# EXICANS SENTENCE TEXAN TO BE SHOT

OV. COLQUITT ACTS IN BEHALF OF MAN HELD AT TAMPICO.

Madero Forces to Cross the Rio Grande.

ustin, Texas: A citizen of Texas, N. Carson, having relatives at sland, Llano County, is under ence to be shot at Tampico and Colquitt has interested himself behalf of the condemned man. He wired the authorities at Washingalso the Governor of the Mexi-State. The Secretary of State at hington was wired as follows:

I am advised that J. N. Carson of as is imprisoned at Tampico, Mexves in this State are not aded as to the offense charged against and have asked me to intertede his behalf. I have wired the Govor of Tamaulipas, it being a bor-State, asking his friendly assist-Will you take up the matter a report on his case and for a stay execution of his sentence until his ends can precent the merits of his

Hon. Lio Matias Guerra, Governor Tamaulipas: Victoria, Mexico: I advised that J. N. Carson of Texas imprisoned at Tampico in your te and is under sentence to be shot. ill you please intervene and stay. tion of the sentence until the per authorities? Answer."

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ombat Orozco's rebels, Gov. Col- in a motorcycle accident. withdrew his consent to such

en communicated to the Mexican

RAIN HITS AUTO: FOUR DEAD.

### Injured, Spectators Unable to Pull Machine from Track.

Pittsburg, Pa.: · Four people were led and five injured, two probably tally, when a fast express train on Pennsylvania Railroad struck an nobile at a crossing at Wilkins-

rg, a suburb The dead are Rev. W. L. Nicholson, 5-year-old son, Charles, John E. ck and Mrs. Sarah Sarveria. The st three victims were occupants of le standing on the platform. All nt of the automobile, were wait-

for a train. ortions of the wrecked machine ere scattered over the platform, the dy of it crushing Mrs. Saveria. ed at the railroad crossing to stop, was unable to do so before the nt wheels ran onto the track and machine stalled. Efforts of franspectatorys to pull the automobile of the onrushing train were fu-Mr. Beck alighted and opened side door of the automobile so this wife, Mr. Nicholson and his could escape when the train

### alveston Breaks All Port Records.

Galveston, Texas: Sending to forcountries 491,708 bales of cotvalued at \$31,626,776, Galveston orts of cotton. This record goes ted to 446,098 bales, valued at 5,749,684, the balance being cleared to the last day of the month, but shipment not getting away until

Balkan to Present Ultimatium. No ultimatum has yet delivered to Turkey from the ented Oct. 3. "It will demand auny for Macedonia, Albania, Old a and Crete, within three days. eat it and at the same time adifying them that at the expiration

## COTTON CROP 69.6 PER CT.

Texas Heads the List with Condition of 75 Per Cent on Sept. 25.

Washington: The condition of the growing cotton crop of the United States on Sept. 25 was 69.6 per cent of a normal, as estimated by the crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Statistics Robs Two Young Girls in the Eve-PROTEST ABOUT TROOPS the season, issued and reckoned from in its last cotton condition report of the reports of correspondents and agents of the Government located throughout the cotton belt. This compares with a condition of 74.8 per cent of a normal on Aug. 25, 71,1 per cent success in the world," sighed George Sept. 25 last year, 65.9 per cent on Witson, "gentleman burglar," in his cell Sept. 25, 1910, and 67.5 per cent, the at police headquarters. "If you've got average normal condition for the last a streak of humor in you you're no ten years on Sept. 25.

Texas shows a better condition than any of the other States and is given at 75 per cent against 71 per cent of last year and a ten-year average of

### Over Three Million Bales Ginned.

Washington: The second cotton ginning report of the Census Bureau, announced that 3.015.033 bales of cotton of the growth of 1912 had been ginned prior, to Sept. ,25, counting round bales as half bales. To that date last year 3,676,594 bales, or 23.6 per cent of the entire crop, had been ginned; in 1908 to that date 2,590,-639 bales, or 19.8 per cent of the crop. has been ginned, and in 1906 to that date 2,057,283 bales, or 15.8 per cent of the crop, had been ginned. This report shows that Texas had ginned, 2,0001,697 bales, which is more than all the other states combined, Georgia is second with 273,086 bales.

NEWSBOY GIVES LEG TO GIRL. Skin Grafted From Useless Limp, Before Amputation, on Young Woman.

Chicago: William Rugh, a cript pled newsboy, consummated a sacrifice without a parallel that a girl, rits of his case can be presented to not previously known to him, might

One hundred and fifty separate inches of cuticle were grafted from his useless lef, before it had been amputated, on the body of Miss Ethel own country at opportune points | Smith, 18 years old, who was burned

Rugh's was not the only sacrifice ment. He also objected to Mex- that marked the terrific ordeal which that marked the terrine order which that marked the terrine order which the underwent. The chief surgeon of the fles across Texas territory in order reach the border. Such a march, understands, projected from Maranon to the border, probably at Bonds that Miss might have a chance for her life.

Rugh and Miss Smith were placed One telegram from Washington on adjoining operating tables at the ted the permission had already hospital. A surgeon introduced them en communicated to the Mexican to each other, as they had never met, ernment and the Governor has although Miss Smith had been apard nothing from his message of prised of the sacrifice. Rugh grinned good naturedly at the girl for whose sake he was to suffer a double operation-amputation and skin grafting.

The surgeons, who were busy nearly two hours, announced the operation a success.

50,000 See Airman Fall to His Death. Trenton, N. J.: With 50,000 people watching him at the Interstate Fair Grounds Charles F. Walsh, while making a spiral descent in a biplane, fell 2,000 feet to instant death. Practically every bone in his body was broken and his face and body were badly cut. Walsh had been giving exhibitions for a week and for the first time was doing fancy stunts in the machine. Mrs. Sarveria, however, air. He was very migh, best descent. He was making the spiral descent with injured except Mrs. Beck, an oc- front of the machine pointed almost straight downward when he lost con-

### Nevada Strike is Complete.

Ely, Nev.: The strike of the 3,500 miners of the Nevada Consolidated Mining Company here is complete and indication are that the operators will not attempt to open their miners again this winter. The windows of the company buildings are being boarded up and hundreds of men are preparing to leave camp. The walkout was without disorder. The men left the vicinity of the mines as soon as the strike was called and have since busied themselves preparing their possessions, for shipment from

Dallas-Waxahachie Interurban Sold. Boston, Mass.: The deal for the ke all port records for September Dallas and Waxahachie, Texas, consale of the interurban line between ead of September last year, when 1,240 bales were exported, valued at Traction Company, a concern headed 7,138,408, and is also ahead of Sep- by J. F. Strickland of Dallas, was forper, 1910, when there were ex- mally consummated here and a joint rted from Galveston 368,944 bales, statement signed by representatives ted at \$27,294,696. Cotton cleared of the two companies will be given to actually at sea during the month the public. The consideration was approximately \$1,000,000 and the terms of the transfer were agreed up-

> ion of the line. Orozco Reported Defeated,

on Aug. 27, tast. The purchase price

represents the exact cost of construc-

Laredo, Texas: Rebels said to have been commanded by Gen. Pascaul Balkan States but such will be Orozco, Jr., are reported defeated in the event of failure to comply with brought ninety dead and wounded to be demand the Balkan coalition will Monterey from the battlefield. No beat it and a second s accounts of the rebel losses have been ying them that at the expiration els were defeated. The Federals were another three days the Balkan commanded by Gen. Blanquet, who tes will enforce the demand by had 6,000 men. Orozco's forces are said to have numbered 4,000.

"Gentleman Burglar" Has Real Sense of Humor.

ning and Returns to Comfort Them at Breakfast Table in the

Philadelphia.-"It's the people who haven't any sense of fun that make a

And Witson had a personal text to preach from. His desperate sense of humor had led him to lock a keeper of the New York Tombs prison in his (Witson's) own cell, while he (Witson) walked out to freedom. And Thursday, in Atlantic City, the same fatal love of the laughable made him call on two eminent young ladies in the evening, return and rob them at three o'clock in the morning and re-turn again and comfort them at the breakfast table.

Witson was strolling down the boardwalk the other day when Miss Lillian Price and Miss Mary C. Mc-Kaig of Wilmington were out for a walk. The young women, who come of excellent families, were offended by a flirtatious person, it is said, and Witson went quickly to their rescue. He got the offender out of the way in short order, and the girls gave him permission to call.

After a considerate three days had elapsed he dropped in one evening. They found him charming—a man of culture, of experience, wit, wisdom and courtesy. He left well before the prescribed eleven o'clock, and he left with a cordial invitation to return at About three o'clock in the morning

the young women were awakened by a noise in their room. Miss McKaig was confronted by a pistol muzzle with a masked man behind it. "Please don't trouble yourself." he

### TO RAISE SUBMERGED WRECKS



J. PARSONS of Hornsey, England, has invented an ingentious caisson for the raising of submerged wrecks. Our photograph was taken at a demonstration recently given at the East India docks with a model 2 feet 6 inches long, having a lifting capacity of 115 pounds. It was filled with water and lowered with a 56 pound weight attached to represent a submerged wreck. Within two minutes the water in the caisson was displaced and the calsson with the weight rose to the surface. By a system of nuts and bolts it can be taken apart and as easily put together again.

won't disturb you a moment longer." | went instantly to comfort them. He drove her politely back to bed, and then left-the women don't know

ran out into the reception hall and who had called on them the previous son suddenly remembered that he evening. He was out, but when he resaid. "I don't want to harm you. I their rooms had been robbed seemed him and he was arrested as he stepped have your jewelry and things and I to throw him into consternation. He from a train here.

Professor de Vries is now laying down.

The secret of the future is to be able

mutations as observed now in nature.

Aged Husband Must Report to Proba-

Morning.

New York .- Every Sunday morning

er must make a pilgrimage to the po-

There had not been even a ripple

tion Officer Every Sunday

will have their future."

They were, all having breakfast to gether when the detectives who had been summoned arrived. One of the In their excitement they called up sleuths seemed to cast an over-inquisthe apartments of Witson-the friend | itive eye at the gentleman guest. Witturned about six o'clock in the morn- left abruptly. . The detectives 'teleing he called them up. To learn that graphed his description on ahead of

### GROW LARGER GRAIN ROBBERS WORK IN CEMETERY

Recent Experiments.

Eminent Scientist Plans to Increase the Size of the World's Food Plants-New Species at

New York .- Prof. Hugo de Vries, director of the American botanical garden and the recognized dean of botanists, lectured at the New York botanical gardens on his recent observa tions and experiments in the mutation of plants. Many scientists attended the lecture and lauded Professor de Vries as "the successor to Darwin and a great benefactor to the na-

Doctor de Vries, a man of about six ty years, does not mind being called a successor to Darwin, whose work he has adopted. He would deny, however, that he has gone further than officer. life. It was exactly the divergence between Darwin's conclusions, and his own conclusions that; constituted the subject matter of Doctor de Vries' lec-

origin of new species by the theory of gradual variation. Doctor de Vries, on the other hand, while he admits that there are no end of gradual variations in plant life, adds that new species also come into being by leaps and bounds" in a single day, as it were. He explained his theory by the exhibition of slides illustrating his own observations.

The best illustrations of the muta tion of plants, Doctor de Vries noted in such flowers as the foxglove, daisy, evening primrose and marigold. In als own experiments, starting with an ordinary single daisy and keeping all the seed and planting it, he noticed second year daisies having twice as many petals as they had the first year and at the expense of a diminishing center. Continuing the selection of the seed from the exceptional specimens in each daisy patch he grew within four years a daisy which had no center seed pods whatever, and which had increased its petals or ray lowers during that time from twentythe new flower did not resemble the ordinary daisy at all, and it remained ntact as a distinct species of flora.

This illustration was evidence, Proessity of increasing the yields of all plants, so that the increasing population of the future might not want. His optimism in the development of plant life extends to wheat and rice and the other grains, although he said he was not yet experimenting in those fields.

"Doctor de Vries is not rivaling our wn Burbank," said Dr. W. A. Murrill, director of the New York botanical gardens, after the lecture. "He stands supreme in his own line of endeavor. His experiments are purely theoreti-cal. Burbank tries to develop the bigpractical results in the culture of food-Fort Collins, Colo.-C: E. Moore, a stuffs. But some day that line of exbarber, was held up in the cemetery perimental work will be exhausted. here. The fright he received has sent. and scientists will ask for something Moore to bed and he is under a physinew. Then some one will apply, in a

cian's care. practical way, the principles which While hastening to his home west of the city he took a short cut through the graveyard and was surprised when to repeat exactly by agriculture the tombstone, ordering him to throw up That is the work of science, and that

is where the new and bigger Burbanks In addition to his - harber trade had just sold several hogs, which net IS PAROLED FOR 7 YEARS frightened that he was unable to give a description of the footpads.

### PRAISE FOR FLY CATCHERS for seven years to come Erman Dunk-

lice court and report to a probation Birds Do Much More Good Than Harm, Says United States Government Aid.

of discord in the Dunker home in Green Point for the forty years the Washington, D. C .- "Fly catchers." couple had lived together until last Sun-day, when Dunker "developed" a that prey on wasps, baes, ants, grassgrouch" and discharged a revolver at hoppers; caterpillars, flies, bugs and his surprised spouse. Then she had other insects, were given a clean bill of health as far as the farmer is con-The old man was so repentant when cerned in a report issued by the dearraigned that the judge decided on partment of agriculture. After an in-the period of probation. Dunker was vestigation by Assistant F. E. L. Beal of the biological survey of the diet of "But I am already an old man and seventeer of the thirty-one species of shall die before the time is up, fly catchers, the department announced that the birds do considera "Well, if you do you will, not be bly more good than harm and should punished for breaking your parole," be protected as allies of the farmer and horticulturist.

## MEN ARE BOORS AS FLIRTS

bie Indictment Against American Males of Every Station.

bewildered at the long term.

the judge assured him.

judge." he mildly remonstrated

Man Francisco.-American men, no natter what the classification, wheth alone. It was rude of them. er millionaires or Pullman car conducors, face the terrible indictment from the lips of Mme. Del Garcia de Pael-, cere, a noted singer of Europe, of Fells Him as He Battles With Her They are rude, not to say rough and

bolsterous, according to madame. They lack the finesse of the European gentleman. It is their idea to haul around by the arm a lady whom they would charm, when the lady's arm has othing whatever to do with her heart. They have not manners, they cannot tell whether a lady would flirt or not, and the rich ones are the worst of

These accusations and more be-sides—were voices by the chic and pretty Spanish suger on her arrival ine San Francisco the other day from Madrid and Vienna.

"Your American gentlemen, they know nothing about a lady," and she frowned. "They do not know the diference between the lady who will flirt

Noted European Singer Issues Terri wanted to be playful they would take hold of my hafid or arm. I cannot stand to be touched. They always wanted to be holding to me, to help me walk here or there, I can walk

### WOMAN LUSES AX ON THIEF Husband, and Knocks Him Down Stars.

Pueblo, Colo.-Mrs. J. H. Dellman. keeper of a boarding house here, discovering an alleged burglar in the com of a guest, called her husband and went for an ax. When she returned her husband was being bested. Entering the fray, she struck the burglar on the back with the ax, and with second blow tymbled him head first downstairs. When he recovered consciousness he gave his name as Hamnond Kurch, and declared he was visiting at the Dellman house.

Butte, Mont.—Fifteen boys ranging from twelve to fifteen years of age His experiments are purely theoretical. Burbank tries to develop the biggest plums and the biggest potatoes, but de Vries tries to make two petals grow where but one grew before. He is paving the way for the bigger Burbanks of the future.

They do not know how. On the train they would come and sit down beside me and we would talk. When they attempted to lynched Joseph Mayers, a chicken farmer, after having set fire to the Meyers home. Mrs. Meyers testined that she and her husband had been rendered destitute by the depredations of the boys.

# Homen From Forty-Five to Fifty Are Much Benefited

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The "change of life" is a most critical period in a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

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Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

These symptoms are calls from nature for help. The nerves are crying out for assistance and the cry should be heeded in time.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is prepared to meet the needs of women's system at this trying period of her life. It invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried many women safely through this crisis.

# WHY THE FIFTH MAN LEFT

Men at the Table Were Bald -and Talkative. In the smoking room of a west-

bound ocean liner two days out from wo men tumped out from behind a an English port five men sat at a "small game" of poker. When the chips had been cashed in the men retained their places, and presently one Moore maintains a small ranch, and of the party said: "This is funny; four bald heads out of a possible ted him \$41. This money, a gold five," and then there was a discussion watch and a pipe were taken by the as to the causes of baldness, in which highwaymen. Moore was so badly all took part except the unafflicted man, who was a good listener for a while. He then bade the others good night. When he had gone the youngest of the group, who was less bald than the others, said: "Do you know why Mr. Blank made the getaway? He wears a wig, and is probably as bald as any of us." And for the rest 'of the journey Mr. Blank's head was the object of study-at a distancefor he never again' appeared in the smoking room.

> To Renoyate Historic Castle. Loch Dochart castle, which was built in the thirteenth century on an island in the loch of the same name and is associated with the famous Rob Roy, has now been taken in hand by the Scottish Historical Antiguarian association, and is being renovated so as to insure its permanency.

IT'S THE FOOD. The True Way to Correct Nervous Troubles.

Nervous troubles are more often caused by improper food and indigestion than most people imagine. Even doctors sometimes overlook this fact. A man says:
"Until two years ago waffles and

butter with meat and gravy were the main features of my breakfast. Finally dyspepsia came on and I found myself' in a bad condition, worse in the morning than any other time. I would have a full, sick feeling in my stomach. with pains in my heart, sides and head.

"At times I would have no appetite. for days, then I would feel ravenous. never satisfied when I did eat and so nervous I felt like shrieking at the top of my voice. I lost flesh badly and hardly knew which way to turn until one day I bought a box of Grape-Nuts food to see if I could eat that. I tried it without telling the doctor, and liked it fine; made me feel as if I had something to eat that was satisfying and still I didn't have that heaviness that I had felt after eating any other food.

"I hadn't drank any coffee then in five weeks. I kept on with the Grape-Nuts and in a month and a half I had gained 15 pounds, could eat almost anything I wanted, didn't feel badly after eating and my nervousness was all gone. It's a pleasure to be well

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's



### TO PROVE OUR CLAIMS.

St. Anne, Ill.-"I was passing through the change of life and I was a perfect wreck from female troubles. I had a displacement and bearing down pains, weak fainting spells, dizziness, then numb and cold feelings. Sometimes my feet and limbs were swollen. I was irregular and had so much backache and headache. was nervous, irritable and was despondent. Sometimes my appetite was good but more often it was not. My kidneys troubled me at times and I could walk only a short distance.

"I saw your advertisement in a paper and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I was helped from the first. At the end of two months the swelling had gone down, I was relieved of pain, and could walk with ease. I continued with the medicine and now I do almost all my housework. I know your medicine has saved me from the grave and I am willing for you to publish anything I write to you, for the good of others."-Mrs. ESTELLA GILLISPIE, R.F.D. No. 4, Box 34, St. Anne, Illinois.

Mixed Metaphors. "You didn't really show that you. vere bored?" "No; I hope I am too well drilled."

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Subscribers failing to get their paper on time, will confer a favor by te porting same to us.

At Rawlins, Wyoming, last Wednesday week, a negro brute outraged an old lady 78 years of age. He was captured an put in jail, and soon let your dope come on forever. a mob of citizens formed and demanded that the jailor turn over the negro to them. While parleying carries: over the matter, the negro was slipped out at the rear of the jail and put in the penetentiary for safe fairies keeping. While at breakfast, the And you will find your daily grind negro boasted of his crime to the of verse-glum or funnyprisoners, giving the details of the horrible outrage. When breakfast bloom and dark spots bright and was over, the prisoners locked their guard in a cell, and hung the negro before his eyes.

Those convicts may be hardened criminals, but this one act shows that the instinct of true manhood is still alive in their bosoms and in good working order.

# Jack Johnson's

prize fighter, she should have a mar- King, Luther Evans. tyr's monument erected over her Second grade: Ventu Lampkin. grave. She quit her home, parents, Coulson Rutherford, Greenville Wilpiness, and mated with a big black Horace shipman, Ralph Stewart. human soul to whom she could tell her sorrows, without a race with she could claim the ties of friendship—chained to this big, black animal, with the vulture of ostracism eternally gnawing at her heart, she sent leaden messengers into her vitals, and thus, ended that which no human, however depraved, could endure. In her hideous career, she has proven to all mankind how in Eddie Hooker, Clemona Phillips, Elpossible it is for a mating, of the sea Tweedle, Willie Allard, Lesuer and J. S. Augustine, assistant judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precinct No. 5; T. M. Jackson, presiding judge; W. E. Beyer and G. B. Slaton, clerks, for voting precin

that this woman had never been Harold Durham, George Braeuer, assistant judge; Harry Tweedle and Conger, assistant judge; Harry born but as it is she has not fived Mildred Hooker Bonita Allard, Alborn; but, as it is, she has not fived Mildred Hooker, Bonita Allard, Alin vain, for her horrible and lie Lyles, Marvin Foster, Harvey
revolting example may serve as a Foster, Mary Williams, Ruth Collins.

| Allard, Allard, Allor, Cents, In voting precipitation, assistant in voting precipitation, assistant judge; Joe Clifton, assistant judge; Joe Clifton, assistant judge; G. A. Stockton and born; but, as it is, she has not fived Mildred Hooker, Bonita Allard, Alprecept for those misguided people 8th & 9th grades: Ernestine Cope, of the North and East who teach Kate Graham, Ether H---, Donnie No. 9. social equality.

painted as black as the night of Ere- Glen Crawford, Wayne Phillips. beak fastened in the heart of the Conger, Odie Allard. woman, should complete the statuary. On a scroll should be these BEAUTY OF BABBLING BROOK words: "Here lies a victim of negro social equality. She tried it, Every Farm Should Have One of and went to hell rather than endure its hideous burdens.'

### Keepit Up, Old Man

"POEM" NO. 1826

Years ago-five years, oh, people, There was born this daily "poem," Product of a so-called poet, Half in earnest-half a joker, Striving not for fleeting glory. Striving not for laurel chaplets,

Bald his head was as an onion; Thin his frame as lath or pencil. But his nerve, immense, colossal, Kept him turning out these "verses,"

To observe, as solemn duty, What the darn fool might have

Eighteen hundred of these "verses" To the present date he's written-Eighteen hundred daily spasins, And you've stood it, uncomplaining

Now he asks you, SHALL HE STOP IT! Shall the first page of this paper Be relieved of "weather verses," Or shall he gird up his trousers, Cinch his belt, and keep it going? Say the word—he's not a prophet, Merely one who grinds out verses, Scorning ethics-English-gram-

Shall he KEEP IT UP OF STOP IT? -THE NEWS STAFF POET, in

The Dallas News. "Gird up" your trousers, "cinch"

your belt, "and keep it going" and stop it-never! We "say the word," and if absurd,

It's good for the "blues"-better than news-it's the best your paper It makes us smile, our cares be

guile, and dream of childhood's

Will scatter gloom, make flowers

on the track of life's precarious

But keep straight on, O poet, on, and slack not on your traces.

### Honor Roll

relatives and everything else which liams, Chester Churchill, Vollie Wilthis world had to offer for her hap- liams, Mabel Hafer, Jewel Shipman,

negro. In doing this act she be- Third grade: Don Austin, Auscame an outcast of both the white tin Allard, Fred Conger, Taylor Garand negro races. The whites ostra- rett, Herbert Lampkin, Blanche cised her as they would an unclean Crawford, Clata Dunn, Winnie Dunn, bird from Hades. The negroes scorn- Neal Gamble, Gladys Gilmore, Elta ed her as they would a buzzard from Hooker, Ellen Rollins, Thelma Walthe field of Gehenna. Without one ton, Louisa Williams, Dirrse Feindt,

their children the doctrine of negro King, Cloudy Crawford, Joe Graham, Grady Head, Lawrence Knight, Clar-If the writer were called to de- ence Davis, Sidney Barnett, Ora Laws of 1899, and only qualified Laws of 1899, and only qualified sign her monument, it should be a Churchill, Agnes Crain, Linnie Gar- voters, who are property taxpayers voters, who are property taxpayers replica of Jack Johnson in cast iron rett, Florence Lyles, Mae Sullivan, with arms akimbo, and the whole Florence Lyles, Marguerite Cole,

bus. A replica of this woman 10th & 11th grades: Jo Marie should be of brass, with her bosom Graham, Frankie Barnett, Lena Rey- the words, "For the issuance of the and three men besides himself left are sober, industrious and well betorn open and her heart exposed, nolds, Belle Lyles, Estelle Lowe, Niand chained to the black figure of ta Longshore, Guy Douglas, Hal Jack Johnson. A cast iron vulture, Knight, Cole Boswell, Marvin Church-Jack Johnson. A cast iron vulture, Knight, Cole Boswell, Marvin Churchthe words, "Against the issuance of the words, "Against the issuance of mark, "Ostracism," with his bloody ill, Elmon Grimes, Emma Head, Joe the Bonds and the Tax." The man-

These Protty Streams Running Through Its Meadows.

I have found it at last-the thing I have been dreaming about during all these years of city bondage; the thing that opens up vistas of bucolic beauty and benediction; a rift of blue sky through the smudge and smoke of the strenuous strife! And it has everything on it, except the brook murmuring lasily through the meadows and kicking up its silver heels over pebbled pathways. But you can't have everything on a small But to make some people chuckle. farm that someone else laid out in the days when city dwellers were not looking for babbling brooks. If I had had the parcelling out of farms, I would have put a "laughing brook" somewhere on each one, for the pink-Grinding out a fool verse daily:
Braving gun and knfe and prison.
Risking lynching and slow torture,
That no issue of his paper
Might come off the press without it.
Hearken now, ye burdened people,
Doomed to read his product daily—
Doomed by habit stern and binding
To observe, as solemn duty,

Jooned ducks to frolic in and snap their long bills over juicy bugs and worms. Perhaps the great and good their long bills over juicy bugs and worms. Perhaps the great and good Husbandman did not have enough brooks to go 'round, and I must worry along without a brook. Perhaps I will make one some of these days. In the meantime, I advise all my neighbors who have babbling brooks to take them in at night.—

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Doomed by habit stern and binding To observe, as solemn duty,

Jordan Telephor, Jexas.

Dear Sir: The real test of a paint is how many square feet will a gallon of it cover? And all the paints swear they cover 300 square feet well 150 to 200.

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### **ELECTION NOTICE**

Whereas, a petition signed by W. T. Conger and 50 property taxpaying voters of Sterling County has been presented to the Commissioners Court of said county praying said Court to order an election for the purpose of submitting to the quality of the purpose of submitting to the quality of the purpose of submitting to the quality of the purpose of submitting to t county in the sum of \$20,000.00, for the purpose of constructing improving and maintaining the public roads of said Sterling county; and,

Whereas, the Commissioners Court

Whereas, the county commissioners

proposition shall be submitted;

Sterling county, Texas.

The following is a list of those who were neither tardy nor absent during the first month of school.

Instead of condemning the white wife of Jack Johnson, the big coon

Reynolds, Katie Belle Cotten, Riley

The following is a list of those court house of Sterling county, in the district court foom of the in the district court foom, of the court house, in the district court house, in the district court house, in the district court house, in the town of Sterling City, voting precinct No. 1; at Mulberry school house, voting precinct No. 2; at China Valley school house, voting precinct No. 2; at China Valley school house, voting precinct No. 3; at Divide school house, voting precinct No. 3; at Divide school house, voting precinct No. 4 tot Valley school house, voting precinct No. 3; at Divide school house, voting precinct No. 4 tot Valley school house, voting precinct No. 5 total precinct No. 4 total valley school house, voting precinct No. 4 total valley school house, voting precinct No. 4 total valley school house, voting precinct No. 5 total valley school house, voting white and negro races with even endurable satisfaction.

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Sixth grade: Mae Austin, Lee
Black.

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> the provisions of Chapter 149, Acts the provisions of Chapter 149, Acts of Sterling county, Texas, shall be of Sterling county Texas, shall be allowed to vote at said election; allowed to vote at said election; and and all voters desiring to support all voters desiring to support the the proposition to issue said bonds, proposition to issue said bonds, shall dead companions died. All the chil-shall have printed on their ballots have printed on their ballots the dren were dead and only two women stead of being idle and luxurious, Bonds and the Tax;" and those de- Bonds, and the Tax;" and those de- glive. A tragic postscript added: siring to oppose said proposition siring to oppose said proposition "I. Chenoff, am now the only person shall have printed on their ballots shall have printed on their ballots living. My hands shake, by eyes are ner of holding said election shall be ner of holding said election shall

of Texas governing general elections State of Texas governing general A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of Sterling county. Texas, shall serve as proper notice of said election; and the county judge of said election; and the county judge of said election; and the county judge of rected to cause a copy of said notice said county is hereby directed to

B. F. Brown, County Judge, Sterling County, Texas.

### **ELECTION NOTICE**

purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of Sterling county the qualified voters of Sterling county the qualified voters of Sterling county question of issuing the bonds of said the question of issuing the bonds of paint.

of Sterling county. Texas deems it ers of the County of Sterling, State Artist Discovers a Way of Making advisable and expedient to issue of Texas, deem it advisable to issue Pictures Down in Depths of Bonds of said county for such pur- the bonds of said county for such pose, as will more fully hereinafter purpose, as will more fully herein-

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oposition shall be submitted; proposition shall be submitted:
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Said election shall be held at the Said election shall be held at the dinary occurrence, though, perhaps, following places in said county, viz: following places in said county, viz: no boat has yet descended quite so in the District Court room of the in the district court room, of the deep as Verne fancied nor has travhouse, voting precinct No. 4; at Kel- precinct No. 4; at Kellis school house, lis school house voting precinct No. voting precinct No. 5; at Iolanthe 5; at Iolanthe school house, voting school house, voting precinct No. 6; precinct No. 6; at Lacy school house, at Lacy school house, voting pre-No. 7; at Sterling Creek school house cinct No. 7; at Sterling creek school voting precinct No. 8; at Morrow house, voting precinct No. 8; at Morschool house, voting precinct No. 9; row school house, voting precinct and the following persons are hereby No. 9; and the following named perappointed managers of said election, sons are hereby appointed managers viz.: W. L. Foster, presiding judge; of said election, viz.: W. L. Foster, punch that required: Emette Westbrook, assistant judge, presiding judge; Emette Westbrook, L. E. Alexander, N. L. Douglas, W. assistant judge; L. E. Alexander, N. F. Latham and R. L. Lowe, clerks L. Douglas, W. F. Lathan and R. L.

Said election shall be held under Said election shall be held under governed by the Laws of the State be governed by the Laws of the

to be posted up at each of the several places hereinbefore designated for holding said election at least hereinbefore designated for holding.

Twenty days prior to the date of said election, at least twenty days

THE HA of such publication to appear not Texas-the first of such publications try men's soles." less than thirty days immediately to appear not less than thirty days preceding the date of said election.

B. F. Brown, County Judge, Sterling County, Texas

Letter to Treas. D. C. Durham

Sterling City, Texas.

ats; if one, there's nothing won- voe; the other coat-10 gallons of a Pele Mele.

derful in it; if two, they must have

small feet in New Orleans.

New Orleans paint. That shows the strength of the paints.

Surfaces differ; one takes more.

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PAINTING UNDER THE SEA

Old Ocean. An artist has lately found a way

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by Therefore, it is hereby ordered by of painting under the sea. He goes sketches of what he sees. He has painted a picture of fishes that have fins so large that they are like the wings of butterflies and make the queer creatures appear to be flying "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea" no one supposed that anything like that could ever really made such a vovage almost as or-

Modern Extravagance Wes Outdone by Edward Russell, British Commander, in 1691.

Scapbox orators prate persistently of modern lavishness and splendor and tell listeners that "it is growing worse all the time." What would they say if they heard of a

"Four hogsheads of brandy, a pipe of Malaga, eight hogsheads of water, five pounds of grated netfor precinct No. 1; G. A. Hodges, Lowe, clerks, for voting precinct No. megs, three hundred toasfed hiscuits presiding judge; G. G. Ainsworth, assistant judge; Fred Hodges and Joe G. Ainsworth, assistant judge; Fred white sugar?" white sugar?"

### ST. KILDA'S INHABITANTS.

Islanders of St. Kilda, in the Atlantic, of the coast of Scotland, | cat. were saved from privation last spring by the arrival of the British cruiser with stores. They were more fortunate than the colony of fisher- ployed as foragers and soldiers, othfolk on the arctic island of Nova ers appear to be told off as nurses Zembla in 1911. For ten months it and guardians, while vet others are Morrow, clerks, for voting precinct J. J. Morrow, clerks, for voting pre- had been impossible to open up communication with the island, and sons. when at last a steamer arrived with provisions every one of the inhabi- fond of honey. Toward the end of tants was dead of starvation. The summer, as all beckeepers know, they last man to die had left a penciled message telling how the wool from and carry off by force as much as the clothing had been eaten, and that they can gorge of their winged two men who ate of the flesh of their neighbors' honey. near." And after that the impenetrable veil.

### PLENTY OF FISH.

She-I shall never marry a man who can't play polo. He-Very well. I'll learn to ride. But suppose I break my neck? She-Oh, there always are sur-

"Yes, they are the times which

"Shall we call on our congressman THE HARD TIMES. "Walking back from dreams of in a body he'll just make us a glory on the ties is a hard experi- speech.'

SUBJECT UNTO VANITY.

Kitty-So Edith is learning to play the harp. I didn't know she liked that instrument especially.

told her she had pretty arms. THE TIME.

"How long did your honeymoon

"Until the first day I asked this year we had twins." George for money, I think."

### THE BURGLAR'S TRICK.

Policeman-Hands up! Burglars-What's the matter? ints; one coat 6 gallons De- Can't you see the cinema man?-

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Division of labor is clearly seen in the wasp's nest. Some of the workers seem to be specially emengaged as paper makers and ma-

Wasps are at all times particularly will force their way into beehives

haved members of the community. They clean the streets of their town with exemplary diligence, acting as growing dim, and I feel the end is public scavengers or sanitary officers. And they have their reward, for, unlike the bee drones, they live their allotted life in peace and quietness until winter involves both them and their maiden sisters in one common cattaclysm of death and destruction. -Harper's Weekly.

### THOUGHT OUT.

in a body or individually?" "I figure it this way. If we call "But if we call individually he'll

have to take us each out to lunch." AN ALTERNATIVE.

## "I don't want any of your ma-

chine kind of futures." "Then go to a palmist and she will Marie-Oh, she doesn't, but Jack give you one hand-made." AN INSTANCE.

"Trouble never comes single." "It don't in our family. Last year I had double pneumonia, and |

### GREAT HELP TO THE READER.

"Has Sribble's new novel a hap-"Yes, in one respect. It's a short

novel and the end comes soon."

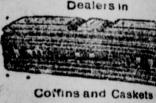
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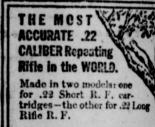
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### RESIGNATION.

Mrs. Howell-How is your hus band's gout? Mrs. Powell-Better, I think; of perhaps I am getting used to it!-Woman's Home Companion.

PRUDENCE IN OPPOSITION.

He-I intend to set my for against football this senson. She (flippantly)-Well, pless don't set it against a flying wedge. THE CLUE.

"How did that receiver of stelen goods come to be arrested?" "The detectives suspected he will a fence by his gait."

### CONVICTED. Mrs. Blase-Who was this men

Washington, anyway? Mrs. Highup Some herrilly 10 American person, I guess. They sy he actually advised against our make ing any foreign alliances - Pack

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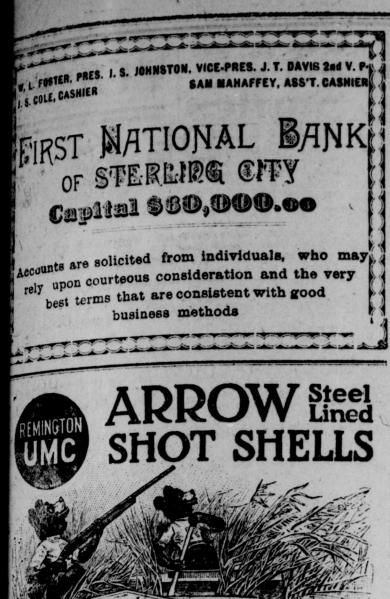
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veying out the Crawford ranch this

Lane & Smith shipped a string of fat cows to Fort Worth markets last

in from their Glasscock county ranch | cated.

J. F. Morrow, of Robert Lee, was

visiting and transacting business here last week. Money to Loan:-On 1 or 2 years

time, interest payable semi-annually Apply at this office. Now is the time to order that new

fall suit. See Norman, the tailor. He gives you fits.

A. H. Allard received a flock of sheep last Sunday, which he purch. sed from parties at Lampasas.

NEW Cozy Barber Shop is now New come on and try him. 1t pd

can make it look as good as new. | pain of prosecution to the For Sale or Trade: - A No. 4, Densmore Typewriter, in fine shape. See

H. W. Stoneham, Sterling City. \$100.000.00 to loan on farms and and ranches in Sterling County. See Lewis E. Alexaner at Court

Married: At the residence of Judge B. F. Brown, on 3rd inst., I. S Roberts to Mrs. Ella Humble, Judge Brown officiating.

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Doctor Carver left this morning for Chicago, where he will attend a course of lectures in surgery at the University of Chicago.

W. L. Foster and family left this morning for Dallas, to attend the fair. Miss Fay will remain in Dallas during the winter to pursue her studies in art.

A special barber, On West Side of square He's there when it comes to Hair cuts and Shaves He's there today.

A severe hail storm fell about 7 miles northwest of town last Tuesday night. Aside from a few broken window panes, no especial dam-

age was done. Grover Potts says it is time to have your winter suits and overcoats cleaned up and made to look

as good as new. All work guaran-teed With B. F. Roberts. Judge Dozier, of Paint Rock, this week, purchased the Dupree ranch, in the south part of the county, from

J. H. McClain; together with about 2700 stock sheep. J. H. Morrow, of Abilene, is here

looking after his ranch interests. Mr. Morrow says his cotton will yield a half bale per acre. (Who said Sterling county wouldn't raise H. P., N. I. Douglas -cety. any cotton this year.)

Remember, it don't pay to throw your old clothes away when Grover can make them look as good as new. If you have'nt any to clean, get your order in for new ones." All work guaranteed. With B. F. Rob-

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### NOTICE-KEEP OUT.

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Notice to Hunters - Poster

My pasture is posted seed in such cases and all per at a g intense absorption. open on West Side in Sterling City, hereby warned and fort iden to unt, fish, or otherwise tress s Why go around with your suit upon any of the e closed has a extent of the law

POSTAD

5-6 '62

- Ju masture is posted persons are hereby put veor legal notice that any one wise shall bunt, cut or haus wood or D. D. Parramore was here this otherwise trespass upon any of week, on his return from Abilene, the lands owned or controled where he had been to visit Mrs. by us will be prosecuted to the ful! extent of the law, 10 -26-'01 Fisher Bros.

# General Directory.

Distaigt Officars.

.udge-J. W. Timmins. Attorney-Alec Collins Clerk-1. B Cole, Court meets 4th Monday after first donday in February and September.

Attorney -- Pat Kellis Clerk-L. B. Cole Sheriff-Jno. B. Ayres. Treasurre-E. L. Gilmore Assessor-D C. Durham Coart meets first Monday in Febru ry. May, August and November.

County Commissioners.

Com'r. Pre. No. 1-B. F Roberts . 2-E. F. Atkinson . . . 3-8. 1.. Hull " " 4-J.S Johnston

Jestice Court. Court, Precinct No. 1, meets 3rd Satrday in each month. B F. Roberts J. I

M. K. Church-Preaching every secand fourth Sanday at Il a. m. and called. When asked what was the 190 p. m., and fourth Sunday at 7:30 p. matter she replied that her husband Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. every was out late the night before and

& A. M .. meets Saturday nights on or horn for a hat." pefero the full moon in each month. D. L. Slaton Secretary B. F. Brown, W. M.

Sastero Btar-Meets Saturday 1 3 o'clock on or before the full moor o each month. Mrs. N. L. Douglass W. M.

Mrs. O II Graham Secretary

Masons meets lat Saturday night after fall moon in each month .- B. F Brown

Sterling City Counsil No. 269 R & M asters m ... R. A. Chapter. B. F. Brown T J Master N. L. Douglas Recorder.

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Has Carved Figure of Himself In Wood Which Appears to Be Identical With Original.

One of the most marvelous workmen in the world is Hananuma Ma- han's habit of eleventh-hour playsakichi of Tokio, Japan, who has writing recall a similar instance in carved a figure in wood, so like him- the case of the illustrious Sheridan. self, that when the two are placed Just two days before "The Critic" also impossible to tell which lives unwritten. Ford & Linley, the pro-

wooden figure is pronounced the upon desperate measures. Linley inmost perfect and human image of vited Sheridan to dinner, and afterman ever made. Masakichi has faith- ward prevailed upon him to go to fully reproduced every scar, vein the theater. There Mr. King, the and wrinkle to be seen on his own stage manager, asked the playwright body. The figure is composed of to step into the greenroom for a two thousand pieces of wood, dove- moment-"to meet some neglected tailed and jointed with such wonder- friends." Sheridan complied, and ful skill, that no seams can be de- found awaiting him a chair and a

tators, who were often entirely at a ed away. G. W. All and loss as to which was the artist. The Next morning the conspirators one hand, and an instrument for weary playwright -- and the mucheves are apparently gazing at the Green Book Magazine. ing to the law made and provided mask, and the face wears a look of

### JUST THINK OF IT



Lazy-It says in dis paper, dat earth, pardner.

Hazy-Great hobos! Think of ting chased by de old Dog star.

### FIRST AERIAL COACH.

The first aerial coach has been tried and found successful in weight of four tourists. The aerial to the comfort of future travelers, tion of Queen Alexandra. who will have a vast view of the country over which they travel, and will searcely feel the motion; but the only drawback as yet is the safety of the machine. Until some improved safety device has been found tourists will prefer a motor car or a railway carriage .- Washington Gazette. .

### CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

mornings ago, when her mother had been to a drinking party.

"He came home," sobbed the "The Elixir of Life." Masonic .- Sterling lodge No. 728, A young wife, wearing a phonograph

### ALWAYS BROKE.

Madge-They say he's generous to a fault.

Marjorie-But I'm afraid, dear. he has too many faults .- Lippin-

### ATTAINMENT.

Stella-Was their marriage a hapev one?

Bella-Very! Their divorce was papers .- Judge.

### HUMAN NATURE.

Parlin Persons Ca 42 Willow Street

Crawford-Do you approve of selling vegetables by weight? Crabshaw-Yes, if you'd get more that way .- Judge.

Model Marlin locity smoke-REPEATING RIFLE less cartridges, also black and low The only gun that fills the demand for a trompressure smokeless. Powerful enough for deer, safe to use in settled districts, exbone ("pump") accellent for target work, for foxes, .32 - 20

Strategy Used by Theatrical Producers to Obtain Finished Manuscript

The stories told of George M. Cogether, side by side, it is said to be was to open, the last act was still prictors of the theater, were natural-By several connosseurs in art this ly much worried and determined table upon which were ink and pa-The Japanese artist posed be per, along with a bottle of wine and tween two mirrors while modeling a plate of sandwiches. The instant this figure, and for some time after Sheridan entered, King stepped out, beside it, to the confusion of spec- deaf to the prisoner's outcry, march-

figure stands with a little mask in unlocked the door and found a very carving in the other; the lifelike needed last act of "The Critic."-

### OLD GLORY IN FAR INDIA

An American Tourist Finds a Unique Souvenir While Traveling in the East.

Among the souvenirs of a trip around the world brought back by a woman whose tour came to an end in Chicago a few days ago is an American flag which the tourist purchased in India. "I saw it," she said, "in a vender's stock and brought it to show that our flag is not the same everywhere."

The souvenir is silk and hand made. It has eight red and seven white stripes and on the blue field are thirteen stars and the American shield. "The strangest point about the thing is this," the woman added when she showed the flag, "the man Mars is 38,000,000 miles from de from whom I bought the flag insisted that it was correct in composition and that the little one which I cartramping dat distance an' den get- ried in an envelope in my handbag was the flag as it used to be before the Civil War."

### ROYAL COCKTAILS.

Nobody credits the Englishman. Etampes, France. It is an ordinary not even the Englishman bimself, aeroplane, to which a limousine with being anything like an adept body, capable of holding four pas- in the art of "mixing drinks," and sengers comfortably, has been fitted, there are few so-called American when he was really useful, but now. The aerial coach made a flight of bars in London where an American in such places as he still pursues his about an hour across country, but it will risk asking for a seco.el cockcarried no passengers. The place of tail. London hostesses, however, In one fashionable west country passengers was taken by four bags have a perfect craze for inventing health resort the bellman goes of sand, weighing in all about forty new "cups" for hot weather drinkstones, supposed to be the average ing. But those who know say that the best of all is dispensed at Marlcoach leaves nothing to be desired as borough house and is the sole inven- for lost property-delivers a dis-

It is a delicious concoction made of the juice of crushed peaches and oranges used in equal parts; a few to the taste, and a faint suspicion of ginger. The mixture is mellored with marachino before being placed

King Edward once devised a new A young wife was in tears a few celebrated concection, . "the non- ly than it was, and it is not an undra, which they have decided to cell thing.

### THOUGHTFUL ROBERT.

Robert was about to have another birthday. In the past, the fun making had always been so hard and prolonged that it left him fatigued

So this year, before he went to bed the night before, when he had said his prayers he began over again. His mother, surprised, asked him: "Why are you saying your pray-

ers twice, Robert?" "Oh," replied Robert, "tomorrow featured on the front page of all the night I'll be too tired to say 'em at all."-Everybody's Magazine.

### IN MISSOURI.

A Belleville merchant has this sign on his store door: "Come in without knocking. Go out the same way."

DOESN'T COUNT.

He-Edith going to be married? I thought she was a manhater, She-She still is. She's going to marry an English lord .- Judge.

### THE DELAY.

"Is your wife nearly ready? We ought to be going."

"She won't be a moment. She's just putting herself into her diamonds."-Fliegende Blactter.

### APPROPRIATE.

"Nobody seems to know exactly what the plural of 'moose' is." "How singular!"

### UNCOOKED FOOD LATEST FAD

Advocates of Idea Say Nature Should Be Allowed to Do What Cooking le Necessary.

Going back to first principles, the latest food fad is uncooked or sun cooked food. The advocates of this idea sav that "before the use of fire primitive man took his sustenance as birds and wild animals still do. and there is evidence that he had better teeth, a harder body and was exempt from many of the ailments from which people suffer today." Therefore they urge 'that nature should be allowed to do whatever cooking is necessary.

"In all nature," say these people, "every animal but man finds food ready prepared. Then why should human beings boil and roast and fry and in the end be worse off than those that eat raw food? In fact we have eaten some kinds of uncooked food for years, and so the step to a complete diet is not great.

its completion, he posed frequently locked the door behind him, and, fresh fruits are all uncooked. They are not predigested so that the stomach is not deprived of its rightful tasks. The real fact is that uncooked food calls for strong organs, and while it calls for strong organs it produces them. No lion or tiger or cow has cooked food : no fish requires it; no bird or flowedgets a boiled dinner. Why should we?"

### A CALL DOWN



The Tenant-Say, last night the rain came through the roof and gave me a regular shower bath. You ought to do something.

The Landlord-What do you expect me to do? Give you soap and towels?"

### AN ENGLISH BELLMAN.

Some occupations attain importance simply by surviving. The bellaround in a smart uniform, mounted on a pony, and when he has cried his news-generally offers of reward course to his hearers concerning himself as the only mounted bellman in England, and then produces picture postcards with his photograph. slices of cucumber are added, sugar which seem to have a ready sale.-London Chronicle.

### MORE WOMEN SMOKING

Smoking is becoming far more "cup," but he never parted with the common among women in society, secret, while King Alphonso has a The habit is indulged in more openpareil," to which his visitors are common sight to see a woman movery partial. Connoisseurs aver, torist who is making ealls puffing however, that no kind of "brew" away on a eigarette between visits or comes up to that of Queen Alexan- a woman golfer doing the same

At many of the west end restaurants women no longer take the trouble to conceal their liking for the cigarette, Many women, moreover, have got beyond the cigarette stage, and smoke cigars mild Havanas.

### HIS BUSINESS.

Professor-What do youdo for living, anyway? Freshie-I'm a diamond peddler.

Professor-What! You don's peddle diamonds, do vou? Freshie-Why, no! I peddle peanuts and popcorn in the baseball

### A DARK SECRET.

Willie-Say, pop, who elects the aldermen? Wise Father-Hush, my son ! You're too young to know .- Judge.

### GILT-EDGE.

"Is his credit good?" "Good? I should say it is. Why his greeer trusted him for a pound of butter vesterday."

### USING HIS PRIVILEGE.

"So Banks is trying to break his late wife's will."

"Yes; poor fellow, I guess it's the first time he ever had the chance to do it."

### GOOD ADVICE.

"I'm just itching to vote the party

"Then don't scratch it."

Nothing more dis-couraging than a con-tant backache. Lame when you wake. Pains pierce

you when you bend or lift. It's hard to work, or to rest. You sleep poorly and next day is the ame old story. That backache indicates bad kidneys and calls for some

good kidney remedy.

None so well recended as Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's A California Case

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### Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

and Distress After Eating. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.

Two brothers named Chalmers, one a minister and the other a physician, fived together in a western town. One asked for Mr. Chalmers. The physi- ing in The Million. "The way, howcian, who answered the door, replied: "I am he."

"You've changed considerably since and promptly fined. I last heard you preach," said the man, who appeared greatly aston- the fine imposed upon his client very

"Oh, it's my brother you want to see: he preaches and I practice."

To Renovate Historic Castle. built in the thirteenth century on an the prisoner was less discreet. island in the loch of the same name Roy, has now been taken in hand by show you!" "-Young's Magazine. the Scottish Historical Antiquarian as-

sociation, and is being renovated so as

# SKIN

to insure its permanency.

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Significant. "He proposed to her in a canoe." "Did she accept him?" "I presume so. The canoe cap-

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showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless
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people and children, 50 cents. Adv.

Very Much So. "James tells me he has a very light

work with that hairdresser." "So it is. He bleaches blonde

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Exactly That. "Why does he wear such a swimming suit as that?" "For divers reasons."

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If well thou hast begun, go on. It is the end that crowns us, not the fight .- Herrick.

COLD BLOODED AND
DEATH DEALING
Chills. Rev. James Reed. Gainesyllie, Tex., wrote:
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muly and can recommend it to everyone affected
with Chills and Fever. It cured when various
abort remedies failed. Price 59., Sold and gnarmissed by all deniers. A. B. Richards Medicine Co.,
Berman, Texas. Adv.

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What our neighbors haven't may be heard all over Sweden." make us appreciate what we have.

WOMEN AS NATURAL ENEMIES

Writer Advances Some Good Reasons Why This Unfortunate Condition Must Exist.

"The average woman now begins that study of society which will merge ultimately with the marriage campaign. She makes many discoveries which she admits frankly to herself. She comes to many conclusions," says Inez Haynes Gillmore in Harper's Bazar, "which sink unnoticed into her subconscious mind if marriage, for instance, is her natural career, then men are her natural prey.

"But unfortunately there are never enough men in her world to go round; and of those from whom she may hope to choose some are much more desirable than others. Naturally she pre fers the desirable ones-i. e., the 'eligibles.' But-and here she runs against her first obstacle-every other single woman in her circle has come to the same conclusion. From the instant she realizes this she must declare war on every other member of her sex. "Men must often wonder at that mi-

aute and merciless examination to which, on a first meeting, every woman submits every other woman. Men must often marvel at the power of quick observation which women always develop in these circumstances. This is only the swift surveys the arms of his opponent. Women are forever discovering new and complex weapons in the possession of rivals. And, perhaps, the most terrifying element in the situation is psychological-her sense of bafflment, in that she cannot judge of women for men any more than they can judge of men for her. Every other woman becomes her enemy. To succeed in her world she must play a lone hand and a cut-throat game."

If your appetite is not what it should be perhaps Malaria is developing. It affects the whole system. OXIDINE will clear away the germs, rid you of Malaria and generally improve your condition. Adv.

"'Where there's a will there's a day a man called at the house and way," avers Taylor Holmes, appearever, 'varies, as in the case of a cer tain pickpocket, who was convicted "The lawyer of the pickpocket took

much to heart. "'Twenty-five dollars!' he expostu-

lated. 'Your honor, where is this poor, unfortunate man to get \$25?" "His honor did not know, or

Loch Dochart castle, which was did he refrained from saying so, but "'Just let me out of here for ten or and is associated with the famous Rob fifteen minutes, he said, 'and I'll

Vegetable Fiber for Shoes.

THE RIGHT SOAP FOR BABY'S to make vamps and tops of vegetable fiber which he has invented and perof shoes. A few cases of shoes have easy, thorough, natural movement In the care of baby's skin and hair, been made of this material, which appears next morning. This compound is pears to be a good substitute for known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin vorite. Not only is it unrivaled in leather. The fiber is said to be par- and is sold by druggists everywhere purity and refreshing fragrance, but ticularly adaptable for warm weather for 50c a bottle. A larger bottle, put top. The inventor also claims that a shoe made of this material is water-

Sailing Ships In Demand.

In consequence of the better outlook for sailing ships, values have gone up considerably during the last year or two. For instance, a four-masted sailing ship of 2,750 tons register, which was sold in January last year for \$32,-500, is at present in the market for sale, and the owners have refused a definite offer of \$45,000; they are asking \$50,000.

One Problem Settled.

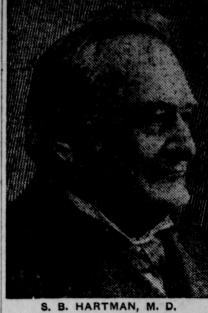
Mrs. Stronghead had just thrown a year-old, asked: paving stone through a drug store window, merely to prove that she was entitled to a vote (says Judge), and had been marched off to jail. "Thank heaven," said Stronghead. "That settles the where-shall-we-spend-the-summer problem, anyhow."

Enough to Kill It.

"Oh, papa!" exclaimed the young girl, "that pretty plant I had setting on the piano is dead." "Well, I don't wonder," was all th father said.

Complimentary. "What would you call it in a man to steal all my ideas?" "Petty larceny."

Constipation and Catarrh



keep your bowels regular. In this you have failed and were obliged to go back to your laxatives again. This, I say, has been going on many years.

Cathardes and laxatives any more. Cathardes and laxatives you can ignore. You will be permanently relieved of both your catarrh and the constipation.

Pe-ru-na, Man-a-lin and La-cu-pia

interrogation with which a warrior that the catarrh had anything to do believe me or not it is the truth.

> New Stage in Inebriety. Mr. Borden has been telling an anwho used to foregather in a

shape of a bottle of whisky. One of them was asked one day by a "third party" whether the other, Jack Anderson, did not get a little

"Drunk?" was the reply. "Man, the last time I was wi' him Jock was that drunk I couldna see him."-Lon-

## THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH

In observing the physical character istics of her children, the careful mother soon learns that health is dependent on the regularity of the bowels When the bowels become clogged with the stomach's refuse, loss of appetite restlessness, irritability, and similar evidences of disorder are soon apparent. Keep the bowels regular and a healthy, happy child is assured.

At the first sign of constipation the A Haverhill (Mass.) shoeman has system. A simple compound of laxaobtained patents giving him the right tive herbs with pepsin is highly recommended as being very mild, yet positive, in its action, a teaspoonful at fected to be used in the manufacture bedtime usually serving to bring an

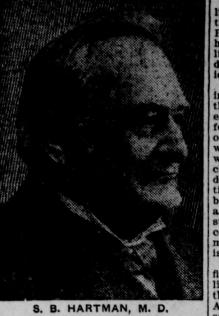
> Getting Along Fine at School. Now that school has been "going" several weeks parents are beginning to inquire of their young hopefuls as to their progress. The other day a mother out on Harrison boulevard, while eating luncheon with her six

"And how are you getting along in school Dorothy?"

mouthfuls of bread and milk, "just fine! I and Frances Smith are the smartest and best dressed girls in the school."-Kansas City Star.

as much as possible, we should live so that we shall be benedictions to those nearest us.-Rev. J. R. Miller.

A great majority of summer ills are due to Malaria in suppressed form. Lassitude and headaches are but two symptoms. OXIDINE eradicates the Malaria germ and tones up the entire system. Adv.



with the constipation. Suppose I were to tell you that as long as you have that catarrh you will never get better of your constipation. Would you be-lieve me? Well, whether you would

concerning two "brither "dry" district, each bringing with him a portable spring of comfort in the

drunk sometimes.

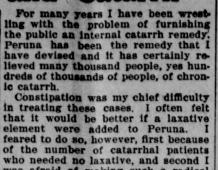
don Mail.

mother should administer a mild laxative to carry off the congested waste from the stomach that is fermenting and forcing poisonous gases into the

The use of salts and violent purgatives and cathartics should be avoided. They are too harsh and drastic. tending to upset the entire system. Write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 203 West St., Monticello, Ill., for a trial bottle of his Syrup Pepsin, if you have never used it. He will be glad to send it without any expense to you. Adv.

"Oh," replied Dorothy between

At the age of forty a man begins to



of the number of catarrhal patients who needed no laxative, and second I was afraid of making such a radical change in a remedy that was already doing so well. Thus it was that I continued to prescribe with the Peruna a bottle of Manalin to those who needed a laxative. At last, under circum-stances explained in my booklet, I was constrained to add the laxative element to Peruna. This constitutes what

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first, find themselves promptly relieved of their constipation. the catarrh will gradually disappear. And once the catarrh is cured the con-You are constipated. You have tak-en laxatives a great many years. You have tried to select a diet that would have tried to select a diet that would any more. Cathartics and laxatives

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# W.L.DOUGLAS SHOES



Mrs. Percy V. Pennypacker, the new resident of the General Federation of oman's Clubs, said in San Francisco

"My type of new woman has a high sense of honor, a manly sense of honor. She isn't like a certain old-fashioned type of woman who does dishonorable things without the least notion of their being so. "A woman of this type was play-

ing bridge. Her partner passed the make to her, and she made it didmonds; but her hand, on being put down, was found to contain only two diamonds, both very low cards. "'What on earth induced you to go diamonds on such a hand as that?

her partner asked. 'It's your fault,' she answered petulantly. 'Why did you twiddle your diamond ring?'"

Lady-I ventured to call on you for your opinion, professor. Do you think it would do my son good to study the piano? Famous Pianist-Does he show any

taste for it? Lady-Not the least. But his hair has been falling out so much lately and everything else we have tried has done no good at all!-Punch.

How Soon They Forget. "Your line offers few luxuries." "We subordinate everything to safe ty," said the agent. "Just consider our safety appliances." "But this ship has no shuffleboard."

"True." "No squash court." "No. Would you rather risk your "Well, I guess I'll take a chance."

What It Was. "I think times must be getting bet-

"I haven't noticed any improvement." "Neither have I, but it appears to me that the book agents have been more numerous recently than usual That's a sign."

"No, you're wrong. That's no sign; 't's a nuisance."

WHERE.



Jinks-I see a judge says that woman may bring an action for slan- brella and overshoes, and now he der if, being 35 or over, she is called feels slighted because I wouldn't bring

an old maid. Blinks-Yes, but where is the old maid who will admit that she's 35 or

Knew the Symptoms. His wifey cooed a loving note,
In most bewitching way;
He drew his check-book from his coat
And said, "How much today?"

"They tell me that your small boys ays some unusually clever things." 'Yes, yes. Did you hear his latest?"

"True. But I've met a lot of doting

fathers who invariably tell the same old silly tales." "Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "did you say those blue

"Why, you never met him."

"Well, here is a whole boxful that I got for ninety-eight cents with some other colors thrown in." A Valuable Volunteer:

chips were worth a dollar apiece?"

"I think I shall join this fly swatting crusade," said Algy Wombat to his valet. "Very good, sir." "So the next time you see a fly, I wish you would call my attention to it and I shall swat it."

Not Exactly.
"What do you think of the American occupation?" inquired the man who was interested in the Philippines. "Do you mean auction bridge?" in quired the man who was interested in

less weighty things. At the Market. "What did he want for that stuff?" "Thirty shillings." "What did you bid him?" "Good morning."—Manchester Guar

When Women Campaign. "Why is she going around in that 39 cent hat?"

"After votes, of course. She has a \$50 confection that she wears on the Professional Secret.

plasters, doctor?

M. D.—Rather! I always order them for the patients who call me out in the middle of the night when there's nothing the matter with 'em.

Landlady-You believe in mustard

Down the Red Lane.
"Isn't it dreadful the way meat is

going up?"
"Yes, and it is going up so rapidly use the dealers of JOB MOLO SMS-

"Five hundred and ten." "All going into professional base-

"Not at all," retorted the dean peevishly. "That sort of talk is becom ing offensive. We have two men who expect to be doctors and one man who is going into his father's Hardware store."

To Make Them Smart. Landlady-You believe in mustard

plasters, doctor?' M. D. "Rather! I always order them for patients who call me out in the middle of the night when there's nothing the matter with 'em .- The

WELL WRAPPED.



Dickson-I understand that you fill ed your incubator full of cold-storage eggs. Hatch anything?

Wickson-I should say so! All the chickens came out with fur instead of feathers and wore ear muffs.

However fair this world may be, For him it will be fairer yet, Who strives the brighter side to see And seldom does what he'll regret. Anything May Happen. "What are you sniffing at?"

Four-Line Philosophy.

vas born with a full set of teeth." "Well?" "How do such impossible reports get abroad?"

"I see here a report that a child

"Do not be too incredulous. Strange things happen. Seems to me that I have heard a report that a Boston child was once born with eyeg!asses."

Voluble. "I suppose your wife had something

"Not a thing." "Gee, you're a lucky man. My wife talked for an hour." "So did mine. She docsn't need to have anything to say in order

last night?'

"Mr. Bristles says you are not a polite and considerate man." "I know it," replied the patient person. "During a rainstorm he telephoned to ask me to lend him my un-

them over to his house." A Smoker's Philosophy. "Doesn't it make you warmer to Lippincott's Magazine... "Oh, I don't know. Maybe it does

but smoking soothes me so that I don't notice it."



George-Yes, I got most of my education by traveling. Evelyn-Did you? Have you ever been out of this country?

When all life's days are shadow days And all life's walks are dim, Imagine every venture pays
And you're still in the swim! Overpowering. "Is you gwine ter let dat mewel do

as he please?" asked Uncle Ephriam's

How's Your Imagination?

"Wha's you' will power?" "My will power's all right," he answered. "You jest want ter come out hyar an' measure dis here mewel's won't power."-Christian Register. The Dear Girl.

"Wife, why don't you make some The bride was green at cooking, but she was game. "I will, if you wish it," she said. 'Shall I use red or white flannel?"

Sound Advice. "Why do you stick up these unsight v billboards? "I want people to know that I sell reliable goods."
"Tell 'em in the newspapers. You

can get more business and you won't mess the scenery all up." Often Happens.
"Our cat appears to be quite fond of you," said the rich lady condescendngly to the quiet lady next door. "Yes, I fed it all through July, while

Griggs — How about that pland you bought down on the analything come up on it?

Briggs—Yes, the tides. BE

Don't let a lazy liver put you "in a rut." Make it active, keep the bowels open, the appetite keen and the diges. tion normal by the

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