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Go Out Tomorrow and Vote Your Sentiments!

PICNIC BARBECUE

At a meeting of the Commercial Club Monday afternoon, it was decided to have a picnic-barbecue. The Board of Directors met Tuesday afternoon and appointed the following committees to work in the interest of same:

J. W. D. Davis was unanimously elected General Manager, and the various committees will confer with him in their work.

Committee on Shade: S. N. McDaniel, J. B. Walker and D. B. Doak.

Committee on Finance: C. E. Brown, M. M. Skinner and W. D. Nevels.

Committee on advertising: H. C. Crie and Geo. M. Hill.

Committee on Arrangement: E. D. Skinner, Jack Alley and Cloyd Shook.

Committee on Program and Entertainment: J. P. Marrs, Geo. M. Hill, D. B. Doak, C. A. Thomas and M. M. Herring.

Committee to Wait on Table: J. S. Wells, Captain; J. D. Donaldson, Doc Rogers, Alec Vaughan, Mr. Sherrod, J. C. Nevills, A. J. DeBord, Joel Reed, H. C. Burk, R. A. Chambers, Jim Welcher, Ben King, Ed Henderson, Guy King and A. J. Warren.

First and foremost, we wish to say to each committee and each individual of each committee, you are expected to get up and labor in the place in which you are placed. This is what you are placed on these committees for to get up and get busy.

And now we wish to say to the citizens of Tahoka and Lynn county, get up and help these committees, put your shoulder to the wheel and let's make this a howling success. It can and must be done.

Now committees, get to work NOW, not tomorrow. We have much to do and very little time in which to do it in, so it behooves us to get busy.

The Commercial Club will furnish bread, beef, pickles, coffee and onions. You bring your pies, cakes, custards and fried chicken.

Write your friends and neighbors to be here. Let's make this the largest crowd that ever came to our city and this picnic barbecue the grandest affair of the season.

ENTERTAINS

On last Saturday evening the young people were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hill, as the guests of Miss Gertrude Starnes. The gathering was at an early hour. There were many amusing games enjoyed and the childish laughter could be heard many blocks away. Refreshments of cake and candies was served. When the hour of eleven came the young people left for their homes after expressing themselves as having spent an enjoyable evening.

T. J. Dudley of Abilene, a prominent business man of that city, was here on business Monday. He expressed himself as being highly pleased with our country and city.

A BIG PAY ROLL

The Santa Fe people brought their workmen to town Wednesday. It was pay day and the 105 Mexicans and twelve Americans kept the Cashier and assistant Cashier busy cashing checks thru the window of the First National Bank. We did not learn what the Americans drew, but understand that the Mexicans checks would average about \$30 apiece. This crowd spent many dollars while in our city. In talking to a foreman we were informed that the track layer was now in 7 1/2 miles of Lamesa, so by the time another issue of the Informer reaches you Tahoka and Lamesa will be connected with bands of steel.

LAW WIDELY MISAPPLIED

Austin, Tex., 13.—By popular misconception many people think the Terrell election law require a person to be a resident of the country six months before the primaries to be eligible to vote July 23.

This is incorrect. Any Democrat who will have been a resident of state one year and of a county six months at the time of the general election in November is entitled to vote July 23. Persons moving from one city to another of more than ten thousand population must register transfer of his poll tax at five days before the primary in which he desires to vote.

BIRTH DAY PARTY

On last Friday afternoon from three to six o'clock, Miss Linnie Cowan entertained her many young friends in honor of her twelfth birthday. Many games were indulged in by the young set and at the proper time refreshments were served, consisting of cream, cake, etc. Miss Linnie received many useful and valuable presents from her young friends. All report an excellent time and many were the wishes that their young hostess might enjoy many happy returns of this occasion.

T. A. Holley of Brownfield was in our city Friday.

E. M. Brown of Merkel was in our city on business Friday.

W. H. Cooke of Dallas, was a business visitor here Saturday.

J. F. Ford of Dallas, was here Saturday.

Tom Work and wife of Dallas, were guests of the Tahoka Hotel Saturday.

J. J. Roberts, Jr., of Hale Center, was here Saturday.

A. E. Petit of St. Jo, Texas, had business in the city Monday.

A. W. Peck, Jr., of New Britain, Conn., was here Monday.

F. G. Elliott of Lubbock, was in the city Monday.

Jno. Montgomery of Ft. Worth had business in our city Monday.

Fritz Harris of Colorado, was here Monday.

A. J. Harrington of Colorado, was here the first of the week.

C. M. McCreless of Colorado, attended to business matters in our city the first of the week.

W. M. Iogle of Abilene, formerly one of the leading grocery men of that city, was here Monday. In conversation with Mr. Iogle, he informed us that he had sold his business in that city and would rest awhile, although he had his eyes on Tahoka, and that it was likely that he would at some future day enter into the same business here.

G. M. Arnett and family of the Spade ranch, accompanied by Mrs. Arnett's sister, Miss Annie Good, spent Monday night at the Tahoka Hotel. They were on their way to San Angelo, Brant and other points south and east.

S. B. Hatchett was in from his farm in the Lynn community last Saturday and reported that he had the best prospects for a cotton crop that he has ever had.

Miss Alice McIntire and Mrs. J. R. McIntire were pleasant callers at our office Saturday. Miss Alice had us place her name on our subscription book. Thanks.

Dr. Anderson, Miss Maggie Anderson, Miss Rosalie Malloy and W. B. Smith, of Anson, composed an automobile party who were in our city Wednesday.

O. W. Vardeman and wife of Hereford, were guests of Landlord Stokes at the Tahoka Hotel Friday.

Mrs. Joe Fancher was a pleasant caller at our office Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Fancher came in to renew her subscription to the Informer.

Burnie L. Hill is playing the "devil" in the typographical department of the Informer, so you may lay all mistakes to his credit.

Mrs. E. D. Skinner was a pleasant caller at our office Saturday. We are always pleased to show the ladies through our office.

Order your all wool suit of Anson Coughran. New samples just received.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dyer was in the city Saturday, and were pleasant callers at our office.

Mrs. B. B. Reece was a pleasant caller on the Informer Saturday afternoon.

N. H. White of the Crosbyton Review, was in our city the first of the week.

Let Anson Coughran order that new Fall Suit. See his new samples.

J. P. Webb of Lubbock was in the city Saturday.

Commissioner Gooch was in the city Monday.

J. R. Honea had business in Lubbock Monday.

Rev. D. B. Doak was a business visitor in Lubbock Monday.

B. L. Hill made a business trip to Big Springs Tuesday.

J. W. D. Davis had the misfortune the first of the week to be kicked in the face by a horse.

J. R. Feagans of Comanche, was a pleasant caller at our office Saturday.

I am showing some nice all wool Fall and Winter samples. Let me show you. Anson Coughran.

LUUBOCK COUNTY

From the Avalanche.

T. J. O'Donnell, of Tahoka was in the city on Tuesday transacting business.

George Walton, a prominent attorney of Austin, was in Lubbock on Friday last, on his way to Tahoka, where he will transact important business.

C. W. Alexander returned the first of the week from Tahoka where has been assisting the local manager of the exchange to install a new switch board and otherwise improve the exchange in that town.

Bert Cooper made a business trip to Tahoka Thursday.

Johnnie Hall of Tahoka, was here Sunday.

Claud Wells of Tahoka, visited in the city Sunday.

Hall Robinson and wife of Tahoka, were visitors in the city Sunday.

Harry Whipp of Tahoka, was in Lubbock Sunday.

T. M. Bartley of Tahoka, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business.

J. R. Honea of Tahoka, a popular barber of that place, was in the city Tuesday transacting business.

P. B. Hall, of Tahoka was, transacting business in Lubbock for a few days the first of the week.

M. M. Herring, of the Lynn County Abstract Company was in the city on Friday last. He had been attending business at Amarillo. He left for his home in Tahoka Saturday on the early train. Mr. Herring is a bright affable young man.

Jink Penney left last week for an extensive trip to points south visiting the towns of San Angelo, Sterling, and taking in the festivities at O'Donnell. He stopped on his way home and visited his relatives at Tahoka. He reports a splendid time. He returned last Wednesday.

Rev. D. B. Doak, the popular pastor of the Methodist Church at Tahoka, came up from that place on Tuesday to attend the Mulkey meetings now in session at this place. Rev. Doak is understood to have been proffered the Chair of Applied Sciences and Mathematics at the Central Plains College at Plainview, but has been forced to decline on account of his ministerial work. It is understood that he will remain permanently in Tahoka.

S. McCarty and Mrs. G. E. Blaisdell, of Tahoka were in Lubbock, and were transacting business on Monday. Mrs. Blaisdell was for many years connected with the rescue work of the Salvation Army. She was for fifteen years an active worker in this great organization witness of its transition from an institution that was universally condemned, and the members assaulted and often mobbed by the rough element in towns and cities until today there is no Christian organization that has the respect in any greater degree than that now accorded this institution. They left for their home in Tahoka on Wednesday.

C. E. Doak and family were up from Lamesa the first of the week.

JOE BAILEY

As we have had no correspondence from this part of the country "Wild Rose" will come in and bring some.

Crops are looking well in the neighborhood but a good rain would be appreciated by all.

Mr. A. J. Warren and family attended Sunday school at Draw Sunday.

Mr. Albert Edwards of the city was in our community Wednesday. Mrs. H. E. Baldrige and family was the guest of Mrs. Ed Brewer Sunday.

Mr. Joe Baldrige and wife left Monday for Fluvanna to meet Mr. Baldrige Sister and Mr. Arnold and children from Abilene Tex.

Miss Minnie Brewer attended Singing at the Berry school house Sunday evening.

Mr. Walter Bell and Rufus Brizill had business in this settlement Monday.

Mr. M. F. Ballen and Nick Schoolar made a flying trip to the city Wednesday morning.

Mr. Marion Lee and sister-in-law Mrs. Henry Lee of New Mexico is visiting Marrions sister and family Mrs. Nick Schoolar.

H. E. Baldrige and daughter Addie was trading in Tahoka Saturday.

Mr. Marion Lee called at the home of A. J. Warren Sunday evening.

M. F. Ballew and family left Wednesday night for Fluvanna where they will take the train for Coleman county to see Mr. Ballews mother who is very low.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berry was the guest of Mr. Arthur Harris and wife Sunday.

Joe Baldrige and wife attended Sunday school at T— Sunday evening.

H. E. Baldrige had the misfortune of losing a fine yearling colt Friday bit by a rattle snake.

Wild Rose.

EDITH

Well, move over correspondent and gave us a corner we have kept still as long as we can.

Mr and Mrs Nelson entertained the young people with an ice cream supper Tuesday night a large crowd was present and all expressed them selves as having the time of their lives. The time to go home came all to soon but every body left thanking their hostess for such a pleasant time and hoping she would remember them again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. will Sanders who have been visiting Mrs. Sanders uncle Messerr Frank and Alex Vaughn returned to their home Monday.

Andrew Heuington of Colorado was in our community Tuesday after his Neice Myrtle Herrinton of Richland New Mexico who has been visiting here.

Attie Bell Mc Gonagille of the city spent the week and with Mozell Dyer.

Irvin Shattucks little yellow pony took their regular Sunday afternoon ribble off of Womacks gate post Sunday afternoon.

Papa's Darling.

FARM AND BEE'S

RID FIELDS OF GRASSHOPPER

Ingenious Device Called Hopperdozer Excellent Exterminator of Injurious Insect.

A hopperdozer is an ingenious device for ridding the fields of grasshoppers. It is a long, shallow pan of sheet iron, set on runners and having behind it a banner or sail made of canvas or muslin stretched on a wooden frame. The bottom of the pan is covered with rags or old carpet, previously wetted with water. When all is ready, a pint of kerosene is poured over the wet rags, and the banner of cloth is moistened with kerosene. The dozer is then dragged on its runners over the field and the grasshoppers either jump in or try to jump over, in which case they strike the cloth at the back and fall back into the oil. A mere touch of the oil kills them; it may take a half a minute if the insect falls directly into it or it may take half an hour if the insect simply alights on the banner moistened with the oil, but no matter whether the insect dies immediately or takes a little time, it is sure to die eventually. The great majority of the hoppers that jump into the pan, jump out again at once but they die just as certainly and almost as quickly as if they remained.



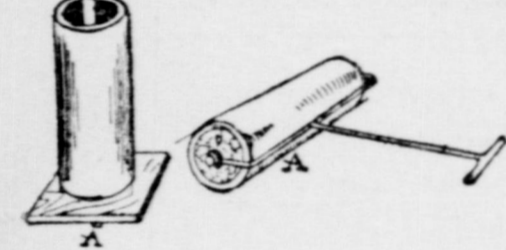
A Hopperdozer.

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DURABLE ROLLER FOR GARDEN

May Be Made of Piece of Tiling With Vacant Space Filled in With Cement and Stones.

A durable garden roller may be made of a piece of tiling. It should be burnt to a glaze and the best size is about two feet in diameter. Set it upon a board and place a piece of gas pipe directly through the center, passing it two inches through a hole in the board. It should project above the tile the same distance. Fill in the



Garden Roller.

open tile to the top with cement mixed with some broken stones or bits of brick or crockery. Face the ends with the clear mixture of sand and cement. Your blacksmith will make a handle for a dollar and you will have an excellent and handy roller.

Water for Sheep.

Sheep drink very little water and some persons claim that they drink none at all. In some parts of England, flockmasters do not permit their ewes to drink water during the gestation period. In this country, which is much drier and where sheep get little moisture from the pasture, clean water is necessary at all times.

Water for Bees.

Plenty of water is absolutely necessary for bees; an abundant supply should be provided, to obviate the necessity of their going to streams and contaminated pools a long distance away. In brood rearing, bees make little progress without plenty of water.

Feed for Young Bull.

The young bull intended for use will come into service sooner if given a daily ration of bran and oats in connection with good pasture grass. Keep the young bull tame by feeding him daily and petting him; but as he grows older, take no chance with his good nature, however tame he may have been when young.

Hum of the Bees.

The hum of the bees give the farmstead a homelike significance. The busy bee is a type for emulation and they should be found on every farm. This is taking no account of the fact that bees produce honey which is profitable, and they render much assistance in fertilizing the stigmas of flowers on fruit trees.

Don't Neglect the Garden.

When the work of planting and cultivating farm crops is pressing the garden is apt to be neglected. This should never be done. Garden plants are tender and cannot bear neglect. The garden should be cultivated frequently and the plants forced to early maturity.

TO TRANSFER BEE COLONIES

Easily Done If Simple Directions Given Below Are Followed—Implementations Needed.

(By W. R. WRIGHT, Oklahoma Experiment Station.)

Many persons who desire to transfer their bees do not understand the best method to use to make the operation a success, hence detailed directions are given below.

Secure a bee veil, a smoker, a long-bladed knife, the wire from an old broom or two, a pair of wire pliers and cutter, two or three rolls of old cotton cloth, some matches, a piece of stout string, an ax or hatchet, and a pair of gloves, if you wish to protect your hands from possible stings.

Place the new hive near the colony to be transferred and have about half of the frames full of foundation; the remaining four or five frames are to be reserved for holding comb taken, a little later, from the old hive.

The wires may be passed around the frames lengthwise, but such an arrangement will make it necessary to remove the frames from the hive at a later date, after the combs, which have been held in place by the wires, have been securely fastened to the frames.

After starting a good smoke in the bee smoker, putting on the bee veil and gloves, tying down the trouser legs, one is all ready to make the transfer. An assistant is desirable, but not a necessity.

Take from the new hive the frames that are to contain the combs to be cut from the old hive, and place them on a wide board or a small table.

Now go to the colony and puff in some smoke at the entrance, then jar the hive by light blows, then puff in more smoke and jar the hive again.

This should be done four or five times to cause the bees to fill themselves with honey. Bees with well-filled honey sacks are not inclined to sting. A forenoon hour of some pleasant day should be chosen for this operation.

There are some advantages in wrapping strings about frames instead of using wires, for the bees will remove the strings, while the wires will remain until removed by the apiarist.

A small whisk broom or turkey feather will be a great aid in encouraging the bees to travel in the right direction.

After the preliminary smoking and drumming the hive should be turned bottom up and an empty box put on top, and the drumming and smoking continued until most of the bees have passed up into the box.

The new hive, now standing where the old hive stood, will soon have returning workers rushing in and out, so the new hive should be supplied with combs from the old ones as quickly as possible; then the box of bees should be shaken into the top or onto a board or paper in front. Care should be taken that nearly all get into the new hive, or the queen may be lost, bringing about failure. Scraps of honey should be carried to the house and honey drips carefully washed up, or there may be a bad case of robbing.

FARM NOTES

Plant the rows all one way—north and south—so the sun can strike both sides.

Keep the hoe going in dry weather and you will not need the watering pot often.

The wheel-hoe will save many a backache and do the work of three hand hoes.

Making a good garden is a man's job. Do not leave the hard work to the women folk.

Wild strawberries have the most delicious flavor. They are easily transplanted to the garden.

Cauliflower can be grown more easily than cabbage. It is always in demand and at good prices.

A handful of grain dug into an ant hill will bring the chickens to it and then good-bye to the insects.

Do not plant short rows but let them run the whole length of the garden if need be—why not?

Do not molest the bees after they get to work, and give them an abundance of room in which to store honey.

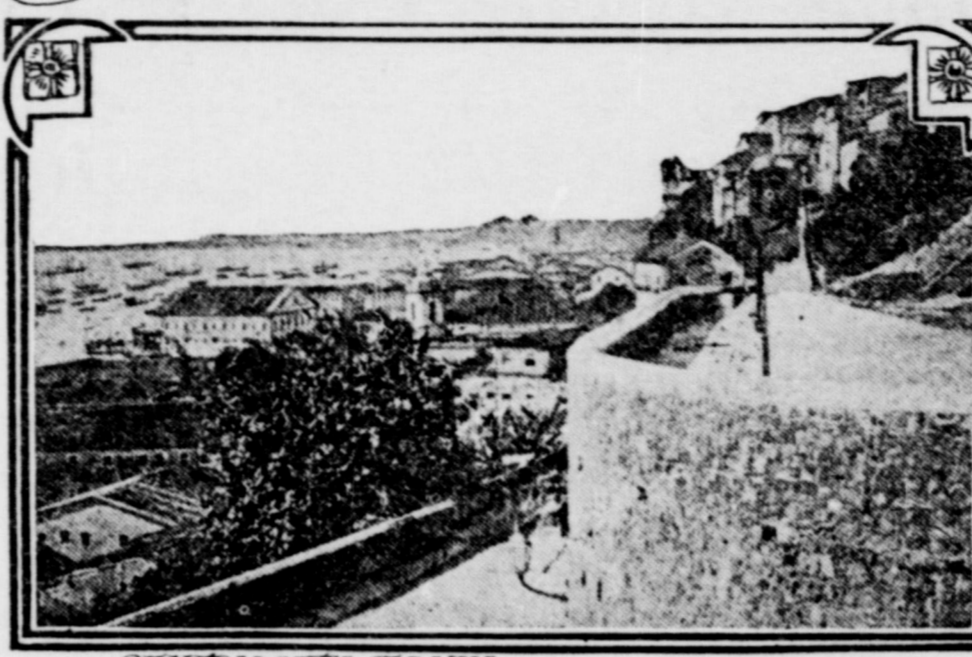
The agricultural department figures out that the annual waste of barn yard manure on American farms, aggregates \$125,000,000.

The use of comb foundation has made possible the production of straight brood and extract combs and marketable comb honey.

A plant of Swiss chard sown adjoining the poultry yard will supply greens all summer provided the fowls are not allowed to eat it more than an hour a day.

Don't keep bees unless you mean to give them the proper care and attention. If you can't do that you had better leave some one else keep the bees and buy your honey from him.

DIAMONDS OF BRAZIL



GENERAL VIEW OF BAHIA

BRAZIL has practically a monopoly of the world's supply of the black diamond, while the United States is its largest market. It is found in La Chapada and Lavras districts of the province of Bahia, Brazil, where it is mined from river beds and other alluvium.

The miners sell their find to agents of exporting firms in the city of Bahia. It is calculated that this port ships annually about \$4,000,000 to \$4,600,000 worth of black diamonds, and, with the adoption of modern methods and machinery in place of the extremely primitive ones formerly employed, the industry will be tremendously stimulated.

About twenty-five years ago a stone of 1,100 carats was found, followed by one of 1,700 carats, and in 1895 a gigantic stone of 3,078 carats, or 615 grams, which was purchased by a New York house for \$32,000 and broken up into pieces of suitable size for diamond drills. At present prices this stone would be worth about \$262,000.

During the past ten years stones of 400 to 800 carats have been discovered, while they are frequently found weighing from 100 to 200 carats.

Previous to 1870 carbonado was practically valueless. From 1870 to 1872 it was employed as an abrasive for cutting and polishing the white gems, and thousands of carats were sold at 50 cents per carat, to be crushed to powder for this purpose. A few years later, when carbonado was employed in diamond drilling, it sold at from \$2 to \$4 a carat. Between 1895 and the present the market value has fluctuated between \$25 and \$85 a carat, this high price being caused by the decline in the supply of carbonado in the past ten years, while the demand has increased. In connection with the subject of black diamond consumption in drilling, it is interesting to remark that in digging the drill hole at Rybnik (Paruschowitz), Upper Silesia, which attained a depth of nearly 7,000 feet, upward of \$25,000 worth of carbonado was used.

The conditions are entirely different from those of Africa. The gravel, sand, and other material containing diamonds lie in or near the beds of streams and rivers, and have been washed down by erosion from high "chapadas" or plateaus, which are probably the original matrix in which Brazilian diamonds were formed. As is natural, gold and a variety of other substances, such as itacolumite, olivine, limestone, hematite, granite, gneiss, and clay are associated with the diamonds. The diamond-bearing material of Brazil consists of a conglomerate, sometimes interbedded with hard yellow sandstone, which is washed down through erosion by rivers, or, in some cases, may be badly decomposed and rotten rock. Fossils are generally lacking. The deposits often consist of schists and schistose clay, diamond-bearing clays, reddish earth, granitic and gneissic formations, and pebbles of various sorts.

The states of the republic which have yielded diamonds are Minas Geraes, Parana, Bahia, Goyaz, and Matto Grosso. It is in the first named that Diamantina, celebrated for the rich diamond mines in its vicinity, is situated. The city is well built and lies at the headwaters of the Jequitinhonha, or Diamond, river, a stream 350 miles long, which empties into the Atlantic at Belmonte. To the east of Diamantina is the peak of Mount Itambe, 5,960 feet, in the Serra Espinaco Range. The mines are situated north of Rio de Janeiro, 800 kilometers, or 497 miles, north of Ouro Preto, the capital of Minas Geraes. The territory in which they are situated forms a vast ellipse, 80 kilometers, or 50 miles, by 40 kilometers, or 25 miles, in a plateau 1,000 to 1,200 meters (3,280 to 3,937 feet), containing a number of valleys cut by the Jequitinhonha and its left tributaries, Ribeirao do Inferno, Rio Caethe, etc., and also by the Sao Francisco's affluents which flow to the northwest, in a very different basin.

Although diamond mining has been more extensively and systematically pursued in the states of Minas Geraes and Bahia than elsewhere in Brazil, Matto Grosso, Goyaz, and Parana have yielded sufficient results to justify the belief that their future as centers of diamond production will be prosperous.

The primitive methods of mining employed in Brazil until recent years have, nevertheless, abundantly revealed the natural productiveness of the Brazilian diamondiferous deposits. Two native methods are still very largely in use, according to the locality to be worked. The first of these, which is found suitable for the diamond-bearing streams of the Diamantina district, somewhat resembles placer gold washing. The process consists primarily in digging out sand and gravel, which are put into small wooden bowls, each capable of holding 8 or 10 pounds. The native miners then proceed in Indian file with their loads to some convenient part of a river or stream, where they laboriously wash out their material, gradually getting rid of all lighter particles and debris until the hidden diamonds, whose specific gravity is 3 1/2, reveal themselves through their weight and peculiar luster. Iron pans with small perforated holes are sometimes used to hasten the process of extraction. A modification of this plan, where a considerable pit has been excavated, consists in finding a curve in the river some distance above, with a natural fall of 20 or 30 feet, and diverting thither a part of the stream through an artificial channel.

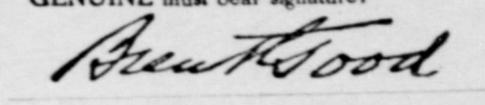
A different method of mining has to be employed in the localities called "chapadas," or plateaus, where diamonds are imbedded in compact, somewhat resistant, conglomerates. A small reservoir, or if necessary, two or three reservoirs, are built, rude dams are placed at various points across the nearest available river, and with the increased water power thus obtained the conglomerates are washed down a ravine to the desired lower level, where the process of further diamond extraction may be continued. Primitive as are the processes described, they have yielded in the past one hundred and eighty years surprisingly rich returns. According to the best authorities, the total Brazilian diamond production, including the extensive contraband trade practiced during the Portuguese colonial regime, is estimated at 12,000,000 carats, or 2 1/2 metric tons. The total export value of diamonds of every sort from Brazil in 1906 is conservatively calculated at about \$5,000,000.

One of the first enterprises to install dredging and hydraulic machinery for the extraction of diamonds such as the alluvial diamondiferous deposits of the Republic require was the Boa Vista company, in 1899, formed in Paris, with a capital of 2,000,000 francs, or \$400,000. Their mining concessions were situated at Boa Vista, on the north bank of the Sao Francisco river, above the Falls of Paulo Afonso, and about 300 miles from the Atlantic. The Brazilian diamond-bearing deposits so far discovered are all alluvial and surface, and they possess many natural advantages over the diamondiferous fields of South Africa, which, as has already been explained, are "dry diggings," requiring the most expensive processes and machinery and every device that human ingenuity can invent for the successful extraction of diamonds. In Brazil, on the other hand, the diamonds concealed can be easily extracted by means of hydraulic and dredging apparatus. A network of rivers and streams affords an unending and copious water supply and power. There is no deep mining to be done, as is the case in South Africa. Only a very small portion of the probable total Brazilian alluvium has been explored, and the river gravels, except in the reaches of only moderate depth, are untouched. Moreover, these gravels in many cases carry enough gold to pay for dredging, and even platinum may be found.

Your Liver is Clogged up

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts—Have No Appetite.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will put you right in a few days. They do their duty. Cure Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, and Sick Headache. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. GENUINE must bear signature:



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Foxy Hiram.
"Well, now, if that ain't surprising!" ejaculated Mrs. Ryetop, as she shaded her eyes with her hand. "There goes old Hiram Skinfint, and rather than step on a poor black ant he picked it up, and I bet he is going to drop it somewhere out of the reach of danger."
Her husband laughed knowingly. "Not Hiram Skinfint, Mandy. He'll go down to Jed Weatherby's general store and order a pound of granulated sugar. Then while Jed is looking another way he'll drop the ant among the grains and tell Jed as long as his sugar has ants in it he ought to sell it at half price. Like as not he'll try to get Jed to throw in two or three raisins and a yeast cake. You don't know Hiram Skinfint!"

Statistics Go Lame.
"Pears t' me thar's somethin' wrong with stertistics," remarked the oldest inhabitant as he dropped into his usual place on the loafers' bench. "What's wrong with 'em?" queried the village grocer.
"Wall, erordin' tew 'em," continued the o. l., "we orter hev had a death in town ev'ry six weeks for 't' past tew years."
"Is that so?" said the grocer.
"Yaas," answered the other, "an' by ginger, we ain't had 'em!"

Hot-Headed if You Mention It.
Scott—Jones is a cool-headed chap.
Mott—Naturally! He's as bald as a door knob.

Delightful Desserts

and many other pleasing dishes can be made with

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died early), Diewertje,
mus, Philip and Evert.

Margaret was the oldest
Col. Jacob, whose name
nished us with a parage
mother was a descendant
Gov. Bradstreet.

The Wendells owned
England, and were pro-
their ranks, they number
philanthropists, authors,
trionts.

Among those in the
my were Capt. John and
both of New York and
ly "boys of '76." The
because western patriots
among other patriotic
en Green, drum-major in
tionary army, for his
dah conferred the honor-
—likewise her heart-
of this particular branch
An illustration is given
armor borne by general
Jansen Wendell.

It is blazoned: per
argent; in chief a ship
the second, and in base
in saltire, rings above
Crest: a ship in full
Or, the ship should be
a Dutch galleon, with
royal flag of Holland
in heraldry, symbolizing
exploit by sea, and
in extremity, and it is
than emblem of hope.
Richard I. bore an an-
Azur symbolizing
integrity; argent, sim-
and sable, constancy.

When the old Dutch
bany was demolished, it
dow was saved. It is
glass, upon which
here shown, was pre-
have been preserved.
Wendell was an older
pillars of the church
ashes!

Two daughters were to
re-beavers, when they married
were counted as currency.
street, Albany, was thus
in the early days.

mus, or to give a more com-
ing of the time, Hieronymus,
second generation, married
Harmense Viescher of Al-
those were the days, when, if
long, time was not fleeting

But to say nothing of the
names bestowed, have you
to drop for the maid who
"I. Ariaantje Harmense,
Hieronymus"—truly a drama-
ment! But she can compare
self that she is not also
Davidtse, and so on.

These old Dutch names
licious sound, any way, even
Jillisse and Diewertje—
translated into prosaic trans-
latory dialect means Deborah—
"je" being a diminutive or
dearment.

Marriage connections of
dells of New York state, in
Van Ness, Ten Broeck, de
Van Vechten and Schuyler
Jaabus Davidtse Schuyler
Catalyntje Wendell, grand-
Evert the first. Catalina
Harmans Wendell, who, in
offices, held that of Justice
peace.

The Wendells, of one
heirs of the noted An-
This, through the marriage
ham of the third genera-
great-granddaughter of Ma-
We are not going to
Wendells of extravagance
though among the effec-
thrifty forefather, there
silver buttons—large ones
to say nothing of silver
The description we have
Wendell, a merchant of
1750, makes charming
wore a richly embroidered
coat, an embroidered long
small clothes, gold knee
stockings with gold clocks
large gold or silver buck-
ling to the importance of
—full ruffles at bosom
gold-laced cocked hat, and
a gold-headed cane. If
attired, what must have
apparel of his wife! Col-
a member of the govern-
and director of the first
Massachusetts.

The Wendells of New
claim Evert, as a forefather
Hampshire, the line trans-
grandson of Abraham, son
at Boston, and son of Jan
beth, daughter of Edward
othy Quincy—"Dorothy"
Washington was at Port-
one of the Wendells—his
was one of the commit-
him, and for the occasion
posed some verses, with
with patriotism and possi-

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A FEW WORDS TO YOU

We wish to say a few words to our many readers. In fact we wish to have a heart to heart talk with you. In our last issue, we put on a clubbing rate to last for thirty days. No more, no less. The rates were, that if subscribed for during the thirty days, that we would send four Informers to any four addresses in the United States one year for two dollars. On the 31st day from date set you can't have it done for a cent less than one dollar each. You wish to know our reasons for doing this, which is easily explained. We wish to bring more settlers to this country, more farmers and more business enterprises. Every new farmer settled in Lynn county enhances the value of your property a certain per cent, the same about the new business firm

that is pulled to Tahoka. It matters not whether you own city property or a farm, your property is worth more money. We wish to say that we are anxious to see these conditions brought about, are more than willing to do our part to this point, therefore the above astonishing low rate on a club of four. We are offering to do our part toward the advancement of this part of the universe. Do you wish to help. Let your relatives and friends receive the Informer for 12 months and see if we can't help you to move them here. We have already added several names to our list on this liberal offer.

A man of prominence who lives at Lamesa, in Dawson county, was in our office one day last week, and made the remark "that it was wonderful how far ahead of Dawson, Lynn county was in the way of grass, crops, etc." He said: "Actually, you can tell it as soon as you cross the line over into our county, the grass and crops are so much better in Lynn county." Do you not think this a nice compliment to our county?

Tahoka is enjoying the most substantial growth of any town on the plains.

Do not let this Clean-up proposition get the best of you and get out and clean up. It might make your neighbor made, for they would have to clean up or let their dirty premises lay along-side your clean ones. More than likely they two would clean-up.

If you are a good Democrat go out to the polls tomorrow and assert your authority as a citizen of Texas by casting your vote for the men that appear to be the best fitted for the office for which they aspire.

We hear many encouraging words spoken by farmers about the enormous crops they expect to have this fall. Quite a few of us that the water would soon be ripe and ourself and family would be remembered by them as a stripped one.

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barn yard full of chickens, a
good brood sow or two and
a few mares and cows, is, if
he manages them right, a
independent man tomorrow.

It is every man's duty to
go to the polls tomorrow
and vote. It is a duty you
owe your country, yourself
and your family. You have
as much say about our govern-
ment as anyone and you
should assert your liberty.

Prospectors coming into
our city for the first time,
is at once struck with its
beauty and ideal location.
The only draw-back the city
has, is its uncleanness. We
can remedy that. Lets get
about it.

A clean, healthy, town, is
what catches the eye of the
prospector. A man looking
for an ideal location to set-
tle down in, goes over the
city. If it is nice and clean,
its attractiveness at once
appeals to them to settle at
once in the city of cleanli-
ness. Is our city as clean as
it should be?

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moving along nicely. Are
you a member? Have you
any interest in our town or
country? If you have and
do not belong to the club,
you have surely overlooked
a bet. Better investigate
this Club proposition. Its
worth money to you. Your
money will come back ten-
fold.

The business man or citi-
zen who has his name en-
rolled in the books of the
Commercial Club, is in the
right road to prosperity.
He will bring it to him. It
will come to the man who
keeps his name off the club
books and his money in his
purse, as well. But, don't
you care what your neigh-
bor thinks about you?

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

While on her way with a crowd
of young people to attend a house
party at the Clayton ranch south-
est of town, the wagon in which
they were riding was accidently
overturned and Miss Willie Wilson
had her leg broken just above
the ankle. She was immediately
taken to Post City where the frac-
ture was reduced by Dr. Carter.
She was brought to Lubbock on
Monday last. She is the daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilson of
this place. At last account she was
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The Miser of Sag Harbor

"Economy," said Danig, the millionaire shoe merchant in Boston, who at the age of 19 has entered Harvard. "I will give unto thee," as the representative of all. The others were included, as Peter had nothing in mind that the rest did not have. (Matt. 23:12; John 20:23). In Rev. 21:14 the apostles are 12 foundation stones of the heavenly city. (See also Eph. 2:20.)

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comes to life when the health, vigor and strength of the body is restored.

That Certain Seal

of vigor in the body. It is the seal of the Saviour's time as a proper name. "He did not call his postle Satan, a devil, but looked for the moment through Peter, and saw behind him his old enemy," who presented the same temptation in the wilderness.

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big results. The Supreme Example and Proof of the Above Teaching.—Vs. 27-28. The life of Jesus had presented to his followers seemed hard and discouraging, they may well have felt as Pilate said when, on his way to the Celestial City, persuaded by Christian's pictures of its glories to undertake the journey, he suddenly found himself plunged into the Slough of Despond, and exclaimed, "Is this the happiness you have told me all this while of?"

PETER'S CONFESSION

Sunday School Lesson for July 17, 1910
Specially Arranged for This Paper

LESSON TEXT.—Matthew 16:13-28. Story verse, 28.

OLDEN TEXT.—"Thou art the Christ, Son of the living God."—Matthew 16:16.

TIME.—Autumn of A. D. 29.

PLACE.—The picturesque region around Nazareth, at the base of Mount Zion. About 25 miles northeast of the Sea of Galilee.

SUGGESTION AND PRACTICAL THOUGHT. The Disciples Have a New Vision of Jesus as the Messiah.—Vs. 13-17.

asked his disciples," after he had been praying alone (Luke). As usual, great epoch, the new work, began prayer—showing its importance, object seems to have been to draw the faith of his disciples, and to deal to them more fully his nature and his redeeming work. "Whom do you say that I the Son of man am?"

"Some say John the Baptist," returned to life. Among these were Herod (Matt. 14:1, 2). "Some say Elias" (Greek word of Elijah), who was the expected forerunner of the Messiah (Mal. 4:5; Matt. 11:14). Or "Jeremias," Greek of Jeremiah, a representative of the prophets, being first named in the Jewish canon. "One of the prophets," i. e., "that of the old prophets is risen again" (Luke 9:19).

"But whom say ye that I am?" "Ye," plural, and by position the Greek, exceedingly emphatic.

"And Simon Peter." The somewhat impulsive nature of Peter made possible to him quick insight, new revelations of truth.

"Thou art the Christ." The Messiah whom the Jews were looking for, from the ages had been preparing. The Son of the living God," such as he alone can be the Savior of the world. No mere man however great can be our Supreme Leader and ouravior.

"Blessed are thou." Because thou hast opened thy heart to the truth. Faith, knowledge of Christ as the Son of God, almighty to save and unite in love; a heart in which truth abides a natural soil; a character in harmony with Jesus; broader outlooks to truth—are all exquisite blessings. Simon Bar-jona." Simon, son of John.

"For flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee." The New Trust Committed to the Disciples.—Vs. 18-20. Although the understanding of the Messiah and his kingdom was very imperfect, yet Jesus showed them how great was their commitment to them, and how they the responsibilities laid upon them. This was a part of their training. It would give them a deep interest in the subject, and lead to a more earnest search after the truth.

"I will give unto thee," as the representative of all. The others were included, as Peter had nothing in mind that the rest did not have. (Matt. 23:12; John 20:23). In Rev. 21:14 the apostles are 12 foundation stones of the heavenly city. (See also Eph. 2:20.)

"Tell no man." Only those who saw Jesus as they did, could understand. To present Jesus as the Messiah would lead some to try to make him a worldly king according to their ideas of the Messiah; and repel those who saw that it was impossible for Jesus to do what they wanted their Messiah to do.

The New Revelation as to How the Christ, the Messiah, Must Accomplish His Work.—Vs. 21-23. Jesus now began to tell his disciples what he must do in order to be the Messiah. He must suffer and die for the sins of the world. There is no other way.

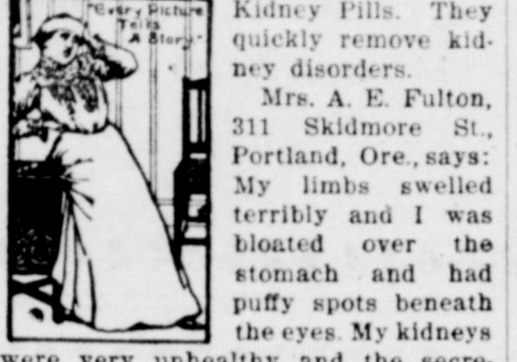
23. Jesus "said unto Peter." Publicly before them all. "Get thee behind me, Satan." "Satan" means "adversary," the great "enemy" of all mankind, used in the Saviour's time as a proper name. "He did not call his postle Satan, a devil, but looked for the moment through Peter, and saw behind him his old enemy," who presented the same temptation in the wilderness.

The Cross the Way to the Crown, or the Disciples as for the Christ.—Vs. 24-26. "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself." Renounce self as master and accept Christ as master. When the heart accepts Jesus and chooses God, then the whole lower nature, all passions, aims, desires, are to be subjected not only to conscience, but to Jesus. "Take up thy cross." Daily, not merely on special occasions. "And follow me," do what I am doing, live according to my plan and aim.

The Supreme Example and Proof of the Above Teaching.—Vs. 27-28. The life of Jesus had presented to his followers seemed hard and discouraging, they may well have felt as Pilate said when, on his way to the Celestial City, persuaded by Christian's pictures of its glories to undertake the journey, he suddenly found himself plunged into the Slough of Despond, and exclaimed, "Is this the happiness you have told me all this while of?"

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The minister was addressing the Sunday school. "Children, I want to talk to you for a few moments about one of the most wonderful, one of the most important organs in the whole world," he said. "What is that that throbs away, beats away, never stopping, never ceasing, whether you wake or sleep, night or day, week in and week out, month in and month out, year in and year out, without any volition on your part, hidden away in the depths, as it were, unseen by you, throbbing, throbbing rhythmically all your life long?" During this pause for oratorical effect a small voice was heard: "I know. It's the gas meter."

A BURNING ERUPTION FROM HEAD TO FEET

"Four years ago I suffered severely with a terrible eczema, being a mass of sores from head to feet and for six weeks confined to my bed. During that time I suffered continual torture from itching and burning. After being given up by my doctor I was advised to try Cuticura Remedies. After the first bath with Cuticura Soap and application of Cuticura Ointment I enjoyed the first good sleep during my entire illness. I also used Cuticura Resolvent and the treatment was continued for about three weeks. At the end of that time I was able to be about the house, entirely cured, and have felt no ill effects since. I would advise any person suffering from any form of skin trouble to try the Cuticura Remedies, as I know what they did for me. Mrs. Edward Nanning, 1112 Salina St., Watertown, N. Y., Apr. 11, 1909."

Trying to Satisfy Him. Squeamish Guest (as waiter places water before him)—Waiter, are you sure this is boiled distilled water? Waiter—I am positive, sir.

Squeamish Guest (putting it to his lips)—But it seems to taste pretty hard for distilled water. Waiter—That's because it's hard-boiled distilled water, sir.

TAKE A FOOT-BATH TO-NIGHT

After dissolving one or two Allen's Foot-Tabs (Antiseptic tablets for the foot-bath) in the water, it will take out all soreness, smarting and tenderness, remove foot odors and freshen the feet. Allen's Foot-Tabs instantly relieve weariness and sweating or inflamed feet and hot nervousness of the feet at night. Then for comfort throughout the day shake Allen's Foot-Ease the antiseptic powder into your shoes. Sold everywhere 25c. Avoid substitutes. Samples of Allen's Foot-Tabs mailed FREE or our regular size sent by mail for 25c. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Lelyston, N. Y.

"Foot-Tabs for Foot-Tubs." An Answer in Kind. "How did the trouble in the family start?" "The wife, it seems, got tired of her husband's heavy wit."

"Why didn't she simply make a light retort?" "She did. She threw the lamp at him."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

The Inevitable. The Judge—Madam, do you understand the nature of an oath? The Witness—You seem to forget, your honor, that I've been married for over 20 years.

Bottomless tanks enable you to water your cattle in Nature's way at small cost. Booklet "A" free. Alamo Iron Works, San Antonio, Texas.

Theatrical expense accounts come under the head of play bills.

Controlled Newspapers.

The Atchison Globe says that no advertiser has ever tried to control its editorial policy, the remark being occasioned by the charge often made nowadays, that the big advertisers direct the editorial policy of newspapers.

The experience of the Globe is the experience of most newspapers. The merchant who does a great deal of advertising is more interested in the circulation department of a newspaper than in the editorial department. If a daily paper goes to the homes of the people, and is read by them, he is satisfied, and it may chase after any theory or fad, for all he cares. He has troubles of his own, and he isn't trying to shoulder those of the editorial brethren.

There are newspapers controlled by people outside of the editorial rooms, and a good many of them, more's the pity; but the people exercising that control are not the business men who pay their money for advertising space. The newspapers which are established for political purposes are often controlled by chronic office-seekers, whose first concern is their own interests. There are newspapers controlled by great corporations, and the voice of such newspapers is always raised in protest against any genuine reform.

The average western newspaper usually is controlled by its owner, and he is supposed to be in duty bound to make all sorts of sacrifices at all sorts of times; there are people who consider it his duty to insult his advertisers, just to show that he is free and independent. If he shows a decent respect for his patrons, who pay him their money, and make it possible for him to carry on the business, he is "subsidized" or "controlled." The newspaper owner is a business man, like the dry goods man or the grocer. The merchants are expected to have consideration for their customers, and they are not supposed to be subsidized by the man who spends five dollars with them, but the publisher is expected to demonstrate his courage by showing that he is ungrateful for the patronage of his friends. It is a funny combination when you think it over.—Emporia Gazette.

Annie Telford, "Queen's Nurse," of Ballyntray, Ayrshire, England, Writes as Follows:—

I have great pleasure in testifying what a valuable remedy in various Skin Troubles I have found Resinol Ointment to be. I have used it in extremely bad cases of Eczema and in poisoned wounds, and always with most satisfactory results. I have the highest opinion of its curative value.

Household Consternation.

"Charley, dear!" exclaimed young Mrs. Torkins, "the baby has swallowed a gold dollar!" "Great heavens! Something must be done. There will be no end to the cost of living if he gets habits like that!"

For Red, Itching Eyelids, Cysts, Styes, Falling Eyelashes and All Eyes That Need Care Try Murine Eye Salve. Ascorbic Tubes—Trial Size—25c. Ask Your Druggist or Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Kind words are often wasted where a swift kick would have been more effective.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Many a man enjoys a pipe because his wife hates it.

Silence!

The instinct of modesty natural to every woman is often a great hindrance to the cure of womanly diseases. Women shrink from the personal questions of the local physician which seem indicative. The thought of examination is abhorrent to them, and so they endure in silence a condition of disease which surely progresses from bad to worse.

It has been Dr. Pierce's privilege to cure a great many women who have found a refuge for modesty in his offer of FREE consultation by letter. All correspondence is held as sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription restores and regulates the womanly functions, abolishes pain and builds up and puts the finishing touch of health on every weak woman who gives it a fair trial.

It Makes Weak Women Strong, Sick Women Well. You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic medicine of known composition.

Heard Many a One. The Judge—Madam, do you understand the nature of an oath? The Witness—You seem to forget, your honor, that I've been married for over 20 years.

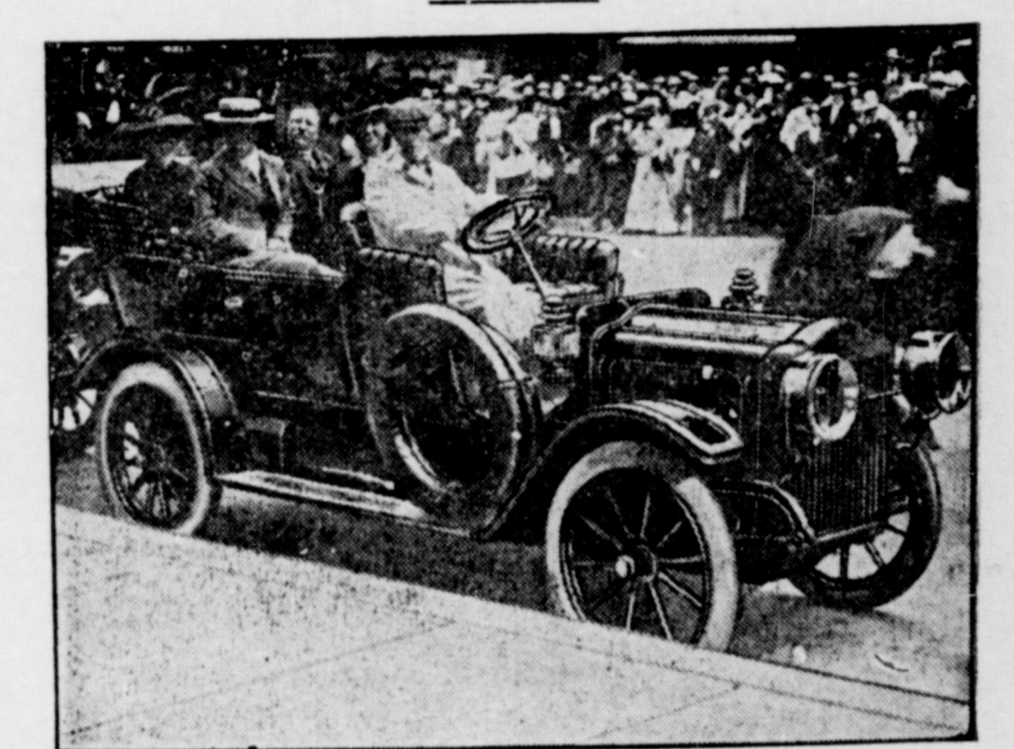
Bottomless tanks enable you to water your cattle in Nature's way at small cost. Booklet "A" free. Alamo Iron Works, San Antonio, Texas.

To greet misfortune with a smile is decidedly a one-sided flirtation.

ROOSEVELT RETURNS AND IS GIVEN AN OVATION SELDOM EQUALED

The Mighty Traveler Goes Buoyantly Through a Long and Trying Reception-Parade, Showing Lively Interest in Everything American

The White Company Receives Unique Compliment for the Sturdy Reliability of Its Steam Car From Mr. Roosevelt and Family



Theodore Roosevelt and Party in White Steamer.)

After fifteen months' absence, exactly as scheduled, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt disembarked from the Kaiser August Victoria, Saturday morning, June 18, at 11 a. m. To the keen disappointment of a large group of newspaper correspondents, Mr. Roosevelt absolutely refused, as heretofore, to be interviewed or to talk on political subjects, but his rapid fire of questions showed the same virile interest in public affairs as before.

If the welcome tendered by the vast throng may be considered a criterion upon which to base a "return from Elba," surely there was no discordant note in the immense reception-parade, nor in the wildly clamorous crowd which cheered at every glimpse and hung on his very word.

The incidents of the day in New York were many, but perhaps none better illustrated the nervous energy and vitality of the man, the near-mania to be up-and-doing, which he has brought back to us, than the discarding of horses and carriages for the swifter and more reliable automobiles. The moment the Roosevelt family and

immediate party landed, they were whisked away in White Steamers to the home of Mrs. Douglas Robinson at 433 Fifth avenue. A little later, when the procession reached the corner of Fifty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, Colonel Roosevelt again showed his preference for the motor car in general and the White cars in particular, when he, Cornelius Vanderbilt and Collector Loeb transferred from their carriage to White Steamers, which were in waiting for them.

After luncheon at Mr. Robinson's house, the entire party, including Colonel Roosevelt, again entered White cars and were driven to Long Island City, where they were to take a special train to the ex-President's home at Oyster Bay.

The supremacy of the White cars with the Roosevelt party was again demonstrated on Sunday, when the party was driven to church in the White Steamers, and a group of some forty prominent Rough Riders were taken in a White Gasoline Truck to a clamor at the Travlers island clubhouse of the New York Athletic Club.

YOU OUGHT TO KNOW ABOUT IT

It's a County Seat in the center of the Rio Grande Valley and Irrigation; has railroad, canal, new court house, good bank, school, brick business houses. Chapin needs people to develop it's great resources; they're rich enough to make you rich. Ask us for booklet. Chapin Townsite Co., Box 6, Chapin, Tex.

PATENT YOUR IDEAS. They may bring you wealth. 4 page Book Free. Est. 1897. Fitzgaid & Co., Pat. Attys., Box K, Washington, D.C.

W. N. U., DALLAS, NO. 29-1910.

Up-Set Sick Feeling

that follows taking a dose of castor oil, salts or calomel, is about the worst you can endure—Ugh—it gives one the creeps. You don't have to have it—CASCARETS move the bowels—tone up the liver—without these bad feelings. Try them.

CASCARETS are a box for a week's treatment, all druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Million boxes a month.

HED-LYTE

The new liquid headache and neuralgia medicine. Safe, Pleasant and Effective. 10c, 25c and 50c bottles at all Drug Stores. Manufactured by THE HED-LYTE COMPANY, DALLAS, TEXAS.

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Smallest, lowest-priced practical hearing device. Write to-day. AURIS COMPANY, JAMAICA, NEW YORK.

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Combination Wood and Wire Fence and Corn Crib

The most practical and economical fence made for yard, lawn, garden, orchard or stock. Sold in 75 and 80-foot rolls and painted with the celebrated "Monitor" paint. Easy to erect and more durable than ordinary fences. Made in heights of three to six feet of selected straight grained yellow pine pickets. See your lumber dealer or write THE HODGE FENCE & LUMBER CO., Ltd., Lake Charles, La.



MITCHELL'S EYE SALVE

25c

You Look Prematurely Old

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

WE ARE SHOWING SOME REAL BARGAINS

At our Store. We have just received a Fall Line of LADIES SLIPPERS. Something that is up-to-now. We have in a new line of Shirts, Sunday Shirts, Work Shirts and SKIRTS. Our line of DRESS GOODS are always COMPLETE. In our GROCERY department, we keep on hand at all times a COMPLETE stock of goods that are always Clean and Fresh. Call on us when in town.

J. E. KETNER

Proposed Amendment to The State Constitution Authorizing the Establishment of a Home for Wives and Widows of Confederate Soldiers and Sailors.

House Joint Resolution No. 7

Joint Resolution to amend Section 11 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, so as to authorize the grant of aid in the establishment and maintenance of a home for the disabled and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors and such women as aided the Confederacy, and making an appropriation.

Section 1. That Section 11 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended in 1903, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3, Section 11. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual associations of individuals municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided however, the Legislature may grant and to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1860, and who are either over sixty years of age or whose disability is the proximate result of actual service in the Confederate army for a period of at least three months, their widows in indigent circumstances who have never remarried and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since March 1, 1860, and who were married to such soldiers or sailors anterior to March 1, 1860, provided, said aid shall not exceed eight dollars per month, and provided further, that appropriation shall ever be made for the purpose herebefore specified in excess of five hundred thousand dollars for any one year. And also grant aid to the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitation as may be provided by law; provided the grant to aid said home shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for any one year, and no inmates of said home shall be entitled to any other aid from the State; the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home, and provided further, that the provision of this Section is all not be construed to prevent the grant of aid in case of public calamity.

Section 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the subdivision of the State of Texas at the regular election of State officers in November, 1910.

The sum of \$5,000,000, or so much thereof may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this Resolution.

W. B. Townsend, Secretary of State

(A true copy.)

TEXAS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY

Notice of Special Stockholders Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Texas Central Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors of said Company to be held at the general office of the Company, in the City of Waco, Texas, on Thursday the 22nd day of September, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the following purposes:

- (a) to consent to, approve and authorize the creation and issue of mortgage gold bonds of the Company to be limited to a principal amount, at any one time outstanding, of not exceeding \$20,000,000 such bonds to bear interest from September 1, 1910, at such rate or rates not exceeding 6 per cent, per annum as said Board may, from time to time, determine; to mature at such date, to be issuable for such lawful purposes and in such denominations as said Board may determine, such bonds to be payable, both principal and interest, at the office or agency of said Company in the City of New York in gold coin of the United States of America, of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, without deduction for any tax assessment or governmental charge which said Company may be required to pay thereon or to deduct or retain therefrom under any present or future law of the United States or of any state, county, municipality or other taxing authority therein;
- (b) to consent to, approve and authorize the execution and delivery, to secure such bonds, of a mortgage and deed of trust on and of the railroads, equipment, franchises and property owned by said Company at the date of the execution and delivery of such mortgage and deed of trust or at any time thereafter used as a basis of issue of any of such bonds or their proceeds;
- (c) to approve the form and terms of such mortgage and deed of trust, or to authorize said Board in its discretion, to determine the form and terms thereof;
- (d) to ratify and confirm and to authorize and consent to any action theretofore taken or authorized by said Board and which may be submitted to the meeting, whether for the purposes of or in connection with or in contemplation of any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise; and
- (e) to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed for such meeting on Wednesday, the 20th day of July, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, and will be reopened on Friday, the 23rd day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated, Waco, Texas, July 8, 1910. By order of the Board of Directors.

R. H. Baker, President. S. H. McCartney, Secretary.

The 5th Sunday singing which was to meet at Post City July 26, is called in by the President to meet at Moores Draw the fifth Sunday in October. The Post City people are situated so they could not entertain the Singing there at this time, but will entertain a singing on the first Sunday in August.

G. W. Reed of Lubbock, was here the latter part of last week. We understand that Mr. Reed has traded for a Grocery and Hardware store at Post City.

Dr. Upton says pay no attention to the wind blowing when you come to town, for he has not lost a case yet, nor let anyone get dangerous and has had several to treat. I manage to get hold of the easy cases.

J. S. Bean was here this week selling the 1910 Atlas of Texas and the World.

Ernest Reed of Lubbock was in our city Saturday. Ernest informs us that he soon expects to move to Post City.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Robinson and Virgil Johns returned from San Angelo Sunday afternoon.

Let me insure your dwellings in town and in the Country. M. M. Herring.

Miss Ruth Ray who has been off on an extensive visit, returned to her home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Chism are now back in Tahoka to make it their future home.

FOR SALE—I have some good Work Mules for Sale. W. C. Estes, Tahoka, Texas.

W. N. Logenby of Waco, who has been here for a week or so, looking after his property interests, left for home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stokes left Wednesday for Benham, to attend the bedside of Mrs. T. B. Conner, who is very sick. They were joined at Gail by J. B. Stokes. Mrs. Conner is a sister to Messrs. J. E. and J. B. Stokes. We sincerely hope that they will find her much improved.

Have M. M. Herring write your Insurance.

A RISE IN VALUE

The farmer said to James, his son: "Old Dobbin's usefulness is done; I have worked him now for thirty years, and while it fills my eyes with tears to have you shoot him through the head, it's better for him to be dead." The son replied: "A railway train has saved us that grief and pain; old Dobbin got upon the track a train came up and broke 'Great spoon!' the father cried 'I'll write a letter to the rosb tonight! I'll see if it can swim and slay fine blooded stock, and get away! That loss was sired by 'Norman Chimes,' that won the derby several times. I was just thinking, sitting there, that I would show him at the fair, and take in first or second prize, and now he is dead, dad bing my eyes! That loss could gallop for a week and then get down and trot for a week. I scarcely ever go down to town but men with money run me down and ask if Dobbin's for sale when I say no, they fairly wail. And Dobbin's dead my cherished steed. The doggone road that made him bleed will pay his value, if there's a law, justice east of Omaha! A thousand bones and nothing else, will take the edge off my distress!"

—Walt Mason.

TOMMORROW

"Tomorrow," said the languid man, "I'll have my life insured; I guess; I know it is the safest plan to save my children from distress." And when the mor-

A Confidence Game

What's the first element that enters into any transaction that you are about to engage in CONFIDENCE, isn't it? If you have confidence in the firm you are dealing with, you have confidence in the goods they handle. Is this not so? Now then, what is your position with a house you have never traded with, what has the very goods you want? What then are you going to do about it? Are we not all worthy of confidence, friends or strangers, and we know something to the contrary? Our work is open to your inspection. TANK and GUTTERING A SPECIALITY. Windmill and ALL kinds of pipe work done by us. Get our Prices before you buy. Yours for business,

G. M. Milliken & Son
South of Square, Tahoka, Texas

Tahoka Auto Company

Repair Work and Auto Supplies. Full Supply of Gasoline and Lubricating Always on Hand. Complete line of Model "F" Buick Extras.

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row came around, they placed him gently in a box; at break of morning he was found as dead as Julius Caesar's ox. His widow now is scrubbing floors and washing shirts and splitting wood and doing fifty other chores that she may rear her wailing brood, "Tomorrow," said the careless jay, I'll take an hour and make my will; and then if I should pass away the wife and kids will know no ill." Tomorrow came, serene and nice, the weather mild, with signs of rain; the careless jay was placed on ice, embalming fluid filled his brain. Alas, alas, poor careless jay. The lawyers got his pile of cash his wife is toiling night and day, to keep the kids in clothes and hash. Tomorrow is the ambushed walk availed the circumspet. Tomorrow is the fatal rock on which million ships are wrecked. —Walt Mason.

Call and see the New goods at the Art Store. Prices right, quality the best.

YOUR COW HIDES

We wish to buy all your cow hides. Bring them in and we will pay you the highest market price for same. We also keep Fresh meats for sale at all times. A stock of ice in connection. Bingham & Weathers, Meat Market.

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Specialities on Typhoid, Slow Fever, Pneumonias, Diseases of old people and children. I furnish all medicine. Office South side Square Phone 37 Tahoka, Texas.

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ANNOUNCEMENT
We are authorized to issue the following announcement to the action of the District Primary, to be held on July 23, 1910.

For Representative 1st District T. J. O'DONNELL
For District Attorney REUBEN M. ELLERD
For County Judge GEO. W. PERRYMAN (Re-election) JNO. P. MARRS
For County Clerk JESSE P. HATCHER
For Sheriff and Tax Collector W. H. MILLER J. H. EDWARDS

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Subscribe for the wide-awake newspaper people.

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