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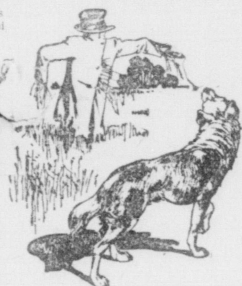
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FIRE CLAIMS 150 LIVES

VICTIMS CRUSHED BY JUMPING,
SMOTHERED AND CREMATED.

HAD NO MEANS OF ESCAPE

Girls Jump From Eighth, Ninth and Tenth Floors to Pavement.
Employers Escape.

New York.—More than 150 persons, nine-tenths of them girls from the east side, were crushed to death on the pavements, smothered by smoke or shriveled to a crisp in the worst fire New York has known since the steamship General Slocum was burned to the water's edge off North Brothers Island in 1904.

Nearly all, if not all, of the victims were employed by the Triangle Waist Company on the eighth, ninth and tenth floors of a ten-story loft building at No. 23 Washington Place, on the western edge of the downtown wholesale clothing district. The partners of the firm, Isaac Harris and Max Blanck, escaped unscathed from the office on the tenth floor, carrying with them over an adjoining roof Blanck's two young daughters and a governess. There was not an outside fire escape on the building.

How the fire started will perhaps never be known. A corner on the eighth floor was its point of origin and the three upper floors only were swept. On the ninth floor fifty bodies were found, sixty-three or more persons were crushed to death by jumping and more than thirty clogged the elevator shafts. The loss to property will not exceed \$100,000.

Pedestrians going home through Washington place to Washington Square at 4:30 o'clock were scattered by the whirl of something rushing through the air before them; there was a horrible thud on the pavement and a body flattened on the flags.

Rain of Flesh and Blood.

"Don't jump; don't jump," yelled the crowd, but the girls had no alternative. The pressure of the maddened hundreds behind them and the urging of their own fears were too strong. They began to fall to the sidewalk in a terrible rain of flesh and blood.

Four alarms were rung within fifteen minutes. Before the engines could respond, before the nets could be stretched or the ladders raised, five girls had fallen from the eighth and ninth floors so heavily that they broke through the very streets into the vaults below. In an hour the fire was out; in half an hour it had done its worst. Probably the death list was full in twenty minutes.

The building stands on a corner with an exposure on two streets. But the only fire escape was in the interior, opening on a light and air shaft.

In all there were seven exits—the single fire escape, two freight elevators at the rear, two passenger elevators in front and two stairways. All of them proved almost useless and practically all who escaped either climbed through the roof and scrambled thence to the building occupied by the American Book Company, adjoining, or fled in the first rush for safety before the crush and the smoke grew too thick.

Seven hundred persons, 500 of them women, were employed by the company. They sat in rows at their whirling machines, the tables before them piled with flimsy cloth, the floor littered with lint, the air itself full of flying inflammable dust. The first rush of flame was almost an explosion. Operators died in their chairs, their lungs seared by inhaling flames. Others were crowded into the elevator shafts after the cars had made their last trip. Still others were pushed off the inadequate interior fire escape.

In such a horrible stream did the bodies overflow from the windows that the fire net stretched by the first company to arrive, were soon gorged beyond capacity. Twelve bodies weighted one net to the bursting point, but the bodies kept on tumbling to the pavement, through meshes that could no longer support them.

The Aftermath.

New York.—What will go down in history as the fire at the Triangle of Washington square, entered upon its aftermath Sunday with 82 of the nearly 150 victims identified. The official death list has been lessened rather than increased.

Revised count shows 141 dead with twelve women and girls at death's door in the hospitals. All told 150 will perhaps conservatively cover the casualties when those whose horrible hurts and burns seem fatal have joined their fellow workers now in pine coffins in the morgue.

Careful counting still rates the feminine victims, young and old, at approximately ten to every one masculine. Broadly speaking, they are Israelites and Italians, living either on the east side or in a small Italian quarter near the scene of the fire.

MEXICAN CABINET RESIGNS

SENSATIONAL ACTION OF DIAZ'S
OFFICIAL FAMILY.

Creel the Spokesman—Believed That Limantour Will Be Retained—All Were Unpopular.

City of Mexico.—The Diaz cabinet resigned in a body at a special meeting of that body Friday. The president deferred action upon the resignations.

The reason given for the action, in an official announcement, is the belief that it will contribute to the re-establishment of peace and facilitate the reforms which are in contemplation.

Enrique C. Creel, minister of foreign relations, presented the resignations in behalf of all of the ministers. General Diaz thanked the retiring members for their efficient and patriotic co-operation in the past and announced that he would postpone his acceptance or rejection until later.



PRESIDENT DIAZ OF MEXICO.

The resignations included that of Ramon Corral as minister of the department of governance, corresponding to the department of the interior in the United States, but not as vice president.

All Well Along in Years.

Not one of the men who until today formed President Diaz's cabinet is less than 65 years of age and a number of them are much older. With the exception of Enrique C. Creel, minister of foreign affairs, all have been members of the president's official family for a great many years, and this fact alone has been one of the grievances of the revolutionists, who have insisted that the chief executive should surround himself with representatives of the younger generation, men more closely in touch with the affairs of the people.

Following are those whose resignations were received:

Enrique C. Creel, minister of foreign affairs; Ramon Corral, minister of interior; Jose Ives Limantour, minister of finance; Olegario Molina, minister of fomento; Justo Sierra, minister of education; Manuel Gonzalez, minister of education; Manuel Gonzalez Cosio, minister of war and marine; Leandro Fernandez, minister of public works and communications; Justino Fernandez, minister of justice.

All Are Unpopular.

Without exception these men have contributed valuable services to their country and to their president, but the popular feeling against them has been growing steadily since long before the beginning of the revolution. Ramon Corral is not so old that his age can be used as an argument against his usefulness, but ill health during the last few months has served the same purpose, especially when it is taken into consideration that the man has not been popular among a great proportion of the people from whose ranks the revolutionists are drawn.

Creel Not Deceitful.

Enrique C. Creel is not by any means in the deceitful class, but he, too, has fallen under the displeasure of the forces opposing the administration, and his age serves as an excuse. What has contributed more than age, however, to his unpopularity among the masses is the fact that he is a rich man and incurred the hostility of many in his own state Chihuahua. That Mr. Creel is a diplomat was demonstrated in his conduct of his office as ambassador to the United States, and his record as a cabinet officer is considered good by the conservative element.

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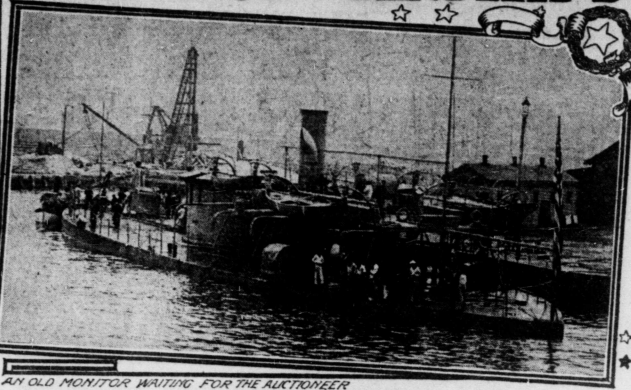
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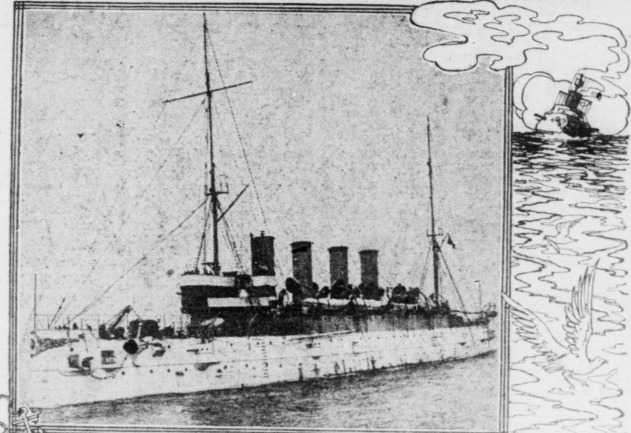


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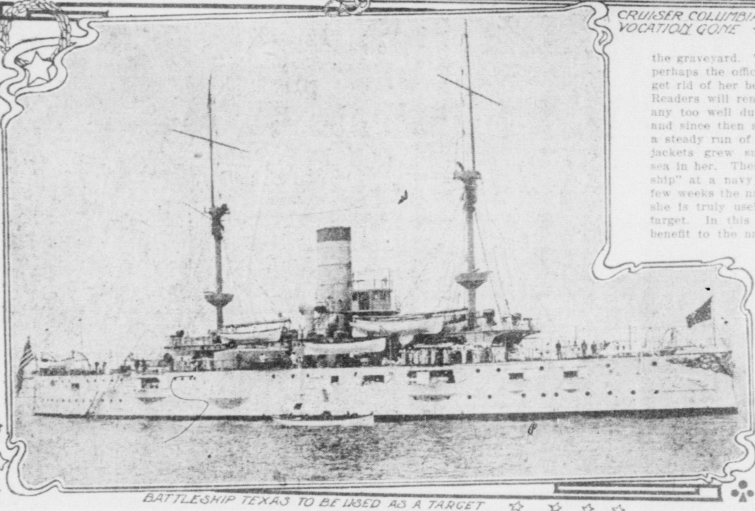
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AN OLD MONITOR WAITING FOR THE AUCTIONEER



CRUISER COLUMBIA—HER VOCATION GONE



BATTLESHIP TEXAS TO BE USED AS A TARGET

It is appalling to people who think that a house or a wagon or carriage or a piano wears out more quickly than it ought, to realize how much more rapidly, proportionately, an all-metal warship, built to stand an enemy's shot and shell, will outlive its usefulness without ever having fired a hostile shot or been made the target of an enemy's gun. And the worst of it—at least from the standpoint of the people who think that altogether too much money is being spent for death-dealing paraphernalia—is that the active life of the average warship appears to be steadily growing shorter. Time was, not so very long ago, when the active life of a warship was supposed to be at least twenty years, but so rapidly do fashions in war craft change in this effete twentieth century that the busy career of a fighting craft is now much shorter than a score of years.

Partly because of these tendencies to short life on the part of warships and partly because he has come to be the owner of the second largest navy in the world, Uncle Sam has been mighty busy this past year or two revising his category of warships. He has been weeding them out right and left, if such a term may be used. It is customary to say, in the popular form of expression, that Uncle Sam has been selling off his worn-out warships, and yet, strictly speaking, that hardly expresses the situation. For one thing, the ships are not literally worn out, as has been explained above, and then again the government has not been "selling out" in all instances. Indeed, in the case of some of the obsolete ships put up at auction the bids received have been so low that indignant naval officers have been wont to remark that the navy department has been "giving away" its "has-beens." In not a few instances the government—sometimes because no outsider would pay a rational price—has been driven to using its old warships in ways never anticipated when the ships were built.

But whatever the exact mode of disposition, the significance is the same—the obsolete vessel is considered as "junk," even though it still be capable of usefulness in a small way. When it was announced last year that the powers that be at the naval headquarters had designated some \$50,000,000 worth of warships to be sent to the scrap heap there were wags of astonishment from good folk all over the land who had thought that when we built a warship we made a permanent investment. Yet that shock is likely to have frequent repetition. Indeed, it looks as though the discards every calendar year would reach or exceed the fifty million mark on the basis of original cost. The year 1911 is not very old and yet it has brought tidings of the prospective compulsory retirement of a number of costly ships—some of them completed only a few years ago and supposed to embody all the lessons we learned during the Spanish-American war.

Every merchant knows that it is not good policy to hold on to "dead stock" simply because he paid out good money for it once upon a time, and so Uncle Sam is following an approved business principle in this scheme of taking frequent inventory of his naval possessions. The plan of actually getting rid of surplus craft came about through the sale as junk a few years ago of the last of the old Civil War monitors. These brought him bid for some vessels less ancient. Then, all of a sudden, with the appearance of the British battleship "Dreadnaught" there was unexpectedly ushered in the present era of the "all big gun" ships, an era that in effect brought to an untimely close many promising careers in warshipdom—cut short, in other words, the usefulness of a number of unwarmed and lightly armored craft that might have continued in the vocation for which they were built for many heavily armored sea warriors.

Battleships are, according to present ideas, the longest-lived of all warships. Of the more than thirty heavyweights of the naval fighting force which have been constructed by the United States, only one has as yet been condemned to

the graveyard. This exception is the Texas and perhaps the officials were all the more ready to get rid of her because she was a "hoodoo" ship. Readers will remember that she did not behave any too well during the Spanish-American war, and since then she has been afflicted with such a steady run of ill luck that many of the blue-jackets grew superstitious about venturing to sea in her. Thereupon she was made a "station ship" at a navy yard and now within the past few weeks the navy department has decided that she is truly useless and she will be used as a target. In this function she may be of more benefit to the navy, though indirectly, than she ever was during her active career. It is most essential for the planning of the battles of the future that our naval experts shall know in advance just how modern high explosives, when fired from present-day guns of the heaviest class, will act when they encounter the resistance of the armor on a battleship. Tests with such armor set up as a target on shore do not give exactly the same conditions that would obtain in a fight at sea. The discarded Texas, however, anchored to receive gun fire just as though she were a hostile battleship, will give the naval experts the information they need for the future and to lay their plans accordingly.

While out battleships, even though some of them were built full twenty years ago, continue in fashion, a very different fate has befallen the steel monitors which once ranked next to battleships in the estimation of our naval authorities and everybody else. Uncle Sam had nearly a dozen of these armored monitors—a distinctive Yankee invention that originated during the Civil War—but they have all been sold off or relegated to ignominious duty. This fate has even befallen the Nevada, the Florida (later the Tallahassee) and the others of the quartette of modern monitors which were constructed for coast defense, only a little more than a decade ago and cost a million and a half dollars each.

An immense collection of warships that is rapidly passing is that made up of cruisers such as the Boston, Marblehead, Detroit and a score of others. Some of these have already been retired from service, while others are yet employed for "keeping peace" in Central America and for patrol work, particularly in shallow waters where the battleships can not readily find anchorage. However, they have neither the speed nor the armor to enable them to take a hand in up-to-date warfare on the seas as it would be conducted in this day and generation by any up-to-date power and so gradually they will have to give way. The same is true of some of the gunboats built long ago—though not a few of them are yet adapted to patrol duty where there is no danger of heavy fighting—and as for our pioneer torpedo boats, why they are so far outclassed that the battleship fleet has been using them up one by one for several years past as targets during the semi-annual target practice.

Since the navy department found that adequate bids cannot be obtained for many of the vessels which it is discarding but which are perfectly serviceable in so far as seaworthiness is concerned, it has been considering the suggestion made by a number of congressmen that these vessels be turned over to the naval militia of the various states for use as training ships or practice ships. Vessels such as the cruiser Charleston and St. Louis would be ideal for such purpose.

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"We consulted two doctors at Chicago, where we resided at that time. After trying all the medicine of the two doctors without any result, we read of the Cuticura Remedies, and at once bought the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Following the directions carefully and promptly we saw the result, and after four weeks the dear child's face was as fine and clean as any little baby's face. Every one who saw Gilbert after using the Cuticura Remedies was surprised. He has a head of hair which is a pride for any boy of his age, three years. We can only recommend the Cuticura Remedies to everybody." (Signed) Mrs. H. Albrecht, Box 552, West Point, Neb., Oct. 26, 1910.

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Parental Tactics.

A worried parent is sometimes obliged to do something like this: "Pa, what is a transcendentalist?" "Have you claimed up the dog as I told you?" "Not yet, pa." "Well, do that, and when you come back I will tell you what a transcendentalist is."

While Bobby was gone his astute parent dug the needed information out of a dictionary.

Up to Him.

Tom—I'm dead sore. I lost \$5 to-day. I feel like somebody ought to kick me.

Tess (absently)—Why don't you ask father for my hand tonight—he's right in the library.

Too Costly.

"When I want to flatter a man I ask him for advice."

"I take it for granted that you never want to flatter a lawyer."

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A woman who speaks but one language usually talks enough for two.

Women's Secrets

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"He pretty good gets along," came the baker's assuring answer, with an elevation of the chin and a swelling chest. "He plays 'Home, Sweet Home' with such sweetness that makes you wish for the Fatherland. And, by golly, you ought to hear him play that 'Nearer, My God, to You.'"

Very Vivid.

"In descriptive writing," said William Dean Howells, at a dinner at the Authors' club in New York, "a vivid phrase is always better than a half dozen paragraphs."

"The vivid phrase is what every writer should seek. A phrase, I mean something like that of the baby who shouted to its mother and got the a-buttering bricks!"

"Oh, mamma, turn 'em see the a-buttering bricks!"

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The O. By the way, clarifying that is the only an; that tho with the late coat, or skirt, attention, are fashionable a objectionably wanted a ter too, by wife, approval. Unf self is object and loses it station.—Harp

For Early Spring



THE two small hats shown here are designed on novel frames, made of shirring wire. The frames are covered with mull first and then with a light silk fibre braid in a fancy weave. The braid is sewed to the shapes, beginning at the top of the crown, in the simplest manner. As the crowns and brims are separate, they are covered separately, the crowns set on and sewed to place after both are covered with braid.

In Fig. 1 the braid is sewed row after row with silk thread matching it in color. It is sewed to both upper and under brim following the lines of the wire frame. This is one of the few shapes which can be successfully covered by the home milliner. As a rule, hats are difficult this spring and require the knowledge of the professional milliner to make them successfully. As the braid is very light in weight, a heavier braid requires that the facing be of another material, such as chiffon or light weight silk or ribbon, which should, to get the best effect, be shirred on.

Fig. 2 shows strips of ribbon and braid alternated about the brim. The

ribbon is a light weight, satin surface, in the same color as the braid. Short lengths are shirred over the upper and under brim, alternating with strips of the braid sewed row on row together. A length of ribbon, and a length of braid consisting of three rows sewed together in a strip a yard long is used as a drape about the hat. A big rosette made of loops of ribbon at the side, toward the back, finishes a smart and practical hat for general wear.

In Fig. 1 a band of velvet ribbon or of crushed silk is draped in a sash over the place where the crown sets on the brim. This shape admits of quite a variety of finishes. For youthful wearers the single long jaunty quill has a lot of dash and go. It is the best solution for the simplest and smartest effects, but not appropriate for any one except young wearers. A tuft of upstanding plumes or fancy feathers for older women, or loops of lace or ribbon, or any of the mountains of flowers which form a complete trimming ready to adjust, will help out the home milliner in making her Easter headwear.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

WIDE CHOICE OF MATERIAL

Many Charming Textures in Which This Costume for Spring Would Be Effective.

There are many charming materials among those prepared for spring dresses that would make up successfully in this style. The skirt is slightly full at the waist and is trimmed effectively at the lower part by silk strapping and scalloped hem of silk, which gives the effect



of an added and wrapped-over lower part, a silk-covered button is sewn in each scallop.

The bolero is cut like a Magyar blouse, and is trimmed to match the skirt. The undersleeve is of crepe-de-chine, tucked for the under-sleeves. Hat of fine straw trimmed with a handsome ostrich feather. Materials required for the dress: 5 yards 46 inches wide, 2 yards silk 22 inches wide.

The Overdressed Woman.

By the way, Parisians are now declaring that the conservative woman is the only really well-dressed woman; that those who rush to the front with the latest eccentricity of hat, or coat, or skirt, in order to attract attention, are not only not smart in its fashionable acceptance, but over and objectionably smart. They have invented a term, a contemptuous one, too, by which to express their disapproval. Unfortunately, the term itself is objectionable to English ears, and loses its point entirely in translation—Harper's Bazar.

Stitching.

When working on the sewing machine, if the thread breaks easily, soak spool and all in water for about two minutes. This rule applies to any quality of thread.

GOOD ROADS FOR GULF COAST

ASSOCIATION HOLDS ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING AT BEAUMONT.

Auto Owners Are Interested—Encouraging Reports Were Received From Many Points.

Beaumont, Tex.—There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Gulf Coast Good Roads Association Wednesday, which was attended by representative from Houston, Galveston, Liberty, Port Arthur and Beaumont. John W. Gates, the president, presided, and Secretary and General Manager J. H. Hawley of Galveston was on hand. In addition there were present: From Houston, J. S. Cullinan, Turner Williams and H. T. D. Wilson; from Beaumont, P. A. Heilig, J. Frank Keith, E. A. Fletcher, William Saenger, J. D. Wilkerson, T. W. Larkin, F. A. Levy, P. B. Doty, J. P. Withers, John N. Gilbert, J. C. Ward, Leon Seefeld, J. F. Weed, O. C. Edwards, Alex Feigelson and R. L. White; from Liberty, W. J. Zeiss; from Port Arthur, John W. Gates and R. H. Woodworth; from Orange, J. A. Holland and George W. Hancock; from Galveston, J. H. Hawley.

Slight Amendment.

A slight amendment to articles of incorporation was made in compliance with the request of the secretary of state, after which encouraging reports were received from all points along the gulf coast with reference to the interest in the good roads movement. Rousing speeches were made by John W. Gates, J. S. Cullinan, W. J. Zeiss, John N. Gilbert, P. A. Heilig and William Saenger.

Under the plans of the organization the capital stock, which is all subscribed, is \$1,000, divided into shares of \$10 each. Funds are to be derived from an initiation membership fee of \$5 and \$5 annual fee from each member. The treasurer reported that Beaumont, Houston and Galveston had each subscribed \$500.

Memorial to Governor.

It was decided that the officers of the association should prepare a memorial to Governor Colquitt asking that he include in his message to the extra session of the legislature if one is called, a proposal to amend the road laws of the state to the end that the duties and responsibilities of county road superintendents may be more clearly and explicitly defined than at present. The association seeks this change in order that the road superintendents may better aid in the movement to improve the roads throughout the state and particularly in the territory covered by the gulf coast association.

The secretary-manager was instructed to secure a list from each county clerk in counties in the gulf coast of the names of all automobile owners in order that literature may be mailed them touching the value of good roads and that the auto owners may be kept advised of the effort being put forth. Prior to adjourning the association adopted prospectus setting forth the purpose of the association and this will be extensively distributed as a means of getting before the people the good roads movement.

Hundred Ton Shipment for Mill.

Orange, Tex.—The local paper mill company has just received a 100-ton shipment of soda ash and alum from the state of New York via the Seaboard and Gulf steamship line. The soda and alum is to be used in the process of making paper out of yellow pine slabs. The Yellow Pine Paper Mill Company was instrumental in inducing this steamship line to extend its traffic to Port Arthur, and the company has in a measure been obligated to make this port as soon as the Sabine Lake channel has been deepened sufficiently to permit ocean-going steamers to enter.

Oklahoma City Franchise Sold.

Oklahoma City, Ok.—The Oklahoma City baseball franchise of the Texas League was sold at public auction at noon Monday. Abner Davis of Oklahoma City paid \$19,000 for the franchise. The bidding was spirited. Davis owned a majority interest in the franchise before the affairs of the franchise were placed in the hands of a receiver.

Four Men Buried Alive.

Robert Lee, Tex.—Four young men working on the river bridge south of town were buried alive Tuesday by a cave-in. Rescuers gathered and worked rapidly, but all were dead before the dirt could be removed. The dead are: Morris Hall, Frank Casey, James Rushing and R. Morrow.

\$2,000,000 Fort Worth Bonds.

Fort Worth, Tex.—The million dollar bonds of Fort Worth bonds were sold to a Kansas City syndicate Monday. The bonds were sold at par with 5 per cent accrued interest. The money will be used mostly for building a surface reservoir.

For County Road Bridge.

Eagle Lake, Tex.—Material has been placed on the ground for transforming the old San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad bridge over the Colorado river between Eagle Lake and Altair into a county road bridge, same having been purchased from the railroad by the county.

Noted French Engraver Dead.

Paris.—Louis Ostar Roty, the noted French engraver of medals and member of the French Institute, died Saturday. He was born in 1846.

250,000 BARRELS OF RICE SOLD

The Largest Single Sale Ever Made. It Involved \$650,000—Product Now in Warehouse.

Beaumont, Tex.—The Southern Rice Growers' Association of Beaumont has sold to six rice mills 250,000 barrels of rough Japan rice, which is by long odds the largest single sale ever made. The amount involved in the transaction is estimated at \$650,000. The rice is sold on the basis of the association prices and grading, and the total amount involved will of course depend upon the amount of each grade, but from what is known of the rice it is believed the total consideration will range closely around the sum named. Of the six mills which are the purchasers five are in Louisiana and one is in Texas. The rice sold is at present in the warehouses throughout Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas, and deliveries will be made to the purchasing mills in accordance with the location and so as to take advantage of the transportation charges and other physical factors involved in the movement. It is the purpose, however, to deliver to each of the purchasing mills not less than 20,000 barrels and not more than 40,000 barrels. This margin is reserved in order that the interests of both purchasers and sellers can be best served in freight charges.

AMERICA TO LOAN CHINA CASH

English, German and French Financiers Will Share Equally With American Bankers.

Pekin.—The negotiations for the loan of \$50,000,000 to China by an American group of financiers have reached a final stage, all points at issue having been agreed upon. It is expected that an imperial edict sanctioning the loan will be issued this week.

The loan was projected as an American enterprise purely and was originally sought by the Chinese for political purposes. The agreement now reached provides that four banking groups of the United States, England, Germany and France shall participate equally, and the financial adviser to the government in the use of the loan shall come from a neutral European state.

The Hu-Kuan-loo, the negotiations for which were begun long ago, is also likely to be concluded soon. China's recent misfortunes from famine and plague, accompanied by fears of foreign complications, have influenced the government to bring the financial transactions to a conclusion.

Heavy Rain at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La.—A rainstorm struck New Orleans Wednesday resulting in a precipitation of 4.14 inches up to 7 p. m. It is estimated this is the richest rain on record and will be worth over \$2,000,000 to truckers, gardeners and horticulturists around New Orleans, whose crops, gardens and fruits were drying up.

Falling State Kills Nine.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Nine men were instantly killed Wednesday in the blast of a mine of the Pittsburg and Buffalo Coal Company at East Cannonsburg, Pa. They were being taken to their rooms in a remote part of the mine when a mass of loose slate in the roof fell, filling one cave in which there were ten men.

Licenses for New Banks.

Austin, Tex.—The state banking board licensed the following banks, all adopting the guaranty fund plan: Farmers Guaranty State Bank of North Zulch, Madison County; capital, stock, \$10,000. First State Bank of Appleby, Navarro County; capital, stock, \$10,000. Webster State Bank of Webster, Harris County; capital, stock, \$10,000.

Cattle By Trainloads.

Laredo, Tex.—Several of the big cattle ranches have been shipping fat steers to the Fort Worth market and there are still several trainloads ready for shipment, but the market has dropped several points in the last few days. Notwithstanding this, shipments continue.

Dime Counterfeiters Caught.

Washington.—Secret service men at El Paso reported to headquarters Saturday the arrest of Celso Perez and his wife, charged with counterfeiting dimes in large quantities. One of the most complete outfits of press, dies and stamping machines ever taken was found with the prisoners.

Introduce Texas Law.

Austin, Tex.—The attorney general's department was Monday advised by a senator in the legislature of California that the Texas law prohibiting the operation of future contracts and bucket shops has been introduced in the legislature of that state, and will doubtless be enacted into a law without amendments.

Texas Guard Commissioners.

Austin, Tex.—The adjutant general issued the following commissions to Texas National Guard officers Tuesday: F. A. Weathered, captain; W. H. Watson, first lieutenant; Thomas B. Cox, second lieutenant, all of Company A, Fourth Texas Infantry, Arlington.

Large Mohair Clip.

Kerrville, Tex.—The spring clip of mohair is beginning to arrive in Kerrville. It is of fine quality, and the clip will be a large one.

AWED!



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MEXICANS INVADING TEXAS

Troops Were Ordered from El Paso and Marathon by Brigadier General Duncan.

San Antonio, Tex.—On the receipt Tuesday of the news from Alpine that Mexican marauders have crossed the border near Chisos and driven away cattle, General Duncan, commanding the department of Texas, immediately ordered a troop of the Fourth cavalry at El Paso and a troop of the Third at Marathon to proceed to Alpine.

The news came in a private telegram to J. D. Jackson, mayor of Alpine, who is attending the cattlemen's convention. Mayor Jackson immediately put the matter before United States Marshal Nolte and General Duncan and the order to the two troops followed.

The first telegram to the mayor was from W. J. Yates, of Alpine as follows:

Mexicans are raiding the lower country. Urge Nolte to send troops to Alpine at once.

The Nolte mentioned is Eugene Nolte, United States marshal at this city. A second telegram came to Mayor Jackson from Judge E. F. Higgins of Brewster county. It reads:

"Chisos" telegraphs great excitement. Marauders are driving stock to other side of river. Settlers are gathering at Chisos, fearing the marauders are near there. Lafarell wires that he will hold fort."

Lafarell is said to be a deputy United States marshal. Mayor Jackson conferred with United States Marshal Nolte and through the latter the appeal to General Duncan was made.

The troops from El Paso probably will detain at Marfa. From there they must use their horses a distance of eighty miles to the scene of the trouble. The troops from Marathon, a short distance from Marfa, may start on the "hike" from their barracks, as the railroad would get them but little nearer to their destination.

There is a warehouse at Chisos in which much dynamite is stored. Should the raiders prove to be revolutionists it is thought likely that the explosive is the real object of their incursions.

Cattle From Mexico.

San Antonio, Tex.—Cattle imported from Mexico, brought into Texas from below the quarantine line, hereafter will be classed as Texas cattle and in every respect treated as home cattle after their mingling with the herds or placing on the ranges of the state. This was the decision of the Texas Live Stock Sanitary Commission in meeting Wednesday a question that has for a long time been concerning the cowmen and the cattle interests of the state.

China Replies to Russia.

St. Petersburg.—China's reply to the Russian ultimatum dealing with the treaty of 1881 was delivered Monday. It complies with Russia's demands for the opening of consulates and the establishment of free trade in certain districts, but leaves the limitation of monopolies as a subject for further negotiations. The foreign office apparently is satisfied, and the Navoy Vremya in an editorial takes the same view. Arrangements are being made to send a consul to Koido at once.

Transplant 1,400 Fruit Trees.

Orange, Tex.—The work of transplanting 1,400 fruit trees on the W. H. Stark demonstration farm, just west of Orange, has just been completed. Of the 1,400 trees transplanted there were 1,000 Satsuma orange trees, 250 Dugrass and 150 grapefruit trees. C. E. Headwaters of the Sacramento River, the main body of the tribe, the Kembois, was exterminated in a raid in 1870.

Pecos Valley Slow Rain.

Roswell, N. M.—After showers for two days, the Pecos Valley Wednesday had an all-day slow rain that comes exactly right to be of immense value to all branches of farming and stock raising.

Another Well at Humble.

Humble, Tex.—The Patrick Blaffer Special has come in with a good production. The well produces much more than is usually accomplished by wells in the shallow depths.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS CROPS

Wheat, Alfalfa and Corn Will Be a Success—Good Season Insures Cotton Acreage Increase.

San Antonio, Tex.—That the crop outlook is the best in ten years is the universal opinion of people of Southwest Texas. The recent rains have extended all over the western section. From San Antonio west to El Paso and for 200 miles north of the Sunset Railroad copious rains have fallen. The ranches all have plenty of water. The tanks and lakes are full. Streams which have been dry for years are running. Many springs have started to flowing again. The agricultural sections are particularly fortunate in the way of a good season.

To the west of San Antonio, especially in Kerr, Comal, Kndall, Gillespie, Bandera and Medina counties, there is a considerable area planted to wheat. After the late freeze it looked bad for that crop, but the rains which followed overcame this damage and the outlook now is for the best grain crop for years. The favorable season has resulted in a large increase in the acreage planted to oats.

Many are also planting alfalfa. There is much land suitable to this crop with only slight irrigation. With the plentiful water supply now on hand it is believed that the crop can be given such a good start this year that it will be a success.

Corn is being rapidly planted. The acreage will be about the same as last year. In some places the crop is up to a stand and the first plowing is under way.

The good season will result easily in an increase of 25 per cent in the acreage devoted to cotton. There is much new land recently purchased which will be planted for the first time this year.

GOVERNOR SIGNS MORE BILLS

Amend Rusk County Road Law; Creating Prairie View School District; Increasing of County Courts.

Austin, Tex.—Governor O. B. Colquitt signed the following bills Wednesday:

House Bill 545—Amending Rusk County road law.

House Bill 585—Creating Bridge Independent School District in Burnet County.

House Bill 325—Creating Meridian Independent School District, in Bosque County.

House Bill 44—Increasing civil jurisdiction of county courts of Deaf Smith, Palmer, Randall, Castro and Lubbock counties.

House Bill 404—Creating Prairie View School District No. 12, in Uvalde County.

House Bill 7—Amending statute provision by which horses, mules and other live stock may be prevented from running at large.

House Bill 575—Creating Plantersville Independent School District, in Grimes County.

House Bill 436—Amending statute regulating pay of road commissioners of Gillespie County.

House Concurrent Resolution 22—Appropriating \$2,000 to Colonel E. M. Phelps to preserve the state of Texas against the United States government for protection of frontier against Indian and Mexican depredations.

Ethnologic Find in California.

San Francisco, Cal.—An anthropological expedition from the University of California under Professor Kroeber has reported the discovery of twenty members of a supposedly extinct tribe of Californians near the headwaters of the Sacramento River. The main body of the tribe, the Kembois, was exterminated in a raid in 1870.

State Deputy Game Warden.

Austin, Tex.—H. S. Lawson of Austin has just been appointed deputy game warden with jurisdiction over all counties in the state. This announcement was made Monday by Game Commissioner Emmett Smith.

English Billiard Record.

London.—George Grey, the Australian billiardist, who recently made a new world's record at English billiards with a run of 1,576, established another world's record Sunday with an unfinished break of 2,196.

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That Railroad

We Haven't.

In the southwestern portion of the "whopper state" there is a section of country embracing several counties without railroad connection—as yet. Kimble happens unfortunately to be in this section. On the 25th of last month "the cars" rolled into Menard the first time. With Menard a common shipping point, much more trade than ever before will go from all this section via Menard to Dallas and Ft. Worth and other points north. In fact the volume of trade from this country will go that way. Trade which has heretofore been rightfully claimed by the Alamo City will go further north. Is San Antonio going to sit idly by and let this slip away? We can not think so. For them to do so would hardly express the general San Antonio spirit. What effect on the business San Antonio has been getting from this section is the building of the two branches of the Orient to have? As an aid to the Alamo City to continue as "the metropolis of Texas" would it not be well for her to take immediate steps towards securing trade which rightfully belongs to her? Is this not San Antonio's territory? How will she keep it if railroad connection is not established between San Antonio and that great section of country which lies between the Alamo City and the Pecos? Can "the Texas metropolis" afford to view this with careless eye? Is the Llano valley and the Pecos valley trade worth anything to San Antonio? Is not the trade of the counties of Kimble, Mason, Reeves, Sutton, Schleicher, Crockett and Pecos worth San Antonio's efforts to secure?

A railroad constructed to connect San Antonio and Pecos City has been suggested. Pecos has a standing of \$50,000 bonus for a road of this kind. Junction can offer an equal amount. Ft. Stockton will raise \$50,000 bonus for such a line. Owsa and Sonora as county site towns may be depended upon to do their part on such a proposition. This does not take into consideration the smaller non-county site towns and the various interests which would probably assist in financing such an enterprise. We understand that there have been several companies chartered to build such a line, but the line has not yet been built, and it appears that the time is very ripe for immediate, straightforward, deliberate action on the part of "the Texas Metropolis."

Let San Antonio take notice of this proposition and when she does she will find that the other towns will back her up strongly in making this road a reality.

If you or any of your relatives are going away, or if you have friends or relations visiting you and you are not ashamed of them please let us know about it. We shall appreciate any such item of interest.

If that issue agitated by a Massachusetts woman for taxing old batchelors had a little amendment it might receive more support. In our limited acquaintance we know of three old batchelors who are not living the life of "single cussedness" from choice.

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

Lost

A gold locket and chain. Locket some longer than wide. Lost about two weeks ago. Return to Loma Kelley.

Lost

Silver Match Box. Initials V. M. engraved upon it. Reasonable reward. Return to Sheriff's office, Junction, Texas. Victor Mellinger.

April Fool-Tacky Party

Saturday-evening, April 1, an April Fool-Tacky Party will be given under the auspices of Woman's Home Mission Society, at the M. S. Nichols home in Junction. Among other features will be a "Dispensation of Wisdom," by Dr. P. H. Rogers; also a swimming-match between two young ladies. Let big, little, old and young—everybody come. And your money's worth or money refunded. Proceeds for new church and parsonage.

20 yards good lawn for \$1 at Hamer Co.

Read every word in Hamer Co's big ad.

Fresh pies and cakes to the new restaurant.

Gus Schreiner was here from Kerrville Thursday.

Sweet milk for sale.—Mrs. Horace E. Wilson.

Boy's 25c Straw Hats for 15c at Hamer Co's.

Joe, T. Baker and family and Miss Jessie Wallis were in from the Baker ranch this week.

Straw hats! Straw hats! Big stock just arrived at Hamer Co.

Schreiner made a good shipment of steers from Menard this week.

The biggest box of Talcum Powder in the city for two bits Alex J. Hamer Co's.

Mrs. Katherine Highsmith and Miss Lula M. Highsmith are here from the "divide visiting relatives and friends.

Ladies, latest style Trimmed Hats of deepest in the city. Better hurry if you want one.—Alex J. Hamer Co.

F. M. Chase has sold his place formerly owned by Johnnie Wooden to I. G. Thedford for \$3100.

Come to Junction and buy your supplies. See us for low prices.—Hamer Co.

Rance Pettitt bought of F. M. Chase, the Will Johnson place near Gentry. Consideration, \$1470.

Ranchmen will do well to figure with us on supplies.—Alex J. Hamer Co's.

Will Heffernan was in Junction Thursday returning from Menard to the Red Held ranch.

Will Hankins is now putting in a drygoods department at his place of business in Junction and expects a fine new stock of goods in this week. He puts on a grand opening sale for Monday, April 3. He says he expects to handle nothing but the newest, the freshest and the best in dry goods as well as groceries. Call on him Monday and take a look at what he has to offer.

The man awoke. He rubbed his eyes, yawned, and his look of bewilderment gradually gave place to one of dejection.

"Where am I," he murmured. There was a flutter of wings, and the poor man looked around in time to see an angel place a crown upon his head.

"Thou art in heaven, my dear friend," said the heavenly inhabitant, "art thou not glad? Thou hast—"

"Naw," interrupted the man, with a grunt of disgust, "I'm from Kimble Climes."

And laboriously whistling "Dixie" he started in search of a pawn shop where he might pawn his crown to get enough to pay his way back to this wonderful region.

GENERAL DIRECTORY

COUNTY OFFICERS

Judge..... W. A. Spencer
Clerk..... A. O. Lawler
Sheriff and Tax Collector I. O. Weldon
Treasurer..... J. A. Browning
Assessor..... O. C. Reid
Surveyor..... R. M. Stevenson
County Attorney..... J. F. Reid

COMMISSIONERS

Precinct No. 1..... Y. P. Oliver
Precinct No. 2..... John A. Cowart
Precinct No. 3..... J. S. Whitewood
Precinct No. 4..... G. W. Hodges

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Precinct No. 1..... T. J. Meredith
Precinct No. 2..... J. E. Reese

MAIL ROUTES

KERRVILLE

Leaves Junction daily at 6 a. m. arrives in Kerrville same day at 6 p. m.
Leaves Kerrville daily at 6:00 p. m. arrives in Junction next day at 6 a. m.
Embry & Petmcke, Contractors

MASON

Leaves Junction daily except Sunday & moves in Junction daily except Sunday at 8 p. m. J. L. Bruce contractor

TELEGRAPH

Leaves Junction, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays at 7 a. m.
Arrives in Junction Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays at 6 p. m. J. E. Meredith, contractor.

CHURCHES

METHODIST—First Sunday, Bode. Second Sunday Junction, Third and Fifth Sunday Copperas, Fourth Sunday morning and afternoon Gentry. Evening a Junction. Sunday school 9:45. Prayer meeting Tuesday night.

BAPTIST—Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services First and Third Sundays in each month, morning and night.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Rev. H. J. Taylor, 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 Fourth Sunday night and every Fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. and afternoon 12:30.

SECRET ORDERS

A F & A M

Junction City Lodge No. 548, meets second Saturday in each month. W. A. Quisenberry w. m., P. Riley, sec.

W. O. W.

Mountain Camp No. 434, meets First Saturday J. L. Wright C. C. E. Holkamp, Clerk.

W. C.

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

M O P

Meets Saturday night before the 4th Sunday in each month. C. R. Stevenson S. A.

K O F P

Junction Lodge No. 283, meets 2nd Wednesday and 4th Saturday in each month. C. W. Atchison, C. C.; W. L. C. V. C. W. P. Riley, R. and S.

I O O F

Meets every Friday night 8 L. B. Harkins, N. G.; J. A. Heyman, Secretary.

O. E. S.

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

Mrs. Kate Cowart, W. M. Mrs. Minnie Riley, Sec'y.

SOCIETIES

J. B. Robertson Chapter U. D. O. meets 1st and 3d Wednesday 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. A. S. Nichols, Pres. Mrs. J. N. Hodges, Treas. Miss Ella Hodges, Sec. Mrs. F. M. Chase, Cor. Sec.

Baptist Ladies Aid Society meets Tuesday after every First and Third Sunday in each month. Mrs. Ella Wilson Pres. Mrs. Mae Ragland, Sec.

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.

Mrs. Lillie Motley has been very sick this week but is now much improved.

Lee Spillers and Joe Adkins were here from Menard this week.

"It's all very well to talk," said Mr. Grouch, "but life is not one glad sweet song. A man works so he can eat and sleep, then he eats and sleeps so he can work. D'ye call that living?"

Just owin' Jasper. What you need is to come over to Kimble Climes.

A problem: Is half an ounce of "high life" applied to any ordinary working "an mule" will arouse it to energetic action in half a minute, what and how long would it take to arouse the Junction Business Men's Club from its gentle repose?

(Note.—In answering please give full analysis.)

No More Visits Over the Telephone

We desire to kindly notify the public that social visits over the telephone are not popular now. Please remember that owing to the business demands for use of line Central shall expect the use of the wire after you have talked as long as 5 minutes.

Junction Telephone Co.

GOLF PROBLEM OF INTEREST

Introducing a Cow, a Swallowed Ball and Sundry Whacks, What Was the Score?

The new assistant secretary of the treasury, James Freeman Curtis, was, while at Harvard, the intercollegiate golf champion of America.

"Curtis was in my class," said a Harvard man the other day, "and he often amused me with his golf problems. This is one of them:

"Two men, A and B, were at the third tee. A made a superb drive but a cow swallowed his ball, whereupon he whacked her with his club to such good purpose that she advanced and disgorged the ball at the edge of the third hole, and he holed out with one more stroke and claimed the hole in two.

"But B said:

"No, your score is not two, it is 17."

"Now so?" said A, indignantly.

"Because," said B, "you hit the cow with your club 15 times. That, plus your drive and put, makes 17 exactly."

AGE BEFORE HONESTY.

This adage has recently had application in Switzerland. A woman 40 years old became engaged to a man ten years her junior. Evidently she thought if he knew the true state of things his ardor would cool.

When she produced her certificate of birth, according to the requirements of Swiss law, it was discovered that she had changed 1868 to 1878. For this almost pardonable fraud she had to appear before the assizes at Basle. The jury thought little of the offense, and her fiancé still less. She was awarded only a nominal imprisonment, and left the court with her lover. It is said that her good looks were not an unimportant factor in the jury's decision.

TEACHING ALONG NEW LINES.

Schools have just been opened in England to teach women the art of canvassing voters. There are about ninety of these schools scattered throughout the country, all of which are conducted by the Primrose League, the Anti-Socialist Union, the Women's Liberal Association and the Younger suffragists.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

A few doses of this remedy will invariably cure an ordinary attack of diarrhea.

It can always be depended upon, even in the more severe attacks of cramp colic and cholera morbus. It is equally successful for summer diarrhea and cholera infantum in children, and is the means of saving the lives of many children each year. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take.

Every man of a family should keep this remedy in his home. Buy it now. Price, 25c. Large Size, 50c.

Charles Schreiner

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A General Banking Business Transacted. Solicits the Accounts of Merchants, Farmers and Stockmen.

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Capital, \$50,000.00
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PURE DRUGS, CHEMICALS, TOILET REQUISITES AND STATIONERY. UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONERY.

The place to get your Candies and Hot Drinks. Nice and pleasant place to serve them.

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TRY THE NEW YARD

A full line of Lumber and Screens, White Lead, and Linseed Oil.

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Pittsburg Perfect Electric Welded Fencing, Gasoline Engines, Irrigation Plants, Fluming, Well Casing, Windmills, Galvanized Tanks, Gutting, Machinery of All Kinds.

Complete Tin and Repair Shop in Connection.

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If it needs repairing, take it to

Chesner Better Quicker **R. BECKER** Blacksmith Horse-Shoeing Specialty.

He can fix it for you

All Kinds of Machinery Repairing and Blacksmithing Done with Promptness and Accuracy.

Guarantees All Work.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

atch the New Restaurant

me order that new suit
b.—Edd Sanders.

the New Restaurant once,
u'll go again.

your cleaning and press-
one by Ed Sanders.

Tom Taylor was in from the
a few days this week.

fresh pies and cakes every
at the new restaurant.

Attorney Moses was here in
official duties this week.

Ed Sanders will surely make
r's clothes look like new.

the way to keep a good res-
ant—give it your patronage.

Fred Hall was in from the
ch during grand jury service

week.

represent Fred Kaufman,
e American Tailor.—Edd San-

W. O. Dechert returned last
ek from a trip to Mason Coun-

Robert Bissett and "Sod" are
ing the painting act in Menard

w.

Judge Clarence Martin is
ong those here for court this

week.

P. Bowers of Johnson Fork
nt several days in Junction

is week.

Fresh Bread and Pies and
akes every day at the New Res-

aurant.

R. Runge, a lawyer of Mason
ad business in the court here

is week.

C. A. Stapp of Segovia com-
munity was doing jury service

is week.

try the New Restaurant once,
u'll go again.

Jno. L. Jones was in from the
ch this week serving on

grand jury.

Everything new and clean at
the New Restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harrison,
of Roosevelt spent a few days in

Junction this week.

S D Bennett, of Copperas
was doing the courting act in

Junction this week.

Come in and get acquainted;
you are welcome.—Mueller-

Loeffler Jordan Co.

Ben Joiner was in from Bear
Creek this week to serve his

country as jurymen.

If you want Fresh Eggs and
Butter ask the New Restaurant

man for them.

W. C. Linden was here for
court this week serving argu-

ment to the jurymen.

Ladies Suits and Skirts clean-
ed and pressed. All work guar-

anteed.—Edd Sanders

Jim Moore returned Saturday
from attending the Cattleman's

Association in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas re-
turned Saturday from a few

weeks stay in the Alamo City.

Miss Virgie Browning has re-
turned home from Contrary

where she has been teaching.

Dr. and Mrs. Hughes, of
Denton, are here visiting at the

home of their son F. A. Hughes.

Ed Cosvert was among those
in from the Divide Monday and

says the Divide country looks
promising.

F. A. Loeffler's father and
brother were here from Mason

one day this week prospecting
and visiting.

A. N. and A. W. Moursund of
Mason and Fredericksburg were

among the lawyers attending
court here this week.

Mrs. Jno. M. Hankins and lit-
tle Misses Lois and Blix return-

ed Tuesday from a visit in Kerr-
ville and San Antonio.

Nat Cosvert was in town this
week wearing a broad smile; he

has had good rains, weeds and
grass growing and stock doing

well.

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get quick relief. It costs but a
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by all dealers.

Mrs. R. H. P. Wright has re-
turned after a trip as a delegate
from the W. C. to the convention
at Mineral Wells, also a short
visit with friends and relatives
in Anson and other points.

Alex J. Hamer returned Sat-
urday from San Antonio where
he has been for some time for
treatment. We are glad to note
that he is much improved and
able to resume his business.
The younger children have been
placed in school at San Antonio,
and they and Mrs. Hamer will
not return until school is out.

Tom Reynolds of the Paint
Rock ranch was in Junction this
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come and let us figure with you
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rid of your cold you may know
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erly. There is no reason why a
cold should hang on for weeks
and it will not if you take Cham-
berlain's Cough Remedy. For
sale by all dealers.

"Where are you going?"

"To the New Restaurant to try
some more of those pies and
cakes."

Grandpa Cox is home again
after an extended visit with re-
latives and friends in Eldorado.

Jno. W. Sicklesmith, Greens-
boro, Pa., has three children,
and like most children they fre-
quently take cold. "We have tried
several kinds of cough medicines,"
he says, "but have never found
any yet that did them as much
good as Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

The dinner given here Tues-
day by the Cemetery Aid ladies
was a great success. It was as
well attended as anything of its
kind given here in some time,
and everyone says that it was
the best dinner for a quarter
they have had in several days.
And we want to remark that the
fellow who couldn't satisfy his
appetite on that occasion,—well,
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The entertainment given by
the Baptist ladies Tuesday even-
ing was well attended, and en-
joyed by all. The church was
crowded to its capacity, and each
number in all the interesting
program brought forth hearty
applause. Proceeds of the oc-
casion were \$39.

Do you know that of all the
minor ailments colds are by far
the most dangerous? It is not
the cold itself that you need to
fear, but the serious diseases
that it often leads to. Most of
these are known as croup, dis-
eases, Pneumonia and consump-
tion are among them. Why not
take Chamberlain's Cough Rem-
edy and cure your cold while
you can? For sale by all dealers.

Add Murr was in from the
ranch viewing the sights in the
Kimble County capitol this week.

Lawyers Hopson and Ferrol
of Roba, Texas, had business
here this week in the District
Court of Kimble County.

P. O. and Oscar Bode, of
Oscar McDonald in company
with V. O. Copple were visiting
in this part of Kimble this week.
In speaking of the recent rains
P. O. Bode said Saturday they
certainly came at an opportune
time. Range is coming now
and the James river country has
the best season for grazing it
has had in ten years.

Dan Loeffler was in from the
Segovia community today and
persuaded us to accept another
dollar on subscription. Says the
people of the Segovia country
feel they have a right to
wear that said pig look which
characterizes the fellow who
low who would look pleasant
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ical attention.

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator John Calhoun is invited to become secretary of state in Tyler's cabinet. He declines that if he accepts Texas and Oregon must be added to the Union. He sends his secretary, Nicholas Trice, to ask the Baroness von Ritz, spy of the British ambassador, Fakenham, to call at his apartment. While searching for the baroness' home, a carriage drives up and Nicholas is invited to enter. The occupant is the baroness, and she asks Nicholas to assist in evading pursuers. Nicholas notes that the baroness has lost a slipper. She gives him the remaining slipper as a pledge that she will tell Calhoun what he wants to know regarding England's intentions toward Mexico. As security Nicholas gives her a trinket he intended for his sweetheart, Elizabeth Churchill. Elements sends the baroness' slipper to Elizabeth by mistake, and the wedding is declared off. Nicholas finds the baroness in Montreal, she having succeeded, where he failed, in discovering England's intentions regarding Oregon. She tells him that the slipper he had in his possession contained a note from the attaché at Texas to the British minister at Mexico. That if the United States did not annex Texas within 30 days, she would lose both Texas and Oregon. Nicholas meets a naturalist, Von Rittenhofen, who gives him information about Oregon. The baroness and a British warship disappear from Montreal simultaneously. Calhoun orders Nicholas to head a party of settlers bound for Oregon. Calhoun excites the jealousy of Senator Thurston and thereby secures the signature of the Texas attaché to a treaty of annexation. Nicholas starts for Oregon. He wins the race over the British party. A British warship arrives with the baroness as a passenger. She tells Nicholas that she placed a note in the slipper which caused the breaking off of his marriage, and that she intends to return to Washington to repair the damage she has done.

CHAPTER XXVII—Continued.

"If I do not find her worthy of you, then she cannot have you," went on Helena von Ritz.

"But, madam, you forget one thing. She is worthy of me, or of any other man!"

"I shall be judge of that. If she is what you think, you shall have her—and Oregon!"

"But as to myself, madam! The baroness!"

"I arrive, monsieur! If she fails you, then I ask only time."

"I begin to see, madam," said I, "how large these stakes may run."

"In case I lose, be sure at least I shall pay. I shall make my statement," she said.

"I don't need that, madam, with all your heart and mind and soul!"

"And body!" she whispered. The old baroness came again upon her face. She stood now as one in devotion for a time, and I would not have spoken than had she been at her prayers, as, indeed, I think she was. At last she made some faint movement of her hands. I do not know whether it was the sign of the cross.

She rose now, tall, well-dressed, shimmering, a vision of beauty such as that part of the world certainly could not then offer. Her hair was loosened now in its masses and dropped more widely over her temples, above her brow. Her eyes were very large and dark, and I saw the faint blue shadows coming again beneath them. Her hands were clasped, her chin raised just a trifle, and her gaze was rapt as that of some longing soul. I could not guess of these things, being but a man, and, I fear, clumsy alike of body and wit.

"What are my stakes? How may I pay?"

"There is one thing, madam, which we have omitted," said I at last. She swayed a little on her feet, as though she were weak. "I want," said she, "I wish—I wish—"

The old childlike look of pathos came again. I have never seen so sad a face. She was a lady, white and delicately clad; I, a rude frontiersman in camouflaged regiment. But I stepped to her now and took her in my arms, and held her close, and pushed back the damp waves of her hair. And because a man's tears were in my eyes, I have no doubt of absolution when I say I had been a cad and a coward had I not kissed her own tears away. I no longer made pretense of ignorance, but ah! how I wished that I were ignorant of what it was not my right to know.

I led her to the edge of the little bed of husks and found her kerchief. Ah, she was of breeding and courage! Presently, her voice rose steady and clear as ever. "Thekla!" she called. "Please!"

When Thekla came, she looked closely at her lady's face, and what she read seemed, after all, to content her.

"Thekla," said my lady in French, "I want the little one."

I turned to her with query in my eyes.

"Tlens!" she said. "Wait. I have a little surprise."

"You have nothing at any time save surprise, madam."

"Two things I have," said she, sighing: "a little dog from China, Chow by name. He sleeps now, and I must not disturb him, else I would show you how lovely a dog is there. Also here I have found a little Indian child running about the post. Dr. McLaughlin was rejoiced when I adopted her."

"Well, then, madam, what next?"

"Yes, with the promise to him that I would care for that little child. I want something for my own. See now, come Nataka!"

The old servant paused at the door. There slid across the floor with the silent feet of the savage the tiny figure of a little child, perhaps four years of age, with coal-black hair and beady eyes, clad in all the bequilled finery that a trading post could furnish—a little orphan child, as I learned later, whose parents had both been lost in a canoe accident at the Dalles. She was an infant, wild, untrained, unloved, unable to speak a word of the language that she heard. She stood now hesitating, but that was only by reason of her sight of me. As I stepped aside, the little one walked steadily but with quickening steps to my satin-clad lady on her couch of husks. She took up the child in her arms.

Now, there must be some speech between woman and child. I do not know, except that the Baroness von Ritz spoke and that the child put out a hand to her cheek. Then, as I stood awkward as a clown myself and not knowing what to do, I saw tears rain again from the eyes of Helena von Ritz, so that I turned away, even as I saw her cheek laid to that of the child while she clasped it tight.

"See, then," she said: "here is my companion across the mountains."

Again I began to expostulate, but now she tapped her foot impatiently in her old way. "You have heard me say it. Very well. Follow if you like. Listen also if you like. In a day or so Dr. McLaughlin plans a party for us all far up the Columbia to the missions at Wallatup. That is in the valley of the Walla Walla; they tell me, just at this edge of the Blue mountains, where the wagon trains come down into this part of Oregon."

"They may not see the wagon trains so soon," I ventured. "They would scarcely arrive before October, and now it is but summer."

"At least these British officers would see a part of this expedition, do you not comprehend? We start within three days at least. I wish only to say that perhaps—"

"Ah, I will be there surely, madam!"

"If you come independently, I have heard, however, that one of the missionary women wishes to go back to the states. I have thought that perhaps it might be better that we go together. Also Nataka. Also Chow."

"Does Dr. McLaughlin know of your plans?"

"I am not under his orders, monsieur. I only thought that, since you were used to this western travel, you could, perhaps, be of aid in getting me proper guides and vehicles. I should rely upon your judgment very much, monsieur."

"You are asking me to aid you in your own folly," said I discontentedly, "but I will be there; and be sure also you can not prevent me from following—if you persist in this absolute folly. A woman—to cross the Rockies!"

I rose now, and she was gracious enough to follow me part way toward the door. We hesitated there, awkwardly enough. But once more our

hands met in some sort of fellowship. "Forget!" I heard her whisper. And I could think of no reply better than that same word.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

When a Woman Would.

The two pleasant days of a woman are her marriage day and the day of her funeral.—Hippocampus.

My garden at the Willamette might languish if it like, and my little cabin might stand in uncultured waste. For me, there were other matters of more importance now. I took leave of hospitable Dr. McLaughlin at Fort Vancouver with proper expressions of the obligation due for his hospitality; but I said nothing to him, of course, of having met the mysterious baroness, nor did I mention definitely that I intended to meet them both again at no distant date. None the less, I prepared to set out at once upon the Columbia river trail.

From Fort Vancouver to the missions at Wallatup was a distance by trail of more than 200 miles. This I covered horseback, rapidly, and arrived two or three days in advance of the English. Nothing disturbed the quiet until, before noon of one day, we heard the gun fire and the shouting which in that country customarily made announcement of the arrival of a party of travelers. Being on the lookout for these, I soon discovered them to be my late friends of the Hudson bay post.

One old brown woman, unhappily astride a native pony, I took to be Thekla, my lady's servant, but she rode with her class, at the rear. I looked again, until I found the baroness, clad in buckskins and blue cloth, brave as any in finery of the frontier. Dr. McLaughlin saw fit to present us formally, or rather carelessly, it seeming to him that two so different would meet often in the future; and of course there being no dream even in his shrewd mind that we had ever met in the past. This supposition fitted our plans, even though it kept us apart. I was but a common emigrant farmer, camping like my kind, she, being of distinction, dwell with the Hudson bay party in the mission buildings.

CHAPTER XXIX.

In Exchange.

Great women belong to history and to self-sacrifice.—Lough Hunt.

For sufficient reasons of my own, which have been explained, I did not care to mingle more than was necessary with the party of the Hudson bay folk who made their headquarters like my kind. She, being of distinction, dwell with the Hudson bay party in the mission buildings.

"You are asking me to aid you in your own folly," said I discontentedly, "but I will be there; and be sure also you can not prevent me from following—if you persist in this absolute folly. A woman—to cross the Rockies!"

I rose now, and she was gracious enough to follow me part way toward the door. We hesitated there, awkwardly enough. But once more our



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A Dramatic Critic.
"And what is your father's business, my little man?" asked Rev. Fourtly, as he made his morning call on the infant class.

"He's a dam-att' klickit," said the little chap, whose father wrote dramatic criticism for a newspaper.—Harper's Weekly.

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It must have been a splinter who said that some widows wear heavy veils to conceal their joy.

No woman can be happy who has too much time to think of things that are none of her business.

"It is the truth," I answered. "In God's name, then, play the game fair."

CHAPTER XXX.

Counter Currents.
Woman is like the reed that bends to every breeze, but breaks not in the tempest.—Blasphemy Richard Whately.

The Oregon immigration for 1845 numbered, according to some accounts, not less than 3,000 souls. Our people still rolled westward in a mighty wave. The history of that great west-bound movement is well known. The story of a yet more delicate journey of that same year never has been written—that of Helena von Ritz, from Oregon to the east. The price of that journey was an empire; its cost—ah, let me not yet speak of that.

Although Meek and I agreed that he should push east at the best possible speed, it was well enough understood that I should give him no more than a day or so start. I did not purpose to allow so risky a journey as this to be undertaken by any woman in so small a party, and made no doubt that I would overtake them at least at Fort Hall, perhaps 600 miles east of the missions, or at farthest at Fort Bridger, some 700 miles from the starting point in Oregon.

The young wife of one of the missionaries was glad enough to take passage thus for the east; and there was the silent Thekla. Those two could offer company, even did not the little Indian maid, adopted by the baroness, serve to interest her. Their equipment and supplies were as good as any purchasable. What could be done, we now had done.

Yet, after all, Helena von Ritz had her own way. I did not see her again after we parted that evening at the mission. I was absent for a couple of days with a hunting party, and on my return discovered that she was gone, with no more than brief farewell to those left behind! Meek was anxious as herself to be off, but he left word for me to follow on at once.

It may be supposed that I myself now hurried in my plans. I was able to make up a small party of four men, about half the number Meek took with him; and I threw together such equipment as I could find remaining, not wholly to my liking, but good enough, I fancied, to overtake a party headed by a woman. But one thing after another cost us time, and we did not average 20 miles a day. I felt half desperate, as I reflected on what that might mean. As early fall was approaching, I could expect, in view of my own lost time, to encounter the annual wagon train 200 or 300 miles farther westward than the object of my pursuit naturally would have done. As a matter of fact, my party met the wagons at a point well to the west of Fort Hall.

It was early in the morning we met them coming west—that long, weary, dust-covered, creeping caravan, a mile long, slow serpent, crawling westward across the desert. In time I came up to the head of the tremendous wagon train of 1845, and its leader and myself threw up our hands in the salutation of the wilderness.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

An Adherent.

By mistake a farmer had got aboard a car reserved for a party of college graduates who were returning to their alma mater for some special event. There was a large quantity of refreshments on the car, and the farmer was allowed to join the others. Finally some one asked him: "Are you an alumnus?" "No," said the farmer earnestly, "but I believe in it."—Lippincott's.

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Minister—Then I must have been indulging in a quiet nap?
Barber—Ye wis that, sir.
Minister—It was very good of you not to waken me. I am very thank-ful for what has been a most refresh-ing sleep.
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"Beloved, let us love one another," says John, "for love is of God; and everyone that loveth is begotten of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love." We become God-like therefore in proportion as we learn to love.

But the love which brings us into closer relations with God is not mere natural affection for those who love us in return. "If ye love them that love you, what reward have ye?" Jesus asked, "do not even the publicans the same?" "Love your enemies, and pray for them that persecute you." The love that ennobles a man is the love that leads him to make sacrifices that others may be helped or benefited, the love that teaches him to sympathize with other people in their weaknesses and failures.

Drawn by Love.
How can this love be acquired? Only by Christ. He knows all about it and is pleading for you. His great heart yearns for you. He will not forsake you.

"Come—come—come!" And they come. And they kneel there in the sawdust—"God's sawdust will brush off."

Here was an old man; with the snows of many winters on his bowed head. His face was seamed with hard lines of years of bitterness. An hour before he had tried to peer into the future but could see nothing but chaos and cold night. Now there had come into his heart, like the gladdening song of spring, a wonderful promise. By his side strode a beardless youth. He wore a Greek letter fraternity pin. He was a college man from a Christian home, whose early training had been the best. But he had drifted out into the great ocean of self-indulgence, on the shores of which lie the wrecks of thousands of young lives, and over the angry bil-lows of which are hideous deliriums drifting. He had seen the beacon light. He had set his hand to the wheel and was steering into the haven.

Saved by God's Work.
"God bless you, my boy," Doctor Chapman had seen him and he took his hand. His rejoicing could not have been more sincere had the youth been his own son.

They were "settling it with their mothers' Jesus." Then Ernest Nafziger began to sing "Memories of Mother." He had sung the song scores of times before since the beginning of the great evangelistic campaign in Chicago, but this time the melody carried a new mes-sage. The great baritone looked down on the kneeling throng and he was touched as he had never been touched before in his life, he said afterwards, by the wondrousness of the scene enacted there before him.

Tears came into his eyes. His voice trembled, but the inspiration of the scene lent a new zeal in his sing-ing. There was deeper longing ex-pressed in his every tone.

"O mother, when I think of thee, The full at-tempt to Calvary. Thy gentle hand upon my brow I'm coming home by thy love. For Jesus loves me more than thou. Thy mother's love brings home to me The greater love of Calvary."

Thousands of people have bowed their heads and wept as Mr. Nafziger has sung that song by Robert Har-kness. But as he sang it there was scarcely a dry eye in the tabernacle which was filled with all manner of men—representative of nearly every stratum of human society.

Christ Lifted Up.
When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, the wise men came from afar saying: "We have seen his star in the east and have come to wor-ship him." From the ends of the earth men are still coming to "wor-ship him." There is only one Christ worth of worship, there is only one Redeemer drawing all men unto him-self. The magnetism of the Christ and the cross has not ceased. But it is more than a magnetism—it is a spiritual dominance, a moral mastery which the Christ exercises. His cross controls history, not that every-one is living in sight of it or in the love of it, but that it is with refer-ence to the work and the worship of Christ that God will eventually judge the world and is judging it in a sense now, men being either justified or con-demned according to their attitude to that of Christ on Calvary.

The heathen have no joy in their religion. The thought of enjoying worldly pleasures is to them inconceivable. Travelers tell us of the pathetic and sad faces of the non-Christian nations of the earth. But Christ came to bring the fulness of joy into human lives. At our Father's right hand are pleasures for evermore.

A foreigner missionary, says Dr. A. T. Pierson, is a fellow worker with the Father, a fellow sufferer with the Son, and a fellow witness with the Spirit.

PECULIAR AFTER EFFECTS OF GRIP THIS YEAR.

Leaves Kidneys in Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are very distressing and leave the sys-tem in a run-down condition, particu-larly the kidneys which seem to suffer most, as every victim complains of lame back and urinary troubles which should not be neglected, as these dan-ger signals often lead to more serious sickness, such as dreaded Bright's Dis-ease. Local druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root which so many people say soon heals and strengthens the kidneys after an at-tack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and being an herbal compound, has a gen-tle healing effect on the kidneys, which is almost immediately noticed by those who try it. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bingham-ton, N. Y., offer to send a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, free by mail, to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince any one who may be in need of it. Regular size bottles 50 cts. and \$1.00. For sale at all druggists. Be sure to mention this paper.

Something in a Name.
Ella—He's very narrow.
Stella—What do you expect of a fat?

Rheumatism Advice Gives Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription—Is Easily Mixed.

"Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsapa-rilla compound and one ounce of Toris compound. Then get half a pint of good whisky and put the other two ingredi-ents into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed-time. Shake the bottle before us-ing." This is not new in this city as many of the worse cases of rheumatism and back-ache have been cured by it. Good results come the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house. Any one can mix them.

Seems to Be Wrong.
Howell—Whatever is right.
Powell—But suppose a fellow soaks you with his left?

Try Marise Eye Remedy for Red, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids.
No Smarting—Just Eye Comfort. Mu-rine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes—New Size 25c. Murine Eye Remedy Liquid 25c and 50c.

The vacant room at the top is due to the fact that there is no elevator service to help the lazy man.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

Here's a tip, young man. Convince a girl that she shouldn't love you, and she will.

True to Her Nature.
Maud—Did you hear the news?
Madge has eloped.
Jack—Madge always was a flighty sort of a girl.

Whenever there is a tendency to con-stipation, sick-headache or biliousness, take a cup of Garfield Tea. All druggists.

Town criers were abolished when women's clubs were organized.

FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
Y. M. C. A. will send money if you give them your name and address. No charge.

Even the truth may be told with an intention to deceive.

FREE SAMPLE OF LAXATIVE CURED THEIR CONSTIPATION

When a person has become discouraged through years of failure to find a cure, and finally, perhaps, gives up trying, it is small wonder that he becomes skep-tical. And yet, to all who have con-stipation, we would say, "Try just one of these pills."
We wish you would try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a laxative tonic that has been used for a generation. Thousands are using it; surely some of your friends among the number. You can buy it of any druggist at fifty cents and one dol-lar a bottle, but better still, send your name and address to Dr. Caldwell for a free sample bottle. He will send you enough to convince you of its merits, and then if you like it you can buy it of your druggist. Mr. J. J. Petty of Unionville, Mo., Mr. George W. Zimmerman of Har-risburg, Pa., and many others of both sexes and in all parts of the country first used a sample bottle and now have it regularly in the house.
You will learn to do away with salts, waters and cathartics for these are but temporary reliefs while Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is guaranteed to cure per-manently. It will train your stomach and bowel muscles so that they will do their work again naturally without outside aid. Cast aside your skepticism and try Syrup Pepsin.
For the free sample address Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell Building, Mont-cello, Ill.

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Leads all other medicines in the cure of all spring ailments, humors, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, paleness and nervousness. Take it.
Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.
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Colds and Chills Bring Kidney Ills

February, March and April are the backache months, because they are months of colds, chills, grip and pneumonia, with their congesting, weakening influence on the kidneys. Colds, chills, or grip strain the kidneys and start backache, urinary disorders and uric acid troubles. You feel lame, weak and tired and have headache, dizzy feelings, achy muscles and joints; too frequent, painful urinary passages, sediment, etc. Chills hurt the kidneys. Likewise well kidneys often prevent taking cold, by helping to pass off the waste matters of cold congestion. Doan's Kidney Pills are very useful in the raw winter and spring months. They stop backache and urinary disorders, keep the kidneys well and prevent colds from settling on the kidneys. Strong testimony proves it. What better evidence could you ask?

CONVINCING PROOF FROM GRATEFUL USERS

IN HOSPITAL FOR NINE MONTHS.
Awful Fate of Suffering Kidney Trouble.
Alfred J. O'Brien, No. 2nd St., Sterling Colo., says: "I was in the Baltimore Marine Hospital for nine months. I was evacuated from fever, had a per-sistent ache in my back and was completely worn out. The urine was in a terrible state, and some days I would pass half a gallon of blood. I left the hospital be-cause they wanted to operate on me. I then went to St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha and put in three months there without any gain. I was pretty well dis-couraged when I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills, but by the time I had used one box the pain in the back left me. I kept right on, and a perfect cure was the result. You may put anyone in communication with me and I will give them proof that this statement is cor-rect."

THE SHADOW OF DEATH.
A Washington Woman's Remarkable Recovery.
Mrs. Enos Shearer, Yew St., Centra-ria, Wash., with one kid-ney gone, the other badly diseased, and five doctors in con-sultation, was thought to be in a hopeless state. "My limbs were so swollen," said Mrs. Shearer, "that I could hardly get about. I rapidly grew worse until the doctor said one kidney was entirely gone and the other badly decayed. The end seemed near, and my friends gave me up to die. On my brother's advice I began using Doan's Kid-ney Pills and after the fourth day I was able to be propped up in bed. Through their use I rapidly improved until at the present time I am active and well, although 65 years old. I can do fully as much work as any woman in Centra-ria, and enjoy good health."

A TRIAL FREE Test Doan's Kid-ney Pills Yourself
Cut out this coupon, mail it to Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. A free trial package of Doan's Kidney Pills will be mailed you promptly. No. 152

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The Stranger—Are you quite sure that that was a marriage license you gave me last month?
The Official—Of course! What's the matter?
The Stranger—Well, I've lived a dog's life ever since—Sketch.

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA
Take the old Spanish quinine (FAS-LE-CHILL TONIC). You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply quinine and iron in a taste-ful form. The quinine drives out the malarial and the iron builds up the system. Sold by all druggists for 25 cents. Three 60-cent bottles.

Faith must become active through works. Decide on spring action out-lets from the divine life within the soul.—C. W. Wendte.

Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullen is Nature's great remedy—Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough and all throat and lung troubles. At druggists, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

Actions, looks, words—steps from the alphabet by which you spell char-acter.—Lavater.

The busiest thing in the world is idle curiosity.

For a disordered liver, take Garfield Tea, the Herb Laxative. All druggists.

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Because of those ugly, grizzly, gray hairs. Use "LA CREOLE" HAIR DRESSING. PRICE, \$1.00, retail.

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Telegraph Telegrams

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George Dale has returned from Kerrville.

Rain, rain, rain. No trouble to rain up here.

A number of our people are in the capitol city courting.

Mr. and Mrs. Quilla Taylor visited Telegraph Saturday.

Ugh, how bad those boys wanted to sing Sunday evening!

A large amount of Cash got lost Friday, but was recovered later.

Jinks Coleman passed through Tuesday returning from Kerrville.

J. E. Dietz from up the river was down here enjoying the rain Saturday.

Miss Lavonia Cloudt left this week for a visit with relatives in Edwards County.

J. D. Lockhart was here from Junction Tuesday on his way to Edwards County.

We've been accused of believing in helping widows and orphans in their afflictions.

An effort will be made to have a camp meeting at Telegraph some time in the future.

Ed Fleming went to town Monday to attend court but returned home same day all smiles.

Mrs. T. Hunger has been quite sick for several days, but is much better we are glad to report.

Judge Herrington has been making some nice improvements in the center of the city of Telegraph.

The way cattle are going up in these parts is in the neighborhood of the bovine that made the notorious jump.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hodges of Contrary, who have been down the river fishing, stopped in Telegraph Saturday night.

There is talk of arranging to have a regular weekly singing at Evergreen church. Everyone should take an interest in this and come.

They say that those strains of melody knocked one of the boys off his feet and stood him on his head; it affected another in the same way except standing on his head.

Last Sunday, in spite of the pretty day, there were not as many out as there should have been. This ended a quarter and the "faithful few" all expressed themselves as well pleased with the Sunday school and hope the next quarter will be a better one. The superintendent is a splendid leader and all should fall in line and help in this work.

Whether the Jolly Kid was right in saying some time ago that Spring had come is a puzzle. One day this week the winds from the northern snows made us think that we should have to borrow an overcoat. Before the day was half done, however, we were sweating like that proverbial "nigger" as we tried to keep Jack in the furrow.

FUZZ.

Dots From South Llano

T. Hunger visited Junction Monday.

Jno. Fleming visited the county site Monday.

Bill McWilliams and son Roy visited Junction Wednesday.

Albert Meredith drove the mail Saturday?—What's up?

Well, we have had another good rain and it was a welcome visitor.

Miss Ethel Scarborough returned to her home in Junction after a month's visit on the Jno. Fleming ranch.

Our school closed Friday, March 24. Miss Phillips taught us a good school and we regret that it could not continue longer.

While Jim and Joe Cloudt were throwing at a squirrel Saturday Joe fell backwards off a bank 15 feet high; he was seriously injured, but at we hope he will rapidly improve.

THE JOLLY KID.

TRESPASS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all hunting, fishing, trapping, or trespassing in any manner on any of our lands is strictly forbidden. Any violation of this will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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D. C. HALL
ROSS BEASLEY

Result of
Stock Law Election
Held at South Llano Schoolhouse
Voting Precinct No. 2.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF KIMBLE. Be it known that on the 21st day of March, A. D., 1911, I, W. A. Spencer, County Judge in and for said county and state in the presence of A. O. Lawler, County and District Clerk, and T. J. Meredith, J. P. Precinct No. 1, of said county, convened for the purpose of tabulating the results of an election held at South Llano Schoolhouse, an election box of Precinct No. 2 in said county on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1911, to determine whether hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said election precinct of said county, Texas, and found the result to be (1) eleven votes for the stock law and (1) one vote against the stock law.

Therefore, I, W. A. Spencer, County Judge Kimble County, Texas, do declare the result of said election and that Hogs, Sheep and goats be prohibited from running at large in said sub-division of Kimble County after the expiration of 30 days from date hereof. Attest my hand and official seal at office in Junction this 21st day of March, 1911.

WILL ADD SPENCER,
County Judge Kimble County,
Texas.

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Sayman's Vegetable Wonder Soap is the best soap for the bath and toilet purposes ever sold in Junction. It is an absolutely pure natural soap containing the root of the soap plant, Nature's substitute for soap. Is made without the use of animal fats, fillers or coloring matter and is matchless for the skin, scalp and complexion. Endorsed by the medical profession and public. Sayman's Healing Salve is the best and purest that money can buy. It is an anti-septic salve possessing remarkable healing powers and purifying properties that we can recommend to the most skeptical and especially to those afflicted with various forms of skin diseases and old sores.

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Bids for County Depository for funds of Gillespie County

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Hon. County Commissioners' Court of Gillespie County, Texas, on Monday the 10th day of April, A. D., 1911, at 10 o'clock A. M., from any banking incorporation, as association or individual banker, in an adjoining county, to act as the county depository of the funds of Gillespie County, Texas, in the manner and under the conditions provided by Act of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of Texas.

MAX BLUM,
County Judge, Gillespie County,
Texas.

School Trustee Election

Notice:
THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Kimble. To all whom this may concern:

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the law governing the election of school trustees, there will be held an election on Saturday, the first day of April, 1911, in the several School Districts of Kimble County said state at their respective schoolhouses, at the courthouse of District No. 1, and at London District No. 4, where the Trustees of said District may designate.

The Polls in said Districts shall be opened at 8 o'clock, A. M. and closed at 7 o'clock P. M. on said day for the purpose of electing two School Trustees in each of said Districts to serve for the ensuing two years.

WILL ADD SPENCER,
County Judge, Kimble County
Texas. Ex-officio Co. Supt.,
March 1st, 1911.

No Need to Stop work.

When your doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. "I can't," you say. You know you are weak, run-down, and failing in health day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give you strength, and vigor to your system to prevent breakdown and to build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at J. A. Heymans.

Revival Meeting

Rev. H. Jeffrey announces a revival meeting to begin at the Baptist Church in Junction on May 5. Everybody cordially invited. Further particulars later.

Not A Word of Scandal

Marred the call of a neighbor on Mrs. W. P. Spangh of Manville, Wyo. who said: "she told me Dr. King's New Life Pills has cured her of obstinate kidney trouble and made her feel like a new woman." Easy but sure remedy for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. On ly 25c at J. A. Heymans.

PROTRACTED MEETING

To avoid conflicts in our protracted meetings I hereby give notice that our meeting this year will begin on the evening of the 30th day of June, and close on the evening of the 25. Bro. C. R. Nichol, of Clifton, will do the preaching, and we expect to have good song services at each meeting. Everybody invited to come and enjoy this meeting with us. Bro. Nichol is one of our best evangelists. Come and hear him.

JOHN S. DURST

Forced To Leave Home.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers, whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. There is a better way. Let Dr. King's New Discovery cure you at home. "It cured me of lung troubles," writes W. R. Nelson of Calamus, Ark., when all else failed and I gained 47 pounds. It's surely the king of all cough and lung cures." Thousands owe their life and health to it. It's positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Laryngitis, Asthma, Croup, all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. J. A. Heymans.

Big Revival Meeting

Rev. S. L. Batchelor announces a big revival to begin at the Methodist Church in Junction on Friday evening April 21. Rev. M. J. Allen, a former pastor, but now West Texas Conference Evangelist, will assist in the preaching and a great meeting is expected. Everybody come, bring someone with you, and let all Christian people unite their efforts for good in this meeting.

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Barnum of Freeville, N. Y., was too fever sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote "it has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Sores, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at J. A. Heymans.

Come in and get acquainted; you are welcome.—Mueller & Loeffler-Jordan Co.

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