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The Wool Situation.

contains the following on the wool California and Arizona, and some The prosperity that he stock tremes, to avoid anything that

would have to be reported. De. to pay for it. mand, however, is not the most Regarding Texas wools it con- imate results. important factor in maintaining tains the following: other than the prevailing quietude feature at unchanged prices, and sellers closer together, but tions: point of view the situation does Fine and fine medium Spring, 6 to as recent developments in the Medium Spring 6 to 8 months.... goods market are not of a gratify. Fine and Fine Medium Fall ..... 12@14 trusted for. ticeable among weavers of men's wear woolen's and worsteds, and

ly the largest consumers of fine 31st ult., at 11 o'clock p. m., of the disastron and a which is here a big never failing wools. Both weavers and spin- consumption, Sam Runkles, in the lowed in their wake. Our old stream. The price paid is \$2 per ners have ample wool on hand to 39th year of his age. Mr. Runkles time stock growers have learned acre, and the purchasers are the meet current wants and are not came to the Concho country about conservatism in the bitter school well known stockmen Messrdisposed to add to their present 14 years ago from Maryland for of experience.

tern markets are also very strong | Standard. Wool is said to have been purunshorn, with even stronger prices of the U.B. Church, Dillsburg, Pa,, recognizes the value of Chamberlain's construction of their capital in good faith bowels." For sale by Curch Property at present prices rather than to reinvest it all in the same is also true of Wyoming to tell others about it. "I have used to tell others about it. "I have used to tell others about it. "I have used to tell others about it." The New South Wales. Boot and Shoe Maker. 50c on a scoured basis, which says and find it an excellent madicine like view, and if generally follows turns for the year show that the

The Wool Record, of New York, Shearing is well under way in

DIED

To offset these conditions come and his career is a fine example of the number of cattle so much as terests at Sabinal.—San Antonio reports of the strong position of what can be done in this country of their grade which enters into Express. C. W. SESSUM, wool in primal markets, coupled by energy and industry. He came the problem of profit and loss with the advanced prices paid at here a mere boy without a dollar, And stockmen realize that to es- Americans are the most inventive the London series of sales of at first going to work as a waiter tablish good graded herds of cattle, people on earth. To them have been Colonial wools, which opened for Mrs. Holland in the old Hol- a fixed habitation for them with than one-third of all the patents issued Crown and bridge work a specialty. Tuesday. The first cable to come land house and gradually rising in all the surroundings and improve- in the world. No discovery of modern forward quoted good to choice fine the world until at his death his ments that constitute a home go years has been of greater benefit to Office up stairs in the Allison building five to seven and one-half per estate is consevatively estimated naturally with the ownership of mankind than Chamberlain's Colle, cent higher, and ordinary cross. to be worth \$25,000, principally the land. The comparatively low though the land the la has been followed up by daily to mourn a loving and devoted high price of cattle is causing say; "I have used Chamberlain's cables of a similar nature. Wes- husband and father .- San Angelo many who have taken advantage Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy

> and this price in the grease means Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." he this is a healthy and business enjoyed.

ity of obtaining even that figure, Increased Activity in the Sale of Ranch Properties.

are not calculated to bring buyers The following are the quota- and more legitimate channels of individual. stock raising. This is leading to An instance of this character is

of ruling prices to sell out, to con- in my family for several years, and template the investment of a por. find it to be the best medicine I ever Will practice in all the State Courts chased in Utah at 15c and above, The Rev. W. H. Weaver, pastor of tion of their capital in good ranch bowels." For sale by Cusenbary &

What our stock interests want above all things is to avoid exwool is reported coming forward. growing interests of this Side savors of the reckless boom spirit If the market for wool was de- For year's growth 12 to 13: is ask- have enjoyed during the past year but to get their business down to pendent solely upon the demand ed, and this would cost more than to year and a haif, following as it a steady conservative basis. No subscription \$2 a YEAR IN ADVANCE for support a decidely weak tone buyers at the seaboard are willing did upon a long period of depres- business can be safer or more insion, is beginning to bear its legit. dependent than that of a stock grower who owns his own land and Men who have been out of the his own herd of high grade cattle prices, as concessions have been Texas wools are very dull. business of raising cattle for years which he improves from year to comparatively few in business rul- Dealers quote 47c to 50c clean as are again turning their attention year, and who fortifies himself DR. H. G. COLSON, ing during the past week, and to quality for Spring, but buyers in that direction, others who have against the blizzard and the drouth buyers find sellers still difficult to are unwilling to pay more than 45c. been operating in a small way are with good shelter and ample fordeal with, notwithstanding the Fall can be had at 380 to 40c., but feeling encouraged to extend their age crops raised at home. It is Office over Covington & Love's store. continued lack of inquiry for wool. does not find buyers. Eastern business on a larger toale, and all along these lines that will be Developments during the past Oregon wool has been without others who have been speculators found in the long run the greatest and desirious of entering the eafer prosperity to the State and to the

a natural and healthy demand for found in the sale reported yesterranch lands such as has not ex. day wherein E. B. Chandler of isted since the years of the big this city sold the Chinn and Stok-16 bought everything they could get northeast of Uvalde, fronting on the Nueces River and at the mouth Since those days, however, the of the Nueces Canon. The ranches conditions have materially change in question are a fine piece of proed, and there is little danger of a perty comprising 17,000 acres, with DR. A. L. TAYLOR, wear wooden s and worsteds, and dress goods, which are undoubted. In this city on Thursday the repetition of their experience, and a long frontage on the Nueces, Woodley and McCommons, who his health, his lungs being weak, It is no longer a question of already have extensive ranch in-

is the top price for wool in the for colds, coughs and hoarseness." So ed will go far towards prolonging drought caused a decrease of 21, seabcard markets, with some does everyone who gives it a trial, the good times that are now being 900 horses, 90,000 cattle and 4,500, and the proposed even the possibility of the

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- April 9, 1898. SONORA, TEXAS.

Bur News.

knowledges that McKinley did not places of safety. considers peaceful solution of crisis sible flood. impossible. No message to con- It is reported the flood now ex- 000 coins and medals. and American citizens in Havana the low land hamlets. time, to leave, otherwise Tree would not be responsible for their San Angelo Standard. war orders issued to flying squad- to feed on cotton seed products. ron to move on the Canaries with- E. M. Baggett, who recently ants. packing up ready to leave. New his cattle. York Herald wires that Lee has Sol Mayer brought up his first and pastures 800,000 sheep an- stuck on the inside of a jar shaped customers by an estentations show here today on important business, out until the 7th. the government. General Mabry Sunday from Ozona where he is the next longest. offered without independence. The today. queen regent is now dealing direct and is said to be willing to yield is the best town in the state, she elevator, and 50 flights of stairs, to all demands. Present situation is building up fast, and that the 18 steps each. very critical.

teers. The Spanlards say they raised about 65 per cent of lambs of feeding troughs, and 75 miles of prefer to fight with a great nation that's all." than with a smaller one, as they Bob Neighbors, of Milam county yards are capable of receiving and already drawh their money from River. the Bank of Spain. The treasury W. J. Jemeyson sold last week

although this per centage is small dard. it does not make the sheepman despondent.

James McLymont, of Val Verde county, the largest sheep grower in his section, said that owing to a visit to Sherwood this week. more favorable conditions. The California. lamb crop will be quite heavy, but there is a lack of new grass to produce the best results. As a ru'e day to look after his sheep intersheep have wintered well and are ests. in good condition .-- Wool Record

The San Angelo Standard is getting lots of advertising out of the war specials they are receiving supplies. and sending out to the interior Lowns. After the specials are stockman passed through Sonora humorous in another vein. "A spirit, is ancillary to it, for, as Dry-Sonor San Angelo the Sunday with a bunch of cattle on Sonor transmits the dispatch to Sonora and does not fail to give credit.

Misses Mary Walker and Mona Silliman. Rountree left this week for Balker will visit her home at Schulen. modio. berg and Miss Rountree will spend the summer in Kerrville.

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Two Hundred and Fifty. Chicago, Ill., April 3.-A spe-

Junction, Ill., says: town many feet deep.

Galveston, April 6.—(Special to hope that rescuers will soon ap- stretch from London to San Fran-San Angelo Enterprise ) - Spain is pear with boats to take them to cisco.

ask for mediation. Italy sold ernment and was regarded as im- Paris, which contains 40 miles of tops—no culls. three torpedo boats to the United pregnable, hence the people had shelves, holding 1.400,000 books. States. Telegram from Madrid taken no precaution against a pos- There are also 175,000 manuscripts 89 4t

gress today, held up until very tends four miles inland, and peo- The largest cask in the world is late or until Monday to give Lee ple are fleeing for their lives from the Blatner Cask of Nuremberg American resident of Shanghai, The saloon occupies one balf of the

lives. England assured Washing- O. T. Word shipped 5,000 head at which over 500 persons were on ped in vinegar, soy or a solution of signs. On the bank side the wide

in twenty four hours to head off purchased John Perry's ranch and The largest sheep ranch in coal fire. Another popular dish is window, and attends to the banking the flotilla and Spanish cruisers, cattle in Crockett county, has been the world is in the counties of doughnut fried in oil. Baking is albusiness, and the bartender on the Spanish consulate at New York is offered a profit of \$4 per head on Webb and Dimmit in Texas; it most entirely unknown, but there is other side attends to the saloon busi-

been ordered to leave Havana. shipment of cattle for the Territory nually. Battleship Texas has left for this week. They are not in good The longest word in the English charcoal fire. These cakes are some- window is the first requisite of a Hampton Roads. Naval officers fix. He will not fluish loading language is "Proantitransubstantimes circular, but in every case successful banking business in Mul-

they inspected steamers offered to Col. M. Z. Smissen returned letters. "Transubtantiableness"

lards and thousands of them are 3,000 being bred, and that now he yards contain 20 miles of street. someness. New York Herald. entering the battalions of volun- has nearly 11,000 head. He just 20 miles of water-troughs, 50 miles

Spain has always had a special providence in great conflicts and cows are fat and all having all ha they have confidence that provi- and glass and water abundant in where it border the Gulf. For

8 1.3c up at Mayer Bros. & Co.

Joe Thiele, the mutton man from San Angelo, arriv. d Wednes-

Bertie Murchison were in Sonora of the secredness of the betrothal, iteles, the vigorous old age of Mi-

linger where they will attend the Dan Cauthorn is in Los Angelos House Without Cash," and Mrs. was the contemporary of Shakeswedding of their cousin which California, and writes that those Rorer on food and cooking for peare. And though the century Takes place this month. After a who do not expect to go to heaven children. Four special pages are now drawing to a close has been love you. short visit in Ballinger Miss Wal. should visit California before they

> daughter, Miss Alica, left on Wed- make them brighter and to help the foundation alike of science and nesday for Ballinger and probably the busy housewife. Published of art, but, concluded Mr. Austin,

water : Will graze 2000 cattle ahead. Be sure you get Hood's Sarpect it will purify your blood and give market in the state and March you appetite and strength.

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Greatest Things of the World.

The largest city of the world is cial to the Record from Cypress London, lying in four counties and having a population of 4.250,000, Two hundred and fifty persons equaling the combined populations SUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE were drowned today by the inuda- of Paris, Berlin, Saint Petersburg Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora tion of Shawneetown, six miles and Rome. To walk through all from this place. The north levee the streets. avenues, lanes and broke at 4:20 o'clock this afternoon alleys of the city never traversing and the Ohio river flowed over the the same one twice, would require a ten-mile walk every day for nine Scores of houses are floating years. The streets, placed in a about tonight and many persons row, would reach round the world are clinging to the wreckage in the and leave a remnant that would

The Largest Library in the The levee was built by the gov- world is the National Library of better in Hamilton county-all 300,000 maps and charts, and 150,-

John T. Cooper, the Sonora 55 feet quare at the base, and con-

water and drainage troughs. The Foet Laureate Austin Says They Are Com-

Home Journal.

75 per cent of lambs have been raised in the Sonora country and shough this per centage is small dead a ranch southwest of shough this per centage is small dead.

San Angelo Stan-Edison, in which the characteris- emotion without submitting to the Italians. An American who goes tic traits of the great inventor are severe discipline of numbers. Final- into any of the places on any pre-Joseph B naparte's fight to not of much account unless it be animated by the scientific spirit of with suspicion.—New York Sun. Mrs. M. V. Sharp and Mrs called in an article, "When the loving accuracy. in Texas, in writing of prospects William Franklin returned from King of Spain Lived on the Banks It must be obvious to any one who lack of rain, sheep were not doing Mr, and Mrs. Frank Large left Bell writes from Berlin her im. that the greatest poet of the middle "When it comes to the art of manso well there as they would under San Angelo Thursday on a visit to pressions of the Germans and the greater in any age, was thorough"It's very easily done," she inter-

romance of one of the most beautiful of New York belles and a talented young artist. Robert I man from the Franks Defeat coun- Burdette's "Mending-Basket" is bored indefatigably. Alike, there- had mastered the subject. - Chicago try was in Sonora Saturday for filled with the spirit of his home. fore, by necessity and choice, art Post Will Whitehead the well-known White Farm Failed" is quite as from being hostile to the artistic bridge terminus. Mrs. Frank Murchison and Miss is given. Edward W. Bok writes in one and the same epoch. Athens Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Elton and the Jessons of the flowers; chael Angelo overlapped the preco-Mrs. James Hagerlund and and its surroundings, all aimed to than the pictures of Turner and for some of the springs further by The Curtis Publishing Com while reason alone suffices to

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plementary and Not Rivais.

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of the Schuylkill." Miss Lillian has read the "Divina Commedia" all. A man always does. ly familiar with all the science or rupted. Julia Magruder's novelette, "A exact knowledge of his time, and Heaven-Kissing Hill," is begun Leonardo da Vinci, who might asked. ly philosophy, and "Why the exhibits a sympathetic kinship with of "Inside of a Hundred Homes" tions of both have always occurred Barton Cheyney on "Buving a clous youth of Galilei, and Bacon dening and there are half a score will not be more enduring than the three words, "Pay to bearer." - Chi. Give us a Tira! of practical articles on the home verse of Byron and Tennyson or cago News. pany. Philadelphia. One dollar science, art is reason transfigured by emotion .- Nature.

An Old Idea.

MULBERRY STREET'S BANKS.

If financial centers were judged by the number of banks, a man might be pardoned for supposing that Mulberry street was bigger than Wall street. In six blocks in Mulberry street there are 30 banks. That is an average of five banks to the block, and these six blocks are in the humblest part of the street

There are more banks in Mulberry street than there are saloons. In these same six blocks where there are 30 banks there are only 14 saloons, or an average of a little more than two to a block, and it is pretty 1600 head of good sheep-none safe to say that in Mulberry street the banks get more of the money of the laboring man than the saloons. Mulberry street is probably the only ing business and the saloon business go hand in hand too. Of the 14 saloons in these six blocks no fewer whether in city or village, takes his stores and the bank the other half.

years ago was celebrated by a ball meat rolls or patters. They are diplabels and with whisky and beer musicians, waiters and assist the steamed rolls, after they have instances is piled high, with bank grown old, are made palatable by notes and money. The proprietor being toasted on a grill over a char- occupies a place inside the bank

furnace, in which there is a hot of wealth. A pile of money in the tiationist," a jointed word of 28 they are covered with the seeds of berry street, and in the window of the sesame, which add very much to every one of the 30 banks in the six the flavor. Another variety is a blocks referred to there is a pile of large, round cake cooked on a grid- money. The bankers resort to all inspected fortifications. Cuban bought 600 2s, 3s and 4s from John The highest monument in the dle, and which is divided into quarmanner of devices to make piles Junte declares it will oppose the Perry at \$26 round. The cattle world is in Washington D. C. It ters when offered for sale. The Mo- look bigger. Some of them crumple United States if intervention is will be shipped from San Angelo was erected in honor of George hammedan Chinese make a similar the bank notes up so that they occake, of which they are also very cupy more room. Others build up a Washington. It is 555 feet high, cake, or which tag, any pork fat. mound of papers and then cover it For the better quality of native with \$5 and \$10 bills so that the with Minister Woodford through steckman, was in the city Satur- tains 18,000 blocks of marble, two pastry and confectionery rice flour whole pile looks like money. In German and Austrian ambassadors day. Mr. Cooper says that Sonora feet thick: In the interior is an is used, but at the treaty ports and this way a couple of hundred dollars the cities to which foreign influence can be made to look like a couple of has extended many forms of sweet hundred thousand. Another device cake and biscuit are made of Ameri- is to cut strips of paper of the size report that the heavy loss in sheep The largest Stockyards in the can flour. Even for purely native of bank notes, daub the edges green, in that section is untrue. To il- world are in Chicago, Iil. The varieties of rolls and cakes the and then use the strips as fillings Hayana, April 4-There is great | lustrate: "Charlie Adams went combined plants represent an in- American flour is now preferred on for packages of notes. Half a dozen enthusiasm here among the Span- into the winter with 9,000 sheep, vestment of over \$10,000,000. The account of its whiteness and whole- real bills are then put on top and half a dozen on the bottom of each package. The edges of these are turned up so that the casual observer surely thinks the whole package is made up of genuine notes. It is so commonly assumed that Still another device is to have a box would rather "die as heroes than through Jesse Cobb of San Angelo, accommodating daily 20,000 cattle, poetry and science are antagonistic in the window full of sawdust or

providence in great conflicts and cows are fat and all having calves, is the southeastern part of Persia, opening of a new school of science there was a box 2 feet square. It dence will not abandon Spain in Mr Neighbors' pasture. Ben will for y consecutive days in July and Macaulay given his well known love bound about with iron. On the side her "defense of justice and her let the cattle remain where they August the temperature has been of antithers, once endeavored to exposed to the street were the rights." In spite of this seeming- are until range conditions are suit. known not to fall lower than 100 show that is civilization advances words, "From the United States poetry almost necessarily declines, Mint." The cover of the box was ly brave showing many firms have able for their removal to Devil's degrees, night or day.—Ladies' and taking science as one of the raised, as if the box had just been most important factors in the civi- opened, and the box itself appeared lizing process the inference is that to be filled with crisp new bank in order to provide for eventuali- and Tom Green counties to Noble nal opens with a drawing by Alice Now, however, we are able to give striking, one bill was sticking to Mr. Jemeyson has been in the city morning in a church choir. Seyer- and art are complementary to one new when it was packed that the Muttons will be later this year all week and dropped in to see us. al other illustrations also take the another and not rivals. Science, ink had stuck it there. This exhibit than usual but there is not the He says a ranch lying north of the great festal day for a theme, and said Mr. Austin, is exact knowledge was a popular one. There were a same anxious feeling over the sit-quarantine is no good for the an article on "The Last Week in knowledge is the foundation of all staring at it. Not one of them seemuation that was so noticeable in ranchman that wants to trade and the Life of Christ," giving the inprevious years when the muttons he is looking for a location south cidents of the Savior's persecution real greatness in any of them who mint was not the place where bank were necessary to bring the sheep of the line. He will start to and crucifiction, is especially did not have the firmest grasp of notes are made, hence the words man his daily bread. From 50 to Ozona or Sonora in a few days and apropos of Holy Week. A feature the permanent facts which underlie "From the United States Mint" im-

The Art of Management. Of course he thought he knew it

"Oh, you admit it; do you?" he

"I do," she said. "It's like man-

Hands and Mouth Full. Fulton street, Brooklyn, near

"Hello, Biffins, are you crazy?" age in your mouth?' 'Why, I just crossed the street.'

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It is 105 feet in diamet r and 51 whether in city or things, that is stores and the ballon side the window is breakfast at the teahouse or restau- On the saloon side the window is breakfast at the teahouse or restau- on the saloon side the window is breakfast at the teahouse or restau- on the saloon side the window is breakfast at the teahouse or restau-ASK OUR SATISFIED CUSTOMERS FOR FACTS. Twine to our Customers at Cost to Us.

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has advanced \$800,000 to the bank his 14 section ranch in Sterling The April Ladies' Home Jour. a poet with a knowledge of scientific notes. There were ones, twos. fives Aristotype and Platinum Photos a Specialty.

Fisk, of Sterling county for \$2600. Barber Stephens of an Easter a poet laureite's opinion that science the uplifted cover as if it was so Enlarged Portraits, Picture Frames. Wall Pockets, Novelties, Etc. Etc.

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Mrs. A. Inveen, residing at 720 Henry St., Alton, Ill., suffered with sciatic rheumatism for over eight months. commended by friends, and was treat- fruits. ed by the physicians, but received no relief. She then used one and a half botiles of Chambertain's Pain B.lm. wants others similarly afflicted to know what cured her. The 25 and 39 cent

you to hold wool, and you will at of his friends. send all your wool to March Bros. who rustle new buyers, sell at the 82.21.

brother J. D Bird.

Bark dale are in Sonora, on a visit

solicited.

CHAS SCHREINER,

Blouse waists, the very latest at Mayer Bros, & Co.

The Sonora Courier made its appearance in Sonora this week.

Dress ducks, plain, figured and Miss Word's recitation.

Lost Lake country was in Sonora this week trading.

Miss Mollie Fivash expects to girl.

Sol and Abe Mayer the cattle. Hagerlund Bros. & Co. Sonora this week.

Yukon stripes and all the latest

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. You. Stokes on Monday April 4th, a

etc. Hagerlund Bros. & Co.

Eugene Collins has accepted a C. Smith, the well known well stock interests.

March Bros. of San Angelo sell enlarged their business and offer Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson of 23 years of age was arrested by Rev. J. A. Baker of Menardville wool and only charge 25c per better inducements for your busi. Knickerbocker, are in Sonora on a Deputy Sheriff R. H. Martin Wed

> the business people of Sonora. Our spring hats will be like our supposed to be from Brown county is the finest article Co., is expecting orders at any Eliga Briant, the sheepman, was Cal is a worthy young man and dress goods just received; far and was brought to town Friday in from th D. B. Cusenbary ranch the News cheerfully recommends superior to anything here before

C. C. Yaws, the manager for nesday from a pleasant visit to her pathises with Mr, and Mrs. Joe many things necessary to put She was accompanied on her re. boy which occurred Monday April business in good shape,

Elocution Class.

after a month's instruction gare and refreshments at Mrs. Max probably the most successful en. Mayer's Monday night in honor of tertainment of the kind over pre- Miss Vanderstucken and Miss sented to a Sonora audience. The Walker. The following gentlestage and decorations were care men and ladies were present: fully arranged and the entire pro- Jim Brumley and Miss Vandergramme was a success from start stucken, Felix Vanderstucken and to finish. Each number being so Miss Walker, D. H. Burroughs and well rendered and received that Miss Felton, B. F. Berkley and we hesitate to make special selec- Miss Monta Rountree, Chris Har tion except in the Pickanniny well and Miss Dodson, Alex Mc song "Down on de Ohio," which Gonsgill and Miss Stokes, T. D. was rendered by seven of the Newell and Miss Philips, W. W. negro costume with negro dolls in R. S. Holland and Miss Ida Wiltheir arms. The effect brought son, Mark Baugh and Miss Paldown the house. Miss Philips is mer, Sam Woodward and Misindeed to be congratulated, as the Word, Sol and Abe Mayer and reporter for the Niws heard noth. Bruce Drake. ing but praise and complimentary expressions from the departing Cletana, an old Mexican sheep programme:

badours,"--Miss Cosington.

Thee,"-Ronald Saunders.

Dream,"-Cora Loyelace. Recitation, "Miss Enith Helps Things Along,"-Bettie Kessler. Piano Solo -"Blossom Waliz,"

-Mrs. Keene. Recitation, "A Simple Sign," -Murdoch McDonall.

Recitation, "Christmas Night in Word.

Recitation, "Mud Pies"-Trixie Sessum. Class Recitation "Annabel Lee."

Charlie Pascoe.

Man,"-Forest Stewart. Piano Solo, "The Robins' Return," Miss Maggie Word.

Pantomime Drill,-By class. Recitation, "Matinal;" - Miss Luella Word.

Recitation, "My Mother's Prayer"-Mrs. Keene.

Stewart.

Miss Stokes.

Song, "We'll Have to Mortgage Kerrville, Texas. the Farm,"-by Misies Stokes, Marvin Hunter, typo "pro tem" Mrs, Black.

Mrs. Lee left on a visit to her camp. old home at Austin the week.

O gande St. German in all the latest patterns at Majer Bros. &

seed potatoes and oion sets at pleasant gentlemen.

men of F. Mayer & Sons were in Geo. Reynolds of Coma passed country who have seen war with position with Cusenbary & Lewenthrough Sonora Friday on his way all its horrors and devastation are that the Sonora druggists. Some

goods, embroideries, trimmings, well known stockmen left for Del court house on April 1st in honor Si Hodges the popular hardware It is not the gross price you get

Favorite Salcon, he will treet you attended.

Hagerlund Bros. & Co.

through town Monday with a herd When March Bros. succeeded John Anderson the stockman trip east Monday on his bike

A few friends were pleasantly

Miss Philips' class in elecution entertained with cards, dominoes,

audience. The following is the herder recently from Del Rio died near W. L. Locklin's camp on Dry Piano Solo, "Marche Des Trou- Devil's River Thursday. Mr Recitation, "The Light on Dead ora for burial. The Mexican had Locklin brought the body to Son-Man's Bar,"--Lottie Stephenson. been working for Thomas Moss Recitation, "Agnes, I Love and on Monday night complained of not being able to work. Tues-Recitation, Lincoln's Last day his flock was found scattered over the country but the Mexican could not be found. On Wednesday Mr. Locklin's herder found him and told the sick Mexican to go to his camp. He made the effort but was so weak he could not reach camp and another Mexican was sent out with a horse to bring the Quarters," - Hiss Maggie him into camp. He died early the next morning.

The Hardin murder case west Recitation, "Ain't He Cute?" to trial Tuesday last at Junction and the day was consumed taking Recitation, "The Ball-Headed evidence. Wednesday night the lawyers were still arguing the case. The State is represented by 118 district et orney W.C. Linden, M. Fulton and W. A. Williamson. The lawyers for the defence are W.W. Martin, Clarence Martin and S. D Foote. The information received from those who know the Dialogue, "Trapped"-Walter jury are of the opinion that the McDonald, Annie Stokes. Luella trial will result in a hung jury.

Recitation, "He and She"-Mrs Geo R Lee of Deming, N. M. was in Sonora this week on a short Recitation, "The Murderer," | visit to his mother and sisters Mr. Lee, in speaking of the cattle Pickaninny Song, "Down on de business, said yearling steers were My charges for handling wool in Ohio."-Bettie Kessler, Alma selling at \$23 ahead but he said than in Texas and being run on s Recitation, "The Coquette Pun- different plan are worth more

> Covington, Word, Mrs Ford and as the Rocksprings Rustler would Messrs Rice, McGonagill and Tay- say, on the Devil's River News, lor. Plano accompaniment by spent Sunday at Ried Calhoun's sheep camp and stayed all night. Special thanks to Mr. Black for The sheep did not fancy the prin- After it rains we will have room music during Pantomine Drill and ter and left the bed ground that in our pastures for about 1509 cat. and plaids at Mayer Bros. & Co. night and Ca'houn does not care the or 8000 head of sheep. for any more printer's visiting his

ness trip. Mr. Wilder is a promi- trading. Born to Mr. and Mrs. William nent dealer in saddles, harness, plements. Mr. Carroll is a saddle place, and invites his friends from Landreth's fresh grden seeds, and harness maker. They are the Sonora country to call and see

as enthusiastic over the possibility day he will hang out his shingle The prices on clothing at Hager of war with Spain as the youngest "D. B. Mills, M. D." lund Bros. & Co's, will please American in the country. These

nished the music and there being from our merchants. only a few present made the evening a pleasant one for those who

Wm. Pue, a young man about nesday for having stoien a carbine from W. W. Wellmaker. He is

trip to San Angelo this week re-

the One True BLOOD Puelfier.

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You want the top market price for

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Orders left at the Post Office will receive prompt attention.

GREEN BROS. Rock Springs, Edwards County.

Chas. Zenker has bought the him.

Our old friends in the Sonora Montie Mills has accepted a

Geo. Morris of the Maud S. noble veterans deplore the neces- saloon has for sale the celebrated recherche affir. The groom will W. S. McRaynolds, boss for sity for war but if the government Edgewood, (seven-year-old) whis. be supported by three groomsmen Green Bros. of Edwards county, says fight, they are right in for it key, and the Island Queen, two of and the bride by three brides-One of the most enjoyable hops the best whiskies on the market, maids. The DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Rio Thursday to thatter their of the visiting and departing young drummer from Brownwood was in for your wool, but the net price to ladies. The Mexican band fur- Sonora Saturday soliciting orders you after paying commission,

### WELLINGTON CLUB WHISKEY

Claude S mpson made a business that has ever sailed pany, to report for duty. Bob is Miss Pearl Mills returned Wed. The DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS sym turning Thursday. He bought over the San Angelo ache until the brave boy returns. right time for the highest market Mayer's Middle Valley ranch, was friend, Miss Tom. at San Angelo. Porker in the loss of their baby his confectionery and provision bars. No headache eral weeks ago Revs. Lassiter and Mark Baugh returned from his guaranteed. Corner Saloon San Angelo.

New ribbons, new colors, stripes

Full account of the Brann killing on the 4 h page of this issue.

Two years ago R. J. Warren, a drug C. V. Wilder and Bob Carroll John G. McKee, the well known gist at Pleasant Brook, N. Y., bought of Temple arrived in Sonora last cattleman of the Frank's Defeat a small supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sums up the result as fol-Saturday on a pleasure and busi- country, was in Sanora this week lows: "At that time the goods were unknown in this section; to-day Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a household Haley on Tuesday April 5th, a wagons, buggies and farming im Star Saloon, next door to his old communities. Wherever the good communities. Wherever the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Reme dy becomes known the people will have othing else. For sale by Cusenbary & Lewenthal, Sonora, Texas.

Wedding bells will doubtless ring this month for two of Sonora's young people. We are not at liberty to announce the wedding but it is understood it will be a very extends congratulations.

linterest, storage, and wagon freights, that counts and March Bros, of San Angelo have and will. save you at least one cent per pound.

Lieutenant R S. Holland of the San Angelo Rifles, who is at present and has been for a long time in the employ of Mayer Bros. & time from the captain of his comready to go but many a heart will

As announced in the NEWS ser-Steel of Brownwood and the pastor FOI Rev. J. W. Gibbens of the Methedist church will hold a protracted meeting in Sonora the coming week.

Hagerlund Bros. & Co's. new stock of millinery and fancy dress goods are the choicest and best assortment ever shown the ladies of the Sonora country. Call and legamine them.

which effected a complete cure. This position with Mayer Bros. & Co., driller and cattleman of Edwards. When you go to san Angelo, was published at her request as she in their saddlery and harness de- county was in the trading center call on Eddie Majer, at the sizes for safe by Cusenbary and Lewen- Eugene success. ahal, Sonora, Texas.

presiding elder of the Methodist bundred pounds which covers ail ness than any house in the West visit to their sister Ars. W. F. church held conference in Sonors charges, and they sell for the list week and the beginning of highest market price. 82.21. this. There was good attendance at all the meetings.

price. Julius Bird, a well known stockman and owner of several gold mines in the Alpine country, was in Sonora Monday on a visit to his

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Akerley, of on Buffelo draw of the Llano.

\$100,000.

NOTICE. M. L. Sawyer of Eldorado will She doctored for it nearly the whole of be in Sonora every Friday or Satthis time, using various remedies re- urday with fresh vegetables and our new Spring and Summer dress Geo. S. Allison and Don Cooper of the season was given at the 81-16t

partment. The NEWS wishes this week.

Figure up how much it costs Tuesday shaking hands with sev- him.

in for supplies Saturday. C. T Turney and outut passed turn by her brother, D. B. Mills. 41.

Gus A Batte residence.

To the Sheepmen of West Texas.

the future will be 2 1 2 per cent on Dreuman, Myrtle -iman, Nan. you must remember that catile gross sales, which includes all nie Word, Forest Stewart, Ronald grow much larger in New Mexico charges for handling, insurance, Saunders, Murdoch McDonald. storage, etc. Your consignments ished,"-Annie Stokes.

Sam Cox the cattleman from the

R. E. Covington came in town Co. Friday from Morrisons' well drilling camp in Schleicher county.

leave next week for San Angelo and probably Galveston.

French Madras, silk effects, to Rock Springs to attend court. patterns at Mayer Bros. & Co.

Ladies, he sure to come and see was in Sonora Friday for supplies.

March Bros. of San Angelo have O. K.

Cal Miller offers his services to Decker of the Decker Hotel.

of cattle on his way to Sin Angelo. last fall by telegrams and letters from six miles west of Sonora was He came down from San Angelo Sale only at the Jim Robson, the sheepman, was inducing Mr. Eisman of Boston in in town this week and reports have in 5 hours and 15 minutes although in Sonora Monday from his ranch coming to San Angelo, 10 5 8 was ing 82 head of cattle for sale. The he was detained 20 minutes rethe highest price offered by any. bunch includes 20 1-year-old steers pairing a broken chain. one for wool. Consign your wool and 14 2's; about 20 cows and 13 Borkedale are in Sonora, on a visit Mrs. Dodson of Ozona has move to March Bros., San Angelo, whose two-year-old heifers and a few saparilla, because "100 doses one acquaintance and resources are calves. He said for us to send dollar" is peculiar to and true only of almost unlimited. 82 21. Ahim a buyer at \$19.

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SONORA, TEXAS. - April 9, 1898.

s second-class matter.

The Death of Brann.

Waco, Texas, April 1 -- W. C. Brann lies mortally wounded at his home in this city; his business manager, W. H. Ward, carries a wounded hand and T. E. Davis, member of the real estate firm of Williams & Davis, is dying. These are results of an encounter in the streets a little before 6

along side by side on South Fourth street, just a half block from the spot where the Gerald-Harris tragedy occurred, when Mr. Davis it is said, stepped from his office and with an oath fired at Brann. Ward sprang at Davis and grabbed his pistol, while Brann turned to face his antagonist and Davis fired a second shot, the ball piercing Ward's hand. Ward, of course, released the pistol and B ann by this time had drawn his own.

Brann and Davis then began firing at each other, standing not more than five feet apart. Davis soon fell to the sidewalk and Brann continued to fire at him un-

He was conveyed to the city where he was placed on a cot and death. a physician sent for. He was shot not considered serious, but the coffin. shot through the lung is thought Mrs. Brann, pale, wan and calm

times through the body, one shot woe in marble. He friends are entering the center of the breast with her. She does not weep, is the only medicine on the markanother in the side and one in the Not a tear dims her eye

wounds are not serious. He was quent occasions to call at the eases of the scalp, If you buy a bottle of Danderine and use it as directed and if it don't do as ad-

ments as to how the shooting be- Brann, aged 6. gan. Mr. Davis made a statement Mrs. Brann said to the such remarks were communicated and to the world." only a few minutes before the night at Augusta, Ga. shooting; that he had refused to Brann reached home at 7 o'clock hauling, working cattle, etc., will

said; "I do not know what caus. heard. When it was seen that ed the shooting. I had started to Brann was dripping with blood the depot and met Mr. Brann. We and needed support to walk the ing flocks of sheep and herds of rest and convicion of any party were near French's news stand on getting attention from surgeons at passing is hereby forbidden on my of any land bdonging to under-Fourth street, when I heard some the city hall be was removed to lands 20 miles south east of So- signed. Our ands extend from body speaking in loud tones, ap- his home, where Mrs. Brann re- nora. plying an ephithet to somebody, ceived him in dumb agony and Then there was a shot and I turn. tearless woe. . The trouble grew out of publi- ber of graves at Oakwood. cations in the Iconoclast. T. E | As Brann drew nearer to his end Davis is a patron of Baylor Uni- his voice returned and he spoke in Persity, his two daughters being whispers to those about him. Mrs. inclepts at that institution.

Milliagene Kepler, a Kaneas City and he said, "Who is i.?" "It is missician, was shot in the foot me, love," she replied. "Oh, is that can be produced for the least during the fray and a street car it you?" the dying man whispered. money, call on the "Old Reliable" driver named Kennedy received a "My dear, sweet little wife," he slight wound in the leg.

thousands at this season.

They have no appetite; food Entered at the Postoflice at Sonora does not relish. They need the toning up of the stomach and digestive organs, which a course of Hood's Sarsaparilla will give them. It also purifies and enriches the blood, cures that distress after eating and internal misery only a dyspeptic can know, creates an appetite, overcomes that tired feeling and builds up and sustains the whole physical system. It so promptly and efficiently relieves dyspeptic symptoms and cures nervous headaches, that it seems to have almost "a magic touch."

# Sarsaparilla

Is the best -- in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Brann and Ward were walking Hood's Pills pills, aid digestion. 25c.

> ning to end. and his statement is to the effect that Davis stepped out of his office behind Brann and walk and shot Brann in the back before Brann drew his pistol.

> This statement is corroborated by another eye witness who stood within ten or nifteen feet of the parties in a news stand. He did him with a pistol.

The surgeons who dressed Mr. Brann's wounds state positively that the shot through the lung en- last reading. tered the back between the shoulders. As all witnesses testify that til officers arrived and arrested that Brann, after the first shot daughter who died at Houston to stood facing his antagonist till he was arrested it is contended that hall. He stood up until he walk- Davis' first shot was the one that ed fifty feet after he was arrested, went into the back and through then had to be carried to the hall, the left lung and caused Brann's

in the back, the ball entering be- Waco, Tex., April 2.-William tween the shoulders, piercing the Cooper Brann, the brilliant editor left lung and coming out between of the Iconoclast, is in his coslin other assets. the left nipple and the armpit. at his residence on North Fifth Another shot took effect in the street with masses of flowers heap- of the St. Louis Mirror, once a the left thigh and another in the ed on the tables, on the floor, on writer on the Globe-Democrat, right foot. The latter wounds are the chairs and on the lid of the

is resting on a couch in the room Tom Davis was shot five or six above, looking like the effigy of

wounds are not serious. He was quent occasions to call at the eases of the scalp, If you buy a utmost to hold the threads of life the bereaved lady. The two vertised, take the bottle back to company No. 1.—Max Mayer, Fore-and girls, besides a world of general the one you bought it of, and get man; Henry Decker, Assistant Fore-news matter, illustrated articles,

to assistant county attorney Sluder "My husband was an uncrowned Trimble. but Sluder would not give out the king. He wasn't always understood statement. It was in substance Tender and loving to me and the that he (Davis) had several months children, great in his life and ago said to a friend of Brann's that work, in his death the world suf- or any national news paper or ness, I ask al parties knowing week, or 156 papers a year, for a Brann was a scoundrel and ought fers an irreparable loss. Yes; he magazine published in the United themselves incebted to me, to call ridiculously low price. to be made to leave town; that was a king. He belongs to fame States at regular rates

to Brann and that Brann and Ward Mr. Brann secured tickets yeshad dogged his footsteps today; terday for himself and wife to go that they had applied insulting on a lecturing tour. The first lecwords to him at the Pacific hotel ture was to be given next Tuesday trespassers on my ranch near Mave Your Watches Repaired.

resent the insult and went to his vesterday afternoon, bleeding from be prosecuted to the full extent of his office; that they diliberately many wounds and nearly speech. the law. Irve Ellis, walked across the street to his less. He had incurred much reoffice, and as they passed the door sentment by his writing and when Brann said: "There is the scoun- the combat was in progress a cry drel and coward and he cannot be of "lynch him" was raised. Poinduced to fight;" that he (Davis) liceman Sam Hall, who rushed, walked out of the office toward regardless of his own safety, be. haulers and persons who are leavthem, and as he stepped upon the tween the duelists, assisted by ing our fences down by going over sidewalk Brann drew his pistol others, when the fight ended con- same with wagons, that any per lieved he got in the first shot, friends near and revolvers were the full extent of the law. while Brann was pulling his gun. seen in more hands than one. 81-tf Mr. Ward was seen while his There were bitter enemies on hand wound was being dressed. He too and fierce jaculations were walked along together, until we angry cries were hushed. After cattle, or any other mode of tres. found cutting or hauling wood off

ed and saw a man with a pistol | It was a fulfillment of a present-I grabbed the gun and he fired ment long entertained. She was again, the ball going through my ready for just such an outcome to hand. Brann had not drawn his the protracted feud, which has trespassers on my ranch south of gun but drew it immediately there- heretofore filled Waco with wild Sonora, herding sheep, cutting after, I turned the gun loose when passion, caused its streets to re- timber or working stook of any I was shot and I do not know what semble a battlefield, dyed its side- kind, will be prosecuted to the alse happened. I was unarmed " walks red and increased the num-full extent of the law.

Brann laid her hand on his brow continued. Then he opened his and you will get just what you Policeman Sam Hall was an eye eyes wide and smiled. "It is want at witness to the shooting from begin- nothing," he said. This will all 34

Are Schilling's Best

as good as we say? Don't you see they are money-back?

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pass away. I will be better and we will walk together on the lawn just as we used to do."

These were the last words of Brann, the Apostle, before he Peace, Precinct No. 1.

W. A. Stewart, Justice of the minded way. "It's on its last quarter,"—Detroit Free Press. died. It was nearly 2 o'clock this morning when he breathed his last. The moon was shining on CHURCHES: lawn, on which his friends were assembled, 100 or more. A messenger galloped to the telegraph offices and the news was flashed over the wire.

death was 44 years of age. He was born at Humbolt, Ill. His Mission Baptists have organizations, father, Col Noble Brann, an aged but no regular a Sointments. man, still lives at Humbolt. Mrs. Brann before her marriage with SUNDAY SCHOOLS: Ward as they passed on the side- Mr. Brann in 1877, was Miss Car- m. L. N. Halbert, Superintendent. rie Martin of Rochelle, III. Brann did not complete his college school house, at 10 a. m. R. E. Covington, Superintendent. course. His education was largely his wide reading and absorbing power. He strongly resembled Edgar Allen Poe's pictures, and E. church, every Sunday, 3 p. m. not see Ward shoot, nor did he see had traits of character in common bim with a pistol.

B. Y.P. U.—At the Methodist church every Sunday, at 4 p. m. with Poe, A volume of Poe's poems was open on his desk, SOCIETIES: showing that it was part of his

Orders wer; sent today to ex. be brought here and buried with her father.

Mrs. Brann will build her husband a monument. He leaves a fortune worth from \$30,000 to \$50,-000, partly insurance policies. His Goldberg. Treasurer. copyrights on his books are considered valuable in addition to

William Marion Reedy, editor will arrive here tomorrow and will take editorial charge of the Iconoclast, to which he has been a popular contributor.

Whitney's Lightning Danderine et sold on a positive guarantee to region of the kidneys. The other The News reporter has had fre- tempte, dandant and core all dis-There are are conflicting statenents as to how the shooting beBrann, aged 6.

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Baprist: Rev. D. W. Matthews, Service at 11 a.m. and 7:15 p.m. on the third and fourth Sunday in each month. EPISCOPAL:-William Cooper Brann at his Service morning and night on the eath was 44 years of age H. Service morning and night on the fourth Sunday in each month.

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A. F. and A. M., Dee Ora Lodge No. 715; meets at 8 p. m. on the first Saturday, after the full moon in each month. H. G. Colson, W. M., J. O. Rountree

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### NOTICE.

Having soldout my saloon busi- This gives you three papers a and settle with Chris Harwell at the Ranch salon.

Yours truly, G. S. Allison.

L. P. Chambers, a practical watchmaker, can be found at Hagerlund Brs. & Co. He comes well recommended and has the most complete set of tools ever brought here

### FOR SALE.

A well built five roomed house on corner of 100x200 feet with and he fired. He did not know veved Brann to the city hall as a sons caught hauling wood from situated in Vest Sonora. For thrice-a-week edition, 18 pages a further particulars and term, week, 156 papers a year, for one apply at the Niws office.

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### "His last words were of you."

The prodigal son-in-law tried to feel as solemn as he looked, "Might I inquire what they

His Last Words.

apolis Journal.

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