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350 TEACHERS TO **MEET IN ANGELO**

strong, of Tom Green county, and nationalist spirit among the men forced to close at 9 o'clock. County Supt. Bugg, of this coun-

By mutual agreement a joint inlinger again in 1921.

ties are members of the institute might also attend the conference. and a move will be made to get Irion and Concho counties to join IKE WANTS CHEAPER SHOES of the Russian royal family and the institute and instead of holding separate county institutes to come in and become members of the joint institute.

The law requires the teachers to attend an institute each year, and the county superintendents can sells hides or buys shoes are getget better talent and prepare a seems to meet with the hearty money. Therefore I advise peo approval of the teachers who ple to rough tan their hides and must attend.

ARE YOU GOING OFF?

AUSTIN, Aug. 13 .- In accordance with a recent ruling by the attorney General's department, lowing statement:

"Absentee voters may exercise essary to present yourself person- shall meet.-Kansas City Star. ally to have your poll tax recsipt

peets to be absent from Runnels tric Co. County on the day of election may ! last primary may call and get their poll tax receipts."

This condition applies to all the counties in the state, and to those who desire to avail themselves of all the absentee voting law.

izelos, of Greece, was " wounded charge the plans for Hon. Cone John- for what he said. Thursday when he was fired on son's speech at this place Thursday "I am defending the democratic part by two Greeks. The wounded man spent a good night last night committee that under no circumstances and with this statement he claimed for and is not considered in danger. would be speak out of doors, and the party the right to say what it too The physicians announce that a rain cut the crowd down to what could to constitute a democrat just the same bullet would be extracted from be comfortably seated in the court as it did the Methodist church the wounded man's shoulder to- and hallways. day.

merican steamer Montana, went aground early today five miles bandoned the ship and have land ed safely, according to a wireless message received here.

Ledger classifieds bring results speeches for him.

TENNESSEE SENATE FOR SUFFRAGE

POLES PUSH RUSS BACK HAND-TO-HAND BATTLE amendment. The bill now goes to the House. The bill now goes to the House. The bill now goes to the House. The bill now goes to the House amendment will be delayed until next week, although

authority to negotiate prelimin- ish forces were successful in a ary peace, is expected to leave series of counter attacks on the M.)-The woman suffrage amend claring that the women of Amer-Warsaw early Saturday morning Southern front, where the Rusto meet the Russian soviet dele- sians have been pushing from ment won the inital battle in the gates somewhere on the road be- Lemberg, according to official re- legislature when the constitution- er or not the world shall hence tween Warsaw and Brestlitazsk, ports received here today. the foreign office announced to- The Polish cavalry and infantry, al committee favorably reported coursess, or by blood and iron,

having invited them to attend the south along the, Stripa.

received here says that a number line northeast and east of War-About 350 teachers from a half of bolsheviki units on the Dun- saw and have reached a point 25 dozen counties, will hold their and aburg front are flying the old Rus miles from Warsaw. nual institute in San Angelo a sian colors with Red, White and A state of seige has been declarweek before the Holidays this Blue. This is accepted as a con- ed in Warsaw. Civilians are not year, according to plans being firmation of the reports that the permitted on the streets after 10 perfected by County Supt. Arm- bolsheviki idea is to foster the o'clock at night and the cafes are

Messrs Bugg and Armstrong ion of the British labor to the is demonstrated at various points were in conference here Thursday assistance in war against the sov- of the battle line. In many in working ou plans for the 1920 jet of Russia is voiced with ex- stances hand to hand fighting is institute, and the educators are traordinary vehenmence and ab- occuring. enthusiastic and optimistic over solute unanimity at a special conthe out look for the best institute ference held here representing all ever held in this part of the state. the elements of the workers.

stitute was held at Ballinger last PARIS, Aug. 13 .- Plans are unyear, and it goes to San Angelo der consideration for a renewal this year and will be held in Bal- of the conference recently held between Premier Lloyd George The teachers from Tom Green, and Millerand, it was learned to-Runnels, Coke, and Staling counday and it is said that others

Editor Ledger: Hides have declined one cent per pound because there are too many hides. The shoe manufacturers are only running four days in the week because there are too ting robbed. I am not getting the make and wear moceasons, and go back to raw hide and whang leather harness. Cut out leather

I. O. WOODEN.

ust primary from the 18th until the 24th, inclusive, it being nec- with Kipling that never the twins prove up their claims.

"Any qualified voter who ex your car. Nance-Stroble Auto Elected ber business in this city, is here trie Co.

"C. C. Smith, formerly in the lumber business in this city, is here meeting old friends again.

The Polish commissioners with WARSAW, Aug. 13.-The Pol-

ousted the bolshevikis from Rad-The meeting, it is said it to take | zziechoff, Lopatyn, Stanstavazky place between five and seven o'- and Toporoff. These towns are in dock Saturday morning. Ameri- the district northeast of Lemberg Miss Ruth Skinner went to Cole to accept the "inevitable and ratwill be permitted to accompany Brody on the old Galician border ing. the Polanders, the bolshevikis The fighting continues further

drive on the Warsaw road. Th

LONDON, Aug. 13 .- Opposit sians to press onward to Warsaw

RUSSIANJEWELS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Over one hundred diamonds, supposed to be part of the famous jewels addressed to "Comrade Martens" were intercepted by custom officials while en route from soviet Russia to the United States, according to evidence introduced at deporation proceedings of Ludwig Martens, the self-styled soviet ambassador to the United

TOWNS WARNED AGAINST PROMOTION SCHEMES

STAMFORD, Aug. 14.—Amul-YOU CAN VOTE FIRST and leather goods until leather titude of wicked grafters and iland leather goods come down, or legimate stock promoters will flock to West Texas this fall to glean some of the many sheckels which large crops will bring, says F. C. Malone, county clerk of Travis county, has made the fol-6-6td merce in a general farning issued to the towns of this territory. the privilege of voting at the Aug Governor Cox, who is wet in the short shifts of promoters who are The towns are requested to make prove up their claims.

C. C. Smith, formerly in the lum

take advantage of the law. All LARGE CROWD HEARS JOHNSON'S ATTACK ON BAILEY'S WAR RECORD

county Thursday morning not only present campaign on his own came as a great benefit to growing and at his own expense, and that whi PARIS, Aug. 13.—Premier Ven- the local Neff Committee which had in Neff that Mr. Neff was not responsible afternoon.

house with a few standing in the doors what it took to constitute a Methodi

Johnson, and defended his right to take AMERICAN SHIP AGROUND | a stand in the campaign for governor, HALPFAX, Aug. 13 .- The A. notwithstanding some had said that the county judge should not "take sides." Judge Parish said that he was not a political coward and claimed his right

Judge Parish said that he supported that he thought more of his first choice now than ever for Mr. Looney had come out for Mr. Neff and was making Mr. Johnson briefly reviewed how

The good rain which fell over this; Mr. Johnson said that he was in the

Mr. Johnson had notified the local disrupt the party," said Mr. Johnson or a Baptist a Baptist. He said tha Judge O. L. Parish introduced Mr. there was not one thing, one principle policy in the democratic platform the Bailey stood for, and he challenged the Bailey men to name one plank in th democratic platform which Bailey endorsed, unless it was tax reduction.

Scoring the Republicans and other east of Louisburg. The crew a- to speak out in open in the campaign. party members for going in the democratic primaries, Mr. Johnson said that Mr. Looney in the first campaign and the Democrats of Texas are entitled to select the nominee for governor on the

(Continued on page 2)

RALEIGH, Aug. 13 .- (2:10 P. ratification of the resolution.

ean and British correspondents and to the west and northwest of man to visit friends, Friday morn lify the federal woman suffrage

and no population given.

P. M.)—The Senate of Tennessee regarded as a certainty here that the Tennessee legislature will not has ratified the Federal Suffrage ratify the suffrage amendment today, and it is probable that actlayed until next week, although it is possible that a vote might come Saturday.

> RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 13 .- Deica should have "the first right to speak when the issue is whethforth be ruled by reason and right Gov. Bickett, in a special message to the North Carolina legislature today eatled upon the legislature

RANGER'S POPU- MEXICO PAYING

following population for Texas paymasters earrying three huncities was announced today:

paymasters earrying three huncithe death of his friend when he dred thousand pesos, left Mexico read an account of the accident Ranger 16,205. The city was City today to make settlement in the Ledger. He said the man not incorporated ten years ago and pay off the followers of was one of his best friends, and a Austin 34,876. Increase 5,016, or ficially announced from governmany years. 16.8 per cent over ten years ago. ment headquarters.

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WEEKS

Phones 12 and 13

FRIEND KILLED IN WRECK

Lee Phillips, of Burnet county, VILLA SOLDIERS one of the men killed in the Santa Fe freight wreck near Killeen, Tuesday night, was a close friend WASHINGTON, Aug. 13 .- The MEXICO CITY, Aug. 13 .- Five Bruce received the first news of Francisco Villa. This was of man whom he had known for



A. A storage battery insulating

material made up of rubber

pierced with thousands of tiny

Q. How does it differ from other

A. Ordinary insulation is wood,

cut in the form of thin sheets,

and is neither as uniform nor

as durable as Threaded Rub-

Q. Why is insulation so im-

A. Because battery life depends

largely on insulation, and be-

cause any defect or weak-

ness of insulation is quickly

evidenced by buckled plates

short circuits, and failure of

the battery to hold its charge

do with battery shipment?

mines whether the battery

must be kept wet, or can be

shipped in "bone dry" condi-

tion. Wood insulation must

never be allowed to dry out, hence makes necessary wet

or partially wet shipment.

With Threaded Rubber Insu-

lation the battery can be

shipped absolutely "bone dry."

Q. Why is "bone dry hipment

and stocking preferable?

A. The kind of insulation deter-

battery insulation?

ber Insulation,

portant?

and so on.

Threaded

Rubber Insulation

reaches the buyer in truly Insulation

O. Why does wood insulation need to be replaced? A. Because wood insulation being soft, wears out more rapidly than any other part of the battery. It is also subject to eracking and checking, which, if allowed to go too far, seriously damages the battery

Q. Why does Threaded Rubber Insulation outlast the

brand-new condition.

A. Because the basis is hard rubber, which resists wear and does not crack or check.

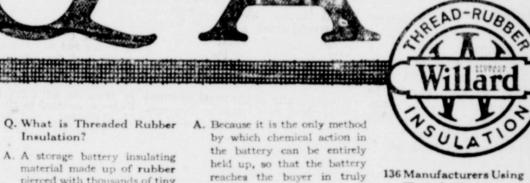
Q. What has this insulation to O. How can I be sure my battery has Threaded Rubber Insulation?

> A. It can be found only on the Still Better Willard Battery. Look for the red Thread-Rubber trade-mark.

Q. How many car and truck manufacturers have selected Threaded Rubber Insu-

A. 136 in all. The complete list is printed at the right.

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For Sheriff: J. P. (JIM) FLYNT

For County Judge: O. L. PARISH

For Treasurer:

MRS. R. P. KIRK For Commissioner Precinct No. 1 R. J. DEENS

W. A. FORGEY

For District Clerk:

For Public Weigher. Precinct 1: J. P. BOOTHE

For Representative 111 District: C. R. STEPHENS For State Senator 26th District:

who know him," declares D. C. large moment, and he would carry Banks." now advertising manager of the qualities of administration that a great help to the farmers and made with difficulty. Wiehita Motors Company of might seem strange and fearsome his family, visiting Mrs. McCaleb's which would find pleasant reflect interest.

time he has built that organiza-



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rnor by any party in Texas.

(Miss) GEORGIA SINGLETARY hound's tooth. He is a red blooded American. He is just 37 years than any administration in the history of age, is single and has all the of the nation, and here the speaker discussed the federal Reserve Bank bill lars for any case of catarrhal qualities that are essential for a first class, home broke and thoro-irst class, home broke and thoro-irst class, home broke and thoro-irst class, a home broke and thoro-irst class, home broke and thoro-irst class cl J. H. BAUGH

ughly tamed husband. He is as plain as an old shoe, as demoplain as an old shoe, as democratic as the proverbial black"Regardless of the outcome of smith; is a man who works hard
"Regardless of the outcome of smith; is a man who works hard
"We had a National Bank failure every twenty-one days," said Mr. Johnson, "before the Federal Reserve Bank law was passed. For the first year under the Federal Reserve Bank system there were only nine National Bank failure the primary election on August when there is work to do and who failures. For the second year there

the Southwestern Open Shop as record.

The rat killing campaign in Tem hern than that the United States had When there is hard work to do ple has brought in 2500 dead rats. no right to send them into a foreign in hot weather Prickly Ash Bitters If there are any Ballinger rats field to fight, and it makes my blood proves its worth as a stomach losing their lives it is from high boil to think that a man who did as tad losing their lives it is from high

Ponzi's get-rich-quick scheme war, and when war was declared be Price \$1.25 per bottle. Jno. Ais like all other get-rick-quick closed his mouth. That was a great Weeks, special agent. schemes. There is something sacrifice for him to shut up, and since erocked about it. The slow way is the honest way.

Now is the time for all good good men to come to the aid of their party.

on Friday, 13th.

Cars washed and polished at Ballinger Auto Top and Painting Shop. J. E. Weathers.

Coca Cola 6e at Hamilton's.

LARGE CROWD HEARS JOHNSON'S ATTACK ON BAILEY'S WAR RECORD

(Continued from first page.)

Bailey came back to Texas last fall and his political pals in laying plans for disare agreed on theirpart y principles "Bailey is on the inside bushwacking, said Mr. Johnson.

"I would not have the nerve to stand in the presence of a democratic audience and ask them to make me their against the administration.

lohnson, "and said that Wilson was the nost monumental failure who ever ocfailey would not get 75,000 votes.

payers and the citizens and which child labor law. Bailey opposed the would bring about conditions woman wage law." The speaker told made has drawn more labor here and general manager of the Wich. that would mark a new era in the of the great benefit of these laws in than ever before so early in the ita Motors Company. In ten years development of Grand Old Texas. protecting children and keeping them season. Farmers are paying \$1.50 "He is a native of Pennsylvania women and the women who have to a hundred pounds.

truck. Instead of bucking this ed on Governor Hobby and deprejudice and baving his life supsimmended that something be done to bed, like literally hundreds of ots clean up the situation at Galvesteen properties and for who he pleased, and that Bailey had disqualified himself to be governor as he could not arbitrate or mass or labor disturbances, as he had Wighita Fails, are in use in 84 gro longshoremen wanted more foreign countries of the world, money than they were getting and by-far the widest distribution of any motor truck made anywhere gross who wanted to do the work, in the world.

"It was Culbertson's genius, ian church is a member of the Presbyter-like world." I will give any man a block of bank stock if they will get Mr. Bailey to say that he will put his open shop plank into law," said Mr. Johnson.

"I am for open shop if the owners of the plank into law," said Mr. Johnson.

"I am for open shop if the owners of J. D. Sanderfer, one of the abl-

type of men to be nominated by "The man over draft age who shirked noon. A large crowd will no the Republicans of this state and, his duty at home was just as much or doubt be here to hear Mr. Sanderwhile he won't be elected his sel- a slacker as the ignorant boy who took for. section is indeed a compliment to ed. There were young American boys! Judge B. B. Stone, former counthe Republicans."

ed. There were young American boys who did not know any better, and who were misled by older heads, who were was due to be here also Saturday afternoon, will not come. The better shut up and kept his hate smooth better shut up and kept his hate smooth better shut up and kept his hate smooth cered in his breast until after the war."

The severe company at Coleman was due to be here also Saturday afternoon, will not come. The local Bailey committee received a telegram cancelling the engage-There are young American boys in the federal pen, who evaded the drait ment law largely through ignorance, having

the war is over he feels free to express your wife, had refused to get out and do Red Cross work, make bandages and toil for our boys over there? Do If Ballinger loses that ball game the been over youder yet, or else he would have been over youder yet, or else he would not be filling a German prison or a soldier's Freedom on Friday. Eath

the war was over Bailey began to complain about freedom of speech and included it in his platform upon which he promulgated at Fort Worth when he came back to Texas last fall to cam-paign against the administration. "His freedom of speech has been abridged" and the speaker said Emma Goldman

vas run out of the country because she had the courage to express her feelings of hate against the administration and Eugene Debbs is in the federal pen for the same reason, while Bailey closed up until after the war was over.

Mr. Johnson closed his address with

the attack on Bailey's war record. He said that he did not hate Bailey and would not throw a pebble in his way ex est to defend his fight on democracy and he said that Bailey was responsibile for the record he made, "and I an only giving the facts," said Mr. John-

The speaker devoted most of his time in expousing Baileyism and had very little to say about Bailey's opponent, and only mentioned Neff's name in the briefly stated why he was on the stump

Caterrhal Dearness Cannot Be

by local applications, as they cannot reach the portion of the ear. I could not find one single thing good not reach the portion of the ear, in eight years of democratic adminis. There is only one way to cure cattration," and here Mr. Johnson brought arrhal deafness, andthat is by a out the bitter stand Bailey had taken constitutional remedy. Catarr-"Bailey denounced Wilson," said Mr. hal deafness is caused by an inlamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. cupied the White House. That is what the Republicans say, and Joe's talk suits the Republicans. If the Republicans and and when it is enitrely placed describes in the result. In would stay out of the Democratic Party closed, deafness is the result Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of tion and the Democratic platform as ad- deafness are caused by catrrah. opted at San Francisco, and detending which is an inflamed condition of been named as a candidate for gov the Democratic president, while Bailey the mucous surface. Hall's Catvention and Governor Cox said that rrah Medicine acts thru the blood Wilson's administration had given the on the mucus surface of the sys-

We will give one hundred dol-

Labor Shortage in South Texas CORPUS CHRISTI, Aug. 13 .there were only nine National Bank The lure of the unpicked cotton, 28th, one of the candidates for plays hard when it is play time. were only six failures and during 1918 coupled with the high wages have governor of Texas will be a man "Culbertson is a man who can there were only three failures and in caused the towns of the Guif with a broad vision, of indomit- command a salary of \$50,000 or 1019, after passing through the awful coast district to be deserted by able courage and with patriotic more a year from any seasoned Bank failure in the United States, and fervor, and who is a successful concern as its chief executive, if business man and who commands the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the respect and admiration of all panding volume of business of Bailey is opposed to Federal Reserve the employes had quit to pick cotton McCalab, formerly of Ballinger to the executive chair of Texas and the speaker "and this law has been that it was handling the situation

it possible for many of them to buy Thousands of cotton pickers are Wiehita Falls, who is here with to professional politicians, but farms on long time at five per cent needed in the Gulf Coast district parents, Judge and Mrs. John L. ion in the thoughts of the tax law because lefferson did not have a payers and the citizens and which

a dominating concern with a caps college, is one of the most eminent ital stock of \$1,800,000 and with mechanical engineers in his project when Culbertson first began machinist at the bench. He knows making Wichita trucks he found how sweat smells and he never a prejudice existing in the South turns up his nose at the odor.

West against buying a home made "He is one of the most eminent in favor of all these laws, and Mr. Railey is opposed to all of them," said Mr. Johnson.

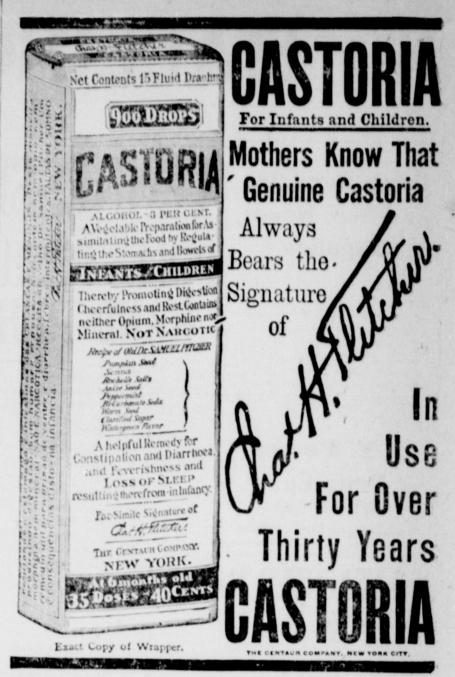
Mr. Johnson discussed the open shop question and said this was a false and take issue and that Bailey could not apply the pass any legisters and would not try to pass

"It was Culhertson's genius, ian church is a member of the his broad vision, his capacity for executive committee of the Feddrall, his intense earnestness and detail, his intense earnestness and tis sustaining courage that made is regarded as one of the best post to sustaining courage that made is regarded as one of the best post time to time during the two hour address against Bailey in the camthis country. He is also a mem- dress, but the climax in enthusiasm paign which Mr. Bailey waged aber of the board of governors of came when he attacked Bailey's war gainst the administration in the "I do not want to put the standard of democracy in the hands of a man lawn or in the court house here

is asking us to make him governor of liver and bowel purifier. Men "Bailey said he was not in favor of and are less fatigued at night.

Mrs. W. S. Fleming, who had what was in his heart during the war. Mrs. W. S. Fleming, who had "Suppose you and I had shut up like been here visiting her sister. Mrs. Bailey during the war? Suppose the J. M. Skinner, returned to her home at Pittsburg, Texas Friday





SHARPES REMAINS

BURIED AT NORTON

The funeral services for T. W.

at the home on Tenth Street Friday morning at ten o'clock. Dr. Alvin Swindell conducted the services. The remains were carried to Norton and laid to rest in the

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PAT S. MAPES, Ballinger, Texas

WHY WRITE DULL LETTERS?

Correspondence May Do Made Interesting if a Little Thought Is Given to It.

Most people think before they speak, but only a few think before they write. I have a friend, says a writer in London Answers, and she is a girl who always keeps her friends; partly, I am sure, because, however far away they are, it is never too much trouble to write them long and interesting letters. Thus, though miles may stretch between them, she can always keep her friends very near to her in thought.

She does not dash off anything that comes into her head; she always considers her friends' point of view. If the particular friend she is writing to is fond of sport she writes of it; fond of books, then the latest books are discussed; if music is a favorite, then music finds a place in her letter. And always through them all there rans a little vein of humor.

So many people suffer from lack of when my mother was about to undergo a very serious operation, it becar necessary to censor her correspondence—for the simple reason that some of it was too depressing for words.

One very well-meaning old lady wrote saying how sorry she was to hear of my mother's great misfortune and how it often happened that very active women ended their days as bedknew of a lady who caught cold after a similar operation and contracted some awful kind of incurable "itis!"

DISCOVERY OF HOLY CROSS

Story Goes That the Empress Helena Was Responsible for Its Recovery From the Jews.

story usually told is to the effect that ments and equipment," entirely carrying away the cross. It of the hospitals, which u had the power of reproducing itself. There is no system of ventila-On the capture of Jeruselem in 614, tion in any of the hospitals for the the cross we are told, was carried into insane except by means of open Persia, where it remained until restored by Heraclius, which event for doors and windows, says the recommemorated in September and is | Port. usually called Holyrood day. The four In the asylum at San Antonio nails were distributed so that two it was noted that in female ward were placed in the imperial crown. A there were two to three pas one brought to France, and another jents in small rooms sufficient in thrown into the Adriatic to quiet its size for one patient, and twenty-

Ouija Supplanted Planchette.

The planchette was a thin, heartshaped piece of wood supported on two casters at the end of the base, and stances of overcrowded condit on an ordinary pencil at the apex. popular about 1860 to 1880, before the onija board supplanted it. The pencil could readily be made to trace characters without a conscious movement on the part of the operator, if the fingertips were placed upon this

Like the oulja board, the planchette was used by two classes of persons. It was used by the believers in spiritualism, who asked questions of a spiritual control, and believed that they received answers from the intelligences on the spirit plane, and by people who regarded the mechanism as a game, and amused themselves by pushing it to write messages for the benefit of others present.

Old and New Books.

There is no sillier affectation than that of old worldism. To rave about Sir Robert Browne and know nothing of William Cobbett is foolish. To turn your back upon your own time is simply to provoke living wags, with rudimentary but effective humor, to chalk opprobrious epithets upon your person. But, on the other hand, to depend upon your contemporaries for Rierary sustenance, to be reduced to scan the lists of "Forthcoming Works" with a hungry eye, to complain of a dearth of new poems, and new novels, and new sermons, is worse than affectation-it is sthpidity.-Augustine

Checking Fire in Films.

The celluloid films used for motion pictures ignite easily and burn rapidly, necessitating the installation of special protective equipment. A European inventor has combined a new chemical with an ingenious method of applying it, which saves, it is asserted, all of the film except the portion first ignited. The film in the projecting machine is surrounded by a ring of tubing with inner perforations, connected with an iron tank containing the chemical, a colorless liquid. A valve near the operator's hand enables the flow to be started instantly .- Popular Mechanics Magazine.



BADLY CROWDED

AUSTIN, Aug. 12.- A report to growded conditions, the governor by State Health Of- continues, "was ficer Goddard of the inspection purses and attendants, especially ome awful kind of incurable "itis!" by the State Health Department among the male attendants. The One always considers people in conversation. Then why not in letter for the insane, said that conditions help is insufficient to meet the writing? One does not talk religion were very much overerowded at competitive wages offered in-before an atheist, nor let the conversation verge on the frivolous before a declared that at cach of the asy- the service of such young men and lums at Austin, San Antonio and women are needed at these in-Letters require Just as much thought. Terrell there were approximately two hundred beds more than the capacity of these institutions' and the asylum at Rusk was fast filling beyond its capacity.

"Under the very able and efficient management of all these Through the zeal of the Empress hospitals, sanitary conditions were Helena, mother of Constantine the as nearly perfect as they can be Great, was discovered the cross on made, taking into consideration which the Savier was crucified, and the overcrowded conditions and the date is given as May 3. The certain needed building improvethe empress went to Jerusalem and port says. "With roofs leaking cross from its concealment and give it and ceilings and floors rotting to her, together with other crosses in and giving away, it is impossible their possession. Its identity was es- to keep down odors and maintain tablished by a miracle: The body of a absolute sanitation. This condead man was placed on each of the dition in the asylum at Austin escrosses, and when it touched the true pecially cannot be improved until one the dead man immediately came to life. Many pligrims traveling to Jerusalem received pieces of the true coss, and the question was raised as to the possibility of supplying thouse the possibility of supplying the property of the possibility of supplying thouse the possibility of supplying the possibility of supplying thouse the possibility of supplying the possibility of supply sands with those fragments without the common roller towel in some

not been more than half that number. The report cites other in-

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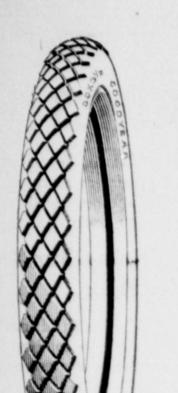
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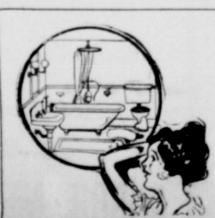


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SOUTH BALLINGER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Parker of Nolanville, who had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. P. T. Rushing and family returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs T. P. Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carrol and family left Monday for San Saba to spend a week.

Miss Velma Tindal spent last

week at Hagle Branch visiting

Mr. Hugh Grier and daughter of Hillsboro, returned home Monday after spending a few days at the bedside of W. E. Branch brother-in-law of Mr. Grier. We are sorry to report that Mr. Branch is not doing so well the

past 10 days. Mr. Leach had business in Londay Monday.

Mrs. T. P. Brown returned home Sunday from Brownwood. She was accompained home by her two little grandsons, Henry and Marvin Harbor.

Misses Florence and Virgie Bayer have returned home from a weeks visit at New Home.

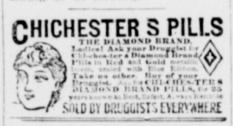
Mrs. Jesse Collier came in from Killeen where she had been visiting. After a few days with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Rushing she returned to her home in Winters. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor and family have returned home from

a few days visit at Big Springs. Prospects for a bumper crop of all kinds were never better than at the present writing. Cotton is neavily loaded, feed of all kinds is just about made, Melons are doing fine and are being market ed at a good price.

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