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Poet-In winter I write poems keep the wolf from the door. Admiring Friend-Yes-Poet-And in summer I have to keep on writing poems so the iceman will stop at the door.

ALMOST CRAZY WITH ECZEMA

"I the undersigned, cannot give enough praise to the Cuticura Remedies. I had been doctoring for at least a year for eczema on my foot. I had tried doctor after doctor all to no avail. When a young girl I sprained my ankle three different times, paying

little or no attention to it, when five years ago a small spot showed upon my left ankle. I was worried and sent for a doctor. He said it was eczema. He drew a small bone from the ankle about the size of a match and about an inch long. The small hole grew to about the size of an apple, and the eczema spread to the knee. The doctors never could heal the hole in the

ankle. The whole foot ran water all "My husband and my sons were up night and day wheeling me from one

room to another in the hope of giving me some relief. I would sit for hours at a time in front of the fireplace hoping for daybreak. The pain was so intense I was almost crazy, in fact, I would lose my reason for hours at a time. One day a friend of mine dropped in to see me. No more had she glanced at my foot than she exclaimed: 'Mrs. Finnegan, why in the world don't you try the Cuticura Remedies!' Being disgusted with the doctors and their medicines, and not being able to sleep at all. I decided to give the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura I awoke in the morning with but very little pain, in fact, I thought I was in heaven. After using the Cuticura Remedies for three months I was perfectly restored to health, thanks to the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I sonality of Senator Bailey." will be sixty-four years of age my next birthday, hale and hearty at present." (Signed) Mrs. Julia Finnegan, 2234 Hebert St., St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 7, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura,"

Dept. 12 K. Boston. The Very Worst. Clement J. Driscoll, at a dinner in New York, told a number of amusing stories about his strenuous life as commissioner of weights and measures last year.

"A friend of mine," said Mr. Driscoll, "noticed one morning that his grocer looked very sad. 'What's the matter, old mun'r my friend asked jokingly. 'The weights and measures man hasn't been dropping in on you,

'Yes, he has,' snapped the grocer. "'But you don't really mean to say,' exclaimed my friend, 'that he caught you giving only fifteen ounces to the "'Worse than that!' groaned the

grocer. 'I've been giving seventeen.'"

BACKACHE Suffered Over Nine Months, Nothing Relieved Me Until I Took PE-RU-NA.





TURKISH TROOPS FIGHT UNDER FIERCE FURY

TWINKS

otton burned at Stieset Sunday.

two-story building to cost \$3,000.

The Texas & Pacific Railway is

Grading of Fort Worth-Cleburne in-

terurban is to be completed by Jan. 1.

Paving with blocks and bitulithic

road, died Saturday in Denver

las, died Sunday of pneumonia.

ract for a \$3,500 church building.

Mount Vernon has had a survey

it is proposed to install by the city.

According to the tax rolls Tarran

streets in Greenville.

a loss of \$150,000.

being now on the road.

to cost \$1,000 each.

trouble.

man at large.

plant will employ about 190 men.

John P. Carver, a fireman on

Texas, to Presido del Norte, Mexico.

was killed outright and Brakeman

Raney was seriously injured, died in

the Houston Indrmary Saturday after-

was a Confederate veteran. He was

porn in Tennessee but had resided

The Santa Fe's new power house

cost \$75,000, at Cleburne is nearing

completion. It is expected to start

Morris Sheppard will open his can paign for the United States Senate

Destruction of a wall dividing a new

nd an old shaft in the iron mines

of the Wharton Steel Company at Hi-

benrian, N. J., precipitated great vol-

nen. Twelves men were drowned.

Clara Wade, who has been in the

mploy of the St. George Hotel, Dal-

as, for the past-eighteen years, com-

nitted suicide Friday by taking car-

polic acid about 11 o'clock. She died

wagon. He had a companion.

n Texas since 1871.

ts use January 1, 1912.

n Paris Nov. 7.

shout an hour later.

as. He paid \$3.50 per head.

000; Sidney Webb, president.

parking the depot grounds at Pecos.

TEXAS

REPULSE AT BENHAZI COSTS MANY ITALIAN LIVES.

THE ITALIANS LOSE HEAVILY

Hurried Departure of Warships and a Hospital Boat from Tripoli of Significance.

Tripoli, Oct. 23 .- The fighting at Benghazi between Italians and Turks has been one of the fiercest character. After an engagement lasting all day on the 19th inst., the Turks returned to the charge during the night. They made a savage onslaught upon the Italian camp, but were repulsed. In the morning the Italian forces occupied the city.

The Turkish losses were heavy and the Italian dead numbered not less than 100.

There are good grounds for believing that the Italian forces at Benghazi have been very severely handled by the Turks and their Arab auxiliaries. It is understood the Italian losses are much heavier than officially reported. Color is given to this belief by the hurried departure for Benghazi of four warships and a hospital ship.

Benghazi, but who were unable to land, say the Turks and Arabs have displayed reckless bravery in making furious attacks on the small Italian forces intrenched there. There are also reports of massacres of Christians at Derna and Benghazi, but no confirmation has been received.

HON. TOM BALL WITHDRAWS

Announces That He Will Not Run for Senator.

Houston: Hon Thomas H. Ball of at an early hour. Suspicions of in-Houston has withdrawn from the race | cendiarism are prevalent. to succeed Hon, Joseph W. Bailey as the junior United States Senator from Baptist church in Tyler last week. Texas. In Houston last Friday he 't is intended to have the building prepared a statement to that effect furnished early in the spring. and sent it out for publication Satur-

An analysis of this statement indi- 'He had lived in the Pilot Grove com-Ointment a trial. After using them cates that Mr. Ball's principal avow- munity for more than fifty years, as a silver dollar for eight long hours. | ed desire" in some quarters to charge him either with insincerity of incon- it the University of Texas, the board sistency in becoming a candidate for Senator, "and," he ads, "an unwillingness to let the controversies cease which have prevailed around the per-

> He also says he believes that by withdrawing he can contribute to the success of Judge Ramsey's candidacy for Governor more effectively, Judge Ramsey having been indorsed by him.

> Mr Ball's withdrawal leaves these candidates in the field: Congressman Choice B. Randell of Grayson County. Congressman Morris Sheppard of Bowles County, Hon. Jacob F. Wolters of Harris County, Ron. R. R. ("Railroad") Smith of Atascosa County, and Hon. L. C. Alexander of McLennan Countyfive aspirants.

Celina: Celina voters have approved an issue of bonds to put in a complete sewer system for both business and residence sections, and also an issue to finish macadamizing the streets. In macadamizing a hard white rock, crushed, is used for a base and ital necessary to the enterprise. this is covered with about four inches of crushed gravel which comes from Carrolton, Dallas County. This makes a surface so good that many have declared it to be better than that of the shell roads. Every residence and business street in the city will be macadamized.

Texas Mills Law-Abiding.

Austin: Commissioner of Labor Sterling has just returned from a tour of five of the largest cotton mills in the State, where he has been investigating conditions. He visited the mills at Denison, Sherman, Bonham, McKinney and Dallas and reports that in every place he found that the labor and factory laws are being enforced to the letter.

Saturday Night's Frosts. Reports from many points in the Texas and Oklahoma citton belt indidicate that killing frosts have fallen over a wide area in both States. The frost will work considerable damage to late-planted cotton and the top crop of the early-planted. The range in temperature was wide, Ardmore, Okla. reporting 41 above zero, while Durant, lower down in that State, had freezing temperature and some thin ice. At Clairemont, in Kent County, Texas. snow fell Saturday night. The frost

was heaviest in North Texas. Austin: Former Lieutenant Governor T. B. Wheeler, of Aransas Pass, one of the leading promoters in the Aransas Harbor Terminal Railway, has filed with the railroad commissioner an amended application for the purhase by this company of certain nds in the vicinity of Aransas Pass Harbor. This additional land is in line with the recent amendment of the charter of that railway company wherein it is proposed to build an extension covering about nine miles.

GOOD ITEMS OF NEWS

ENTIRE WEEK'S HAPPENINGS THAT ARE WORTH PASSING

The Decatur W. C. T. U. will erect

Current Domestio and Foreign News Boiled Down to Readable and 6mall Space.

system is going forward on several Henry Strong, retired lawver and while being treated for lockjaw, Mrs. Nettie Timmens of Waxahachie, 48 negro also killed his wife. former president of the Santa Fe Railyears old, was so badly injured that C. C,. Lane, a prominent business she died from the injuries.

man, Elk, and local politician of Dal-Mrs. Julia Hubbard who is dead at The Christian congregation at Bardwell, Ellis County, has let the confive feet, eight inches tall and eighty an increast in number and valuation. and one-half inches around the waist. The casket is a yard wide and renade for a waterworks system which quired ten bearers.

At a meeting of some two hundred Records show that 128,700 bales of progressive Republicans in Chicago Texas cotton, valued at \$6,231,218 went out of the port of Galveston last as candidate for Republican nomination for the Presidency.

Hon. William E. Hawkins of Hous-County has property valuations of \$91, ton has formally announced his can-800,500, an increase of \$3,297,879 over didacy for associate justice of the Supreme Court in the place now held The Alhambra sugar mill at White by J. B. Dibrell, under appointment.

Castle, La., was practically wiped out The running down and killing of by fire Saturday morning, resulting in Dennis Sullivan, a retired real estate dealer in Fort Worth Monday in St. Paul, Minn., July 6 to 12, in Menard expects to have a complete made the tenth violent death to ocelectric, water and gas system installcur in six days in Fort Worth. Suied by January 1, 1912, the machinery cides and accidents divided the toll with five victims each as their credit.

J. W. Ellington of Friona, Texas. bought 1,600 ewes from McKnight & Frank Gotch, world's champion wrestler, threw Emilio Pietro, the Can-Son of Roswell, N. M., to ship to Texadian heavyweight wrestler, twice in a little more than twenty minutes at The Bellevue Oil & Gas Company was organized at Bellevue Saturday Des Moines Monday night. The first fall came in fifteen minutes and twenty morning, with a capital stock of \$25,seconds, the second in five minutes. nineteen seconds. Weston, Collin County, suffered a

George Gordon, 25 years old, was way. \$20,000 fire loss last Friday morning killed Monday night when he was struck by a Cotton Belt passenger Ground was broken for the \$40,000 train two miles west of Plano. It is thought he was asleep on the track. His body was badly mangled.

In anticipation of the early open-Allen Golden, a negro, said to be ing of the Panama canal, the Amer-107 years of age, is dead at Sherman. | can Hawaiian Steam of D Company has awarded a contract for four 12,000ton steamships to ply between Pacific and Atlantic ports and to cost \$800,000 unexpectedly large number of students each.

of regents has authorized the erection near Lancaster, Clyde Hudson, a nineon the campus of temporary buildings, year-old boy, got his left leg caught in one of the wheels and it was so It is announced on good authority badly crushed and mangled that the that the Parson Window Glass Commember was amputated.

pany of Parsons, Kan., will in the Immediate future remove its plant instantly killed by the east bound pas-'rom Parsons to Atlanta, Texas. The senger train just beyond Trent, six miles west of Merkel. He was an old Mrs. Linder Ball of Texarkana was man and an old resident of that com-'ound dead in bed Saturday morning. She had been in failing health for

Aggressive preparations for the resseveral months, but was up as usual, cue of Hankow and Wu Chang were etiring at 9:30 o'clock. Her death begun by the Imperial government. didate for the position on the Subelieved to have been due to heart The first train load of troops from the north arrived at Hankow and Rock Island Railroad, was killed at camped north of Wu Chang.

a bridge two miles south of Boyd, Dallas is soon to be headquarters He was evidently looking back from for the three largest traction companies in the Southwest-the Texas in Justice Precinct No. 1 (Palestine) between the engine and tender and Traction Co., Dallas to Denison; South-It is reported that a Chicago syn- ern Traction Co., Dallas to Waco, and dicate will build an interurban line to Corsicana, and Strickland interests, from McKinney to Gainesville, via Tio- Dallas to Waxahachie and Waco.

ra. These cities are expected to take "My name is George Ewing, and I \$100,000 of the necessary \$700,000 capwant to give up for killing Leon Bonner last Saturday," said a young negro, George Baker, a prominent press apparently about twenty years of age agent, says that 100 automobiles con-Tuesday morning when he appeared taining not less than 300 passengers before Sheriff Brandenburg in Dallas. will leave Dallas Nov. 7 for Wago Ewing claims that the striking of Bonand San Antonio to participate in the good roads propaganda in these cities

George Ade, the author, will pre-Dr. A. S. Garrett of Springtown has announced as candidate for congress-

Foreign capital has been secure The gin at Roane, owned by the by the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient to construct its line from Mertzon. of bagging and ties burned. No cot- lating the city Sunday ordinance. Fireman N. E. Lawrence of the ton was lost. The engine was ruined. Trinity & Brazos Valley Railway, inbut the boiler is intact. The loss is jured in the wreck at Normangee on \$5,000 and covered by insurance. Wednesday, when Engineer Carleton

A reinforced concrete bridge will be erected across the bayou at Hous- not include storm and sanitary sewbegin at once.

Set-National Democratic Convention. Henry Johns, a well-known Choctaw, Buffalo: The call went out from about 60 years old, who liver near National Democratic headquarters here Kosoma, Okla., was shot and killed Monday for a meeting of the Demowhile he was returning home in a cratic National Committee at Washngton January 8 to fix the time and the local papers. W. C. Reese, aged 70 years, died Satplace of holding the next Democratic arday at the home of his daughter, National Convention. Mrs. C. W. Lewis, in Greenville. He

The capital grounds at Austin are to be paved with bitulithic. Twentyfive thousand dollars has been set aside for this week.

Boston's "new women" celebrated the suffrage victory in California last Monday night in Faneuil Hall.

LITTLE BITS FROM SAGES AND WITS.

A woman isn't necessarily fair just because she's a blonde

Our greatest fears and pleasures have a way of disappointing us. Sometimes it is a man's son who has to harvest his father's wild oats.

shelves filled with books.

Texas Odd Fellows met in Dallas Monday and Tuesday in the sixteenth annual Texas session.

The International & Great Northern railway has set aside \$3,000,000 for Texas improvements. Advices from Cutrnavaca say that 500 Zapatistas were cut to pieces in

the battle near the village of Tepaxtlan, but Zapata himself once more es-Last year's products have been barred from competition at the State Fair | Ished.'

by a decision of the directors of the

county exhibits. Will Dent, a negro living near Columbus, Miss., shot and killed John Brownlee, a prominent planter of that section, and was himself shot and in-Becoming entangled in a rope at stantly killed by "Bi" Brownlee, a tached to a mule which ran away brother of the victim. A part of the load from the shotgun used by the

Dallas County tax rolls show a total value of all taxable property for 1911 to be \$11,457,050, an increase of \$78,-Unionville, Conn., in her thirty-fifth 137.20 over 1910. Practically every year, weighed 475 pounds. She was item of taxable property shows both

W. D. (Bill) Street, a pioneer of Kansas, died a few days since in Abiline Kan, after a stroke of apoplexy. He was a scout and guide with Gen. Custer and knew "Wild Bill" Hickok in last Monday, La Follette was endorsed his most ferocious days and hunted with Buffalo Bill.

B. R. Broderick of Oakland broke the world's amateur record for 100 miles on a motorcycle on a dirt track at an officially sanctioned race meeting at San Jose, Calif. He covered the distance in 1 hour 37 minutes and 48

The next meeting of the National Educational Association will be held clusive. Mrs. Susan Whalen. Fort Worth,

took two ounces of carbolic acid with suicided intent, dying almost instantly. She was crazed by grief over the death of a son who had committed suicide some time ago. Twenty persons were slightly in-

jured when fire broke out at a moving picture show at Dalhart. The theatre building was saved after the fire had obtained considerable head-

This fall's county fairs in Texas number 42, the number of premiums is 13,021, valued at \$116,960.24. An interurban fund of \$20,000 has

been raised in Sherman. This fund will be added to and an interurban to Paris and Greenville and one to Gainesville will be pushed vigorously. Oak Cliff lady boosters are having

a hot old wrangle over the damming of a creek in a park in that part of quired the engaged girl-Dallas thus forming a lake. Some visiting the park. Six hundred head of Herefords at

\$100 per head were sold at Dalhart last week by Colonel R. S. Coon to Tuscon, Arizona, buyers. The lot consisted mostly of cows and calves. Mayor Shank, Indianapolis, is still selling municipal potatoes at 75 cents. having cut the prict from \$1.25.

Judge John C. Townes, dean of the law department of the State Universia ty, has formally announced as a canpreme bench to be made vacant by the candidacy of Associate Justice Ramsey for Governor.

Anderson County Commissioners have ordered an election to be held on the 11th day of November, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Justice Precinct in the sum of \$150,000 shall be issued for the purpose of constructing paved roads and turnpikes in said precinct.

Hon. Fred Dudley of Paris Satur day made his formal announcement as a candidate for congress to succeed the place now held by Hon. Morris Sheppard, who has announced as a senatorial candidate.

Ludie Sanders, a negress, was found sent Sigma Chi society of Pardue Uni- dead in her bed in Dallas Monday and yellow dogs named after him. versity a chapel costing from \$25,- morning. Death seemed to have been from natural causes.

Sunday police in Dallas "rounded Corsicana Cotton Oil Company, was de- up" three drinking clubs, corralling stroved by fire. About 300 patterns 14 mavericks under charge of vio-

The beginning of October showed \$687,584.81 of street paving now un der construction in Dallas. This represents 68,204 lineal feet and does ton on Houston avenue. Work will ers bridgts, being constructed in and near the city.

> A young woman stole \$485 worth of furs in a department store in Dallas, confessed and was sent hence under suspended sentence. She was just 19 and quite fetching, according to

> Managers of county and district fairs from all over the Southwest will meet in Dallas October 21 for a general conference looking to improvement of

> Endowments-there is the secret o stagnation. Institutions, with their golden treasure heaps, are the prisons of the soul of the future.

> > Passing of Aged Bishop.

Richmond, Va.: Rt. Rev. Augustine Van De Vyver, for the past twentytwo years bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Richmond, died here early Monday of complications resulting from a severt cold. He was born in 1844 in Haesdonck, East Flanders. Belgium.

A truth may be formulated, but it In the British Museum library there is not true till it is felt and acted on, are more than thirty-two miles of and ceases to be true when it ceases to be felt and acted or

They're All About Tailors "All criticism," said Profes Brander Matthews in one of his brilliant Columbia lectures, "is, to a cer tain extent, personal and biased." He paused and smiled. "The Tailor and Cutter, a weekly paper," he resumed,

"said in a recent leading article: "'Carlyle's "Sartor Resartus," Mere dith's "Evan Harrington" and Kingsley's "Alton Locke" will be great classics when the ephemeral novels of today will have long since per-

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'What is this domestic science?'

"It consists of making hash out of want the lake and some say it would the left-over meat, and croquettes out be a menace to the life of children of the left-over hash," explained her more experienced friend.

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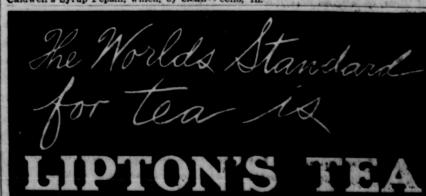
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There is no sense in giving it a pill or a remedy containing an opiate, nor is flushing of the bowels to be always recommended. Rather give it a small dose of a mild, gentle laxative, tonic like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which, by clean-



W. F. Kellis, Editor and Proprietor.

ESUED EVERY FRIDAY AT STERLING

CITY, TEXAS.

porting someto us.

Our school reporter "flunked" this What's the matter, Rufus?

Senator Bailey bought a horse the other day. Another investigation to find out where he got the money is new in order

Don't judge a man by the clothes he wears, for any fool can wear good clothes. Even a wooden dummy is sometimes dressed up in the latest style.

the line and in the middle. They ly found some too. Then came the help the farmer, the merchant and the consumer. They bring all three the surface dirt with their hands of them closer together.

court yard by eating the weeds and ground there was full of the rich chance they get, both on their par- with a lamp or lantern is prohibited lawful to ship squirrels in Liberty grass that covered the ground. It stuff and the whole wash showed ents and on their teacher? While will now be in order to plant those good values. To be certain it was they are doing this they are telling trees and shrubs soon, and keep the not all \$100 per yard stuff, but it and acting lies, even if not other The limit is three, turkeys during gates shut.

Boys, don't fudge. The Game Warden has an eye pealed and an ear cocked on those who are disposed to fudge and get the birds before the hunting season opens. Better tote fair and not get in trouble.

Last Saturday night was the coldest of the season. Jack Frost came in earnest, and tender vegetation shows the marks of his visit. At six o'clock Sunday morning, the thermometer stood at 25 degrees above zero, and seven degrees below freezing.

Who is benefitted by good roads? Everybody; the farmer, because he is able to bring more of his produce to the market with the same moving power; the merchant, because he can handle a larger quantity of goods; the consumer, because he has a larg- Agricultural and Mechanical College. er and more varied market to select claims to have discovered a remedy from.

The party who is having fun breaking window lights out of the school ate into the peritonal cavity. His building will do well to seek entertainment in other ways. Some night he will be nabbed, and then his troubles will begin. When he is caught, the officers are going to have some real fun with him. They are laying for him and about the time he throws the next rock through a window, he will hear somebody say "hands up;" and then he will spend a season in taking grube and rocks out of the public roads.

Judge A. D. Renshaw, this week put us under obligations to him for a big mess of sweet potato. It was only one potato, but it served for a family of four for several days-it weighed three and a half pounds.

The Judge planted one-sixth of an acre, this year, in sweet potatoes, and from this he harvested 80 bushof the sweet things. The little gasolene engine which he installed to water his truck patch has worked wonders in the way of truck growing, and shows how fecund the soil of Sterling is when moisture is added to it. The only wonder is, that more people do not take advantage of the vast possibilites and resources that lie at their feet.

The second Anniversary edition of The West News came to our table this week. From every standpoint of a newspaper, it is an entire success, and is a credit to the town

of West, as well as its promoters. The writer having spent twenty of his best years at West, the paper any place in which a rattler delights bears an interesting message to him to lurk, it is under the cool rank The pictures of many faces that sweet potato vines, and the Judge when the writer was young, remind grew so rank that he got afraid of him that he must be getting up in years. We don't recognize many of snakes; so, in order to avoid getting the stately buildings as shown in the a rattler's fang in his leg, he made pictures, for when we first knew the a pair of leggins out of tin, which he place, the buildings consisted of a wore while working with his pota-log cabin occupied by one Thomas tons. M. West and his young wife, Mar-tha. They were young folks then; but they must be dettind up in years

A YARD

Placer Fields Located By A. J. Kellis Very Promising

Common ordinary earth, worth 5c a pound, seems rather extraordinary, and if we had to pay that price for Bubeeribers falling to ret their pa- a town lot there are many of us who could never own such a thing as a town lot: Five cents a pound cubic yard is about a ton.

That kind of dirt was discovered in a placer ground located by A. J. Kellis a few days ago. He went to look over the ground with C. T. Jolly find anything so rich. However, finding numerous rich places, he snake. went to a certain wash where he had formerly picked up numerous nuggets and rather expected to find a few more. Upon a close examin-Good roads help'at both ends of ation he did find more, and Mr. Jolsurprise. When they pushed back they uncovered so much of the yellow stuff they decided it was useless teen year old boy or girl pretend to The cows have cleaned out the to try to pick up every nugget. The go to school and yet play off every a doe or spotted fawn. Hunting in Montgomery county, and it is unis all good enough to pay handsome- disgraceful acts. They are preparly if it is properly worked.

taken out amounted to about a dol- reach their destiny. Is it your boy 200 acres of ground, all of it good, The Sterling City schools have no scale .-- Wickenburg (Ariz.) Miner.

A Cure For

Dr. Mark Francis, veternarian of the Texas experiment station of the for Texas or splentic fever in cattle.

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TEXAS HAS 514 NATIONAL

Statistics compiled by the Texas Bankers Journal show that since the beginning of the National Banking system in Texas February 25th, 1863, to July 31, 1911, the number of national banks organized in the state was 716. Of this number 31 have become insolvent and 171 in liquidation, leaving 514 in operation. This gives Texas more national banks than either of the six New England States or the eight Pacific States; more than a third of all the national banks in all of the thirteen Southern States or the Nine Western States; almost a third of those in the six Eastern States and a more than a fourth of those in the eight Middle States.

TIN LEGGINS

Judge Renshaw is very much afraid of rattlesnakes. If there is now look old, were those of boys knows this. This fall, his potatoes

Tin leasins may not be exactly in line with the fashion as laid down now, from the looks of old Tom's by the Buttericks, but they are safe against snakes just the same.

Polecat Eats Snake

A few nights ago, Lowe Slaton and C. C. Evans, who are building a house for G. W. Allard, were awakin their bed room. They made a tain hunting license for the coming discovered a big bullsnake hiding giving the law and other regulations among some rubbish. As the snake to be observed by hunters during was known to be perfectly harmless they let him remain in peace and went back to bed. Just before daylight they were again disturbed, and is equal to \$100 a cubic yard, and a on making a light, they discovered a speckled polecat in their room. Knowing the animal to be of the deadly hydrophobia species, they left their room, closed the door, and when daylight came they shot it. of Jerome, never thinking he would A search revealed the snake's bones picked clean of flesh. The polecat

While the polecat is omniverous in its habits, this is the first time we have ever heard of one attacking and killing a snake.

WHAT'S WORSE?

What is worse than to see a six-

ing themselves to fill no place well Mr. Kellis brought up a sack of but the court rooms where they perthe dirt and washed a pan of about jure themselves and for the jails 20 pounds of it in the presence of a and penetentiaries of our country. dozen or more people, and the gold If they do not get there they fail to lar in coarse gold. He has about or girl? Is it mine?-Concho Herald and when the average is raised by such boys and girls attending this such rich places, it would seem that year. If there were any such boys the placer fields in this vicinity may and girls coming to our schools they well be classed as rich enough to would soon be taking the nearest wearing bear tracks on their anatcmy. We have a faculty that is notward pupils; but whenever it is disening things out.

Stock Shipments

Following are the shipments of livestock for the week:

Allard and Conger, 2 cars of cattle, the disease. If this proves true, it Entire & Son 8 cars of cattle, all sion after purchase any game birds six years old and a sure breeder. to the Et. Worth markets. J. S. Kennebrew 1 car of horses to Texarkana. G. B. Slaton 1 cow to San

at cash prices.

Texas Game Laws

Chief Game Warden Cox, in answer to numerous inquiries concern- paril, scissortail, seagull, tern, shearened by something moving around ing the game laws and how to ob- water, egret, heron or pelican. light, and upon examination, they season, has prepared a statement the open season. The statement is as follows;

"To hunt in any county in the state other than the county of one's residence, it is necessary to procure a non-resident county hunting license. The license costs \$1.75, and can be procured from the county clerk of the county in which the person resides.

"A non-resident of the state must procure a non-resident state license. after looking over the holdings and had evidently killed and eaten the This costs \$15, and can be procured owls. from the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner at Austin, or from

> "The open season for hunting deer begins Nov. 1 and ends Dec. 31. Only buck deer or deer with horns may be taken; provided that any three buck deer during the open

"The open season for wild turkeys begins Dec. 1 and ends March 31. the season for any one person.

quail and doves begins Nov: 1 and ends Jan. 31. It is lawful for any one person to kill as many as twenty-five of these birds in any one day, but no-more.

"There is no closed season for twenty-four hours.

"It is unlawful to kill any wild ed for its patience and kindness to- Mongolian or English pheasants, wild prairie chickens (pintail grouse)

bird or fowl by netting or trapping notice and keep out. at any time.

"It is unlawful to kill wild gees or wild ducks by any other means than that of ordinary gun, capable of being held to and shot from the shoulder.

"It is unlawful to sell or offer for Brown Thompson 4 cars of cattle; sale, or have in possession for the sale at a bargain. He is in trime A. C. Pearson 6 cars of cattle: Me- purpose of sale, or have in possesmentioned in this article.

way injure any mocking bird, whippoorwill (bullbat), night hawk, bluebird, redbird, finch, linet, wren, mar-

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"A person may ship to his home as many a one day's bag limit of his game, except wild ducks, of which he may ship as many as three days' limit, or seventy-five lucks; provided he accompany the the shipment on the same train or common carrier. To make such

shipment, the shipper shall make the prescribed affidavit, setting out that he killed the game within the law, the place of his residence, etc. "It is not unlawful to kill English or European house sparrow, hawks (except night hawks), crows, buz-

zards, blackbirds, rice birds and

"It is unlawful for any one person to kill more than ten squirrels any Deputy Game Warden in the in any one day or sell more than five squirrels in any one week, this, however, does not apply to any county situated in the Second, Fifth, Ninth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Twenty-First, Twenty-Fourth and one person shall not kill more than Thirty-First Senatorial Districts under the apportionment of 1901. It season. It is unlawful to kill or take is unlawful to sell or ship squirrels

county. "There is a heavy penalty for any one hunting without a license as prescribed. A landowner, peace "The open season for shooting officer or Game Warden has the right to demand to be shown one's license when found hunting,

NOTICE TO SHEEPMEN

I hereby forbid any and all sheepwild geese, ducks, piover, snipe, jack- men to drive, herd or otherwise snipe, curlews, robins or chacalaca; trespass on any lands owned or however, it is unlawful for any per- controlled by me. I have been imson to kill more than twenty-five of posed upon, and I take this method any of the above mentioned wild of informing the public that I will warrant working them on a large route home, or else they would be fowls or birds in any one day of bear it no longer.2tpd-R. W. Foster

NOTICE TO SHEEPMEN

Notice is hereby given that I for covered that someone is throwing wild antelope or Rocky Mountain bid, and will not allow any sheep off business begins to pick up right sheep at any time for five years herded on or driven across any now, and no time is lost in straight- (June 11, 1911, to June 11, 1916.) lands owned or controlled by me, "It is unlawful to take any wild under pain of prosecution. Take

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PRECIOUS METAL IN BELLS! Many of Those Hanging In Mexican Churches Are Worth Large Sums of Money Commercially.

"Many of the church bells in the republic of Mexico are of copper which also carries a large quota of silver and gold, and consequently they are worth a great deal of money," said Mr. Peter J. Thrasher. a mining engineer of St. Louis. "Not long since while in the state

of Guadalajara I was present at the tractive. sale of a belt of one of the historic Catholic churches for \$2,500. The good fathers did not wish to part with it, as it had summoned their people to mass and vespers for generations, but the church was poor and the money sadly needed. The bell will be thrown into the melting pot of the local smelter and no doubt the buyers will realize a good profit. on their investment, for it is a big affair and has much precions metal.

"It may be that this will set a recedent and that many similar sales will occur, for there are hun-dreds of ancient copper bells of 'God and Liberty.' It will be a good way to relieve depleted treasuries, and iron bells will answer every pur-

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The legal profession is a high sidered only a rough estimate. 4mpd salling. It adjusts the machinery of F. M. Askey human society and when confined to Cotton \$219.656.000 its true sphere of usefulness, is an indispensable servant to civilization. but when the skill and ability of the lawver is directed to creating disturbances, he becomes a menage to the public welfare.

Man with Money.

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

Good Roads.

with money.

ing their earnest support to the field on the globe for capital and good roads movement for they real- when our opportunities are under ize that good roads will cheapen stood and our citizenship ready to transportation, promote social intercourse and make farm life more at-

Texas Productions.

The Federal Agricultural Departs ment gives us a complete estimate on most items of farm production escept live stock. While our live stock: is valued at \$378,762,400, production per annum is not of record and the live stock figures shown in the following table may, firerefore, be con-

The table fellows: 11.433,000 Fruit and Vegetable ... 24.000,009 Poultry and Eggs . . . 25,509,000 Miscellaneous 10,000,000 Live Stock 100,000,000

Timber Timber is added to the list in or, der to complete surface production.

This stupendous total on its face points to a magnificent prosperity, but deducting consumption from production, we find the bulk of our money quickly melting away and when we build our homes and churches and school houses we have little left to invest in large industrial enterprises.

A Billion Dollars for Factories.

Texas needs a billion dollars for factories. The amount seems large but it would require an immediate investment of that amount to manufacture the raw material now being shipped out of the state and we have only one-fifth of our land under cultivation and our minerals are practically untouched.

A good way to encourage factory investments in Texas is to patronire home industries! Home patronege would result in flooding our present plants with orders and would require additional factories 'to take care of the business.

The farmers everywhere are giv- Texas is today the most inviting welcome factory investments by patronizing the products, we will ex-



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Don't forget that good dinner which the Home Mission ladies are going to serve on Thanksgiving.

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-T. H. Walton

Mrs. A. V. Patterson who was reported to be dangerously ill last Sunday, we are glad to say is much

Neal Reed: Walter Mann. N. A. Austin and J. S. Johnston were among the visitors at the Dallas Fair this week.

H. Davis, who has been selling apples along the Texas Central railroad for Springdale, Ark., parties came home Tuesday.

After a great deal of worry and trouble, the gin people got the engine to going and the gin is running now day and night.

Fisher Bros. Screw Worm Killer is the best known remedy for screw-worms. It not only kills the worms instantly, but it disinfects and heals the wound.

my Jones are in Corpus Christi en-Butler Drug Co joying the balmy breezes of the sea. The newest and prettiest dress goods of the season have just been opened up at Roberts. Mr. Roberts wants you to come and inspect and price

> CEMENT! E. E. Reams can furnish you cement in car lots or small quantities at low rates. Next door to Butler Drug Co.

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Henry Bade has engaged W. L. Emery to install a pumping plant does of Craine Pills in order to feel on his ranch to irrigate his land next year. Mr. Bade has afine propeition in this line and we ex-

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Notice to Hunters .- Posted.

My pasture is posted accord ing to the law made and provided in such cases and all persons are hereby warned and forbidden to

Quite a lot cotton has been mar- meat upon his return. keted here during the past week and our merchants are paying the highest prices for the fleecy stuff.

Drop in and see the latest designs in fall and winter hats-just opened up.-Miss Cora Carver

Walter Mann left this wesk for the Pecos country to look after the Cushing & Mann flocks which are

The rain which fell here this morning made the streets a bit mud A big lot of domestics, checks dy but it laid the dust and added and ginghams just opened up at much comfort the housekeeper.

have been punching cattle for the of cattle which he has been pastur-H S outfit returned home last Sun. ing there for several months past. Lowe Slaton and Charles Evans

this finished a neat and commodi- has been seriously ill. ous residence for "Uncle" George Allard on his ranch southwest of

The Ladies' Home Mission Society will give a dinner on Thanksgiving day. The proceeds will be applied to the payment of the new piano recently purchased for the Metodist church.

Miss Cora Carver has just received a nice line of fall and winter hats of latest designs and shapes. Call in and see them.

Dr. J. E. Minyard's card appears in this issue. The Doctor comes to us well recomended and we extend to him and his excellent family a hearty welcome to our town. J. T. Davis left yesterday for Val-

> R. H. Patterson. of Star, Texas, and Judge L. E. Patterson, of Goldthwaite, are at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. A. v. Patterson, who

George McEntire came out from Dallas last week to superintend the out it. Butler Drug Co. shipment of some cattle to market W. A. Jackson is on his way to from the U-ranch. "He returned lots front 50x180 feet, on S. E. the Pecos to be on the ground when last Sunday to Dallas to be with corner public square at a barthe hunting season opens. He has his father, who is reported to be gain. J. A Canon.

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Miss Helen Frick, daughter of H.

C. Frick of Pittsburg, has just given

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be worth in the neighborhood of

park. At her recent debut Mr. Prick is said to have told his daugh-

ter that he would give her anything

for which she could ask to commem-

orate the event. The young debu-

tante asked for a few days to think

over what she wanted and then asked

for the east side property and

promptly turned it over to the city.

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Kandy-the little hill capital of

Cevloa-holds, hidden in its green

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centuries millions of the followers

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NOTICE-KEEP OUT.

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G. W. Allard \$300,000 and will be known as Frick

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atation that he can change his face or his arms." said Senator ba Follette at a banquet in Madison.

"There was once a wicked old Madison millionaire who took his paster aside and said:

'I am going to devote the remainder of my life to doing good." "Dr. Thirdly, outspoken man, re-

"'Do you mean John H. Good, the wealthy farmer, or young Sam Good, the Socialist millionaire?"

Would Arrest Him Anyway. Sergeapt-'Alt! Take Murphy's name for talkin' in the ranks. Corporal-W'y, sergeant, 'e weren't

Sergeant-Wasn't he? Well, cross it out an' put 'im in the guardroom for deceivin' me.-Tatler.

Serious Business.

Madge-Was George fooling while you were playing golf? Marjorie-Gracious, I hope not? Why, I accepted him.-Lippincott's.

A dollar saved is often a dollar

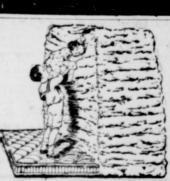
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SKIN AFFECTIONS ARE RETURNS FROM COTTON

Money Can Be Made If Government Instructions Followed.

First Thing to Do is to Destroy the Weevils and Then Force the Plants to Early Maturity-Roll Seed in Solution.

H. C. F., Walker, La., says in a letter: "I have even got nerve enough to try and raise a crop of 12 acres of cotton. You are to blame, however, for the main part of this inspiration. I have been following up your talks, bulletins, etc., on cotton and boll weevil subjects and have come to the conclusion that I can make a profitable crop of cotton.

until it is like an ash heap for three "So far I have been unable to get a bulletin on the use of arsenate of lead. I have read somewhere of its being a perfect success. Can you put me right on the subject?

There is one point in your Hat- apart than the cotton usually grows tiesburg speech, as reported in the tall. papers, that is not clear to me. You advised the rolling of the cotton seed What is the purpose of the prepara-You are right. You can grow profit-

able crops 15-cent cotton in normal mission, Baton Rouge, La., for a season. The government gives you bulletin on the use of arsenate

weevils appear on the little cotton early in the spring, pick them off and destroy them

Fourth: Pick up the punctured squares and destroy them for at least one month after the first square forms on the cotton.

The production of an early crop of cotton is accomplished as follows: First: Cut the cotton acreage to five or six acres to the mile so that cultural methods may be closely followed.

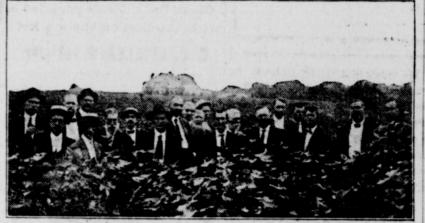
Second: Plant only warm, quickmaking land in cotton. You may plant bottom land, hill land, rich land, or poor land, but it must be quick-making land. Third: Where the soil responds to

commercial fertilizers, apply from 300 to 1,000 pounds per acre to furnish plant food and hasten the maturity of the cotton. Fourth: Thoroughly pulverize the soil before planting. Work the soil

or four inches deep. Fifth: Plant early, rapid fruiting, prolific cotton seed. Sixth: Plant as early as the sons will permit in rows a little wider

Seventh: Commence to work the cotton as soon as possible and never in some solution, before planting. permit a crust to form or weeds and grass to come up. Continue till the cotton begins to open.

Write to the State Crop Pest Com-



Inspecting Cotton Field for Boll Weevil.

the method by which you can suc- | lead. The use of arsenate of lead

plants to early maturity. The destruction of weevils is accomplished as follows:

First: Completely denude the cotton stalks of squares, small bolls, and tion. foliage, the sole food supply of the moment in the fall.

winter, plow under or destroy all rub- of rool nights better. bish in and about the cotton fields which might serve as winter quarters for the weevils.

When the over-wintered

ceed, if you will. Of course, if you do is still in the experimental stage. I not intend to carry out the govern think it advisable for you to have the ment's instructions, you are advised weevils picked off the little cotton unto stay out of the cotton growing busi- til the squares begin to form. The arsenate of lead is expensive and re-You must do two things: First, de- quires the highest inetlligence on the stroy the weevils; second, force the farm to apply it. Children under ten unable to do other farm work can pick the weevils off the little cotton. Picking the weevils will be more effective than poison on your planta-

I advised the farmers at Hattiesmature weevils and the incubators of burg to roll their cotton seed in nithe immature weevils, plow the stalks trate of soda about twenty-four hours under good and deep, or cut and burn before planting. Powder the nitrate the stalks at the earliest possible of soda and wet the seed. The nitrate will cause the little cotton to grow Second: At some time during the off faster and resist the bad effects

Substantial Box, Nailed to Piece of

2x4 Timber, Makes Neat Looking

Shelter When Painted.

Several years ago we constructed

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PARTS IN THE COTTON PLANT PLACE FOR A THERMOMETER

United States Department of Agriculture Soon to Issue Interesting Illustrated Bulletin.

The United States Department of Agriculture will soon issue Bulletin a thermometer shelter and set it up No. 222. Bureau of Plant Industry, alongside the path to the barn, says ahead." entitled "Arrangements of Parts in a writer in the Homestead. The material used was a 2x4 and a small subthe Cotton Plant."

The bulletin describes the plant, its stantial box one foot high, six inches peculiarities, its habits and the vari- deep and eight inches wide. This box ous parts. A number of interesting was attached with the bottom next the illustrations accompany the bulletin. 2x4, as illustrated. The 2x4 should

"The basis of scientific study of be long enough to allow the box to cototn." states the report, "as of agri- stand on a level with the eyes, when cultural plants, is the recognition and planted two and one-half feet in the comparison of difference, whether ex- ground. The box should be set facing periments are being-made for the the north. A small inch strip is breeding of better varieties or to determine the most favorable conditions or methods of culture account must first be taken of the differences that are shown in the character or behavior of the plants. Two principal kinds or classes of differences may be recognized in the study of such a plant or cotton. The component parts, such as the points, leaves, flowers, or fruits, may differ, or there may be differences in the number or arrangement of parts that are otherwise alike. Changes of behavior that are of serious economic importance may be brought about by changing the number and arrangement of the parts of the plant."

GENERALTARM Save the seed corn early.

Cabbage should not succeed itself. Grape cuttings should be planted early in the spring.

Fall plowing is injurious to cut worms and grasshoppers. Fine hair denotes good quality in

pig nearly as much as in a horse. Let apples hang on the trees just porch. When painted nicely it makes about as long as they will hang there a very neat looking shelter. without getting mellow. It will only take about half as

much grain and other feed to raise a litter of pigs if they are given pasture. Teams at steady work, whether on rator, but fear there is too much dishthe farm or on the road, if turned washing, should investigate, rememout to graze at night, soon lose flesh bering that there are brushes for and become dull cleaning spouts, etc., and that no

Too much grass weakens all teams at hard, steady work. A run in the grass lot or fields Sundays or rainy days is sufficient.

If one has a large flock of sheep much time will be saved and better results obtained by the use of the machine clippers.

If you are thinking of buying a does not mean quality,

Some of my neighbors use lime and boar at the fairs this fall do not plaster in raising grain and corn and select one that is over-fat because fat can grow it better without fertilizer, While sheep will eat grain and any try lime next year and if I can raise kind of grass and some kinds of weeds, they are, after all, dainty feeders and their feed must be absolutely clean.

The sneep will eat grain and any try lime bext year and if I can raise potatoes I can raise clover and be ahead of the game. Take corn when it is worth \$1.60 a bag and it will take a pretty good notate crop to appeal to a pretty good potato crop to equal it.

nailed upright in the center of the

box to form a support for attaching

the thermometer; this bolds the ther-

mometer away from the sides of the

box, where it is not influenced so

much by the sun's rays striking the

box. We have found this a more sat-

isfactory shelter, when placed some

little distance away from the build-

ing, than hanging the thermometer or

the north side of a building, or on the

Try a Separator.

Those who have never tried a sepa-

wiping is required. Just take the

pieces out of scalding water and let-

them drain dry, which will only take

Lime and Plaster.

a short time.

FRIGHTFUL SUFFERING OF A WOMAN

Mrs. Garrett, of Vandervoort, Describes How She Suffered and How She Got Relief.

Vandervoort, Ark .- Mrs. Dora Garrett, of this place, says: "I suffered every month, for a year, and got weaker every day. My head and back would ache so bad, I could not sit up. I tried all kinds of medicines, and they all failed to cure me. Then my mother told me to take Cardul. When I had taken one bottle, I was able to do all of my work. I can recommend Cardui to be the greatest woman's remedy in the world. I have used it and know what it will do."

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A Broken Bone.

Your first duty, after notifying a surgeon, is to provide support for the injured member in the form of an improvised splint. Flat pieces of board, as broad, if possible, as the limb and slightly longer than the broken bone, canes, umbrellas, in fact anything that will accomplish your end may be used. In adjusting these, pad with any soft material that is at hand; straw, leaves or cushions made of grass may be used. Avoid any pressure on the infured part, cover it with a cloth, and keep wet with clean, cold water .- Woman's Home Companion.

Successful Economy in Baking.

Successful Economy in Baking.

Most housewives assume when they buy a big can of baking powder at a low price that they have been economical. They have to a slight extent—but when they use that cheap "big can" baking powder, and find it so uneven in quality, or so unreliable that the baking falls, there isn't so much economy in it after all, for the wasted materials far outweigh the few cents saved in the price.

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to his adhesive tailor, "I object to this boorish dunning. . I would have you know that my great-great grandfather was one of the early settlers." "And yet," sighed the anxious tradesman, "there are people who believe in heredity."-Argonaut.

And No Strong-Arm, Squad. The Greeks were piling into the Wooden Horse outside the walls of "We might be called the first car rowdies," they cried facetiously.-

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played on that girt in not showing up at the church when you were to be married to her." "Well, it wasn't a tie game."

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WHEN JOHNNY CAN'T HEAR

Boy at Play is Always Deaf When His Mother is Calling Him.

That was his mother calling from a vindow and Johnny playing in the street, but Johnny didn't hear her.

"Johnny! Come here." But Johnny is at this moment reaching up to catch a high ball and his ears are closed to all calls; where

"Johnny, do you hear me?" But Johnny doesn't. He has caught that ball and now he is fielding it to another boy standing by a tree. So

"Johnny!" this time with a little staccato in it, and perhaps a faint uggestion of a slipper.

And does that open Johnny's ears? Why, he's at the bat now and prepared to hit the ball a swat that will send it half way down the block, and all things else are as naught to him. But now hear the vigilant mother. this time gently, for she knows that boys will be boys:

"Johnny, I want you to come in

Johnny is at this moment running ike a wild man, or boy, making for hat tree he was throwing at a moment ago and utterly oblivious of everything in the world, the parental voice included. But that cleaves the air again now: "Johnny!"

Johnny is standing with one foot at the foot of the tree and the other foot extended, all ready to jump and run when the boy at the bat hits the ball. "Johnny!"

And Johnny runs like all pos sessed, not for home, but for the base, and there he stands, while from the window comes again the voice: "Johnny."

BED-BOUND FOR MONTHS.

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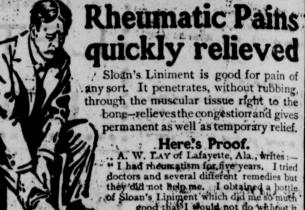
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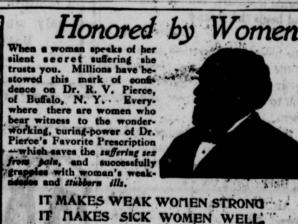
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