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but we are determined to sell them and have thrown profits to the wind. These are neither out of style or shelf worn goods, but new, bright and up-to-date patterns. Come now.

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Cattle Ranges of the Southwest.

Abilene, Texas.

(continued from last week)

grasses. It is considered as nutri. clusion of other species, seed fir water, light, sewers and paveake its place at these two seasons of short feed-in early spring and

Side-oats grama (Bouteloua curdevelopment and is of the highest in the canyons and mountain rav-

plant, appearing before even the live through long rainless periods. needle grass starts, thus supplying green food at a time when it is badly needed. It grows in great cure for all torms of Malaria, abundance in Parker County, Ague, Chills and Fever, Swamy Tex., and has been experimented Fever, Januadice, Biliousness, with under cultivation in Calla- fetid breath and a tired, listless han and Burnet counties with feeling. They cure Rheumatism most satisfactory results. It and the lassitude following blood promises to be one of the best poison produced from malarial winter and early spring forage poisoning. No Quinine. No Arplants, and is valuable also as a stomach or teeth. Entirely taste mulch and green manure.

the stock counties of Texas and New Mexico knows all about the value of this remarkable forage plant. It has somewhat the habit lion, and later puts out yellow give away \$275,000,000. midwinter, and grow during away even that sum. to make more rapid growth and ask himself. throws np its yellow blossoms. It | What would I do if I had to is at this period that the plant is of give away \$275,000,000? great usine. Sheep and cattle eat Mr. Carnegie must give intelliit with evident relish, and there is gently. He must not give so as to

animals so quirkly at the time encourage dependence, or so as to just named as the tallow weed promote sloth and idleness, He In fact, if it were not for the tal- must give so that the spirit of inlow weed there would often be no dependence will be fostered, available grazing to carry stock that the ability of his fellow rhrough the critical period of early ings to grow in intelligence and in spring a So far as known, the tal- public and private virtue be intow weed has never been cultivat- creased. ed, nor has any effort been made new ground: Some such experiments ought to be made with it, as it is certainly a must excellent and putritious forage plant,

Western wheat-grass (Agropyron spicatum) - This is a rather harsh leafed grass, 20 to 30 inches tall, It grows abundantly from central New Mexico and Texas to the northern boundary of the prairie half a century, compulsory eduregion. It is highly valued by stockmen for its nutritive qualiwhether cured as it stands on the property; the creation of a middle range or cut the hay. It is one of the best drought-resistant grasses Mauser rifles and officered by of this region, and occurs both in moist river valleys and on the graduates of a modern millitary drier uplands. It seeds freely at the capitals of all foreign every year, and is one of the best nations of importance; an increase wheat grasses for use in bringing up the native pastures to their former value.

Blue grama (Bouteloua oligostachya).-This grass and the closely related black grama (B eriopoda) are the most abundant and among the most nu ritious of By H. L. Bentley, Special Agent the range grasses. This grass is in charge of Grass Station at known throughout all the cattle. general increase of wages paid for raising State from Montana and common labor from 10 to 60 cents North Dakota southward to a day; a government the expenses Arizona and the Mexican border. green out. Again, after the It grows well on the high arid come and which has an accumulaneedles have fallen the wiry stems plains and bench lands, and is ted surplus in bank of \$10,000,000 and leaves are eaten by all kinds both a hay and a pasture grass in currency; a capital city with of stock, so that it is one of the It seeds abundantly, and, as it 400,000 in habitants in which is most valuable of the winter often holds the ground to the extious as the best, and there is no could be obtained in large quan- ments. other grass that would entirely tities at small expense by mowing and thrashing it out.

Wild bean (Phaseolus helvolus) item: "The business man of this This species of bean and a city who is in the habit of hugging dozen others closely related to it the hired firl had better quit or tipendula).—This is an excellent grow throughout the southwestern we will publish his name." The range pasture grass. It occurs country. They are excellent next day so runs the story, widely distributed from Arizona to stock foods, and when game was twenty five business men called at Montana and eastward throughout abundant in this region vast num. the ed tor's office, paid up sutbers of deer and antelopes are scription and told the editor not to the Mississippi Valley, but it is in the southwestern portion of this wild been and antelopes are scription and told the editor not to the southwestern portion of this wild been and vetables that grow stories territory that it reaches its fullest wild beans and vetches that grew stories. mes. Now the wild beaus, like DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS, \$2 A YEAR importance. The stems grow from many other useful plants, are be-

18 inches to 3 feet 'tall and make coming very scarce, except in pasan excellent hay when well cured. tures which are not overstocked. One of the best points about this The beans are like the cultivated grass is that it produces seed abun- pole beans in habit, forming long dantly, and, if allowed to scatter vines, climbing over weeds and its seed, will yery quickly cover bushes, and are sometimes nearly the range. It is one of the most 50 feet in length. The forage cor promising species for increasing responds in feeding value with the the carrying capacity of the south- cultivated cowpea. These beans are mostly free seeders, and with Stollev yetch (Vicia leaven- a little care may become much which grows in the granite region | They are perennials, with slender of central Texas and farther to the stems, large leaves, and what is of westward. It is especially valu- the greatest importance, thick able as an early spring forage fleshy roots, which enable them to

Moore's Pilules are a guaranteed less. Price, 50c per box. Tallow weed (Actinella lineari- C. Moore Co., No. 310 North olia) - Every sheep raiser in all Main Street, St. Louis, Mo. or at J. Lewenthals drug store.

#### If You Had \$275,000,000.

Andrew Carnegie is much prewhen it first appears, of dande- plexed over the problem of how to

blossoms on an upright stem from He has been giving steadily for 9 to 15 inches high; still later it about twenty years, but has sucforms a seed head which some- ceeded in disposing of only \$49,what resembles that of the yellew 000,000. And the most of that clover. The tallow weed is a went in such large blocks as the winter and early spring forage, endowments of the Pittsburg which entirely disappears as soon Museum, the New York Library as the seeds have ripened and and the Scottish universities, His fallen. The young plants come income is close to \$15,000,000 a mence to appear in autumn or year. He has difficulty in giving

periods of bright weather all These perplexities are not imthrough the winter months, In aginary, They are very real. To January or Febuary it commences realize the fact one has only to

The power for good of right givto extend its range by gathering ing is only equalled by the power the seeds and scattering them over for evil or wrong giving -New York World.

> J. D. Whelpley gives in the World's Work these startling statistics of President Diaz's administration: Twenty-four years of peace for a nation of 14,000,000 people who had been at war with others and among themselves for cation; religious freedom; safety for foreign and domestic life and class, a modern army of 38,000 trained soldiers armed with an increase from \$35,000,000 to \$78,000,000 in the output of precious metals, an increase from \$20,000,000 of foreign capital in cotton mills and millions more in breweries, paper mills and many other forms of enterprise; a of which are always within its in-

> A Missouri paper published this

# CHAS. SCHREINER, BANKER

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worthii).-This is an annual vetch more abundant than at present. A Ceneral Banking Business Transacted. Accounts of Merchants and Stockmen.



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John Charlton Clarkson one of men, was having a jully good time away. in the Metropolis the first of this week. Mr. Clarkson's wife is

Will Greenwood and other.

John Potter, one of Sonora's most prominent citizens, and a brother of our esteemed fellowtownsman R. E. Potter, was out here for a few days this week prospecting with a view of locating. Mr. Potter was very well pleased, and if satisfactory arrangments can be made he will purcha e ranching lands near here. Del Rie vicinity need many more just such citizens as Mr. John welcome him should he decide to locate in our midst.-Del Rio Record.

She Didn't Wear a Mask. But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and guaranteed. pimales till she used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as will all Eruptime, Fever Sores, Beils, Ulcers, Carbuncles and Felons from its use. Infailible for Cuts, Corns, Barns, Scalds, and Piles. Cure guarantee. 25c at E. S. Briant's drug store.

printing office and said to the Carmichael, of Gladstone, Queenseditor; "I'd like to take your land, who gives 1 (z of nitre to paper, but I am too poor." "Go affected animals, and in every apper and pay for it,

Pretoria, July 21.-Mrs. Kruger, wife of former President Kruger of the South African Republic, died yesterday afternoon of pneumonia after an illness of three days. She was 67 years old,

Mrs. Kruger's long separation from ber husband combined with the death of her favorite daughter, Mrs. Smith, last week, had com. pletely broken her spirit:

Mr. Elff and many others members of the Kruger family were at Comstock's most prominent sheep- her bedside when she passed.

> Money interests most people. Safe dition of the First National Bank of of it. Sonora in this Issue.

### WELINGTON CLUB WHISKEY

is the finest article lumber firm of Smith & Hail, and improve appetite. Price Potter and we will heartly that has ever sailed members of a new lumber firm by E. S. Briant, druggist. over the San Angelo

bars. No headache

sale only at the

Corner Saloon San Angelo

f Agri-ulture.

will have the most perfect outfit body was left, and for a time we 50c and \$100. Trial bottles free of sanitary plumbing in West felt safe. When the relatives of Texas, when the San Angelo the man began inquiring for him. While out hunting and fishing furnish information in regard to J. S. McConnell. R. E. Willi Ms. cypress tank and plumbing goods Abe purchased from them re-

Landon hotel.

Rufus Sterling, the machinist, men. has temporarily retired from business in the city and is succeeded thing," said a local railroad man, at the old stand, on the Pulliam visiting friends and relatives in banking interests depositors. Success corner, by C. C. Clark, the visiting friends and relatives in banking interests depositors. Success the north and east this summer is interesting to the stockholders and bowels, stimulates the liver, in curing the silments of summer, and he is enjoying himself with officers. All parties interested will be Rufus success in any undertaking mas on the wet earthen fibor of a and is, in fact a perfect guardian and the disorders prevalent during "the boys," Messrs Frank and pleased with the statement of the con- he may engage in, for he is worthy dungeon. It is bad to handle a of the health. Price, 50 cents, at hot weather. Price, 50 cents, at

Rust Bros. & Sims have incor. worse for him, and I think I perated their telephone company would have done the same thing. under the name of San Angelo -El Paso Herald. Telephone Co, and capitalized it at \$80,000. The charter members are John Y. Rust, Jerry Y. Rust, Islewellyn Rust and John W.

with a capital stock of \$51,000 -San Angelo Standard:

cured " A trial proves its match. leave information at News office. We once heard of a farmer who A cure for tick fever, it is said, less merit for all Stomach. Liver one day stepped into a country has been discovered by a Mr and Kidney troubles. Only 50c Sold by E. S. Briant, Druggist,

home," said the editor, "take up case they recover their health scholars can remember the longest quested to bay or make satisfac hen, call her mine and if she within twenty minutes, although sentence they ever reac?" Billy: tory arrangements of same within wants to set let her and next fall they are for a time rather weak. "Please, mum, I can." Teacher: the next 30 days or said accounts bring her and her produce to me The remedy has proved effective, "What? Is there only one? Well, will be placed in the hands of an I'll send you the paper." When he says, even when the animals William, you can tell the rest of attorney for collection. I am fall came he found he was paying were apparently dying. If this is the scholars the longest sentence compelled to close this business the price of two papers. After correct it is a most important dis- you ever read." Billy: "Im- up at once. that he was never too poor to take covery, -South Australia Journal prisonment for life."-Christian

Whether criminal or not, one of the most sickening deeds: ever committed in this section was witnessed on a railraad far dow in Mexico a few weeks ago.

The deed was that of burning the remains of a dead Mexican in the fire box of a locomotive after the train had crushed his body to

It appears that a freight train ran over a Mexican on a prairie. some distance from a house. The crew was at-once alarmed for their severe on train crews when men are killed by the trains. To hide that accident and keep out of jail, and the uncertain annoyance of going to jail, the engineer and fireman got out of the cab; took the mangled body of the man and put it is the firebox of the engine. be put up just as soon as an im Scraping up all the blood and wet mense ice-making plant can b sand they threw it in the box with the roasting body, and proceeded put in operation: Simultaneouel. on their journey.

made for the Mexican by his family, and it was learned that he had ter to begin, the Leyland steam passed a certain station on the ships will have transported t road, but had not been seen at the Barrow a sufficiency of America: next, Some one quite a distance cattle and sheep to keep it goin, in the mountains had seen the until further supplies can be laid train stop there, where there was down. British cattle and shee, no station, and the trainmen were and swine are to be brought righ asked if they saw anything of the along but the main reliance will b man. Fearing the truth would be placed in American supplies. I known, they all resigned their addition to all this the cold stor positions and fied to the United age plant is to be the main depo

a friend here a few days ago, and fruits brought to Great Britain by related his exeperience. He said the Leyland ships and America. that he and the engineer studied apples will also be made a specia the matter over for several feature. In short, as planned minutes, before finally deciding this is, perhaps, the greatest ven that it could be no worse for the ture of the sort on record and in Mexican, and would certainly keep view of the interests behind: it, the them out of jail. They had a foremost in America and Britain, horror of the native juil, and there is no doubt that it will go knowing that at the best they through ac outlined. would have to remain in jail for several months, even if they eyer got a trial at all, they decided to end the matter.

ing the body of that man into the Dr. King's New Discovery for raging flames," said the fireman, Consumption. It's severest tests I would never recover, but it was orrhage, Pleurisy and Bronchitis, the best thing to do. It was really thousands of whom it has restored law, and of course feel bad about Colus, Asthma, Croup. Hay Fever, Hoarseness and Whooping Cough gine is fearful, and the bedy did the world. It is sold by R. S. Devil's River News Mrs. Kruger Dies At Pretoria. Abe Mayer's new ranch house the next station, not a tract of the or refund money. Large bot no

"These fellows did the proper scare as he got .- Mason News. "for if they had not done it they

A Poor Millionair.

Lately starved in London because he could not digest his feed. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would haved saved him Cicero Smith, the lumber king. They strengthen the stomach, aid and member of the San Angelo digestion, promote assimilation, his son-in-law, H. N, Frost, are Money back if not satisfied. Sold

Strayed or Stolen.

From the Doc Simmon's ranch White Man Turned Yellow. about Sept. 1, 1900, one Durham Great consternation was felt by bull, about 3 years old branded the friends of M. A. Hogarty of D. D. on right side, marked E or Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly, His eye out, deep red color, white malady was Yellow Jaundice, He bush and some white between the was treated by the best doctors, fore legs, Could have his right but without benefit. Then he was horn offend right eye out by now advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful Stomach and Liver but nevertheless I will pay ten remedy, and he writes: "After dollars for information leading to taking two bottles I was wholly his recovery: Loc Simmons or

#### MOTICE.

All parties indebted to the firm Teacher: "How many of my of Hagerland Bros. & Co. are re-

E. R. JACKSON,

ASSIGNEE.

Packing Plant in England. One result of the late visit of J

P. Morgan to Albion, says- the Breeders' Gazette, is that a typi. Swift's Chicago etaff of sheep. ness, cal American packing plant is to buyers; returned this morning be established at Barrow in Fur. from a stay of nearly three months ranch on West Prong last Tuesness the Lancashire sea port which has such splendid docks such unequaled shipping facilities and such magnificent shipbuilding yards. English capital, is now ready to go ahead with the enterprise, the Duke of Devonshire, one of the wealthiest men in the safety, as the laws of Mexico are world, having accepted the chair manship of the board of directorof the controlling company. The duke and his following represent the strongest of British financia interests and practically unlimited capital is controlled. A colstorage house to cost \$150,000 is to established and got ready to b. A few days later inquiry was to be erected and when the lar a packing house to cost \$750,000 i States, coming through El Paso. for the transference of all th One of the men told his story to gigantic consignments of tropics

It Dazzled The World.

No Discovery in medicine has ever created one quarter of the ex "It was a grewsome task, shov- citement that has been caused by and it made me so sick I thought Consumption, Pneumonia, Hem it. You know the fire in an en- it is the quickest, surest cure in

ground cave in with him and let that Shaw failed signally in givin San Angelo Thursday and vester- has been done in a number of der the bank of the river and had parties .- Pickings, Fort Stockton. day on business, a guest of the casas in the interior, where the their home. Mr. Taliaferro falllaws are so severe against railroad ing upon them sc unceremoniously must have given them as great

corpse this way, but it was no J. Lewenthal's drug store.

Duncan Sparks, a member of days this week attending to busiing after some of the Southern in- his ranch was not sufficient toterests of his firm. He traveled break the drouth. ters, and spent much of his time in our town several days this in the Pecos River country; also week, buying some horses. become a frightful drouth was in town Tuesday. broken by a ten-hours' rain there Mr. T. R. Walker and family now looking better, with people remed the Dan Lovelay residence.

re holding their sheep at high and Bud Ridgeway. rices, and from present indicaast spring's wool clip has been Rustler. old chiefly a 7 to 133 per pound, f which 16c had been refused last ear. Flockmasters are quite drug store, enerally disposed to hold their heep, and give as their principal urrent prices.

CANDY

EAT 'EM LIKE CANDY

KEEP YOUR BLOOD GLEAN

J. W. Thornberry left Sunday not last long. Before we reached Brianne to guarantees satisfact of from where he was brought to and fences. And a 30 foot rise authorities where the body of Junction Citizen. Chris Luentzel was buried, and to Windmill Supply Co. put in the we became alarmed and fled the last week C. E. Taliaferro had the the murder of Luentzel. It seems Only one of the men nentioned him into the water. He scramble the desired information and the case while in El Paso, but the ed around and with the assistance therely fails also to secure his par-Abe Mayer; of the firm of exten. story was taken as true, for he of others got out: Upon investi. don which was promised him if he sive cattle raisers, Sol Mayer & was serious in relating the story. gation it was discovered that would give information that would Bro, Schleicher county, was in Railroad men here say that this bevers had tunnelled far out un- lead to the conviction of the guilty

> If the stomach, liver and bowels fail to perform their functions regularly and naturally, the blood becomes contaminated with, im-Herbine clears the complexion, purities, and the whole system is would have been in jail now, and gives buoyancy to the mind, cures in consequence debilitated. Her-J. Lewenthal's drug store,

A Chicago Livestock Exchange J. J. Ford and Frank McGonagill of Sonora, were in town a few

A. M. Gilmer was in from his in Texas, where he has been look. day. Mr. Gilmer says the rain at

over a large section of the State, Mr. Hefflin of Sonora accompanmaking San Angelo his headquar. ied by a Mr. Moon of Sonora was

taking a turn in the Dry Devil's Bob Miers who recently pur-River country. He says what had chased the J. L. Barnes ranch was

ate last week and the country is have moved to town and have

nore hopeful, though not much is Quite a number of our friends expected of the corn crop in many are gone to the Sour Wells for a few days recuperation. They are Very little trading is being done J. H. Dobbin, Joe Barnett, n the sheep line now. Owners Johnnie Coleman, Dee Newton

Coving on & Broyles sold to J. tons, very few sheep will move to B. Byrd 320 head of stock cattlenarket until late in September. for A. M. Gilmer.-Rock Springs

Those who live of farms dorg with which went a good especially liable to many accidenleal of old wool that was held tal cuts, burns and bruises which ver from last year, and for some heal rapidly when Billard's Suo Liniment is applied; Price, 25 and 50 cents, at J Lewenthal's

Mrs. M, L. Martin returned last eason that they were bought so week from a visit of some length ligh to turn on grass last year to her daughter Mrs. Chas Kimhat they can not afford to sell at ble in Burnet county. She was accompanied on her return by Mr. Kimble, who will extend his trip to some of the western counties on a prospecting tour.

R. T. Baker of Sutton was among the visitors in Junction the past week.

J. R. Martin sold a span of horses last week, one of which was his old favorite. "Tobe," for

The longest drouth was broken Wednesday. Early in the afternoon heavy clouds began to gather and by six o'clock, the rain begain to fall in copious showers, which continued with short intermissions through-out the night, lasting till far up in the day Thursday. Both rivers began to rise early Thursday morning. The South Llano reached a hight, estimated at 30 feet, while the rise on norning with Charley Shaw to re- feet. Bear creek was on a general earn Shaw to the manifest to go doing great at mage to crops show the authorities where the was reported in Johnson Fork

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Just try a package of

and you will understand the reason of its

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ysician and Surgeon, Office at J. Lewenthal's Drug Store, Residence at the Cusenbary place, back of Court House-

Sonora, - - Texas,

### DRS. A. L. & L. TAYLOR,

Physicians and Surgeons, a fine rain last week.

Office over E. S. Briant's Drug Store

- - Texas.

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selling.

SONORA, TEXAS.

he has some work to do.

Bob Martin was in from the ranch Saturday for supplies for the barbeque.

Full assortment of Hawkes renowned spectacles Lewenthals drug store.

E F: Vander Stucken Co. re- and then go to Burnet county. ceived a car load of furniture this

Hawkes famous eye glasses and the bar at A. J. Swearingen's. spectacles at J. Lewenthals drug

was in from his ranch in Edwards family are doing: county, Saturday and says he got

fine cigars at C. M. Deere's Ice Cream Parlor.

and Mrs. G. W. Whitehead: were at J. Lewenthal's drug store. in from the ranch several days this week visiting:

Geo. Black and son Bill were in returned Sunday with Mrs. Black's mother Mrs. W. W. Martin of Midland.

Ask for X X Pearl Rye or Edgewood whiskey for sale at

Henry Staudt and Herman at J. Lewenthal's drug store. Leindecker of Fredericksburg,

The old reliable Rodgers pocket knives for sale at J. Lewent's drug store

Geo, Howell the well driller, was in Sonora Monday for supplies. He has moved his drilling machine down in the Rock Springe

The hest knife is a Rodgers See J. Lewenthal's assortment and buy what you want.

Dry Devil's, was in Sonora Wed. Dasie Johnson, and Messrs Lige Misses Ida Stites, Myrtes Woodnesday to see how we are getting Long and Burt Bellows spent Sun MAKES BOOTS AND SHOES alon. He says it is dry down his day afternoon very pleasantly at Wednesday from the Middle

stockman of Edwards county, was North of Sonora. STOCKMENS BOOT IS A SPECIALTY in Sonora Saturday and took out a four horse load of supplies. Mr. fine down his way.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Berry and children returned from a visit to their old home in Lampasas, Friday. Bill says they had a splendid time and that Geo. Dave and Holley are all doing well;

J. M. C. Dale, P. H. Kidd and WILL DO YOUR ROCK WORK N. Y. Lolley, prominent business men of Winona, Smith county. were in Sonora Sunday prospec tors for a ranch. Their old friend Ben Mitchell who ranches on the Llano, was showing them around,

Children often cry, not from pain, but from hunger, although fed abundantly. The trouble arises from manition; their foodis not assimilated; but devoured; by worms A few doses of White's I can furnish you with a list of all Cream Vermifuge will destroy the kinds of live stock and ranches. It will worms, when the children will pay you to see me before buying or begin to thrive at once. Price, 25 cents, at J. Lewenthal's drug

## E. S. BRIANT,

PROPRIETOR OF THE

SONORA DRUG STORE.

STORE IN KDENIG BUILDING PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED BY OTIS MITCHELL. in Sonora on a visit to her brother from the ranch Monday shopping your bargains.

Miss Pearl Mills arrived home Ozona, this week. last week from a visit to friends in

Mrs. Jas. Gillesdie of Ozona, for D. M. Fields the stockman. arrived in Sonora Tuesday on a S. W. Stephenson.

Bill Miers and Jim Alford the ranches Tuesday getting a load of range.

two successful farmers of the Sonora Wednesday for a few C. J. Nichols the contractor Llano, were in Sonora Monday for tricks. went to Eldorado Monday, where supplies.

When you go to San Angelo Barkedale returned from their ranch Tuesday shopping. call on Eddie Maier, at the trip to Hot Springs, Ark. Tuesday, Favorite Salcon, he will treat you they report having had a good

When in Eldorado, get your

Mr. and Mrs. I N. Brooks and their way home to Del Rio. Miss Amelia Carroway left on a

Drink X X X Pearl Rye or Edgewood whiskey sold over

Will Whitehead left on Tues. day for the Territory to look after Bob Miers the young stockman to see how Andy Boon and his mill repairs.

inyone to endure the torture in on a pleasure trip. Candies, cold drinks, fruits and flicted by piles when Tabler's ne cloars at C. M. Deere's Ice Buckeye Pile Ointment will cure them, a remedy so moderate in price and so effective. Price 50 of peaches. Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitehead cents in bottles Tubes, 75 cents,

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Swearingen and childred and Miss Miranda Sterling and H. Thiers returned from Green's ranch Saturday and from a fishing trip to the Llano Heffin left for San Angelo, Mon Monday, and report having had a doy on horse business delightfull time.

Business mer who lack the vim. nap and vigor they once had, should use Herbine, it will purify the blood, strengthen and invigor-A. J. Swearingen's Ranch saloon. ate the system. Price, 50 cents,

C T. Dalton of Burnet, C. A were in Sonora several days this Petts, F. C. Thompson, O. M. week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Jesse Jones, R. S. Boykin on Devil's River on a fishing trip. Tom & Will Savell proprietors of contains some 14,000 acres, 10,000 of Cameron and W. W. Carroll of Georgetown, were in Sonora Wedneeday on their way home from a River. They all reported having minerals. ad a fine time.

> ate heretofore give on round trip most enjoyable time. tickets is discontinued!

Tom & Will Savell. Mrs. N. M. Huffman, Mr. and

Mrs. J. J. North, Mr and Mrs. C. M. Deere, Misses Sophie W. C Myer the stockman from Wander Stucken, Jennie Deere.

Call on R. C. Dawson if you of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Yaws. want any thing in his line. He Dr. Broiles the specialist, cures by the Traweek hotel. It was at pasture Thursday expecting to statement is true to the best of know-Whitworth says the rains were carries a new and first-class stock all Chronic diseases. Lampasas that crossing Mr. Russell was meet his sister from De Leon. of buggies, hacks, wagons, sewing Monday, Goldthwaite Tuesday, thrown out. The horses continu. Everything in the grocery line machines, stoves. Also a fine Brownwood Wednesday, Coleman ed to run and after turning up the stockman from Devil's River, was this 26th day of July, 1901. kept regular in stock, and price line of saddles, harness, whips, Thursday, Ballinger Friday, San street by R. S. Caruther's place in Sonora Thursday looking right at C. M. Derre's. Your trade rugs and every thing that a first- Angelo Saturday, Consultation free the little girl jumped or was around. class saddle shop handles. 31 tf charges reasonable.

Mrs. J. C. Wilson of Seguin, is Rev. A, J. and Mrs. Cox. were in Mayfield's is the place to get

Frank Rucker came over from

J. J. Rice the contractor is in a boy. Eidorado, building a fine residence

J. A, Whitten was down from visit to her parents-Mr, and Mrs. Eldorado Wednesday, after some of his horses.

Jap Brannan was up from Juno a visit. stockmen were in from their Wednesday, on the lookout for

D. Wallace who is running the shopping. Jim Petigrew and Dock Joy, Ford ranch on the Llano, was in

Mrs. Tobe O'Neal and some of Max Vander Stucken and Hanie the children were in from Greens J, Savells feed yard;

turned from their visit to Tyler load of his house hold goods-

meals at A. J. Savell's Restaurant family were in Sonora Sunday on a business trip,

The crowded condition of the NEWS visit to Robert Lee Tuesday where on the return of the News representathey will remain for a few weeks live from the Barbecue prevents us telling of the fine time every one had. Will have it in the NEWs next week.

Mrs. Boosie Sharp.

Berry Baker was in from the

There is no longer an excuse for Jr. left for Menardville Saturday

Frank Oiney of Sherwood, was in Sonora Wednesday with a load pecting for minerals,

Jim Glasscock one of Menard boys, was in Sonora several days this week visiting relatives.

R. S. Caruthers, and John

San Angelo, Monday on a busiin from the ranch Wednesday.

J. J. Taylor and family and Dr. the ceremoney. A. L. Taylor and family are down

S. Gariand of Hamshire, near Beaumont, is in Sonora prospect- of round trip tickets. fishing and hunting trip to Devil's for a ranch, also for oil and other

No increase in single trip fare from young stockmen, was in town had his left leg broken above the San Antonio Express. conora to San Angelo, but the reduced several days this week having a ankle and the ankle dislocated.

Dud Yaws accompanied by ward and Dona Allison, came in the hospitable home of Mr. and Walley ranch where the young J. N. Whitworth a prominent Mrs, I. N. Brooks eight miles ladies had been enjoying themselves for several days, the guest

# BANK SALOON

Frank Sparks, Prop.

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I Can Order for You any kind of a Hack, Wagon, Sewing Machine, Stove. R. C. DAWSON,

Tuly 27 1901

Born on Thursday July 25th 1601 to Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Midkiff.

Dave Adams the assessor was in from his place below Fort Terrett,

Mr. and Mrs. John Colbough went to San Angelo Thursday, on

Mrs. Ira wheat and Miss Zena Wheat were in Sonora Monday

G. T. Sharp and P. L. Maitland returned from a prospecting trip to Dry. Devil's River. Wednesday. When in Einorado, stop at: A

Uncle Billie Franklin came in Dr. C, D. Smith and family re- from Sherwood Thursday after a

J. J. Ford and Frank McGona-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellis and gill left for San Angelo Monday or Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of

day on their way to the Llano on a fishing trip.

A. H. Conner of Brady is in known stockmin of Concho prospecting for minerals.

J. S. Dabney representing Edw some stock he has up there, and ranch Monday getting some wind. Wiston Tea & Spice Co. of St Louis, Mo., was in Sonora Thurs-Cudge Parker and Chas. Adams day soliciting orders.

J. H. Dolan of Leadville, Colorado, and P. H. Stephens of Llano, are in the Sonora country pros-

Tom White of Davilla, R. H. Kirk of Rodgers, and S. S. Kirk horses from diffenent parties at of San Angelo, came in Thursday from \$40 to \$55. on a prospecting trip. Mr. White is a nephew to Glass Sharp.

the Maverick, Clark Litho Com- \$55. Mr. and Sam Tayloe went to Sonora Thursday it the interest of his ranch in Concho county, was in Sonora Tuesday, wanting to communication of the sonora State Banks and pany of San Antonio, was in

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Merck were on the old Robertson ranch on this country. Wednesday July 24th, 1901, June Colbaugh to Miss Mary Bleeker,

> Owing to the high price of grain Jackson of Austin. The ranch LAWEUL MONEY RESERVE IN the San Angelo mail line have of which is deeded and the rebeen obliged to withdraw the sale

from the meeting last Friday night at 320 per head, everything count-Joe wyatt one of our prosperous was thrown from his buggy, and ed and the land at \$1.50 per acre. Dr. Lark Taylor and J. C. Midkiff Jas Cornell of the law firm of were called and made the repairs. Taylor & Cornell returned from a Mr. Russell's little niece, daughter prosfessional triy to Austin Tues. of Mrs. Mary Bell, was in the goods at J. W. Mavfield & Sons. buggy with him and was also Wm. Kuykendall the wellthrown out but not injured. The driller has finished the J. J. North Individual deposits subject accident is thought to have oc- well obtaining good water at a Cashier's checks outstandcurred by one of the horses slip. depth of 159 feet. ping the bridle while tied near the postoffice. Mr Russell knew your money on groceries and some thing was wrong as soon as hardware. the horses started but was unable to stop them, They ran down Main street and turned the corner thrown out. J. W. Keene was sitting in his front yard when Mr.

attended Mr. Russell.

to Sonora Saturday to inform Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Hal- U.S. bonds & premiums Sheriff Briant, that one of his. bert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Five per cent Redemption (Gillespies) herders had been Eilis. tound dead near a water hole, on the Sonora road, about two miles D. B. Woodruff went down and family and to do some trading. Due depositors. 72,074.54 made an investigation. They Sam says they had fine rains down found that the dead Mexican, there. range Friday evening and search | way. was made for the hearder. He was found by Cartarino Eureques Saturday as above stated, The Mexican had been shot twice Once in the neck and once above the right eye. He was sitting Arizona. under a hackberry tree on the bank of the water hole and two thirty thirty cartridge hulls were found about eight feet from his body. There were no signs of a strnggle and it is presumed that he was asleep when shot. There is no clue as to who did the shooting. The condition of the body indicated that the killing had been done on Thursday. Jesus Rios had lived in Sonora about two years. and is said to have had a family in Mexico. The body was burried near where found on the bank of the water

The Chicago Livestock Commission Company Has been changed to

Capital Stock Increased from \$100,000 to \$300,000 All Paid Up. This is simply a change of name and not of management:

WE SOLICT YOUR SHIPMENTS AND HAVE UNLIMITED MOVEY TO LEND ON CATTLE. REMEMBER THE NEW NAME When shipping to either CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS or KANSAS GITY.

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We beg to bring before the sheepmen of Texas our concentrated Tobacco Powder dip. One 50 pound bag will make 500 gallons of dip. It contains Eldorado were in Sonora Wednes. the proper proportion of sulphur.

For prices, pamphlets, etc., call on P L Maintland formerly a well or write to

### Sonora on a visit to his daughter county, was in Sonora this week J. W. MAYFIELD & SONS, Sonora.

Manufactured solely by Laidlaw, Mackill & Co., Ltd., Richmond,

Notice to Stock Shippers.

Joe Short of San Angelo, has pasturage two miles from town, and shippers wanting to hold over First National Bank of Sonora. for a few days can be accommodated by seeing him.

Frank McGonagill bought 14

V. Q. Raymond representing Edwards county at from \$40 to U. S. Bonds to secure circu-

Married at the barbecue grounds buy a 10 or 12 section randi in Tom Coleman has sold the Vin-Judge D, B. Woodruff performed ing ranch, located about eighteen miles north of Kerrville to J. W.

> mainder leased. Two hundred and twenty head of well graded Redemption fund with U.S. Treasurer (5 per cent Durham cattle go in with the deal

Undivided profits, less ex-We will continue to give bar. gains in our entire line of dry National Bank notes out-

J. W. Mayffeld & Sons can save

Alex Farmer was in from the John Reiley camp in Wheats Aldwell, Cashier of the above named

Keys Fawcett the well known

Come early and get your choice of our large, new and complete Russell was thrown out and it was line of fall and winter dry goods at Mr. Keene's house the doctors at J. W. Mayfields & Sons. Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert Loans and discounts ....

Sam Palmer the sheepman was below his ranch home. Sheriff in from his camp on Dry Devil's Briant and Justice of the Peace River Thursday on a visit to his Capital stock paid in ...

Jesus Rias, had been herding for Tom & Will Savell, proprietors Bills parable. Mr. Gillespie during the tempor- of the Sonora-San Angelo mail ary absence of the regular herder, line have discontinued the sale of The sheep were found loose on the round trip tickets. Fare \$4 each

Report of the Condition

at Sonora;

In the State of Texas, at the close of business, July 15th, 1901, Caruthers & Heffin bought 32 Loans and discounts......
horses from different parties in Overdrafts, secured and un-\$94 637 35. 2,189.56

12,500 00 Premiums on U.S.bonds. 4.100.18 16,563.32

Due from approved reserve agents. Notes of other National

£60.00 Fractional paper currency, BANK, VIZ:

5.991.00

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69,737,44

2,337.10

\$93.826.91

4.100.18

13,000.00

33,348,52

\$147,900.61 LIABILITIES, 'apital stock paid in .....

2,129.19. 27 18 bankers.

Bills payable, including cermoney borrowed ..... 10,000.00 147,900.61 STATE OF TEXAS,... COUNTY OF SUTTON,

ledge and belief. W. L. ALDWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me D.B. Woodruff, Notary Public, Sutton County, Texas.

Correct-Attest: E. F. Vander Stucken, Directors. Geo. S. Allison.

Recapitulation. RESOURCES.

T. P. Gillespie sent a messenger and children left for Rock Springs Real estate, building and

Cash on hand, and in banks Total ..... \$147,900.61 rplus & undivided pronts

Due banks.. 196 88. 10,000 00 \$147,900.00

Mr. and Mrs. E. P, Kiker (£ Burmah, O. K. are in town on a Geo. Kirkland left Friday with vist to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dunahis children and his mother-in-law gan, Mrs. Kiker is, Mary the eld-Mrs, John Bunton for Comstock, est daughter of Judge and Mrs. where Mrs Bunton and children Dunagan and is well known to the will take the train for Safford, old timers. They expect to re-

main for a few weeks.

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BY SUSAN COOLIDGE.

Now that fir needles and hemlock needles have become recognized ar- good appetite and sound sleep. ficles of commerce and every other shop boasts its row of fragrant cushions, with their inevitable motto, "Give Me of Thy Balm, O Fir Tree," I am reminded of the first pillow of the sort I ever saw and of what it neant to the girl who made it. I should like to tell you the little story, simple as it is. It belongs to the time, eight or nine years since, tefore pine pillows became popular. Perhaps Chateaubriand Dorset may be said, for once in her life, to have get a fashion.

Her mother met with it in a newspaper and, without the least idea as to whether it appertained to man or woman, adopted it for her baby. The many syllables faccinated her, I suppose, and there was, besides, that odd jey in a piece of extravagance that costs nothing which apreals to the thrifty New England nature and is one of its wholesome outlets and indulgences.

So the Methodist elder baptized the child Chatcaubriand Aramin- ing. But would Reuben stay? tha, making very queer work of the

lot with its own.

houses. Boys and girls feel it alike, but the boys are less to be pitied, for they can usually devise means the condition of to get away

was the only child. Her parents a few days with Farmer Allen's society for a supply of the needles had not married young. When she wife, her second cousin, stopped one at \$3 a pound. It was hard, dirty was 19, they seemed almost elderly day at the Dorsets' door while driv- work to prepare such a quantity, people, so badly does life on a bleak ing to ask for a drink of water, took but she did not mind. New England farm deaf with human a fancy to the old house and to Brie As I have said, t beings. Her mother, a frail little and next day came over to propose years ago. Brie no longer lives in woman, grew year by year less fit herself as a boarder for three the old home. Her mother died the for hard labor. The farm was not months.

productive. The fir wood on the upper hill was the temple where she worship-She Didn't! There she went with her Bible trouble if you will take me.' bidden by southing and stocking mending on think!" cried Brie gleefully to her sponding moments that come at mother after the bargain was com-Arnica Salve

while there she was content. But all too soon would come the sound of the horn blown from below or a call from the house: "Brie, Brie, cat much meat, she says, and she the men are coming to supper. likes baked potatoes and cream and Make haste!" And she would be sweet baked apples better than anyforced to urry back to the worka- thing. And there's the keeping day world. When she was just 20, her father fell from his loaded hay wagon and fractured his thigh. There was no cure for the hurt, and after six months of hopeless attendance he died. Brie and her mother were left together on the lonely farm, with the added burden of a large bill for doctoring and medicines, which pressed like a heavy

weight on their honorable hearts. The bired man, Reuben Hall, was pected and all." well disposed and honest, but before Mr. Dorset's death he had begun to a hammock, a folding canvas chair talk of going to the west, and Brie and a trunkful of light reading, foreboded that he might not be will- arrived and took possession of her was one day descending in a great he instantly stated to be 999,998,new quarters. For the first week or hurry the steps fronting the Sav- 000,001. He multiplied this by 49 two she did little but rest, sleeping age club, London, when a stranger and the product by the same numto assist save in the lightest ways.

The burden was sore for one pair

mock, swung beneath the shadowing punctuation addressed him thus:

multiplied by 25. He could raise "I beg your pardon, but is there the figure 8 to the sixteenth power of shoulders to bear. Brie kept up to her thin face and the light to her a gentleman in this club with one almost instantly and with perfect a brave face by day, but at night eyes, she began to walk a little, to eye of the name of X?" h brave take by day, but at hight sit with Brie in the fir grove or read. Albery answere the question ea- factors of 941 and 233 and in fi seemed as brass, against which her she mended, shelled peas or picked ment. What's the name of the oth- 413,99 over berries, and all life seemed to ereye?"—Youth's Companion.

It is especially so to women, to whom it means the preservation of beauty, hapof social duties. There can be no good

lealth for any

tion and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It gives good health to women, which means tranquil nerves, a

"I was a great sufferer two years ago with male trouble and I wrote to you for advice," ys Mrs. Mattie Hays, of Tribulation, McDonald

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing Yes, that was really her name! falo, N. Y.

> ture was barred, as it were, with an impassable gate.

What could they do? Sell the farm? That would take time, for the floor. Then an idea came into no one in particular wanted to buy her head. If Reuben would stand by them, hey might be able to fight it out

Our virtues sometimes treat us as cerned, the name ceased to be. How was at this hard crisis that certain her great-grandmother's wedding can a busy household, with milk to set and milk to skim and pans to called till she was well settled on her feet and in the use of her little girl was and the courage with which she mad it, he could not quite find the heart and Brie Borset she remained to Brie's in the past gown.

Was at this hard crisis that certain and a pair of "climbers," like those used by telegraph line men.

Brie had made the first of all the many balsam pillows. It was meant for a good by gift to Miss Morgan.

The gum pickers travel alone and have exercts, like gold hunters. They follow the wake of the old whirlwinds that have left long furtows in the wilderness, and as long as they can track the course by the little girl was seeing the consequency she was in after she went home. "Every one and Brie Borset she remained to the first of all the men.

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They follow the was well settled to men.

Some for the purpose of cutting which she was the second to men. and Brie Borset she remained to it, he could not quite find the heart half a dozen people have asked me gum that forms on trees wounded the law. and Brie Borset she remained to the little gal to make out the end. Few people recollected to "leave the little gal to make out the the previous season they follow it that she presented any other name by herself." Fully purposing to go, Erie, this has given me an idea. along. Sometimes a gum hunter that she possessed any other name by herself." Fully purposing to go, this has given me an idea. along. Sometimes a gum hunter unless the marriage, birth and death he staid, putting off the idea of depages of the family Bible happened though true to his idea of proper ty silk for the covers, and you might had discovered the lead, and a new The Dorsets' was one of those caution, he kept his good intentions cross stitch a little motto if you plan of campaign must be resorted picturesque, fonely, outlying farms him there was constantly tempered people have given me an order allowing in the summer saving: "How retired! How the dread less he might go at any ready. They will pay \$1 apiece if the woods to chop trees or swamp haulers and persons who are leave you like to try."

crowned with a fir wood and two coaxed every possible egg out of holding out for their enormous clm trees met over its them; she studied the tastes of the came some pretty red silk from Miss sional digger. The veteran gum roof and made a checker work of two cows; she maintained a brave Morgan, with yellow filoselle for hunter has made his occupation a light and shade on its closely blind- show of cheer for her ailing mother, the mottoes, and more orders. Brie life study and has reduced the work No sign of life appeared to the heart. Everything seemed closing balsam pillows had to be made in like a cat and skin it bare of gum Notice is hereby given that parties

in to admire the situation except in to admire the situation except could have told tales in those days. Was her unfailing treasury of supperhaps a hen scratching in the vegue and beginning to the limit of the lim perhaps a hen scratching in the vegetable beds or a lazy cat basking on the doorstep, and they would drive on unconscious that behind the communicated, were mute, selection at the communicated, were mute, indeed but none the large real to the country of supslats of the green blinds above a indeed, but none the less real to the isfaction at the aid they were giv- A professional gum hunter can pair of eyes watched them go and a anxious girl who sat beneath them ing. In the spring the old trees remake from \$3 to \$8 a day when he permission will be prosecuted to hungry young heart contrasted their or laid her cheek on their rough newed their foliage with vigorous strikes a really good gum country. the full extent of the law. stems. June passed, and with early Hungry! There never was any- July came the answer to Brie's thing like he starvation which goes many prayers. It came, as answers on sometimes in those shut up farm- to prayers often do, in a shape of

the good city of Boston, came, tired How could Brie get away? She out from her winter's work, to spend recently established decorative art

"I can only afford to pay \$7 a week," she said. "But, on the other married. She lives now on a ranch hand, I will try not to make much in Colorado, but she has never for-

reams and prayed her prayers, and pleted and Miss Morgan gone. "Doesn't it seem like a fortune?" It'll pay Reuben's wages and leave ever so much over! And she doesn't likes baked potatoes and cream and room chamber all cleaned and ready. Doesn't it seem as if she was sent

to us, mother?" "Your poor father never felt like" keepin boarders," said Mrs. Dorset. "I used to kind of fancy the idea of it, but he wasn't willin. I thought it would be company to have one in the house if they was nice folks. It does seem as if this was the Lord's will for us, her comin in so unex-

Two days later Miss Morgan, with seized her. The heavens aloud to her on the doorstep while gerly with another: "Stop a mo- seconds calculated the cube root o

grow easier and pleasanter for the dwellers in the solitary farmhouse. The guest gave little trouble, she paid her weekly due punctually, and the steady income, small as it was, made all the difference in the world to Brie.

As the summer went by and she grew at home with her new friend she found much relief in confiding to her the perplexities of her posi-

"I see," Miss Morgan said; "it is the winter that is the puzzle. I will engage to come back next summer, as I have this, and that will help along, but the time between now and then is the difficulty."

"Yes," replied Brie, "the winter is the puzzle, and Reuben's monev. We have plenty of potatoes and corn and vegetables to take us through, and there's the pig to kill, and the chickens will lay some. If only there were any way in which I could make enough for Reuben's

wages, we could manage." "I must think it over," said Miss

She pulled a long branch of the balsam fir nearer as she spoke and buried her nose in it. It was the first week of September, and she and Brie were sitting in the hill

"I love this smell so," she said. "It is delicious. It makes me Brie broke off a bough.

"I shall hang it over your bed," she said, "and you'll smell it all So the fir bough hung upon the

wall till it gradually yellowed and the needles began to drop. "Why, they are as sweet as eversweeter!" declared Brie, smelling a handful which she had swept from

She gathered a great faget of the or another year and what with but- the sun on the floor of a little used most lonely that a man can lead. ter and eggs and the corn crop make piazza. When partly dried, she The men go into the woods in Ocenough for his wages and a bare live stripped off the needles, stuffed with tober, and they make a study of unfamiliar accents, and then, so investments do and return a divi- silk with an odd shot pattern over eral poles and knives, a pair of far as practical purposes are con- dend when we least expect it. It was a piece of what had been snowshoes, a small dog, a couple of

but all the time she was sick at worked busily that winter, for her to a science. He can go up a tree city people who drew their horses in. How long could she keep it up? spare moments when other work from stump to top while the logger

> her in her work. Brie had a munificent offer from a

As I have said, this was some third year after Miss Morgan came to them, the farm is sold and Brie gotten the fir grove, and the memo-"Seven dollars a week! Only ry of it is a help often in the de-

WHAT A BILLION MEANS.

14,400,000, and it would require other half of the bill. Exchange. 69 1-3 years to count the full billion. The prophet's span of threescore and ten, minus a few months, would be consumed in the simple counting of the sum that trips so lightly from the tongue these days. -Minneapolis Times.

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branches and laid them to dry in Maine forests, without doubt, is the them a square cotton bag and made spruce growth. They have an odd for that a cover of soft sage green cutfit, consisting generally of sevblankets and a pair of "climbers,"

to her will, the upper branches and sells it at from 80 cents to \$1.25

purpose, as if resolved not to balk When he gets into a good place, he keeps very quiet about it until he The fir grove paid Reuben's wages has gathered the last lump in sight. that winter. Miss Morgan came He makes from \$400 to \$800 in a back the following June, and by season, and he earns every cent of it by hard, lonely work .- Bangor hrice a week edition, 18 pages a

HE COT THE REST.

It was at a club dinner. The guests had just taken their seats World is first among all "weekly at the tables. The colored waiters, papers in size, frequency of pub resplendent in full dress, were bustling about with itching palms. A jolly party sat down at one of the has all the merits of a great St tables. The leader took his seat at daily at the price of a dollar weekthe head of the table and beckoned to one of the waiters. As the expectant darky leaned over him the et a wallet and from that a crisp, News together one year for \$2 50. new \$2 bill. With the greatest deliberation he folded it through the center, while the waiter's eye began to roll. Laying the bill on the table, he pressed his knife along the So glibly, indeed, do we use the crease and calmly tore the bill in word "billion" that few of us pause two to the horror of the waiter and to consider the immensity of the to the surprise of his own party. haps. Well, yes. At the rate of handed to the waiter, remarking la-100 a minute—a very liberal allow-ance of speed—and calling eight perhaps." There wasn't another ta-hours a day's work, 48,000 would be in the room that got the servbe counted a day. In a year of 300 ice that that table got, and the waitworking days the score would be er was finally rewarded with the

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