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ICHIBAU.

Her brown little eyes are as bright as the dew Which decks the chrysanthemum's besast-So bright that whenever she passes in view I foel like a being possessed: Especially when she goes trotting about, With her rosy toes in and her ruddy heels out. They Show Refined Taste, but Lack Forces and Virlity. More interesting, perhaps, themany anything else in relation to feminino progress in the future is speculation Her nose is the smallest I over have seen, Like rose leaves on gold are her cheeks. Though pretty and playful, she's modest in

And only in whispers she speaks. Fet no ono is like her in ell the mad rout, With her rosy tocs in and her ruddy heels out.

Her feet are quite slender and tender and thin, And flat as her sandals of wood. In standing and stepping she turns them both an's work so far is poetical, pictur-

Her sands is make music whenever they come, For, besides their tattoe on the street, They seem to beat time on my heart like a our first musicians—we are dealing

Barred by Mis Nose.

tion in the Fifty-second congress played by the masters there are few. was Representativo McEttrick, an In this oven the very lady comhonest man, an able man, but a man posers themselves will agree. nose, a flaring, conspicuous nose, a virility is in a measure compensated real danger signal of a proboseis. by refinement of taste, in their most Speaker Crisp, in making up the ambitious efforts they suffer from committees, assigned McEttrick to lack of sustained power and from the committee on alcoholic liquor constructive weakness. They are as traffic. There was no design in it. yet incapable of close analysis of It just happened so. It was a good form, the diagnosis of subtletics of place, whether a man had a red, "klangfarbe," or tone color, and re showy nose or a pale, unostenta- sent the humiliating bondago and tious one. McEttrick at the first fa- servility demanded by omnipotent vorable opportunity hunted up the science before the smiles of his conspeaker.

fic.''

him.

at my nose.

nose?" asked MoEttrick. "What's which ends in husk! the matter with that nose? Did you Now in the higher educational ever see a nose like it? If I served schemes is to be seen the key of mu-

Washington Post.

A Thrashing Schoolmaster, One ludierous story shows Rich- advancement a disposition toward ard Busby extending the use of the "capelmoister musik," toward ri-

## WOMEN AS MUSICIANS

anything else in relation to feminino progress in the future is speculation regarding the effect of higher educano use in cheating ourselves, in refusing to own that as yet in the composition of music the feminine gender is distressingly apparent. Womin, As well nurtured maidenhood should. When she sees me, she blushes, pretending to is sweet to the car and mellifluous to With her rosy toes in and her ruddy heels out the understanding, but-here we come to the crux of the argument-Till my spirit re-sa as has for the fair for the dign about, Those dear little for an an a standy hels out With her rosy tees in amount and y hels out -Marghey Arhua Hamm. some suggestions of antiphonal effect, but of really artistic reserva-Among the Massachusetts delega- tions of technical force such as dis-

sort, art, can be worn. "Mr. Speaker," said he, "I want Musical women are, as a rule, roto request you to take me off the mantic, refined, enchanting, full of committee on alcoholic liquor traf- | "coquettish quality" of inspiration, yet powerless to develop the initial

"Why, Mr. McEttrick?" asked the conception of the brain to a stout speaker, concentrating his gaze state of robustness, whereby it may earnestly upon the nose in front of resist the wear and tear of the very emotions which drain it.

"Look at my nose," said McEt- In some cases a process of develop-trick in a burst of candor. "Just look ment has been foreibly attempted, but up to the prosent date such ef-"Well, I see it," said the speaker. forts have merely resulted in the "What's the matter with that nose?" elimination of the romantic for the "What's the matter with that furtherance of a parched erudition

on the committee on alcoholic liquor sical progress in the feminine future. traffic, every street hrab in Boston A mathematical discipline is all that would guy the life out of me; it is needed for the training of the muwould ruin me with my constitu- sical mind to concentrate itself on ents, and the reputation of that com- the perspective of the sound landmittee wouldn't be worth 3 cents on scape before attempting the luxuries the dollar. No, Mr. Speaker, a man of colorful and poetic detail. The hese to be streaming to include a set olumn canable of mittee on alcoholic liquor traffic."- holding the muscle and sinew or fine form which the delicate fancy of women shall decorate at will. There

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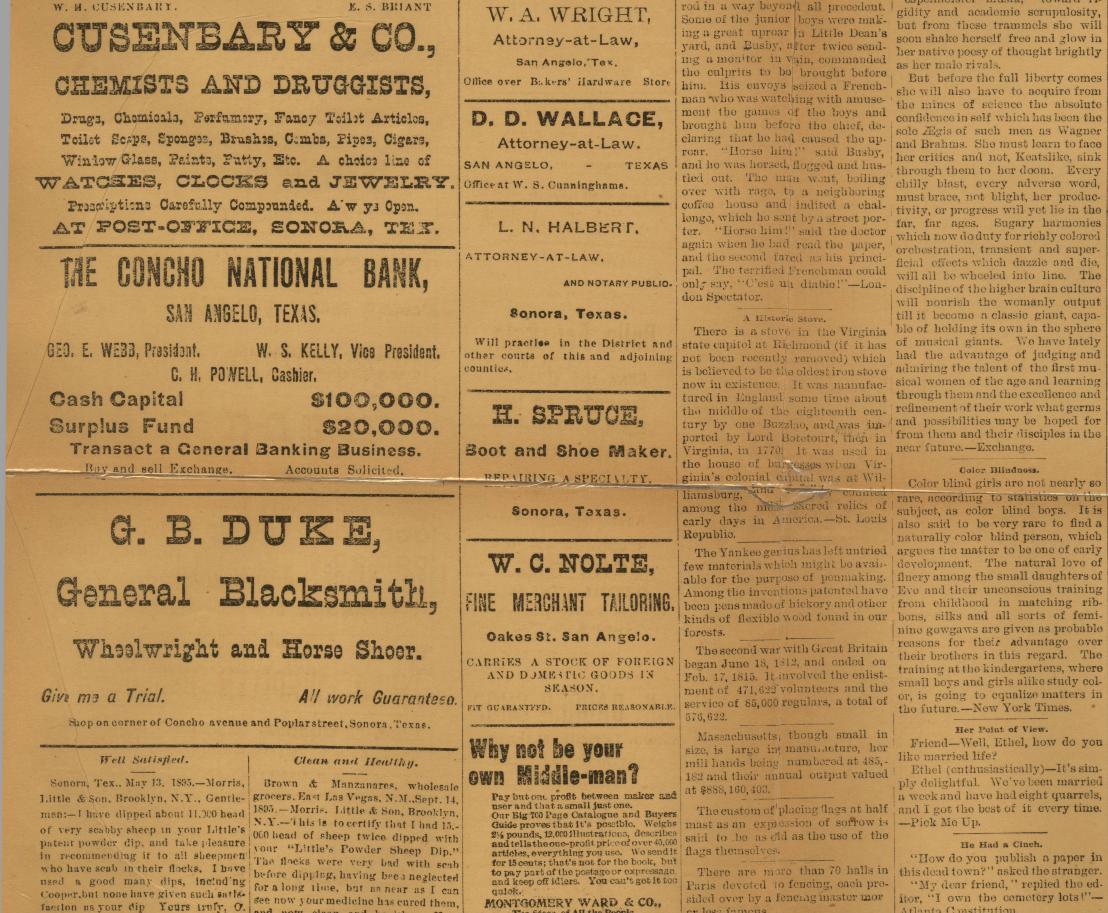
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truly, F. 1. Manzanares.

Color blind girls aro not nearly so carly days in America.-St. Louis also said to be very rare to find a

sided over by a fencing master mor itor, "I own the cemetery lots!"or less famous.

gidity and academic scrupulosity, TW. S. KELLY, MANAGER, SAN ANCELO, TEXAS. but from these trammels she will soon shake herself free and glow in her native poesy of thought brightly as her male rivals. But before the full liberty comes

through them to her doom. Every tivity, or progress will yet lie in the ficial offects which dazzle and die, will all be wheeled into line. The will nourish the womanly output till it become a classic giant, capa-

Color Blindness.

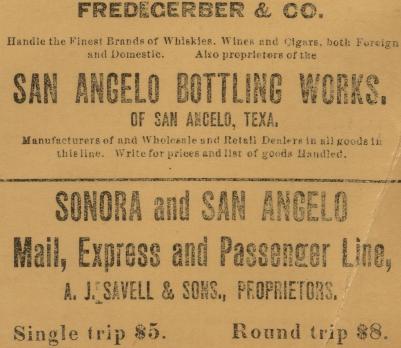
rare, according to statistics on the subject, as color blind boys. It is naturally color blind person, which nine gewgaws are given as probable reasons for their advantage over their brothers in this regard. The training at the kindergartens, where small boys and girls alike study col-

#### Her Point of View.

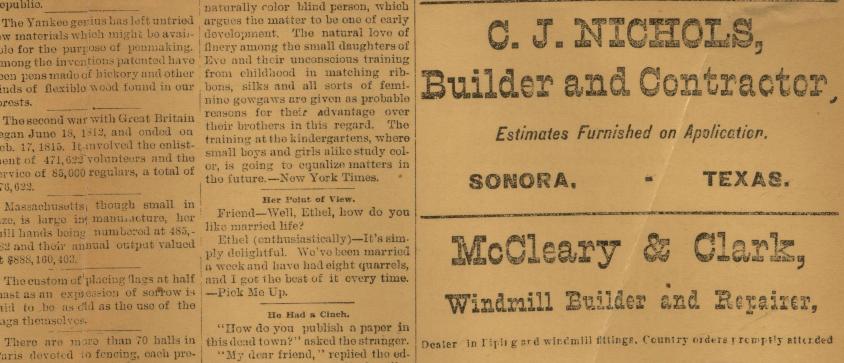
Friend-Well, Ethel, how do you liko married life? Ethel (enthusiastically)-It's simply delightful. We've been married a week and have had eight quarrels,

He Had a Cinch.

"How do you publish a paper in "My dear friend," replied the ed-Atlanta Constitution.



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## ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY Clerk, of Sutton County, Texas, Showing condition of County Finances at close of year ending Feb. 8, 1896.

The following amounts have been received and paid out of each fund, leaving balances on hand or overpaid at close of year, viz:

JURY FUND-First Cla	56.	
	Dr.	Cr.
To amount received	\$1,287.37	
By amount paid out,		\$1,175.91
To balance,	111.40	
ROAD and BRIDCE FUND-Sec.	ond Class.	
	Dr.	Cr.
To amount received,	\$101.34	
By amount paid out,		\$21.31
To balance,	70.03	
CENERAL FUND-Third C	lass.	
	Dr.	Cr.
To amount received, 🥢 🦽	\$4,638.43	
By amount paid out,		\$4,023 02
To balance,	615 41	
<b>COURT HOUSE</b> and JAIL FUND-	Fourth Cla	158.
	Dr.	Cr.
To amount received,	\$6,865 84	and the
By amount paid out,		\$5,599/24
To balance,	1,266 60	and the
DISTRICT SCHOOL FUND-FI	fth Class.	1 A.
	Dr.	Cr.
To amount received,	\$776.76	
By amount paid out, expenditures made		
only in annual report.		
The following balances appear to the debit of	or credit of t	he several
officers of Sutton county at close of the ye	ar ending Fe	b. 8, 1896.
Tax Collector,	Dr.	Cr.
do County ad valorum Fund	\$2,762 80	
do Court House and Jail Fund	4,420 31	
do County Poll Tax Fund	57 50	
do District School Fund	507.03	
J. P. McConnell, occupation tax,	563.25	1-2
do Sheriff, fines and judgme		
W. A. Stewart, J.P., prec. No. 1, fines & judgm		0 50
County Treasurer, Court House and Jail Fund,		
do Jury Fund,	111 40	
do General Fund,	443 11	
do Road and Bridge Fund,	70.03	
Outstanding indebtedness of the Jury Fund of	Sutton coun	ty at close
of the year ending Feb. 8th, 1896.		

of the year ending Feb. 8th, 1896.						
DATE OF W.RRANT Month   Day   Year			TO WHOM ISSUED	FOR WHAT DUE	\MOU	
April	19	1895	DR Holland	Jury service	\$ 6	
do	19	do	John Robbins	do	7	
do	19	do	A W Pride	ch	2	
do	19	do	J M Thomason	do	2 2	
July	22	ob	Thos Bond	do	10	
do	22	do	O'T Word	do	6	
do	22	do	D J Dunagan	do -	72	
do	22	do	H Knausenberger	do	12	
(10	22	do	C C Lemen	ob	12	
do	22	do	Jas Caruthers	do	2	
do	22	do	F M Wyatt	do	4	
do	22	do	W F Goodner	do	4	
do	22	do	J D Russell	də	2	
do	22	do	J M Hallcomb	do	4	
do	22	do	J W Putnam	do	2	
KIO I	22	, do	J D Boyd	a do	g. 2	
Aprir	10	-00-	a J Swearingen	1	.9. 2	
Sept	17	do	R T Baker	do		
do	19		J M Brotherton	do	4	
60	19		Gus A Batte	Brillff	4	
do	19	do	A W Pride	do	7	
do	19		G P Hill	Jury service	6	
410	17		Ed Jones	do	4	
do	17	a free free free free free	J W Hagerlund	do	4 (	
do	17	do	W J Fields	do	4 (	

## DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS, FUBLISHED WEEKLY,

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Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora, assecond-class matter. MIKE MURPHY, Propriotor.

March 14, 1896 ONORA, TEXIO To the people of Sonora: Have you improved the water We take this means of thanking storage on your ranch? the people of Sonora who so kind-Geo. S. Allison bought from Joe ly assisted us in our recent loss Van Horn, Texas, March 11.-Parker 250 head of muttons at \$2. by fine Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Huffman. The supporters of McKinley for president claim everything but the first ballot. ED. DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS. The wool markets continue dull Sir:-If you would insert the in the United States. The London market was active at extreme prices.

mand was fairly active with prices the directions of Dr. H. G. Jones, sewed, warranted to fit and not to rip. at \$2.75 to \$3.80 per hundred. Harcourt, the liberal leader,

as if blood would be spilt.

come necessary.

against the United States may be-

Miss Martin's Concert.

The concert given at the Court

House last Saturday night by Miss

Zora Martin was well attended

vancement made by her pupils.

his comic songs, the Butter-fly

dance by Missess Montie Rountree

The concert was opened and

says England is in a hurricane of ever appealing for aid (for these foreign complications, the gravest men were poor,) that I did not receive substantial relief from being Venezuelan question.

stores, saloons, and other citizens, The political situation in Ken- and as Mr. Conningham the Bap- best cow ranches in Sutton county. tucky is in a worse muddle than tist preacher, and Mr. Cocke the Shallow well and plenty of water, ever. At a joint session of the Methodist preacher, after receiv, which he will sell cheap or trade. legislature, they had armed men ing help in the shape of food and

quested.

at the door and at times it looked clothing, exclaimed; "God bless the people of Sonora" so say I. The writer is the recipient of con-

England and Spain are fostering tributions which call for an exthe idea that the United States pression of gratitude, and I emwants war with some body and brace this opportunity of thanking the press of Europe hints at the people of Sonora for their un American arrogance and says that

solicited aid in behalf of myself a general European combination and family, and I trust when "Sid becomes himself again" to

Atiention Cattlemen.

A card of Thanks.

Sonora, Feb. 5th, 1896.

be able to prove by my actions that I appreciated their genero- engine and 8 horse power boiler, sity.

Sidney W. Stephenson.

A Sure Cure.

The house being crowded. Miss Sonora, Sutton county, Texas, July Martin has been conducting a 19, 1895 .- Morris, Little & Son, Brooklyn class in music in Sonora for the N.Y :- This is to certify that I have The A. A. DeBerry 7 room resisuccessfully used the Little's Powder dence in Sonora which cost in the past seven months and those who

Dip. and recommend the same to all attended the concert had every wool growers as a sure cure for seab. opportunity of judging of the ad- Yours truly, N. T. Guest.

## For Killing Worms.

closed by the class of twenty sing-Albert, Tex., July 12, 1895 .- Morris. apply at this office. ing a song of welcome and a good night song both of which were Little & Son, Brooklyn, N.Y .- Dear well rendered and appreciated as sirs:-Now in regard to the sheep dip in fact were all presuption to prove

the programme. The recitations sider if the pest and cheapest I ever by Misses Mona Rountree and used, and cannot say too much in praise have this day dissolved co-part-Annie Adams, Mark Bough with of it. Yours truly, C. A. Luckenbach. nership by mutual consent, S. D

Terfectly Cured. and Pearl Mills, the character Las Vegas, N.M., Sept. 17, 1895 .-

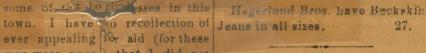
W. H cusenbary & Co., are agents a Little's Sheep Dip.

We are requested by Sol Mayer Even if you do not attend dances meet in Sonora at 2 p m., at the or don't believe in them it is not court house on Friday March 20th asking too much of you to buy a ticket for the Fireman's ball when for the purpose of starting and the object the money is to be used taking action on the outora range for is considered. wagon a full attendance is re-

Local politics do not promise to be verv exciting in Sutton county this year. It is expected that all the old officers who want to, will Mercantile business. hold over as there does not seem to be any prospective candidates in opposition to them.

S. W. Pipkin, ranging thirty miles south of here on the Rio stolen by his Mexican herders terday. Pursuit is impossible.

a the United States. The London barket was active at extreme rices. With 11,000 sheep on the Chica-With 11,000 sheep on the Chicago market on March 11th, the de- Sonora, and have nursed, under passed the examination and are brand-ed 10.1 per cent, proof. Stitches double



### For Sale.

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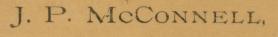
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do	17	do 1	Peter Rouche	do	4 00	song "I dont want to play in your	Morris, Little & Son, Brooklyn, N.Y.	an accounts due the ord arm and	Sadd - Hon skinded de Dodd y de 20sg
do		do 4	O Clark	do	4 00	Landy by Miggon Buola Bunton	Gentlemen: - I have used the Little's	s receipt for same.	
Oct	22		W Moller hauer S L. Merck	do	2 00	and Nannie Word were the pro-	Druch Dib on upore myoor ondep and	~~ ~	WEITER ON WINE OFF BUILT FRITERIN
do do	22		A J Owens	do	2 00	minent features of the evening	can certify that it has perfectly cured them. A great number of these sheep	S. G. TAYOEL.	KEEPS ON HAND OLD PHILADELPHIA CLUB WHISKEY
Sept	17		Mat Karnes	do	4 00	arounting of course "The Song	them. A great number of these sheep	Feb. 29th. 1896.	
do do	17		C G Lovelace B Marshall	do do	4 00	excepting of course The cong	were very badly affected by the disease		AND THE FINEST WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
do	17		Ase Robertson	do	4 00	that Reached My Heart by Mr.	and your dip has certainly done won-	Notice to Share O	, a cara provins.
do	17		D O Simonds	do do	4 00	W. H. Moon which was rendered	ders on these. I will recommend the	Notice to Sheep Owners.	EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS. GIVE US & CALL
do do	17		A J Swearingen E F Vander Stucken	do	4 00	with excellent effect and called	dip to all sheepmen. Yours truly, Chas. tifeld. 84-12.	I will have a good company of	EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS. GIVE US A CALL.
do	17		T T Thomason	do	4 00	for an encore. Mr. Moon was in	1 and the second se	25 or 28 picked shearers for the	
do	17		IN Brooks	do do	6 00	splendid voice and sang as an			
do do	17		R E Glasscock Wm Guest	do	6 00	encore the first verse of "She was	All ure Pleased.	spring shearing, and will shear	
do	17	do	A Hedden	do		the Idol of My Heart," Miss	June Tex Vol Verde county, June	ordinary sheep at 3 1-2 cents a head, and close wooled wrinkled	THE DECKER HOTEL,
do do	17		J W Reiley F L Barton	do do	4 00	Miller accompanied Mr Mooi, on	29, 1895Morris. Little & Son, Brook-	head, and close wooled wrinkled	
('o	17		Pat James	cb	4 00	the pieno. The following was the	Ivn. N.VDear sirs:-Your favor at	a actives at a cente, isverything	MRS. LAURA DECKER, Proprietress
do	1 17		G W Dunagan	do	2 00	the plane. The following was the	inable. In reply will buy that your	1 Jour banton	torredit and other as an orestring a ropricticas
do OD	17		C H Caruthers A V Lamar	do do	4 00	programme;	chemical dipping powder is all you	age and guarantee satisfaction.	Offers the Resident and Traveling Public
do	17	do l'	T D Newell	do	4 00		claim it to be. I dipped my sheep one		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
db .	19		M B Atkinson W F Decker	do	6 00 2 00	L'our of more, adde of misses			THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS
Oet July	22		G T Sharp	do		Mattie Palmer and Zora Martin.	of scab, and on examination a few days		In West Texas at Reasonable Rates.
Oet	22	do	G B Duke	do	2 00		ago found every case entirely eured. I		
do	17		Gus A Batte J A Caruthers	do do	2 00 4 00	Bruton.	am well pleased and expect to use your dip and nothing else. I have not heard		Commercial Men put up at the DECKER
Sept	22		T B Bir rong	(0	50	Song by Mark Baugh.	any complaint yet from others that	Dulla For Colo	Hotel which is sufficient guarantee that
Sept	9		G W Dunagan	do	50 50		used it. I think everyone is well pleas-	Bulls For Sale,	
Aug do	26		C F Adams C C Lemen	do	50	Misses Mona Rountree and Peari	ed with it. Wishing good success, 1	Bune ter surer	OUR TABLE IS THE BEST.
do	1-	do	Gus Batte	do	50	Mills.	am, yours truly, B. F. McDonald.		Livery Stable and Feed Yard in Connection.
Oat	20		Il Spruce Horton Allen	do do	2 00			Fifteen head of cne-half,	Livery scaple and reed tard in connection.
Oet	22		D R Holland	dø	2 00		The cheapest pisce The Pioneer	three-quarter, and seven-	
do	22		R II Wyatt	do do	2 0!1 4 00	Hemphili.			
Jan do			W P Covington Ja Thomason	do	4 00	A Russian Onlistinas, recitation		eighths bred Yearling	C. F. ADAMS & CC.
do	24	do .	J C Barksdale	do	4 00	by Miss Mona Rountree.	All property owners in Sonora	DELLOSS DELLO	
- Ob C D	$\begin{vmatrix} 21\\ 21 \end{vmatrix}$		John "McCleary A W Mills	do do	4 00		should contribute to the purchase	DEVON BULLS,	
/ do	21	do	A W Pride	du	4 00	by Messrs Mark Baugh and Montie	of the fire hose, etc.	NEADIA RAFFO	
do	23	1895	R II Wyatt J A Hagerland	do	4 03	Mills.	Wanted a competent man a	Sired by IVANHOE,	General Agents for the sale of
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in the	21	00 1	Robt English	do	1 00	The Coming Step, trio by Misses	nusition as teacher on a ranch or	OI. ON DI TUNIQUOLO	0
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## DEVIL'S RIVER REWS,

PUBLISHED WEEKLY. Advertising Medium of the Stockman'sParadise. SUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE. Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora is second-class matter.

ball at the Court House in Sonora on Friday March 20th 1896. The proceeds will go towards supplementing the fund for the purchasing of the fire hose, hose carts, etc. Tickets will be sold for \$1 each, Ladies free. MIKE MURPHY, Proprietor.

Fireman's Ball.

The Sonora Firemen will give a

On Friday March 20th, the night

Ask for Brown & Co's tobaccos

John F, Hall was in town Tues-

R. H. Martin the cattleman was

When calling for Beer be sure

A. V. Lamar the sheepman was

Fort Worth Beer is handled by

Jo Turney the cattleman was in

W. F. Decker returned from a

in from the ranch Wednesday.

and take no other

and call for Fort Worth.

in town this weel ding

Morris & Allison

## Grand Supper.

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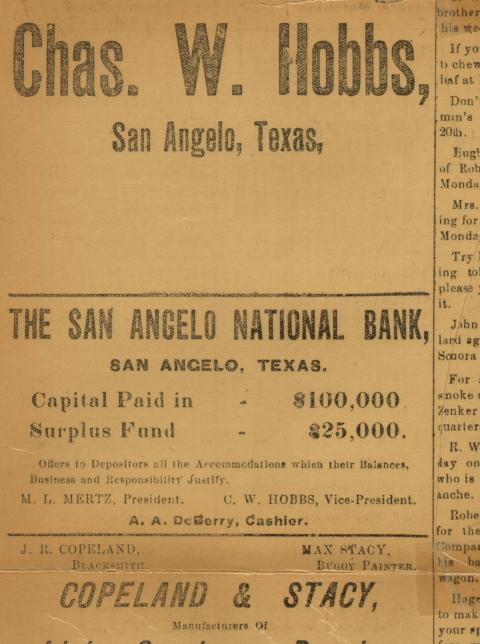
SONORA, TEXAS. - March 14 1896. Rent Manager and Manager and

Needing advances on the Spring Clip of 1896, will consult their interest by placing their business with us. We propose making a specialty of Devils River Wools.

WOOL GROWERS

Any business intrusted to us will have our best care and attention.

Advances Liberal. Correspondence solicited.



of the Fireman's Ball a grand Dr. H. Guernsey Jones, supper will be given at the Decker PHYSICIAN, OBSTETRICIAN & SURGEON. Hotel. Those who have taken SONORA - - TEXAS. supper at the Decker Hotel on Country calls promptly Answered. similar occasions know what they Office at Residence. may expect. N.W. Cor. Public Square.

DR. H. G. COLSON, Physician, Surgeon and Obstatrisian. Office at Cusenbary & Briant's drug store.. Residence on Poplar Street. All calls promptly answered.

Sonora. Texas. A briar pipe and a pound best tobacfor 35c. See adv of Duke's Mixture. C. W. (Lum) Adams and his orother Quince, were in Sonora his week from the North Llano.

If you want something real good Sonora Monday on business. ) chew get Paul. Brown's natural eaf at Hagerlund Bros. business trip to Mason Sunday. Don't fail to attend the Fire.

Robert Doncan the sheepman, min's ball in Sonora on March was in town Tuesday.

Hugh Robion of the sheep firm | Do you drink beer? If you do of Robson Bros, was in Sonora call for "Premium Pale" it's the Monday for supplies. best.

Mrs. Frank Large intends leav- Tom Killeen was in town Friday ing for Eldorado and San Angelo, from the sheep camp of Cooper & Monday. Co.

ing tobacco, it will more than week from Forbes & Cooper's please you. Hagerlund Bros have ranch.

Sobora Tuesday on land business. ors and cirars.

For a pleasant smile, a good Zenker & Maier's your head summer Sunday. quarters while in San Angelo.

R. W. Callahan left on Wednesday on a visit to Mrs. Callahan day. who is visiting relatives in Com-

Robert English, the new agent ed medical attention.

your spring wools. See them before making arrangements else-

his work giving satisfaction.

where.

Bros. & Co.

were boys.

stand.

ful one.

Try Brown's Indian Maid chew- Geo. Lemar was in Sonora this Goto SAM RUNKLES' Moss Rose

John H. Eston a lawyer and land sgeht of Palo Pinto, was in Schora Tuesday on land business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mills and snoke and genial company, make family moved to the such for the

> L. N. Lamar son of A. V. Lamar the sheepman was in town Thurs-

J. C. Johnson was in town Friday with his baby boy who need.

for the Singer Sewing Machine George Landrum, proprietor of Company, cuts quite a swell with the Ozons-Comstock mail line, his bay team and Singer road was in Sonora Friday.

Will Whitehead was in town Hagerlund Bros, are prepared Wednesday from the ranch in Val to make liberal cash advances on Verde county, on bus ness.



We have the Largest and Best selected stock of Fancy and Staple Groceries in Sonora at prices that Defy Competition.

-WE HAVE IN TRANSIT :--

One car load of Sulphur. One car load of Barb Wire, AND IT WILL SAVE YOU MONEY TO BUY FROM US. We will Guarantee the Prices on Wool Sacks and Twine. We are making Liberal Cash Advances on Wool, also on any class of cattle,



## H. P. Cooper the cittleman was Proof of Pudding is

If you want any kind of repairs on your hack and buggy bring it to San Angelo and try us.

Light Carriages, Buggies, Wagons Business Tops and OF ALL DISCRIPTIONS. Carriage Repairing, Painting, Trimming and Horse Shoeing a Specialty. Dealers In Wall Paper, Paints, Linseed Oil, Window Glass. San Angelo, Texas.





WILL BE GIVEN AT THE

COURT HOUSE, ON

## FRIDAY, MARCH 20th, 1896.

ADMISSION: CENTS S1.00. LADIES FREE. Proceeds to Supplement the Hose Purchasing Fund. new hardware and windmill firm headache.

D. H. Burroughs, Chief. E. S. Briant, Foreman No. 2. T. D. Newell, Foreman No. 1. J. P. McConnell, Fire Police.

George Traweek, W. H. Moon, Max Mayer, F. Vander Stucken, E. R. Silliman. Lewis Mayfield. Managing Committee.



in town this week lopking up the 78 steer market.

In this issue will be seen the Fred Higinbotham, manager of card E. C. Selman the gunsmith, Dr. J. B. Taylor's manch, was in Mr. Selman has done some very Sonora Saturday. fine work since he has been in

While visiting Ozona stop at the Sonora and you may depend on Ozona Hutel, best accommodation in town. Drummerssample room Mr. and Mrs. Will Drake of in connection.

Ozona, arrived in Sonora this week G. W. Allen the Singer Sewing and expect to make this place their Machine representative returned home. They are occupying the returned from Menardville this James Gillespie place. Will has week. accepted a position with Mayer

Mrs J. T. Gurley and daughter R. Goode of Goldthwaite, was Miss Ollie of Oxona were in Soin Sonora this week looking after nora a few days this week visiting friends. his sheep interests in the country.

Mr. Goode is an old school mate. Ed. Seiker of Menardville came mate of Frank Wyatt and they over from that city, 65 miles, in had not seen each other since they eight hours Tuesday. He was not in any particular hurry.

E C. Selman a practical gun-T. D. Newell proprietor of the smith and locksmith is prepared Sonora water works, put in a to de all kinds of work in his line. watering trough for the traveling Guns, locks, sewing machines, public at the side of Keene's bicycles, etc., repaired. Knife blades made to order. All work grocery house, this week.

guaranteed. Shop at Duke's old Improverished Blood causes that tired refeeling; Hood's Sarsaparilla 86 tf. purifies, enriches and vitalizes the

E A McCarlhy agent for the blood, giving " the Fort Worth beer was in Sonora vigor and vita

last week. Mr. McCarthy is Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to traveling in the interests of the op rate. Cure indigention billiousness.

of John Findlater Jr., of San W. C. Myers formerly of the Angelo. His trip was a success- Colorado City country but now ranching in the Sonora country,

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bond re- was in town Thursday for supturned to their ranch this week plies. Mr. Myers is a partner from San Antonio where Mrs. with D. K. McMullan in the mut-

Bond has been receiving medical ton business. attention for the past two months.

Bond is rapidly recovering health a few friends in the parlors of the after that date I will be compelled this week. The famous Bond gueranteed. For

Phil Perner the Ozona merchant honor of Miss Suphie Vander of same, as I have to settle on said and written was the objective sale only at the was in Sonora last Saturday with Stucken, at which the following April 1st. Pay your taxes now point. The party consisted of Mr. C. W. Beckmann of the Lone Star ladies and gentlemen were present: and save costs. Brewing Company of San Antonio. Mrs. J. L. Burroughs; Mrs. Frank

Mr. Perner is agent for this dis- Large, Mrs. Etta A. King, Misses trict for the Lone Star beer and Saphie Vander Stucken, Nannie Tax Collector of Sutton county, E. C. Saunders and Mike Murphy. they expect to supply Sonora with Thornton, Abby Miller, Zora Martheir beer by way of Comstock. In, Mona Rountree and Messrs. Mr. Beckmann considers Sonora D. H. Burroughs, Felix Vander the best business and trading Stucken, T.D. Newell W.H. Moon every day. Prices and printers try this spring will have the finest center he has recently seen in and Mike Murphy. The evening ink do the work, l was very pleasantly spent. West Texas.

## TRYING IT.

If you want your wool sold. If you want highest market price.

If you want to stop interest.

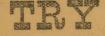
If you want to save commission.

If you want to save money.

If you want your wool sold on its merit.

If you want advances in cash.

If you want advances in supplies.





## STATERS."

The Largest Shippers and the Cheapest all round house in Dry Goeds, Greceries, Sulphur, Grain, Etc., in the 600 to 608 Beauregard Avenus. Conche Country.

ERVOUS Troubles are due

and Mrs. H. Knausenberger Mes-

dames J. W. and J. A. Hegerlund,

Messrs. Edwin and John Parker,

The man or men who buy the

SAN ANCELO, TEXAS.

#### Notice to Tax Payers.

parties who have not made ar. Purifier and NERVE TONIC. Mrs. J. L. Burroughs and Mrs. rangements to pay their taxes by We are happy to say that Mrs. Frank Large gave a card party to March 1st, must do so at once, as gave a cave party to a few friends Decker Hotel Thursday night, in to levy on property for payment cave of which so much has been

> Yours respectfully J. P. McConnell, Texas.

More trade is coming to Sonora yearling steers of the Sonora coun

young cattle in West Texas.

COPELANI & STACY.

We now have 24 biggies in our shops we are repaining and ask you to call and inspict our work when in San Angelo.

COPELAND & STACY, 83 Remember if you (an't get what

you want done at home bring it > us, we make and repair everythig from a knitting needle to a threaning machine. 83 COPELAID & STAC:

We are the headquarters on vall paper and window glass, pents, oils and varnishes, and willgive you lower prices tian any ody, and all new stock.

COPELAND & SACY. 83

The prices and scommdations offered by Sonora' merchants are being more and rore ap/reciated by the stockmen & Edwards county. The trade fom that county is increasing ever day.

WOODFORD (1581)WISKEY is the inest article

Notice is hereby given to all saparilla is the One True Blood over he San Angelo bars No headache **Corner Saloon** San Angelo.

## DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS,

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SONORA, TEXAS, - March 1, 1896.

#### SOLDIERS IN CAMP.

Radyard Kipling Writes of to Way In Which the Men Were Kept and Up. The regular working of a empire

shifted his world to Indi where he tasted utter loneliness /subaltern's quarters-one room 2 d one bullock trunk-and, with sis ness, learned the new life from the beginning. But there were prscsn the landponies-at reascableprices. There was polo for suh as ould afford it. There were the disputable remwere crickes and msketry instruc- trade. tion and the fittir up of the new gymnasium, and Ctar worried his way along without o much despair. inwhed ups himnath regiment in India was seare the chance of active service than le had conceived and that a min might as well study his professia.

A major i the nw school backed this idea wh enthsiasm (he was a black litt man, full of notions), and he ad Cotta accumulated a good librry of military works and read and argued and disputed far into thenights. But said the old thing: Get to lnow your men, young is, and tley'll follow you any whee. That's all you wantknow pur men." Cottar thought he kney them fairly well at cricket and the regimental sports, but he never:ealized the true inwardness of than till he was sent off with a detaciment of 20 to sit down in a madfort near a rushing river, which was spanned by a bridge of boats. When the floods came they went out and hunted stray pontoons down the banks. Otherwise there was nothing to do, and the men got Arunk, gambled and quarreled. They were a sickly crow, for a junior subaltern is by custom saddled with the worst men. Cottir endured their rioting as long as lo could and then sent down country for a dozen pairs of boxing gloves. Nothing in the regulations forbids an officer taking part in healthy sports.

"I wouldn't blane you for fightia," said he, "if you only knew how to use your hands, but you don't. Take these things and I'll show you." It was great sport, for he could pay back in insubordinate young thief and leach him something at the same time, and the men appreciated his cforts. Now, instead of blasphoning and swearing at a comrade and threatening to sloot him, they could take him apart and soothe themselves to exhaustim. As one man explained whom Cotar found with a shut eye and a dianond shaped mouth, spitting tech through an embrasure: "We trid it with glove, sir, for 20 minutes and that does us no good, sir. The we took off the gloves and triedit that way for another 20 minutes, amo as you showed us, sir, and hat dove us a world o' good. 'Twan't fightin, sr; there was a bet of" Cottr dared not hugh, but he invited is men to other sports, such as racig across country in shirt and treuses after a trai of torn paper and tosingle sticl in the evening, till the ative population, who had a lust fo sport in every form, wished to kny whether the white men understol wrestling. They sent in reverie which the smile on his lips an embasador, wip took the solabout the ust, and he entire command wordall for his new game. They spontuoney of learning new gentleman, and the other sleek, than buyingpeer and ther doubtful commodities, and the big limbed the tournaments. That detacheent while had gone up in bullock cars returnd to headsick, no prisoners and neourt mar- his seat. tials pending. They scattred themselves among their friens, singing the praises of their licunant and looking for causes for ffense.- | music, but he makes first rate sleep-Century Magazine.

EUNDLING KINDLING WOOD.

A/Big Industry Which Grew Up From Very Small Deginnings.

More than 25 years ago, in the back yard of an up town house, a man with an idea started to chop up kindling wood and tie it into bunstove. In those days people bought loads of hickory logs in the fall and had the professional sawyer and splitter, who paroled the streets with ax, buck and saw over his shoulder. reduce them to the required size.

From that man, with his back yard and his idea, a great industry has sprung. The business was a success from the start. First the

wood was sold only in the poorer sections of the town, where the slum dwellers found it very convenient to buy the cheap little bundles, all ready for use. They thus economized minutes that could be applied to their working day. After a time it got to be that there was not a street where there was not stores that kept the bundles, and the small coal and wood dealers in the slum basements nants of a pac of hands, and there made them part of their stock in

With the general use of the kindling steam and improved machinery came into use in the cutting and bundling of the wood. Now there are extensive establishments in the city, and the bundles turned out in the course of a year amount to millions. At the present day all manu-

facturers bundle their wood in the many dollars for freightage. same general way. In the early days the ends of the little sticks were dipped in rosin; another bundler put a small bit of cork in the center of each bundle, while still another hall each stick saturated with a chemical lief that some aid must be given to the wood, otherwise the coal would not ignite. But all the other methods were put aside when one bundler hit upon the idea of evaporating all moisture from the wood through the agency of a steam heated kiln.

The wood used by the bundlers of kindling in New York is pine and hemlock. The first comes from Virginia and the second from the forests of Pennsylvania. It reaches the city in the shape of long slabs. These dling thickness. From the splitting machino the lengths are run along a are cut into the lengths used in the my boats." bundling. As they fall from the buzzsaw table the bits of wood drop directly into a box through which runs an endless chain elevator. By

his elevator the wood is carried far did it. up to the top of the building and dropped into the opening of the kiln. Around the sides of the kiln run close coils of steam pipes. In the one to four days. The loss in the kiln treatment amounts to 10 per cent. A cord of wood produces 1,000 bundles. The wood is now inflammable and ready for bundling.

This last work is done by boys, bethport was frequently drawn out who stand at a foot power press. Through openings at the bottom of the kiln the kindling falls to the ta- boat. Mrs. Vanderbilt had to cook ble before which the boys stand. The these meals herself, and I enjoyed bundling machine is two half circles her cooking many times. of iron, one of which fits above the other, making an opening the size of her husband put on the route, too, a bundle of wood. There is a slot for, though the trips were not then at the bottom of the machine in so long, a man could save time after which the tarred twine is placed. On a busy day's buying in New York to top of the twine goes a label with eat on the boat. the manufacturer's name, and then "I was on the first steamboat that the wood is packed in. On top of the ever sailed from New York across sonification of those intellectual chia and the greatest natural history heard that the wildcat may almost wood falls the upper half circle of the bay and to Elizabethport, and iron, the boy gives pressure with his Mrs. Vanderbilt gave us an exceedfoot, wood is pressed firmly in a ingly good meal on that occasion." bundle, the twine is tied, and the kindling is ready for delivery. In a day a boy can tie up 1,000 bundles. The Auburn look step is the most -New York World. suggestive of old time prison life, such as the books talk about, of any

## THE RANGES

standard seeds ever where; sown by the D. M. FERRY & CO.



### ELAIR ON VANDERBILT. Recollections of the Oldest Living Builder

of Railroad's In This Country. "How did I come to build my first railroad? Well, that's a long story, said John L. Blair, the oldest living railway builder, to a Boston Globe

reporter. "You know I got my start as a country storekeeper, and along in the twenties I had six or seven stores scattered about in New Jersey. I was selling a lot of goods and making money. "But it cost a lot to haul goods

from New York to my stores, and it was a constant study with me how to reduce the transportation exenses and shorten the time required by the methods of those days. 'My first efforts in that direction

were in co-operation with Commodore Vanderbilt. He was in the boat business then, and I paid him a good

"One year he had a strong competitor for the business in the person of Governor Ogden, and freight rates were cut away down. It was that year that I got the better of the commodore. Either he didn't know preparation. It was the general be- or had forgotten that I had so many stores, for he said to me at the beginning of the season that he would contract to boat all my stuff across

New York bay for \$10. "Did I take him up? Well, I don's think I need answer that question. The goods were brought over all right, and I paid the \$10 and no more. But Vanderbilt didn't try to back down. He made no fuss whatever, though I sold several boat loads of goods before the season was over. 'A bargain's a bargain, John L.'

slabs are split into lengths of kin- said the commodore one day, 'and when I give my word I keep it, but I'd like to know when you are going platform to a buzzsaw, where they to get through delivering goods to

> That's the kind of man I always found the commodore-he was just plain Cornele to me then, though. Whenever he said he'd do a thing, he

"I liked Cornclius and I liked Mrs. Vanderbilt. She was a real sensible woman and a mighty good cook. They kept a boarding house alonggreat kiln the sticks remain from side their warehouse on the pier, next to Ogden's warehouse, where buyers and workmen could live while waiting for or handling goods. "Before the steamboats were nut on, the trip from New York to Eliza-

because of adverse winds, and sometimes meals had to be served on the

The Auburn Lock Step.

in the state, it is said. It is a little

different from some of the lock steps.

The men stand as snugly together

as they could be packed if they were

in line waiting for tickets. The man

who heads the procession throws his

shoulders well back, clasps his hands

in front of him, and the man behind

him locks into both his arms, unless

it be at night or in the morning.

the crack regiment in the New York

Disinterested.

## GLASS PAPER.

That Would De a More Accurate Designation Nowadays Than Sandpaper

Sandpaper as now made is false to its name, for it has no sand about it, the place of that material being now taken usually by powdered ly greater effect.

tions in the fabrication of sandpaper powder of the different grades of fineness. Commonly an iron mortar is used for this purpose, a heavy iron pestle being the crushing instrument. Stamping machinery is

better. It consists of a stout box whese iron side walls serve as a base for the stamping muchinery. In the box, which can be closed by a wooden door to prevent waste of material and nothing seemed to do her any good. and also injury to the workman, are two iron cylinders in which play the stamps. These crush the glass, turning on their own axles as they work. For grading the powder several shifting cylinders are necessary, cov- 12 Railroad Place, Amsterdam, N. Y. ered with gauze of different mesh. workman proceeds gradually to the finest, resifting each time that which passes through the network.

The paper to be used in the manufacture must be good strong and rather long nucrets. It must also be free from knots and irregularities, and if there be any such they must be planed off. If they should be overlooked, they would interfere with the proper use of the sandpaper. The knots would protrude through the glue, and little ridges and channels would result, making it impossible to smooth off a surface evenly with the paper.

The paper is cut into large sheets, spread on worktables, fastened down and then painted by means of a large brush with a thin, even coat of hot glue. If the glue is too thin and the paper of bad quality, the glue soaks into the paper, so that which remains is not of sufficient consistency to hold the glass. Thus results a sandpaper from which the glass easily rubs off, or which, in places, has no glass at all or not enough. This is notably the case with exceeding care that the relatively large fragments of glass, which can in no manner be soaked with the binding material, may be held layer of glue is too thick or the conhardens' too quickly, so that the glass hours at a time, etc. powder cannot imbed itself in it.

the paper, the powdered glass must has only to lie down in one of the there about the field. When night be sifted on through a sieve. This operation also requires considerable skill, though not so much as the his nose to fall into a state of trance. called it, in the landlerd's kitchen. spreading of the glue, for the glass The fakirs are also believed to use must not be sifted merely in such a hasheesh for the purpose of lessenmanner as to use a given quantity ing the force of respiration. That to a sheet, but so that each sheet hypnotic agent associated with othed, a wooden roller is passed lightly ever, consciousness becomes annull. danger and sometimes utters shrill

Wothers Anxiously watch declining health of

by consumption in early years that land of the south," remarked a there is real cause for anxiety. In Georgia farmer from Elbert county, glass, which does its work with vast- the early stages, when not beyond the conversation turning to farm life the reach of medicine, Hood's Sarsa- and its joys. "Yes, one rarely ever One of the most important opera. parilla will restore the quality and quantity of the blood and thus give is the pulverization of the glass into good health. Read the following letter: "It is but just to write about my

daughter Cora, aged 19. She was completely run down, declining, had that tired enough corn to have a respectable feeling, and friends said she would not | corn shucking, and as for log rollings live over three months. She had a bad



I happened to read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and had her give it a trial. From the very first dose she began to get better. the log rollings we used to have in After taking a few bottles she was completely cured and her health has been the "Then yot've missed half your life. best ever since." MRS. ADDIE PECK, It was the greatest fun the darkies

"I will say that my mother has not Beginning with the coarsest the stated my case in as strong words as I would have done. Hood's Sarsaparilla has truly cured me and I am now well." CORA PECE, Amsterdam, N. Y. Be sure to get Hocd's, because



#### Simulation of Death by Fakirs.

Herr Kuhn not long ago present. lord who gave the log rolling. What ed a communication on this subject kirs referred to had been buried alive for six weeks, the other for ten with the coarser varieties, in which kirs, who are all hysterical subjects the layer of glue must be put on of a very pronounced type, put would stick their handsticks, somethemselves through a regular course of training before the performance, weakening themselves by semifast in it. On the other hand, if the vegetable substances known only to of the other end of the handstick un- Sunday in Ozona. them, keeping their bodies motionsistence too viscous, the outer part less in the same position for several

When the glue has been spread on got himself into proper condition, he der the great, heavy logs here and

may be cover some even then or vegetable substances and used in all the powder will not stick, and a special manner is believed by them some of the particles lie upon others to supply the want both of air and without touching the glue. These nourishment. At the beignning of hunted with dogs and driven to bay can be shaken off by a slight move the trance the fakir has hallucina- in a narrow thicket from which he ment of the paper. When the super- tions, hearing heavenly voices, see. cannot escape without running the fluous glass powder has been remov- ing visions, etc. Gradually, how- gantlet, the cat seems to know his

RURAL GEORGIA JOYS

The Old Time Log Rollings and Corn Shuckings Are Things of the Past. "The old time corn shuckings and their daughters. So many are cut off log rollings have played out in the sees the genuine old time Georgia corn shucking these days. You see, for a number of years the farmers of this section of country did not grow the farmers have not been in the humor of late years to clear up much

new ground land, and for this reason there has been rooccasion for much log rolling." A listener wanted to know what was a log rolling anyhow.

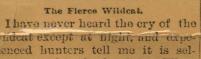
"Why, have you never heard of this county?" asked the farmer. on the farms had for years and years. The farmer who had cleared a new ground, when the trees had all ben cut down and the brush

clipp/d off and burned, wanted to get all the logs off the field before he ing owher de would invite all the regular appointments: darkis and laborers on the neighboring farms on some suitable day. There was no compensation in it, for i was a pienic, though you would days at Sonora. Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. never think it, for it was the hard-Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. est sort of work. The darkies all Hood's Pills liable and beneficial. 25c. that a great ing of which would be that a great jug of whisky would be dished out to them, and that a big day evening at 7:30. dinner would be given by the land-

is meant by rolling logs is putting a to the Anthropological society of handstick under them, with a darky Munich. He had the opportunity of at each end of the stick, and lifting personally observing two cases as the logs from the ground and then to the genuineness of which he had conveying them to a pile here and no doubt whatever. One of the fa- there about the new ground, where be held on each 2nd and 4th Sun they would be burned later.

"The fun came in with the rivalry days. The condition which the fakir among the darkies to see who was this conference year. has the power of producing arti- the champion lifter of the day. They ficially is in all respects identical would have great straps of leather with the cataleptic trance. The fa- that went over their shoulders in a loop, and through this loop they times enabling them to lift with their hands and their whole bodies at the before the first Sunday. same time, throwing their strength der the log. This strap of leather for some reason was called an 'Alabana.' It was great fun to see them When the fakir has by these means straining their very lives away un-

positions enjoined by the sacred came on, the frolic wound up with a books and fix his eyes on the end of great dance and 'hot supper,' as they -Atlanta Constitution.



wildcat except at night, and experienced hunters tell me it is seldom uttered in the daytime. When

Kitchens In the Tropics,

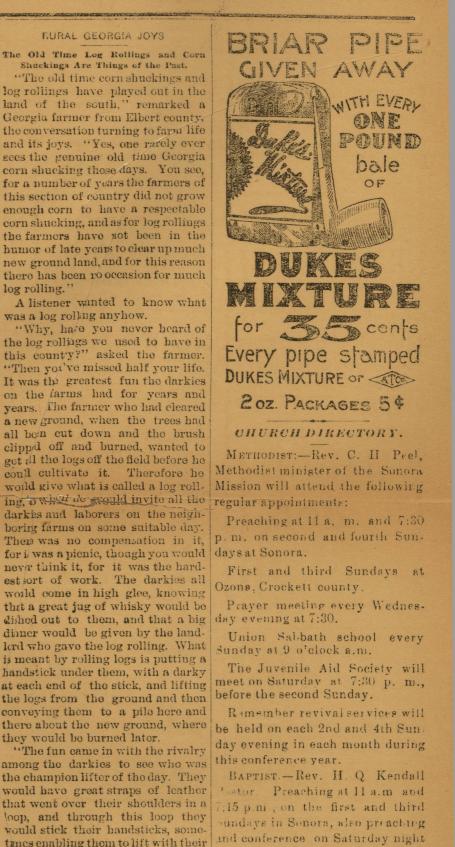
bars at the windows and the heavy

double doors, which look as if they

whitewashed, and the floors are of

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## A French Feast of Lan rns.

One of the quaintest of the nu. merous yearly fetes stillingonor at stituted many hundreds of cars ago Star. in honor of St. Martin, bhop of Tours, who died in 396, al who was one of the prelates by whee efforts the early inhabitants of hese parts wero converted to Christianity. As soon as dusk sets i the celebration comp.ences, and altho urchins of the town congregatin the main thoroughfares. Each ne hears a paper lantern, some of whih tre of considerable proportions, b. ing shaped in the form of a ship o a flower. With lanterns in haid, and blowing lustily on horns and trumpets, the crowd of youngstens, parades the streets.-London Nows. Do You Deal In

No Beversible Art For Him. "If you would like something unusually fine, "said the art dealer, "I I yes, the have a genuine Turner I shall be happy to show you."

A picture that's painted on one side is good enough for me," responded Mr. Boodelie, the wealthy contractor, transfixing the tradesman with a sharp glance, "ef it's TO ADVERTISE. well done."-Chicago Tribune.

### Standpoints of Criticism.

His oves were half closed in the showed was pleasant. Ho paid no atdiers by to neck and threw them | tention to the other travelers who were in the same section with him -cno of them a quiet, neatly dressed falls and hlds, which was better slightly rotund and with a large diamond scarfpin.

"Ah," murmured the gentleman when one arm is necessary to carry peasantry grined fiv deep around in the eestatic mood, who had been buckets, and then he locks with only beating time with his forefinger. one arm. They come in companies "Wagner! Wagner! There is noof from 49 to 60. The man who body else who can write music like heads the procession keeps the time quarters at an averag rate of 30 him! Is it not so, my friend?" he miles a day, fair heel nd toe; no said to the sleek man who shared

"Y-yes. I reckon so." "He wrote music for all time." "I don't know much aboat his ing cars.

national guard. Their knees bend "Yes," chimed in the other, "and I wish he'd stick to his music and sleeping cars and let baseball alone -or else give Washington a good Dankirk is the fote of lastrns, in- team for a change."-Washington

#### Law and Lawyers.

in North American Review.

opinion the greatest lawyer was not cipline .- New York Times.

the man who knows the most law, but the one who sees at a glance the "What a splendid woman she is!" real question involved, and he often "I am glad to think you have got declared that many cases were carsuch a wife.' ried to the court of appeals without "Such a wife! Why, man, you the lawyers on either side discovering the real legal principle which have no idea of her generosity.

When I was poor she refused to marmust govern the case.-W. Watson ry me because she was afraid of being a burden upon me, but the moment I came into my fortune she

consented at once. What do you think of that for kindness?"-Pick WINDMILLS ? Mo Up.

> Three Faults. The conversation turned upon a speaker who was not particularly gifted.

DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS "He has only three faults," said one of the company. "First, he is the best Paper in which reads his speeches; second, he reads them badly; third, they are not worth the reading."-Geillustreerd Weekblad.

over the paper to press the particles ed, the body becomes rigid, and, as and piercing cries, intensely expresssurface.-Philadelphia Inquirer.

#### The Goddess of Resson.

The goddess of reason was a perpowers which distinguish man from the rest of the animal creation deified in 1793 by the revolutionists of swelling toad, a semiaquatic creaof worship for the divine beings of that the metropolitan church of Notre Dame should be converted into a temple of reason, and a festi-Catholic coremonies of Sunday. The first festival of this sort was held with the greatest pomp on Nov. 10. A young woman, the wife of Mowas dressed in white drapery, an are scarcely visible. azure mantle bung from her shoulders, and her flowing hair was surmounted with the cap of liberty. She sat upon an antique seat intwined with ivy and was borne by four citizens. Young girls dressed in white and crowned with roses

with his left foot, stamping a bit as he comes down the stone walk. Every other man in the line follows with the stamp. They keep absoices of the occasion consisted of well ripened "jimson" bur. Perlutely perfect time, as oven in their speeches, processions and patriotic gons who understand the "swell step as the best drilled company of Wanter-

Badly Lepressed.

Amateur Critic (in the studio of at precisely the same instant; they Z., the great painter)-Splendid picare packed so closely together that ture, really! Allow me to complithis is necessary or they could not march at all. They take short steps. ment you. But why did you choose They turn neither to the right nor such an ugly model?

to the left. No soldier on the march "She's my sister.' "Oh, pardon! How foolish of mo! or college oarsman ever kept his In the late Mr. Charles O'Conor's "eyes in the boat" with greater dis- I ought of course to have noticed the resemblance to you."-New York

#### Features.

Herald.

"Is she pretty?" "Not pretty, but interesting." "Regular features?"

"Tolerably. She has an aquiline heel, with an instep that is ideally stead of my own. - Philadelphia the small, bot apartment with a fur-Call. classic."--Detroit Tribune.

Patronize

Cur

of glass as firmly a possible into the the fakirs themselves say, "the spir. ive of rage, defiance, perhaps of vant at glue and to form a perfectly even it rejoins the soul of the world."\_ despair. His ordinary calls are not unlike those of the domestic cat, ex-British Medical Journal. cept that they are longer drawn out

#### Virginia's Swelling Toad.

and naturally have much more vol-The wonder of the genus batra- ume. Yet so seldom are these cries oddity to be found along the Atlan- be called a silent member of nature's tic coast of the United States is the family

As a fighter this cat has no supo-France and substituted as an object ture known to naturalists as bufo- rior, and with the exception of the machalatus. It is occasionally met larger members of the weasel tribe, the Christian faith. It was decreed with from New York city to Jack- such as the badger and the wolversonville, Fla., but is most common ene, he has no equal at twice his size. along the coasts of Virginia, Mary- The feline race is endowed by naland and North Carolina. When in ture with weapons superior to those val was substitutel for the first day its natural state, the "swell toad" is of all other carnivora-those terriof each decade to supersede the about the size of a large bullfrog, ble claws provided with sheaths and but looks more like a fish than it thus kept sharp when not in use. does like either a frog or a toad. He 'Our wildcat, though no larger than is about six inches in length and has 'a beagle hound, probably possesses the curious faculty of being able to twice the muscular force and agility more, a well known printer, repressivell to the size of a Yale football, of any dog and can, in fair battle, sented the goddess of reason. She in which state his legs, tail and head soon make the pluckiest and strongest hound draw off whipped. Two

Irritation appears to be the chief powerful dogs may kill a wildcat, factor in causing these curious crea- but never without sustaining severe tures to mhalo air until they swell injuries. Yet, under ordinary ciralmost to bursting. The bellies of cumstances and if not disturbed both the males and females are near. while feeding, the cat will take to a ly pure white and are covered with tree when chased by a dog and will spines which give that portion of show fight only when brought to preceded and followed her. The serv- their anatomy the appearance of a bay .- Philadelphia Times.

The kitchens of tropical countries, toad" and know what an irritable little rascal he is catch him and rub ' such as are to be found in our Spanthe spines on his belly, when he ish-American lands, are like cells swells up until he is utterly helpless. from the thickness of the stone walls Another curious point about the -often two or three feet deep-and creature is that as long as he is kept the projecting, omnipresent veranon his back he is unable to expel the da, which gives a grateful shade and air so as to reduce the swelling. -St. which looks out on a court. The cell Louis Republic. resemblance is enhanced by the iron

#### An Inadvertence.

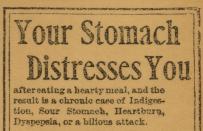
Nelson-Well, I'm the luckiest could resist a siege. The walls are chap in the world. Stanley-How so?

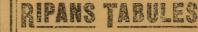
tiles. The dining room is often sepa-Nelson-It appears that Madge rated from this room by a long stairbroke with me about the same time case. Outside the kitchen in the she did with Jack Boodles, and now court will stand table and closets to she's sent me back his presents in- supplement the seant furniture of naceliko firo.

It is always a sign of poverty of mind when men are ever aiming to appear great, for they who are really great nover seem to know it .--

Will meet in the Masonic Hall in We should often be ashamed of our best acting if the world were Sonera, the first Saturday after the full moon in each month at 8 o'clock p.m. witness to the motives which impelled us.-La Rochefoucauld.

Cape Fear river, in North Caro- P. McConnell, Treas; J. O. Rountree, lina, was originally Charles river, Sec; S. D. Foote, S. D; O. Clark, J. D; afterward Cape Fair river, corrupt- J. D. Boyd, Tyler. ed to Cape Fear.



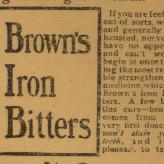


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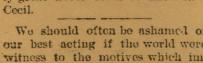
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