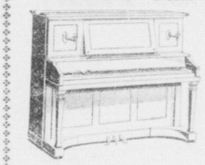
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The Edwards Townsite Company will be a Texas Corporation and will have $100,000 fully paid in, and I want with me some of the people who know this part of Texas

The Edwards Townsite Company's capital stock will consist of 1,000 shares of $100 each, par value. Some of this stock is now for sale at par—$100 a share. I want associated with me every person in Southwest Texas who knows anything about the rich artesian belt lands south of San Antonio, and who appreciates what the building of this new railroad—adding 200 miles of new road to the 123 miles already in operation—means. I really believe that I could sell this Edwards Townsite Company stock to those who have subscribed bonuses to the new railroad, just on its merits as an investment proposition, but I'm going to make this offer:

TO EACH SUBSCRIBER FOR STOCK IN THE EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY I AM GOING TO GIVE A TOWN LOT IN THE TOWN OF JOURDANTON, THE COUNTY SEAT OF ATASCOSA COUNTY, AND A TOWN LOT IN THE TOWN OF HINDES, LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE RICH SAN MIGUEL VALLEY, ATASCOSA COUNTY, AND I'M GOING TO GIVE THESE LOTS, WHICH I NOW OWN, ON THE BASIS OF THE TWO LOTS, ONE IN EACH OF THESE TOWNS, WITH EACH SHARE OF EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY STOCK.

(These lots are not simply small fractions of acreage in remote subdivisions or additions, but lots within the two townsites as originally platted.)

I am going to do this simply because I want the greatest possible number of individuals interested in the development of the new towns along the line of the new railroad. It is only a business proposition, because the more individual property owners there are in these towns, the more persons will be interested in the tributary country.

I've watched the development of this artesian country of Texas and I know that it's the greatest wealth-producing proposition out of doors. I flatter myself that I'm some sort of judge of land values, as I've pretty well demonstrated before, this, for while I've been working on this railroad deal—since 1908—I've been closing out my interests in the Texas Panhandle country and it was the money I made up there, where since September, 1907, I retailed close to 50,000 acres to actual settlers, that went into my undertaking down here. I know that the San Antonio territory—the rich lands of the counties of Atascosa, LaSalle, McMullen and the others to the south—will make more growth in the next five years than has been shown in all of the time since Texas quit Aztec rule.

THE GAME IS TOO BIG FOR ME ALONE AND THAT'S THE REASON FOR THE EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY. THERE'S GOT TO BE AN ORGANIZATION THAT CAN HANDLE THE PRESENT OPPORTUNITIES AND CASH THE CHANCES, AND THE EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY'S ORGANIZATION WILL DO THAT.

There will be ample security behind the Edwards Townsite Company's stock—aside from the town lots in Jourdanton and Hindes that will be given to subscribers—for I have arranged to back every share of stock that is sold with property in the town of Charlotte, Atascosa County—right in the heart of the Lagunilla Valley and where, in a few months, mostly to residents and the neighboring towns, who felt that the new railroad would be eventually constructed over the Edwards line.

Incidentally, I have sold more than $10,000 worth of Charlotte town lots within a due of eight miles. 40,000 acres of land are in cultivation.

WHEN YOU CONSIDER THAT MY CONTRACTS WITH THE SAN ANTONIO, UVALDE & GULF RAILROAD PUT ME IN ACTUAL POSSESSION OF THIS OPPORTUNITY, YOU WILL NECESSARILY REALIZE THAT THE EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY WILL BE A WINNER RIGHT FROM THE VERY OPENING OF THE NEW RAILROAD.

This Is My Plan For The Edwards Townsite Company

I have secured from Mr. J. E. Franklin contracts which place me in control of townsites and railroad lands along the lines of the new railroad. In addition to this, I have contracts for the sale of nearly 200,000 acres in numerous tracts between San Antonio and the southern terminals of the road. Also, I have large holdings in Jourdanton and Charlotte and a personal interest in the townsite of Hindes. I personally will give, from my present personal holdings, the town lots in Jourdanton and Hindes to subscribers to Edwards Townsite Company stock. I intend to transfer my land contracts to the company. I am now accepting payments of 10 per cent down—$10 on each share—the balance to the Edwards Townsite Company, as follows: 20 per cent before July 1, 1912, and upon payment I will issue the deeds to the two town lots free of all incumbrance, and the Edwards Townsite Company will issue the stock.

I want to associate with me in the Edwards Townsite Company, as stockholders, only that class of individuals that can recognize the main chance when it presents itself. I've got pieces of signed stock-talk-hopes, as is pretty well known wherever the San Antonio newspapers are read, for $20 stock in this railroad deal for nearly four long years, until I saw the final contracts signed and delivered and received the approval of more than a score of doubting Thomases. There is now acute realization that a real railroad is being really built. Therefore, for the individual who appreciates the man who stuck until he makes good this chance to invest from $100 up in Edwards Townsite Company stock, with the personal bonus of town lots I am giving to subscribers, is the chance of a lifetime to cash in on the development that will follow the construction of the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf over the Edwards route.

TO THE PUBLIC

In making this offer of stock in the Edwards Townsite Company I believe that I am giving to the investor of moderate means a splendid opportunity to secure liberal, certain and early profits. I have every reason to believe that the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad will be completed at a date earlier than specified in the bond furnished by Mr. Franklin to the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce. I know that the line from San Antonio to Fowlerton will be in operation before next Christmas. As a matter of fact, bonus contracts are based upon the completion of this portion of the new road—San Antonio to Fowlerton, by way of Jourdanton, Charlotte and Hindes—by November of this year.

I have found in my four years' experience in this part of Texas that a man can best succeed when he has the active co-operation of many individuals. I staked my all on the building of the railroad and Jourdanton, and many of the men and the money necessary are doing the work. I have been a "sticker" and nothing has come easy for me in this deal. I am in a position now to gain the profits that will follow. I don't want all the money that is to be made out of this railroad development, because it is impossible for me to alone do all the work that needs to get it.

I say frankly that I need the help of the public to successfully carry out the development plans proposed along the route that will be followed by the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf.

The one-hundred dollar man will look just as good to me as the thousand-dollar investor in this Edwards Townsite Company, and inquiry among those with whom I have done business on the railroad deal will convince any fair-minded person that I am on the square. That those who know me believe and trust in me is shown by the fact that among the bonuses turned over to Mr. Franklin by me were some from landowners who had renewed their contracts with me as many as four times.

I believe that the Edwards Townsite Company is going to be the most potent factor in the development of San Antonio's front garden—that's really what the artesian belt country is—and I'll work just as earnestly and honestly in carrying it through as I have for San Antonio's new railroad.

Excepting when I'm out at the front finishing up the right of way work for the railroad, you'll find me at the Gibbs building, and I'll always be glad to show you that there is a mighty promising future for my company. Yours very truly,

J. F. Edwards

This letter shows that the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce has fully protected the interests of this city, and that strong financial backing is behind the new railroad.

WEST TEXAS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. 4/1/12.

Mr. J. F. Edwards,
710 Gibbs Building,
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

This is to inform you that we are in receipt of advice from Mr. J. E. Franklin that he adopted and accepted your grade and will construct or cause to be constructed over same a railroad from Jourdanton through Charlotte and Hindes to Fowlerton, Texas, and have same in operation on or before February 1, 1913.

Mr. Franklin has, under contract with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, filed with us a bond for $50,000.00, reading as follows:

"The condition of this bond is that the said Franklin will build or procure the building of a standard gauge railroad from San Antonio, Texas, to Campbellton, Texas, by February 1, 1913, and by that date also extend the Crystal City and Uvalde Railroad from Fowlerton, Texas, to a connection with the line he now promises to build, in a southerly direction from San Antonio, and that failing to finish the track laying as above stipulated, that he will forfeit and pay to the said West Texas Bank & Trust Company, Trustee, for the above named parties, Fifty ($50.00) Dollars per day for each and every day of delay beyond the date of February 1, 1913.

A further consideration of this bond is that the said Franklin will extend or cause to be extended, said railroad from Campbellton, Texas, to a point on the Gulf Coast by date of February 1, 1914, or forfeit and pay to the West Texas Bank & Trust Company for the parties first named above, Fifty ($50.00) Dollars per day for each and every day's delay beyond that date. In case of default and payment of the above forfeiture, or any part thereof, the same shall be pro-rated by said Trustee to the beneficiaries herein, in the ratio of their subscriptions to said 'One Hundred Thousand Dollars bonus.'"

Yours truly,

Cashier.

There is Every Assurance of Safe, Legitimate Investment for Each Subscriber to Stock of Edwards Townsite Company

JOURDANTON—One lot with each share of Edwards Townsite Company stock.

Jourdanton town lots at $100 each are considered bargains by those who reside right in Atascosa County and are familiar with town values. Each subscriber of stock in the Edwards Townsite Company becomes the owner of a Jourdantown town lot, selected out of the original townsite.

HINDES—One lot with each share of Edwards Townsite Company stock.

Each subscriber to stock in the Edwards Townsite Company will receive a town lot in the new town of Hindes and with the rapid growth that is certain to follow the completion of the new railroad there is every reason for believing that Hindes will become one of the important points on the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf system.

CHARLOTTE

In the past few months I have sold more than $10,000 worth of town lots in the new town of Charlotte, mostly to merchants in the towns of Tobey, Crown, Miguel and other places that will not be on the route of the new railroad. These investors are now arranging to move to Charlotte, where in the season of 1911, and without a railroad, more than 1,000 bales of cotton were ginned. A cotton-seed oil mill is now being built there. Charlotte is in the very center of the Lagunilla Valley and within a radius of only eight miles of the railroad 40,000 acres of land. I know that this land is in cultivation because with the engineering corps of the railroad systems I personally went over the country once a fortnight.

When you consider that 40,000 acres of the Atascosa County artesian land in cultivation means that there will be produced hundreds and hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of farm products, you will readily see that this year should give this new town a great impetus in growth. I have had lots of people down to Charlotte with me and there has never been, that I know of, a single person to say that I have exaggerated matters one iota when I spoke of what there was in the way of natural resources in this vicinity. As well as being in the artesian belt, Charlotte has shown that there is abundance of shallow water of excellent quality, thus insuring for the settler an early and good return for his labor. There are already planned for Charlotte and more are planned to be started within the next couple of months. When I first decided to locate a townsite in the Lagunilla Valley of Atascosa County, I investigated several sites and when I decided upon Charlotte I felt enough confidence in the proposition that I personally invested rather heavily there. A number of my friends who have followed my advice in former deals have also put money into Charlotte and I know that this is going to be one of the very best towns along the entire route of the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad. To subscribers for stock in the Edwards Townsite Company stock I am going to give a town lot in the town of Jourdanton and the town of Hindes, but I advise each prospective subscriber to ascertain whether this is not more than ample—just ask any resident of Atascosa County on the line of the new railroad and acquainted with land values and town resources.

I want every person who reads this to make fullest inquiry about what I have done for the development of the territory south of San Antonio and to be fully satisfied that every statement I make is to be relied upon.

J. F. EDWARDS

ORGANIZING Edwards Townsite Co.

708-709-710 Gibbs Bldg Phone 7622

SAN ANTONIO

APPLICATION FOR EDWARDS TOWNSITE COMPANY STOCK

J. F. Edwards, 708-709-710 Gibbs Building, San Antonio, Texas.

Herewith find $..... being 10 per cent payment for ..... Shares of the Capital Stock of the Edwards Townsite Company, same to be issued and deeds to Town Lots in the Towns of Jourdanton and Hindes, Atascosa County, Texas, to be delivered of balance of $90 per share when Edwards Townsite Company is chartered and under the laws of the State of Texas, before July 1, 1912.

Signed .....

Address .....

I am interested in Farm Lands ..... ; Truck Lands ..... ; Irrigated Lands ..... ; Jourdanton ..... ; Pleasanton ..... ; Charlotte ..... ; Hindes ..... ; LaSalle ..... ; Fowlerton ..... ; Business Opportunities ..... ; Investments ..... ; in the San Antonio, Uvalde & Gulf Railroad's territory.

No Shingles for Houston

Entire City Is Included in New Fire District Ordinances.

Houston, Texas, April 16.—An example of how the progressive American city recovers from a blow is evidenced in the rapidity of Houston rebuilding in the burned district of forty city blocks, devastated in a $6,000,000 February 21. More than two hundred building permits have been issued for new construction in the burned district, while owners of destroyed industrial plants already are drawing plans for larger, more commodious and fireproof plants.

Immediately following the fire, at the urgent request of the Chamber of Commerce, the City Council extended the fire limits to include the sixteen square miles in the Houston city limits. The ordinance requires fireproof roofing on all new construction. The extent of the February fire was due to sparks catching on shingles.

Brick Breaks On Her Head

Missile Used by Kansas Negro on His Wife Ineffective.

Kansas City, Kan., April 16.—The police of this city believe they have discovered the "hardest head." A negro woman today entered the station holding her head and asked for a doctor.

"Who hit you?" demanded Sergeant Elmer Biggs.

"My husband. He got mad and hauled off and hit me with a brickbat."

"Did he hit you hard?"

"Yes, sir, I should say he did. The brick busted in two or three pieces."

The police surgeon took a dozen stitches in the wound after removing small particles of broken brick. The skull was not injured. The patient walked to Kaw River.

Spite Piciures the Latest

Boston Millionaire's Barns Are Wonderfully Adorned.

Moultonboro, N. H., April 16.—Enormous roosters holding $500 bills in their bills, and Indian squaws with tongues sticking out, are painted on the buildings of the estate of Thomas G. Plant, the Boston millionaire.

A rough board fence, twenty feet high, runs for several hundred feet along the roadway. The fence blocks the view of Oesped Mountain for some of Mr. Plant's neighbors, who have refused to sell their homes at his price, or who have refused to sell at any price.

The roosters and Indians on the sides of the barns, grotesque and hideous, show above the fence. These scenic caricatures spoil what view the fence does not obstruct.

Holy Roller Goes Mad

Under Hallucination, Oklahoma Barber Drives Family From Home.

Muskogee, Okla., April 16.—R. F. Gibson, a barber of Tahlequah, became insane, drove his family from their home and demolished the furniture today. He then mounted the wood pile, and, with a stick of stove wood, defied arrest.

His hallucination is that he is appointed by God to destroy. He belongs to the Holy Roller sect. He was placed in any asylum several months ago under a hallucination that he was being crucified. Gibson is now in jail.

THE LAST VICTORY.

George E. Brown, in Chicago Evening Post of March 11.

From Pole to Pole, discovery has run
As once it trailed the courses of the sun.
From Pole to Pole, ambition's conquest waves
Triumphant banners o'er heroic graves.
And thus small world that mocked adventure's quest
Has met supremacy—and failed the test.
Nor ice nor fire, nor any other state
Could finally oppose the march of fate—
The march invincible, that calmly dares
The Terror crouching in its sunless lairs.
So leads the dauntless spirit of the brave,
For human use earth's hidden wastes to save.
Where other Poles await the laggard claim
Of need, above mere geographic fame:
The social Poles, in anti-social slums,
Where no relief of life's black horror comes;
The cruel Poles of ignorance and hate,
Where souls in torment for their savior wait;
The selfish Poles of heartlessness, as cold
As Arctic records to our dread have told.
Not he who first invades the starving fear
Of alien life a world's applause shall hear,
But one who breaks life's last enslaving chain
gain.

WHEREIN THE DANGER LAY.

"Have you any objections to my taking your daughter to the theatre, sir?"

"No; not so long as you don't let her select the play."

Mrs. Catterson—Wouldn't your guests stay any longer at your house party?

Mrs. Hatterson—Oh, yes; but, my servants wouldn't.

SCARED.

Estelle—Jessica was terribly frightened, I hear, and only one thing prevented her teeth chattering.

May—What was that?

Estelle—They were on her dress.

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Services First Second and Third Sundays in each month, morning and evening. Midweek services each Wednesday night. B. Y. P. U. usual time Rev. B W N Simms, Pastor.

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

CHRISTIAN.—Services Fourth Sunday in each month, morning and night

PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Third Sunday morning and evening

SECRET ORDERS

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.

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W. C.

Woodmen Circle meets second and fourth Wednesday afternoons in each month. Mrs Beatrice Wright, Guardian. Mrs Lilla Chenault, Clerk

M O P

Meets Saturday night before 1st 4th Sunday in each month C.R. St venson S. A.

K OF P.

Junction Lodge No. 238, meets 1st Wednesday and 4th Saturday in each month. W. R. McKee, C. C.

I. O. O. F.

Meets every Friday night; N A Petrie N G; Hilry Henderson, Secretary

O. E. S.

Junction City Chapter No 497 meets 2d Saturday afternoon and 4th Thursday evening of each month.

Mrs. Ethel Atchison, W. M.
Mrs. Minnie Riley, Sec'y.

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J. B. Robertson Chapter U. D. C meets 1st and 3d Wednesdays in each month. Mrs. Dona Boone, President Miss Minnie Stephens, Treasurer.

Woman's Home Mission Society meets Friday before second Sunday in each month. Mrs. J. T. Bissett, Pres Mrs. J. N. Hodges, Treas. Miss Eula Hodges, Sec. Mrs. F. M. Chasa, Cor Sec.

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