HENRY P. M'NEALY KILLED

Former Kerr County Citizen Run Down by Auto and Killed as He Steps from Street Car in San Antonio

DRIVER OF AUTO ARRESTED row and bereavement.

Henry P. McNealy, an employe of the San Antonio Traction Company and a former citizen of Kerr County. was instantly killed at 6:45 o'clock his family to make his home in being run down by an automobile beautiful river valley farm to Mr. placed under arrest upon a charge to lose Mr. Hunt. released upon \$1,000 bond.

and died within three minutes.

Mr. McNealy was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McNealy of occupy the home recently vacated this county and was reared at the by Mr. R. F. Hunt. old McNealy home on Johnson creek and had lived in San Antonio four and enjoying their summer outing. years and for the last two and onehalf years had worked for the trac- parties on the river now. The tion company, first as conductor Guadalupe valley is an ideal place and later was promoted to clerk in for a summer outing. the cashier's department. He was a trusted and faithful employe and

seven children, his parents Mr. and A. Camp chaperoned by Mrs. Lillie Kerrville in such a substantial way. Mrs. J. O. McNealy of Ingram, Broaddus report having an ideal San Marcos, E. S. McNealy of San week they were entertained by Mr. Antonio, and W. W. McNealy of and Mrs. Chas. Utterbach at Lake-Japonica, and Miss Leah McNealy tained by Mrs. Holesworth Tuesday citizen of Comfort, has disappeared field, we are sorry to say, is also Baylor goats, the L. S. Friday and of Canyon City.

Monday evening and went down to joyed by all. from 12 to 5 o'clock Tuesday and the Episcopal Rectory. was shipped to Kerrville Wednesday. Interment was made at the Nichols | B. F. Miller of Bluff was in town cemetery near Ingram Wednesday on business Tuesday.

The McNealy family are among the oldest settlers of this county and splendid people. The Advance joins their many friends in extending them sympathy in their great sor-

· Japonica Jottings.

Mr. R. F. Hunt have gone with Monday evening in San Antonio by Karnes county. Mr. Hunt sold his driven by E. L. Burkes on South Tom Moore of Ingram, and goes to Flores street. Mr. Burkes who is Karnes where he has extensive farm manager of the Alamo Gin Co. was interests. This community regrets Sunday.

of negligent homicide and was later Prof. and Mrs. P. H. Dawson go Sunday to a good sized audience. to College Station the last of this It appears that Mr. McNealy was week to attend the Farmers Con- in Camp Verde Sunday. struck by the auto just after he gress and Farmers Institute which had stepped from a trolley car and meet there next week. They will day for Goliad to visit Mrs. Taylor's was starting to walk across the street look after their farm interests in parents. Brazos county.

Mr. Sam Williams and family now

The family of Mr. Tom Moore of pear lngram. He was 38 years old Ingram are camping on the river

There are numerous camping

Y. W. C. A. Camp.

Surviving him are his wife and The young ladies at the Y. W. C. three brothers, O. L. McNealy of time and are loath to leave. Last Ingram; three sisters, Mrs. W. H. side Park and by Mrs. Richard Hatch and Mrs. Hays Wharton of Holesworth. They were again enternight. Our citizen, J. L. Pampell, The father and mother got the presented the camp with some desad news at Ingram by phone late licious watermelons, which was en-

San Antonio on the early train the Next week Mrs. Love, Religious next morning. The body was held director of the Y. W. C. A., will the streets. His waistcoat with in state in the parlors of the Sloan have charge of the camp and differ-& Hagy Undertaking Company ent crowd of girls. The camp is at

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KERRVILLE, -:- TEXAS

FIRST STATE BANK

Camp Verde Items.

Dr. Greer while here did quite a ot of dental work.

a trip to Tarpley the past week after cottage. a load of peaches.

stopped a few hours with Mrs. J. T. home near town. Hill the past week on her way to field at Bandera.

Mr. Landa of Comfort has bought | Mrs. Will Jetton and little daughthe Bivins blacksmith shop. Mr. ter have gone to Stockdale on a vis-Bivins has moved to Center Point it to her parents. so as to have his wife near the

children visited in Camp Verde last sister, Mrs. M. C. Woods, and her

Rev. J. M. Witt preached here a short visit.

Rufus Ridley and wife were seen Johnnie Taylor and wife left Sun-

Will Build New Store House-

Mosel, Saenger & Co. have bought a block of four lots fronting North street just across the railroad track from Beitel's lumber office, and will house, warehouse, camp yard, etc., part of town. and will be equipped to better serve their large patronage than ever. This popular firm has many friends in Kerrville and surrounding territory who will be glad to know that io and Lockhart. they are locating permanently in

J. F. Thompson Still Missing at Comfort.

under circumstances which lead his very much under the weather. friends to believe he has been the victim of foul play.

July 9th., at 8:00 p. m., strolling on dition. watch in it was left in his room which was open.

On Wednesday of this week Sheriff Saner came to Comfort to confer over the matter, and is busy with it now. Cypress Camp No. 190 W. O. W., of which Mr. Thompson is a member, met and requested its members to prosecute a careful search for the missing man. The river and creek have been carefully dragged and the country hereabouts has been searched but without results. - Comfort News.

LUCKY TRAMPS IN ITALY Moore,

Has Few Things to Worry About In Country of Blue Skies and Bunshine.

Assuredly the tramp in Italy is a man to be envied! Save for a coat to his back and shoes to his feet there are few things which he need worry about as he passes from vilblue skies and sunshine. Food he can find in the vineyards and on the fig trees, drink is obtainable almost for nothing, so plentiful is wine, and shelter is provided for him-gratis -by a benevolent government. "I was often struck during my recent journey in northern Italy," says a writer in the Wide World, "by the delightful public dormitories which are erected by the roadsides throughout the country, especially in the valleys leading from the Mediterranean coast to the hill towns of Liguria. I visited a dormitorio pubblico on the highway near Camporosso, in the Nervia valley, and surehot the sun may be, the footsore traveler can obtain his much needed siesta in a perfectly cool place. It looked so attractive, standing there in the shade, that I myself was almost tempted to escape from the sunshine and seek refuge beneath its ospitable roof."

Center Point Letter.

H. H. Smith brought his family up from San Antonio and left them A. D. McBryde and family made for the summer in Geo. Rowland's

Mrs. C. F. Brown is located for Mrs. Ida Sowell of San Antonio the summer in C. L. Hunter's farm

Will Stanley of Houston visited visit her friend, Mrs. Herman Mans- his mother and sisters here the past

Mrs J. E. Jalmer and daughter Lucile, returned home last week Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Baker and from a visit to Dilley. Mrs. Palmer's husband accompanied her home for

> ed from Corpus Christi last week years and are among our best and Mr. Kaler is getting along so friends, have our deepest sympathy well that they have quit camping in their sad bereavement. and have moved into one of the Nelson cottages.

Mrs. J. H. Powell, one of the old residents of Center Point, died at her home here Saturday night after a long illness. She was buried Sunday at the Center Point cemetery.

Prof. M. M. Major has bought Mrs. W. H. Brown's nine acre tract begin the erection of a new store of land and cottage in the eastern

> Jack Rees is now employed at the Hillyer-Deutsch Lumber yard.

R. B. Ellis and family returned Saturday from a visit to San Anton-

Sunday morning and evening.

Chas. Rees who was seriously hurt while working at the thresher last He was last seen in Comfort on week is still in a right serious con-

the Medlin place.

San Antonio, are visiting his father,

J. R. Mauldin who has been at Rock Island for several days returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lane of Floresville are visiting their parents, Mrs. Talt Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Chas.

Harry Moore has returned to his job near El Paso after a visit here to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim

Mrs. Henley Powell.

Center Point, Tex. July 20.-Mrs. Henley Powell, wife of J.H. Powell, died last night at 12:30 a. m. at the age of 60 years. Mrs. Powell was an old and highly respected citizen lage to village in that country of of this section, having moved to Bandera in 1877, and to this place in 1886, where she has since resided. Besides her husband, decedent is survived by four children, Mrs. F.D. Barnes of Bandera, L. N. Coffey, Mrs. J. L. McElroy and Miss Jennie Powell of this place. Interment will be made here this afternoon.

"Louies" Defeat Kerrville.

The Louis Book Store Club of the City League made its third trip of the season to Kerrville, winning from that team the odd game of ly no wayfarer could desire a more the trio yesterday by a final rally, charming resting place. The author- 7 to 2. The game was called by ities have placed it under the shade agreement after the seventh to alof the olive trees, so that, however low the San Antonians to catch a train. It was a rally that netted six runs in the seventh that decided the game. The hitting of Slaughter and Blalock and a steal home by Heil of the "Louies" were features of the game. Kerrville apparently had the contest grabbed until that seventh inning rally.—Express.

CAMP FORMAL OPENING

Dies at Hospital.

Frank White died at the Kerrville Hospital-Sanitarium Sunday morning and his body was taken by his mother and two brothers back to his home at Bandera for burial. He had undergone an operation for appendicitis several days before. The operation was a difficult one owing to a complication of troubles in the region of the appendix and it was this that is said to have caused his death. He came to the hospital in the best of spirits and being a big, stout man it seemed that he would go through the operation without any serious results. The family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kaler return- whom we have known for many

Live Stock Notes

Sealy Lampkin, near Cameron, son grass, a loss of \$588.

Sam M. Ogelsby, a Mertzon sheep sas City where he sold 1,868 head from all parts of the State. of muttons. The sheep averaged 100 pounds and brought \$5.25 per

Collins & Weaver of Laguna have purchased the famous Landrum flock of thoroughbred Angoro goats Rev. T. B. Tatum of Waco filled containg 635 head at \$30 per head. the pulpit at the Baptist Church This is the highest price ever paid for a flock of goats. Collins & Wea-Mrs. W. S. Mayfield is laid up ver now own 4,000 head of regiswith a very badly sprained foot as tered goats, the biggest flock of a result of getting thrown down by registered goats in the U.S., having J. F. Thompson, a well known a calf one day last week. Mr. May- previously purchased the Harris & the F. S. Weaver flocks.

Scholastic Census

Parents and guardians desiring to transfer children within the scho-Sam Moore and family have lastic age from one school district moved from the Brown cottage to to another within the county must do so before the first day of Algie Walker and little son, of August, 1913.

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OPBNING PROGRAM TONIGHT

The eighth annual session of the Presbyterian Encampment of Texas will open tonight at the Kerrville encampment grounds For several weeks Prof. J. J. Delaney, business manager, has been getting things in readiness and many substantial improvements have been made on the

While the Encampment does not open officially until Thursday night, the crowds of people and general activity on the grounds would easily lead one to believe that the Camp

had already opened. A glance at the register shows that there are now over 125 on the ground, and the rush of those comlost 21 head of cows one day recent-ing on the special three weeks ly from eating second-growth John- tickets will not begin till Thursday or Friday. The indications point to the largest attendance in the history raiser, has just returned from Kan- of the Camp. They are now here

> The program of the Encampent will open this (Thursday) evening at 8:15 with a sermon by Rev. T. A. Wharton, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Sherman.

> Friday morning at 9 o'clock Dr. R. E. Vinson of Austin will begin the series of lessons in Hebrews. This hour will be given to this course every morning during the Camp and will prove of deep interest to all.

> From 10:00 to 11:30 Friday and Saturday Dr. Wharton will conduct

> Sunday moring at 9:45 the Camp Sunday School will open. There will be preaching at 11:00 a. m. and at 8:15 p. m. and a young peoples meeting at 7:00 p. m.

> Everybody will be cordially welcomed to all these services, as well as to the special meetings that will be announced Sunday.

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quite inevitable

As a tast resort for fads women are now making their own shoes.

Old fashioned people like to think about the days before the tango.

Whenever women make up their

minds to wear trousers they will. The elevator man who inherited \$100,000 probably is having his "ups"

If you do your Christmas shopping new, you will avoid some of the rush

Duke Ludwig of Bavaria has tired of his morganatic wife. He is eighty-two and fussy.

Occasionally you will find a good citizen who doesn't take much interest in basebali.

The surest way of enjoying summer resorts is to stay at home and read about them.

The way to avoid a split infinitive is to write it the way you don't think it ought to go.

The shopgiri has one advantage over the housewife. She gets a vacation, anyhow.

college graduate is seldom able to give him a job.

It is hard to resist the temptation to look at the thermometer when you

know it's soaring. Mr. Morgan is now said officially to have left only \$100,000,000. However,

he left all he had During the hot weather the tango is laid among the moth balls. Few care

if it never comes back. Rochester has barred split skirts and peekaboo waists, but bathing suits

A Massachusetts man ate sevepteen eggs at a single sitting. There's no hog like a hog with money.

stfl are in good form.

It appears that the unmuzzled dog is about as dangerous as the gun that nobody knows is loaded.

en must not ride astride. He is mak-

ing much out of a side issue.

Still, if there were no rain where would the dollars come from to buy tickets to the baseball game?

In putting over an ethical eugente marriage is Boston attempting to revive local interest in matrimony?

Have you noted the shortage of files this summer? And the excess of mosquitoes? However, go on swatting.

A noted planist is about to retire after accumulating a big fortune. This shows one effect, at least, of harmony.

It is explained that those Princeton seniors who said they had never been kissed made a boast and not a confes-

A New York wife blames her husband because she has lost her beauty. He'll probably swear she had none to

It is almost a tragedy when a damsel with a stunning figure lacks the means to spend a week or two at the seashore.

There isn't much excuse for the weather forecasters when they go wrong. They have three guesses every day.

Exchange says that people who marry late in life are well shaken before taken. But the married man will tell you that he is pretty well shaken all the time

That man who went into an uncontrollable spasm of laughter over a venerable vaudeville joke has now gone crazy. Doesn't this call for offi- negotiate an armistice and peace. cial regulation of cold storage stage humor?

An honest porter in New York who returned to the owner \$8,000 he had found was given a \$50 check, which he discovered to be worthless. Thus is virtue encouraged to be its own

Not many of the native women of America will agree with that pewly arrived immigrant in New York who thought she could marry as many men as she pleased because America is a free country.

The inventor of a beer bottle cork left \$1,000,000 to his heirs, but doubtless the inventor or the corkscrew left

As was to be expected, the sitt skirt is to be succeeded by even a more modest little garment, the pantaloon gown.

We'll have to thank that Paris woman for providing a new angle to the mother-in-law joke. Recently deserted by her husband, she compelled his mother to pay her allmony.

STATEWIDE.

Dr. E. I. Clark Wins in Eighteenth; Tom Coe in 12th, E. M. Greer and H. R. Greer in 7th and 125th.

By decisive and even overwholming majorities the three proposed constitutional amendments were defeated in Saturday's election by the people of Texas. The "judges" amendment was defeated in the ratio of nearly three to one; the anti-fee or "salaries" amendment in the ratio of nearly two to one, and the "bonds" amendment, more familiarly known as "S. J. R. 18," in the ratio of four to one.

The returns are as follows:

For judges amendment..... 21,432 Against judges amendment... 58,313 For salaries amendment..... 29,456 Against salaries amendment ... 55,914 For bonds amendment..... 16,486 Against bonds amendment.... 65.146

Majorities were cast against the amendments in every part of the state, especially against the bond amendment. A number of the larger cities came up with majorities for them-El Paso, Austin, Galveston and San Antonio. Fort Worth went for the first two, but against the bond amendment, and Tarrant County against all three. Dallas, city and county, went for the first two and against the bond amendment. Waco went against all three.

The total vote evidently was very much short of the full voting strength, and also much short of the usual primary election vote. Moreover, it evi-The cruel critic of the new-fledged | dently is very much smaller than the vote on the prohibition amendment in

> In the First senatorial district, where Lewie H. Henry, C. A. Wheeler and Dr. A. C. Oliver were candidates to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. Horace W. Vaughan, now congressman. Wheeler leads. In the Seventh senatorial district Hon. Earl M. Greer was elected to fill

the vacancy of his father, Hon. W. J. Greer. He defeated H. R. Smith. In the Eighteenth senatorial district, Dr. E. I. Clark, democrat, defeated E. R. Meitzen, socialist, to supply the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon, David A. Paulus.

In the Twenty-first senatorial district, James A. Harley was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. F. C. Weinert. In the Twelfth representative dis

trict, Tom B. Coe of Kountze leads over Rich, who in turn is feading Burress. In the One Hundred and Twenty-

fifth representative district, Hon. Hilto supply the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. C. Herbert Walker.

TURKISH SOLDIERS ENTER ADRIANOPLE

Battle With Bulgarians Holding City. Advent of New Bulgarian Cabinet. Turkey Makes Claims Known.

London.-The Turks have entered Adrianople after a brief conflict with the Bulgarian garrison Sunday. Bashi bazouks are burning, pillaging and committing atrocities.

The Roumanian troops are advance ing in an easterly direction and threat ening Eastern Roumelia.

The events of the last few days, says a correspondent, "indicate the complete collapse of the authority of

The Servians and Greeks were repulsed Friday and Saturday all along the line.

News from London says: "The crisis has arrived. Thirty thousand Roumanian troops have reached Orchaniji and Etropole, within forty miles of Sofia. Enver Bey, at the head of the Turkish cavalry, has arrived at Adrianople, where the Bulgarian garrison of 2,000 has received orders not to resist the Turks."

The advent of a new Bulgarian cabi net, comprising a coalition of the liberal groups, seems to have brought a prospect that peace negotiations soon will be entered into. After vain attempts to negotiate separately with Roumania, the Bulgarian government accepted the advice of Austria and Russia and offered Roumania an important territorial concession. Bulgaria also sent delegates to meet the Servian, Greek and presumably Roumanian representatives at Nish to

It is confirmed from Athens that Servia, Greece and Montenegro are ready to participate in the negotiations. Turkey, however, has introduced a new complication and hes notified the European powers of her intention to make the Maritza liver the new frontier.

Corpus Christi Votes Bond.

Corpus Christi, Tex .- The voters of bonds in the amount of \$250,000 for the construction of court house and jail. The issue before the people of roads in district No. 2 was defeated.

Secretary of War Visits Galveston.

Galveston, Tex .- Secretary of War Lindley M. Garrison and Major General Wood, chief of staft, arrived in Galveston Sunday from Houston, having come from there by automobile after spending two hours in that city. General J. B. Aleshire, chief of the quartermaster corps; Captain J. S. B. Schindel of the general staff of the army, and W. T. Pedigo, private secretary to Mr. Garrison, were with the

The Kerrville Advance ALL AMENDMENTS DEFLATED U.S. AMBASSADOR LEAVES MEXICO TEXAS DRY FARMING CONGRESS HISTORIC OLD TOWN IN SUCH PAIN

OPPOSITION TO ALL THREE WILL RETURN TO WASHINGTON ENDS INTERESTING SESSION AT TO REPORT ON MEXICO.

> Diplomats Believe That France, Who Hondo Will Be Next Meeting Place. Is Heavily Interested in Mexico, Has Sought American Attitude.

Washington.-Henry Lane Wilson mbassador to Mexico, is coming

The report that European diplomats outline its attitude in Mexico was increased Wednesday when it became known generally that American Ambassador Henry Lane Wilson had been instructed to proceed immediately to Washington, personally to report on of the telegraphic order was forwarded to the afternoon papers by the ambassador, his purpose being, he said, to avoid misrepresentation.



HENRY LANE WILSON.

It is believed in diplomatic circles ing the Mexican policy of the United future. States. Financial experts estimate the drop in French-Mexican securities since the beginning of the troubled conditions amounts to half a billion pesos. In banks and industrial enterprises French investments probably tion. British and American investors vast majority of mankind must live by have preferred mines and agricultural dry-farming and dry-farming methods. development as a vent for their capi-

Ambassador Wilson left Thursday for Vera Cruz, thence to Havana. If dred organizations. arrangements to pass quarantine at will enter the United States there, proceeding by train direct to Wash-

First Secretary Nelson O'Shaughnessy remains in charge of the embassy staff, consisting of three clerks, the second and third secretaries being absent.

The anti-American tone has disappeared from the press during the last development that shall one day transfew days, and newspaper which discuss the international situation at all do it in a serious and dispassionate manner.

There is much speculation in official circles in Washington regarding clouds shall be found sufficient, with Ambassador Wilson's future, for it is man's conservation thereof, to water generally believed his return to the all of this fair earth and once again Mexican capital is by no means cer- transform it into a paradise for the tain. Mr. Wilson was thrown into abode of man! close association with General Huerta in the days preceding the overthrow of Madero and immediately afterward. One of his first official communications to the state department after the coup d'etat resulting in the death of President Madero and Vice President Suarez, suggested that he be authorized to extend the formal recognition of the United States to the new gov-

ernment. President Wilson recently has received a number of reports from in- here. dividual Americans, not connected with the state department, upon Mexican conditions, so that he will be prepared to take up the discussion with the ambassador with considerable personal knowledge on the sub-

Trainmen May Yet Strike.

New York.-The 80,000 trainmen and against the Eastern railroads will not islature. agree under any circumstances to have the roads' grievances arbitrated at the same time as the demands for better wages under the Newlands' amendment to the Erdman act, according to a statement issued Thursday by W. G. Lee and A. B. Garretson, presidents, conductors' brotherhoods.

For a New Railroad.

Houston, Tex.-Rumors have been heard in Houston of the projection of Nueces County Saturday authorized a new railroad some 500 to 600 miles long, to tap the western portion of the State, the Staked Plains district and New Mexico, the termini of the the county to vote \$500,000 for good proposed line being San Antonio and Tucumcari, N. M.

Scribes Enjoy Melon Feast.

Houston, Tex .- A trainload of members and guests of the Houston Press Club spent an enjoyable afternoon at Hempstead Tuesday, as guests of the business men of that place at a watermelon feast, at which the red meat of this prime Texas product was discuss- lator convicted. ed heartily by all attending.

Rescue Entombed Miners. Eveleth, Minn.-The five men who burst were rescued Thursday.

Dr. B. F. Barkley Elected President-Editor Davis Speaks.

SABINAL, TEXAS.

Sabinal, Tex.-The fifth annual ses sion of the Texas Dry Farming Congress was formally closed Thursday. Hondo was selected for the meeting had requested the United States to place next year. Officers elected for the ensuing year were: Dr. Benjamin F. Barkley of Alpine, president; A. J. Durham of Sabinal, vice president:

Fletcher Davis of Hondo, secretary. A resolution was adopted opposing constitutional amendment S. J. R. 18. the conditions in Mexico. The text After the business session the Women's Club of Sabinal gave a reception. at which an excellent musical selection was rendered. Good addresses were made as follows: "Conservation of the Soil," Colonel Henry Exall, president Texas Congress; "Growing Pecans in West Texas," H. W. Knox, president Texas Farmers' Congress.

The session just closed was undoubtedly the most successful in the history of the congress. The following speech in response to

the address of welcome on behalf of the press was delivered by Fletcher Davis, publisher of the Hondo Anvil-Herald We read in holy writ that after God

had made man and placed him in the beautiful Garden of Eden, "A river went out of Eden to water the garden." (Genesis 2:10.) I interpret this to mean that man

in his first purity, fresh from the land of his Divine Creater, was an irriga-I blame no man for wanting to be

an irrigationist now. I hope to live to see every mountain gorge in this section dammed so that the storm waters may be impounded and a river made to go out of the res ervoir to water the myriads of gardens in the broad, rich valleys below.

The work has already been begun by men of broad vision who can see that France is the nation which has the possibilities of a mighty success made inquiry at Washington regard- looming large upon the horizon of the And if the hopes and the moral and

material support of the press can hasten the dawning of that great time it will not be long in coming. But, be the possibilities of irrigation what they may, so long as man must exceed those of any other foreign na- eat bread by the sweat of his face the

> It is this fact that lends interest and importance to the great work of the Texas Dry Farming Congress and kin-

The gathering of data and the ex-Key West are made without delay he change of ideas and experiences gained in a study of methods of plant selection, seed preservation, cultural that. They have brought science to methods, soil analysis and the thousands of other things connected with scientific agriculture-not to mention that matter of transcendent importance, the conservation of moisturewhich we have at such meetings as this, is the little leaven that shall leaven the whole lump of agricultural form present day methods of farming and make all the desert places of the

land blossom as the rose. It is then that the rivers that come out of God's Eden of love among the

In the realization of this dream the press has a glorious and a useful mission to perform.

It is not alone the mission of the press to consume the farmers' surplus tomatoes and cabbage-although they are never refused but are thankfully received when tendered on subscription-but it is the more glorious mission of the press to carry to the multitudes that can not join in your assemblies the message of what you do

Senator Murray Sends Resignation. Floresville, Tex .- State Senator W. O. Murray of the Twenty-second sena-

torial district of Texas Wednesday wired his resignation to Governor O. B. Colquitt, to take effect at once. Mr. Murray is slated for the office of Lusiness manager of the state prison sys- ing force. Milk is officially analyzed tem in event the office is created at in quantities which show a most imconductors who threaten a strike the coming special session of the leg-

> Contraband Ammunition. El Paso, Tex.-United States officers, assisted by Mexican consular

agents, captured the largest consignment of contraband ammunition ever taken when they discovered four Mexrespectively, of the trainmen's and icans Wednesday covering with coal a number of boxes containing 448,000 rounds of rifle cartridges, which they had placed in a car in the Santa Fe railroad vards.

> Bulgars Sink War Vessels. Bucharest .- The Bulgarians have sunk their steamers and torpedo boats in the Danube to prevent them from falling into the hands of the Rouman-

ians.

West Virginian Is Convicted. Webster Springs, W. Va.-Ralph Duff, member of the West Virginia

house of delegates, was Wednesday convicted of bribery in connection with the late United States senatorial campaign. Duff is the second legis ed that life was worth living after all.

Miss Inez Mulholland a Bride. London.-Miss Inez Mulholland, the New York suffragette, was married were entombed at the Spruce mine Tuesday in London to Eugene Boisse- the Texas legislature at a recent ses-Wednesday as a result of a cloud vain, a wealthy Dutchman, whose home is in Amsterdam

Alkmaar, Holland, Has Many Interesting Features.

Quaint Dutch City of 20,000 is Typical of the Country-Scene of Resistance to Spanish Siege of 1573.

Alkmaar, Holland.-The town itself is one that must abide in the memory of everyone who sees it for the first time. Its most important church is the Groote Kerk of St. Lawrence, which contains among other things the ancient tomb of Floris V., Count of Holland, who died in 1296. The tower of the Stadhuis dates from 1507. It contains a library and a municipal museum, furnished with several notable pictures. But the old Weigh house, after all, remains to us the most interesting of the buildings in the town. Not least of its charms is the prospect from the top. From it our artist was able to secure a very striking picture of the view as seen from that eminent position. There could not be anything more typical of Holland. First of all there is the canal, the national waterway, winding sluggishly through the town and dividing it in two. There are the canal boats, the wagons of this aqueous highway, placidly pursuing their journey or waiting by the wharves to be laden or unladen. Most of all there are the Dutch houses, or rather the characteristic roofs of them-the view that they would present to the stars. The town is just of the right size to be brought within this focus. It numbers about 20,000 inhabitants, the majority of whom are connected directly or indirectly with agriculture. But the place has its historical records also. It appeals to the historian as the scene of a splendid resistance to the Spanish siege in 1573-the period of the Dutch struggle for independence. The buildings, to which we have already made allusion, carry us back to that sixteenth century, which was famous there as in England for the artistic beauty and sense of proportion brought to bear upon the work of building. Houses of this period are

fine all the world over, and not least in Holland The Dutch cheese trade is an old industry in one way, but its great development is modern in character. Till only a comparatively recent period the dairy herds in this country were neglected. The only requirement applied to the cow was that she should give a very large quantity of milk. It was of such inferior character as to become almost a proverbial expression for thinness. But recent ministers of agriculture have changed all bear on the industry with ever-increas-



Main "Street" of Alkmaar.

portant increase between now and the year 1903. More than that, the breed of cattle has been most astonishingly improved, so that instead of being neglected by the rest of Europe it has now become desirable.

IN BIG POWDER MILL TO DIE

Disconsolate Husband Prays for Explosion, but is Very Sorry When It Comes.

Paterson, N. J.-In a suit for divorce on the ground of desertion, Peter K. Hicks has gone on record in chancery here is a most doleful huswand. He testified that the alleged desertion of his wife made him so disconsolate that he got a job in a powder factory, in the hope that the plant would blow up. His prayer was almost answered a few months later, when he was sent to the hospital with five others injured in an explosion. By the time he recovered he ceased to grieve over his domestic troubles, and decid-

Can Get Drunk at Home. Dallas, Tex.-It is unlawful to get drunk at any place except your own home, according to a law passed by

WOMAN TORE HER CLOTHES

Testifies She Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Maione, N. Y., - "Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound has certainly done me a lot of good. I first heard of it when I was a girl and I always said that if I ever had female trouble I would take it. "I suffered from

organic inflamma-

tion and would have spells when I would be in such pain that I would tear my clothes. One day my husband got the neighbors in to see what the matter was but they could not help me. My first thought was for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I sent my husband out for it and took it until I was entirely cured. I am a woman of perfect health and my health and happiness came from Lydia E. Pinkham's medi-

all I can to recommend your wonderful medicine to my friends."— Mrs. Free STONE, Route No. 3, Malone, N. Y. The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic prins, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female illa.

cine. You may rest assured that I do

A girl marries to gain liberty; a man remains single to keep it.

For any sore-Hanford's Balsam.

When put to the test, some virtues

are found to be thinly veneered.

Some Girls Do. "I wonder why all the girls in our set titter whenever they see me.' I think your flancee passes your love letters around, my boy."

French View of Women. The life of a woman can be divided into three epochs; in the first she

dreams of love, in the second she experiences it, in the third she regrets It .- Antoine Jean Casse de Saint Pros-

Overdld It. "What's the matter?" asked the lawyer's friend. "Been in a railroad

per.

"No. I had a fury case the other day, and I argued so elaborately for the purpose of making it appear that my client was a fool instead of a knave that I got him acquitted on that plea."

"What has that to do with your ap-

pearance?" "He met me outside, after court had adjourned."-Judge.

Legal Opinion.

"A cat sits on my back fence every night, and he yowls and yowls and yowls. Now, I don't want to have any trouble with Neighbor Jones, but this thing has gone far enough, and want you to tell me what to do?" The young lawyer looked as solemn

as an old, sick owl, and said not a word. "I have a right to shoot the cat haven't I?" "I would hardly say that," replied

young Coke Blackstone, "The cat

does not belong to you, as (understand it." "No; but the fence does." "Then," concluded the light of law I think it safe to say you have a

perfect right to tear down the fence.

A Triumph Of Cookery

Post **Toasties**

Mary delicious dishes have been made from Indian Corn by the skill and ingenuity of the expert cook.

But none of these creations excels Post Toasties in tempting the palate.

"Toasties" are a luxury that make a delight-

ful hot-weather economy. The first package tells

its own story. "The Memory Lingers"

Sold by Grocers,

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Agatha Redmond, opera singer, starting for an auto drive in New York, finds a stranger sent as her chauffeur. Leaving the car, she goes into the park to read the will of an old friend of her mother, who has left her property. There she is accosted by a stranger, who follows her to the auto, climbs in and chioroforms her. James Hambleton of Lynn, Mass., witnesses the abduction of Agatha Redmond, Hambleton sees Agatha forcibly taken aboard a yacht. He secures a tug and when near the yacht drops overboard, Alcek Van Camp, friend of Hambleton, had an appointment with him. Not meeting Hambleton, he makes a call upon friends, Madame and Miss Melanie iteynier. He proposes to the latter and is refused. The three arrange a coast frip on Van Camp's yacht, the Sea Guil. Hambleton wakes up on board the Jeanne Il'Are, the yacht on which is Agatha Redmond. His clothes and money bett have been taken from him. He meets a man who introduces himself as Monsteur Chatelard, who is Agatha's abductor. They fight, but are interrupted by the slaking of the vessel. Jimmy and Agatha are both abandoned by the crew, who take to the boats. Jimmy and Agatha swim for hours and finally reach shore in a thoroughly exhausted condition. Recovering slightly, the pair find Hand, the chaufteur who assisted in Agatha's abduction. He agrees to help them. Jim is covering slightly, the pair find Hand, the chaufteur who assisted in Agatha's abduction. He agrees to help them. Jim is delirious and on the verge of death, Hand goes for help. He returns with Dr. Thayer, who revives Jim, and the party is conveyed to Charlesport, where Agatha's property is located. Dr. Thayer is the brother of Agatha's benefactor. Van Camp and his party, in the Sea Gull, reach Charlesport and get tidings of the wreck of the Jeanne D'Arc. Aleck finds Jim on the verge of death and Agatha in despair. Dr. Thayer declares his sister. Mrs. Stoddard, is the only one who can save Jim. She is a woman of strong religious convictions, and dislikes Agatha on account of her profession. She refuses to naive Jim. Agatha goes to see her. and pleads with her to take the case.

CHAPTER XIV .- Continued. to control anger.

I have not been 'living with' this from the lilac bushes. man, in any sense of the term, Mrs. to you, though I never would, in any other conceivable situation, reply to such an implication. You have no your patient any better?" right to say or think such things." Wickedness must be rebuked of the

"Are you his mouthplece?" said Agathe scornfully. But she was rebuked for her scorn by Mrs. Stoddard's look. Her eyes rested on Agatha's face with pleading and patience, as if she were a world mother, agonizing for the salvation of her children.

Lord," intoned Mrs. Stoddard.

"It is his command to pluck the brand from the burning," said Susan Stoddard. "Ungodly example is a sin, and earthly love often a snare for routhful feet."

As Agatha listened to Mrs. Stoddard's strange plea, the instinct within her which, from the first moment of the interview, had recoiled from this fanatical but intensely spiritual womon, found its way, as it were, into the light. Such was the power of her sincerity, that, in spite of the extraordicary character of the interview, Agatha's heart throbbed with a new comprehension which was almost love. She stepped closer to Susan Stoddard, her tail figure overtopping the other's sturdy one, and took one of her strong work-Lardened hands.

Mrs. Stoddard, this man has never spoken a word of love to me. But if I ever marry, it will be a man like him-a plain, high-hearted gentleman. There! You have a woman's secret. And now come with me, and help us to save a life. You cannot, you must not, refuse me now."

The subtle changes of the mind are even to the eye of science; but every day those changes make or mar our joy. Susan Stoddard looked for a long lowing Agatha's visit to Mrs. Stoddard, minute up into the vivid face bending over hers, while her spirit, even as Agatha's had done, pierced the hedge hended something of the goodness in | Van Camp stayed with James. Hand the other's soul. Finally she laid her was stirring broth over the stove, now ceded Hand. other hand over Agatha's, enclosing and then giving a sharp eye to Sallie's certain pathetic pride in her submission, she said:

"I have been wrong, Agatha; I will on hers, but the strain of the inter stairs. www was beginning to count, She with one band. The elder woman kept | sigs; I watched her yesterday."

she said, "we will ask God's help. The lordly manner, putting a thin silver eyes, she made her confession and her in disgust. totoned the phrases of the Bible as if ver salt-cellar; that's the kitchen pep- repaid." they had been music and bore the bur- per. And, you can say Miss Sallie, if ded of her deepest soul. She said she you please. had been sinful in imputing un-

ness. She prayed for the stranger | Hand, "Besides, I like your name; yonder, and implored God's blessing on the stairs for you, if you'll be good." the work of her hands; and praise

should be to the Lord. Amen. "And now, Angle," she said pracyou might not have them handy. Come, extra work all day!" Agatha!"

more intellectual brother.

house since he died," said Mrs. Stod- and then I had two all cooked." "I'm Forry!" cried Agatha. "It is

"He maketh the rough places plain," plied tartly. chanted Susan Stoddard. "Hercules

A stinging blush-a blush of anger helped her in, and Agatha leaned had looked up in time to see it. "You his deaf and dumb expression. and outraged pride as much as of back, with closed eyes, indifferent to won't have so much extra work when "If you will excuse me, Mademotmodesty-surged up over Agatha's the beauty of early afternoon on a mademoiselle's maid arrives," he said selle," said Hand deferentially, "I face. She was silent a moment, and | cool summer's day. Little Simon let slyly. "She'll wait on mademoiselle think Mr. Hambleton's broth is burnin that moment learned what it was ber ride in quiet, but landed her in the and attend to her tray when she ing." dust on the opposite side of the road wants one, and you won't have to do "Ah, well, very well!" said Agatha.

"How did you make out with Susan?" "She's coming," said Agatha. "Is each hand.

. "I don't think he's any worse," an swered the doctor dubiously, "but I'm time enough. But women never can know how you got round her.' Agatha paused a moment before re-

plying, 'I wrestled with her.' The doctor smiled grimly. other way.

"I car believe that!" said Agatha.

CHAPTER XV.

Echoes From the City.

from anywhere; he talked so little that flushed, but her eyes were tired, he was suspicious on that ground was no accent at all that Sallie could teously.

match for her. On the afternoon fol- to have any. which separated them, and compre a large, delightful room-while Aleck each other a little better." luncheon

"Miss Sallie, I should prefer, Mr sank down in the chair that Mrs. Stod- Hand," she requested in a mournful few days." dard had offered at the beginning of tone of resignation. "And Miss Redtheir meeting, and covered her eyes mond don't take any pepper on her

"Well, she may want some today, just the same," insisted Mr. Hand in a chauffeur?"

had been blinded by her own wilful- I don't like to be so formal," argued ting the point of wages go by in the visiting. Miss Redmond?" inquired lioves the right

Sallie disappeared, leaving a drib-But they paused yet a moment, bling trail of good-natured complaint aft. It was very small, and it leaked; stopping as if by a common instinct to behind her. Mr. Hand continued mak- probably that was why they did not look at the white cross. Susan Stod- ing broth-at which he was as expert dard gazed down on it with a grief in as he was at the lever or the launch than nothing. I found some putty and her eyes that was the more heart | engine. He strained and seasoned, a tin bucket, and got foed and a lot breaking because it was inarticulate, and regarded two floating islands of of other things, though the boat filled Agatha remembered the doctor's oily substance with disapproval, so fast that I had to throw most words, and understood something of While he was working Sallie joined everything out. But I got ashore, as turbed. Did he come again?" the friction that could exist between him again at the stove, her important this evangelistic sister and the finer, and injured manner all to the front.

"Says she'll take another aig," she "I've never been inside the old red explained. "Only took one yesterday,

"What did I tell you?" jeered Hand. hard for you to come there, I know." aigs, not that I recollect," Sallie re-

"Well, the principle's the same," as-Agatha laid her arm about the older countenance assumed a crafty and jo the memory of it. woman's shoulder, and thus was led cose expression, which would have anything for mademoiselle at all."

Sallie became slowly transfixed in

"A maid! When's she coming?" "Ought to be here now, she's had glad Susan's coming. I'd be glad to get round without wasting a lot of time." Sallie's glance must have brought him to his senses, for he added hastily:. "City women, I mean." "Hm! She won't touch Parson

known the wrestling to come out the Thayer's china-not if I know myself!" Sallie disappeared with Miss Redmond's second egg. When she re-"Well, it's fairly to your credit!" turned, she delivered a message to And perhaps this was as near praise the effect that Miss Redmond wished as his New England speech ever came. to see Mr. Hand when he had finished his luncheon. He was off instantly calling: "Watch that broth, Sallie!"

It was a different Hand, however, who entered Miss Redmond's room Sallie Kingsbury, unused to psycho- moment later. His half impudent logical analysis, could not have ex manner changed to distant respect, plained why Mr. Hand was so ob tinged with a sort of personal adorajectionable to her. He was no relative tion. Agatha felt it, though it was of the family, she had discovered that; too intangible to be taken notice of, and, accustomed as she was to the old either for rebuke or reward. Agatha fashioned gentility of a thrifty New was sitting in a rocking-chair by the England town, instinct told her that window, sipping her tea out of the he could not possibly be one of its best tea-cup, her tray on a stand in varied products. He might have come front of her. She looked excited and

"Can I do anything for you alone; and when he did speak, there Mademoiselle?" Hand inquired cour-

lay hold of. Useful as he was just "Yes, please," answered Agatha, and now in taking care of that poor young paused a moment, as if to recall her man up-stairs, he nevertheless in thoughts in order. Hand was very spired in that breast a most unholy presentable, in negligee shirt which irritation. Her attitude was that of a Sallie must have washed while he housemaid pursuing the cat with the was asleep. He was one of those people who look best in their working or Mr. Hand was not greatly troubled sporting clothes, ruddy, clean and by Sallie's tendency to sweep him out strong. He would have dwindled abhard to trace and are often obscure of the way, but whenever he took any solutely into the commonplace in Sunnotice of her he was more- than a day clothes, if he was ever so rash as

"I wish to talk with you a little, he appeared to show some slight ob said Agatha. "We haven't had much jection to being treated like the cat. opportunity of talking, so far; and He ate his luncheon in the kitchen- perhaps it is time that we understand to watch for Lizzie and bring her and

"As mademoiselle wishes,"

"In the first place," Agatha went it in a strong clasp. Then, with a preparation of her new mistress' on, "I must tell you that Mrs. Stoddard is coming to help nurse Mr. Ham-"You haven't put any salt or pepper bleton. You have been very good to on mademoiselle's tray, Sallie," said stay with us so long; and if you will come." Agatha's grateful eyes dwelt he, as the maid was about to start up stay on, I shall be glad. But Doctor angrily hesitating whether to argue Thayer thinks you should have help. and so do I. Especially for the next one of her mistress' silver coins,

"That is entirely agreeable to me Mademoiselle." "Will you tell me what-what re-

muneration you were receiving as "Pardon me, but that is unnecesprayer of faith shall heal the sick." boat, filled with salt, and a cheap pink sary, Mademoiselle. If you will allow Then falling to her knees by Agatha's glass pepper-shaker side by side on me to stay here, either taking care of Kingsbury's makeshifts and wearing a

Agatha was silent while she buttered a last bit of toast. Hand's reti-"No, just Sallie, if you please! I've cence and evident secretiveness were self in a white gown, and felt better tighteousness to others, and that she taken a great fancy to you, Sallie, and baffling. She had no intention of let-

way Hand indicated, but after delib Lizzie, eaten up with cursosity, which eration she dropped it for the mo- was her mortal weakness. ment, in order to take up another matter.

"I was wondering," she began again, 'how you happened to escape from the Jeanne D'Arc alone in a rowboat, and what your connection with Monsieur Chafelard was. Will you tell

A perfectly vacant look came into Hand's face. He might have been everything about Miss Redmond's suddeaf and dumb.

At last Agatha began again. "I am grateful, exceedingly grateful, Mr. Hand, for all that you have done for us since that catastrophe, but I can't have any mystery about people. That is absurd. Did you leave the Jeanne D'Are when the others did-when I fell into the water?"

This time Hand consented to answer. "No, Mademoiselle; I did not know you had fallen into the water until I brought you ashore in the morning."

"Then how did you get off?"

"Well, it was rather queer. The men were all tired out working at the pumps, and Monsieur Chatelard or dered a seaman named Bazinet and me to relieve two of them. He said within her gates, for the sick man over | and I'll carry the tray to the top of he would call us when the boats were lowered, as the yacht was then get-"I wouldn't trouble you for the ting pretty shaky. Bazinet and I world, Mr. Hand," she tossed back. worked a long time; and when finally "You'd stumble and break Parson we got on deck, thinking the Jeanne tically, as she rose to her feet, ad- Thayer's best china that I've washed D'Arc was nearly done for, the boats dressing the girl who instantly ap for seventeen years and only broke had put off. We heard some one peared from around the doorway, "go the handle of one cup. She wouldn't shouting, and Bazinet got frightened and tell Little Simon to drive up to drink her coffee this morning outer and jumped for the boat. He thought the horse block. Agatha, you go home the second-best cups; went to the but they'd wait for him. It was too dark and rest, and I'll get hitched up and tery before breakfast and picked out for me to see whether he made it or be over there almost as soon as you wunner the best set, and poured her not. I stayed on the yacht for some are. Angle will help me get the ice self a cup. She said it was inspiring, time, not knowing anything better to bag and all the other things, in case but I call it wasteful-and me with do-" Hand allowed himself a faint smile- "and at last, after a hunt, I found that extra boat, stowed away think of using it. But it was better you know. I didn't even wait to see the last of the Jeanne D'Arc."

> Agatha's eyes shone. Hand's story was perfectly simple and plausible. But the other question was even more important. She hesitated before re-"You didn't tell me anything about peating it, however, and rewarded day to see if I had any word from Hand's unusual frankness with a grateful look.

"That was a night of experience for was a good brother and a good man!" serted Hand. After a moment his us all," she said, with a little sigh at

"But tell me-" Agatha looked up out to Little Simon's buggy. Susan put even Sallie on her guard if she squarely at Hand, only to encounter

And in spite of herself she smiled.

sat reading her Bible by the window. Mr. Hand stood for a moment, silently regarding first the patient, then his

"By the grace of God, he will pull through, I firmly believe!" ejaculated Mrs. Stoddard.

As the first words came in that rethe nurse was swearing, though presently he changed his mind.

wonted meekness. Then, "I'll sleep planation with me. an hour or two, if that is agreeable to you, ma'am."

"Ferfectly!" heartily responded Mrs. Stoddard, and Mr. Hand disappeared like the mist before the sun.

It was to be an afternoon of excite ment, after all, though Agatha thought that she would apply herself to the straightening out of much necessary business. But after an hour's work over letters at Parson Thayer's desk, there occurred an ebullition below which could be nothing less than the arrival of Lizzie, Agatha's maid, with sundry articles of luggage. She was a small-minded but efficient city girl, clever enough to keep her job by making herself useful, and sophisticated to the point of indecency. No woman ought ever to have known so much as Lizzie knew. Agatha was to hear how she had been relieved by the telegram several days before, how she had nearly killed herself packing in such haste, how she thought she was traveling to the ands of the earth, coming thus to a region she had never heard of before.

Hig Simon, who had been instructed her luggage out, presently arrived with the trunks, having sent the maid on ahead in the buggy with his son. Big Simon positively declined to carry the two trunks to the second floor, saying he thought they'd like it just as well, or better, if he left them in the half down-stairs. Lizzle was with him or use the persuasion of when Agatha interfered, and saved her from making the mistake of her life. It is doubtful if she could have lived in Ilion after having been guilty of tipping one of its foremost citizens. And even if she had, she would not have got the trunks taken up-steirs

The prospect of discarding Sallie side, with rapt, lifted face and closed the tray. Sallie brushed Hand away Mr. Hambleton or in any outdoor dress which belonged to her had more work, for a week or as long as you comfort in it than Agatha had ever petition to the Lord. Her ringing voice "That doesn't go with the best sil- may need me, I shall consider myself believed possible; and the reality was even better. She made a tollet, for the first time in many days, with her accustomed accessories, dressed bet "Are these the relatives you wer

Agatha paused, struck with the form of the maid's question; but, knowing her liking for items of news. she answered cautiously:

"Not relatives exactly. The Thayers were old friends of my mother." Lizzie shook out a skirt and hung it in the wardrobe in the far corner of the room. She was bursting to know den journey, but knew better than to

appear anxious. 'The message at the hotel was so indefinite that I didn't know at all what I should do. After the excitement quieted down a little, I went out

to visit my cousin Hattie, in the Bronx."

"What sort of excitement?" "Oh, newspaper men, and the manager, and Herr Weimar, of the orchestra, and a lot of other people who came, wanting to see you immediately. They seemed to think I was hid-

ing you somewhere." Agatha smiled. She could imagine Lizzie in her new-fledged importance, talking to all those people.

"You spoke of a message-" ventured Agatha. "Yes; the one you sent the day you

left, Miss Redmond. The hotel clerk said you and suddenly left town on a and that was a serious delinquency visit to a sick relative." "Oh, yes." Lizzie's quick scent was already on

the trail of a mystery, but Agatha was in no mood just then to give her any version of the events of that Monday afternoon.

"Was there any other message, Miss Redmond? Some word for me, which the clerk forgot to deliver?"

"No, nothing else." "Mr. Straker came Tuesday morning with some contracts for you to sign. He said that you had an appointment with him, and he was nearly crazy when he found you had gone away without leaving your address."

Agatha smiled more and more broadly, to Lizzie's disgust, but she could not help it. "I don't doubt he was dis-

"Come again, Miss Redmond!" Lizzie hung a blue silk coat over its hanger, held it carefully up to the light, and turned toward her mistress with the mien of a person who isn't to be bamboozled. "He came twice every you; and when I went to Cousin Hattie's he called me up on the 'phone every morning and evening. Most unreasonable, Mr. Straker was. He said there wasn't a singer in town he could get to fill your engagements, and he was losing a hundred dollars a day. He's very much put out, Miss Red-

"Well, I was, too," said Agatha, but somehow her tone failed to satisfy the maid. To Agatha the thought of the dictatorial manager fluttering about New York in quest of a vanished singer-well, the picture had its hu-Hand found Mrs. Stoddard installed morous side. It had its serious side, Stoddard. I will say this once for all er's voice, as he came out to meet her, a spread-eagle attitude, with the half in James Hambleton's room. Doctor too, for Agatha, of course, but for the of a thin white egg-shell held up in Thayer and Aleck had gone, both leav- moment she put off thinking about ing word that they would return be that. Lizzie, however, had borne the fore night. Mrs. Stoddard had brunt of Mr. Straker's vexation, and smoothed James' bed, folded down in that lumber-box she called her the sheet with exactness, noted her mind she regarded the matter solely brother's directions for treatment, and as her personal cue to come more prominently upon the stage.

"Then your accompanist came every morning, as you had directed, Miss Redmond; and Madame Florio sent word a dozen times about those new gowns." Lizzie, with the memory of her sudden importance, almost took up the role of baffled innocence. "I sonant deep voice, Hand thought that declare, Miss Redmond, I didn't know what to do or say to those people. The whole thing seemed so irregular. "Yes, ma'am," he replied with un- with you not leaving any word of ex-

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Searching for Hidden Will. The romantic story of a hidden will s arousing keen interest in the neighborhood of Bradley Fold, a little village three miles from Bolton, Lancashire, England. Search for the missing document is being made by a woman from Gunnersbury, London. She believes that if she succeeds in her quest, she will become entitled to a valuable estate. The search was prompted originally by statements made by a medium at a spiritualistic seance. The will is supposed to be concealed in a wall sunk in a shed which has been bricked up for many years. It formed a cellar to an old house. The London searcher's ances tor, John Bradley, who married his housekeeper, was known to possess great wealth. No will could be found

Made First Lightning Rod. Nearly everybody believes that Benjamin Franklin was the inventor and

after his death.

constructor of the first lightning rod. In this particular they are mistaken, as the first lightning catcher was invented by a poor monk of Bohemia, who put up the first lightning rod on the palace of the curator of Preditz, Moravia, June 15, 1754. The apparatus was composed of a pole surmounted by an iron rod, supporting 12 curved branches and terminating in as many metallic boxes filled with iron ore The entire system of wires was united to the earth by a large chain. The enemies of the inventor, jealous of his success, excited the peasants of the locality against him and under the pretext that his lightning rod was the cause of the excessive dry weati-er had the rod taken down and the inventor imprisoned.

Brief and Pointed. "That man Gabler is always looking

for a chance to talk in public." "Yes, I once heard him speak to crowd of 4 000" "Is that so? What did he say?"

"'Louder, please'!'"

An honest man is not a mere ani mal; he knows right from wrong, and

INTERNATIONAL

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Even-ing Department The Moody Bible In-stitute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR JULY 27.

MOSES' REQUEST REFUSED.

LESSON TEXT-Ex. 5:1-H.
GOLDEN TEXT-"Blessed are they
that mourn for they shall be comforted."

Only one incident is mentioned with reference to that long journey Moses had to take in returning from Midian to Egypt. "The Lord met him and sought to kill him," (4:24). Moses to about to pronounce a fearful penalty. see 4:23, and it was necessary that be comprehended the terrible meaning of his threat. Also he had neglected to observe the sign of covenant peace (circumcision) with his youngest son, for the future leader of Israel. "It was necessary at this stage of his experience that he should learn that God is in earnest when he speaks, and will assuredly perform all that he has

threatened." (Murphy.) Showing himself with Aaron, the elders of Israel are soon convinced that God had sent them and was about to work out through Moses and Aaron the long promised deliverance.

Issue Plainly Stated.

Moses' Message, vv. 1-9. Moses and Aaron plainly stated the issue at the very outset, "Thus saith the Lord God of Israel" (v. 1). This was at once a challenge as to the boasted superior greatness of the Egyptian gods. It also touched Pharach's pride for he was an absolute monarch and can he allow these representatives of an oppressed people any liberties? Lastly, it was a question of economic impor-

tance Pharaoh looked upon these Israelites as his own property, now they are claimed for another. "Let my people go." In contempt, Pharaoh exclaims, "Who is Jehovah?" It was in answer to that very question Moses had been sent and right well was Pharach to learn the answer ere the account is settled. Men are flippantly asking that same question today, both by word and conduct, who will find out to their final sorrow who Jehovah is, and why they should obey his voice. Pharaoh spoke the truth when he said "I know not the Lord," but though he seems to boast of that he little knew what it means for a man to set up his will against that of God. 'I will not" was the proud boast of weak, wilful, ignorant worm of the dust; for all his exalted position among men. Read 2 Thess. 1:8 and Rom.

In reply, (v. 3) Moses and Aaron did not seek to argue the case. Very little is ever gained by such a method, much better for us to deliver God's message verbatim and trust to the holy spirit to bring conviction. Moses and Aaron were far more afraid of the pestilence and sword of Jehovah than the boasted power of Pharaoh. God does punish disobedience whether we like it or not, see Deut, 28:21. Zech. 14:16-19, etc. This fearlessness angered Pharaoh (v. 4) and he commands them and their brethren at once to resume their burdens. The world is constantly accusing the servants of God of unfitting people for their work, see Amos 7:10, Luke 23:2 and Acts 17:6.

Truth Confirmed.

The truth of this narrative is confirmed by the bricks found in the ruins of cities built during this period of Egyptian history. The bricks were made of clay mixed with stubble, rather than the ordinary straw and baked in the sun rather than in a fire kiln.

II. Pharaoh's Method, vv. 10-15. H must have been a severe test of faith for the Israelites to have had their hopes thus dashed and more grievous burdens thrust upon them. Before, the government furnished the neces sary straw, now they must get it themselves and at the same time keep up the usual toll of bricks.

Those who were beaten (v. 14) were of their own number who were held accountable under the Egyptian taskmasters for the conduct of the whole Is this not suggestive of one other than ourselves "who; bore our sins in his own body on the tree" and "by whose stripes we are healed?"

How little we comprehend, even with centuries of Christian history as our guide and the inspired word as our teacher, the full meaning of Paul's words, "For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us." Rom 8:18. But God is mindful of his own and as soon as Moses and Aaron turned to him he gives them a most gracious renewal of his promise and of the ultimate blessing, see Chapter

III. The Summary. God's ways of deliverance are never easy. His people are always slow to believe and his enemies have a hard hearted and terrible persistence in their opposition to him and his plans. But God does not permit this defeat, nor prevent the accomplishment of his purposes. When pain has done its work he makes it to cease. When the fire has burned out the dross he will extinguish it. Pharaoh esteemed human life cheaply, how about the sweat shop of today? "Let my people go" is the watch-word of the fight that is still in progress Israelitish oppression still surviv

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Legislature in Session

is concerned is restricted to such subjects as the governor submits.

Ex.-Senator W. A. Hanger of Ft. Worth announces himself a candi- their real opinins you would find date for the Democratic nomination very few anti editors in Texas. They for Governor next year. His platform is "development and progress." Senator Hanger is opposed that it would have been better for to Prohibition and presumably op- the country if they had been abolposed to submitting this issue again ished long ago. - Lytle Herald. to the people. According to our present light we prefer the "development and progress" represented still growing. A great many of the by another citizen of Fort Worth, best and most substantial people of Comptroller W. P. Lane, for that the Guadalupe and Medina valleys includes the highest ideals of moral are taking the paper and their words as well as material "development of encouragement and efforts in beand progress," and that's the kind half of the paper are appreciated Texas will demand in the next state more than words can express. Go campaign,

The constitutional amendments submitted to the voters on the 19th year, despite the efforts of certain inst, were all defeated, only about interests to "starve us out." We one-fourth of a vote being cast. are doing our best to publish a pa-There will hardly be any more per that is worthy of the patronage amendments voted on. The present of all the people who stand for the the conductor, and "Old Si" knows constitution was adopted in 1875, right. Of course certain evil influererybody on the line, and never and in the 43 years since there has ences will always fight a paper like fails to put his passengers off at the been great advancement in the sci- the Advance. This is natural. But right corner. He is blunt in speech, ence of govenment, and a new con- it is because of this opposition that but witty. stitution should be adopted instead our friends are made to see the need The other Sunday night several of trying any more to patch the of such a paper and are inspired to present one. The present constitu- rally to its support. tion has already been amended several times, but the people evidently new progressive constitution is what es, cool shades and beautiful, clear is wanted and needed.

has made a ruling upon the provi- lined with campers who have come sions of the Allison law now in force from the warmer climes South and a wet precinct of a county into a dry precinct of the same county, or from a wet county into a dry one The object of the law, the Attorney General says, is to confine the liquor traffic within the boundaries of the fic is licensed by law.

Results of Early Closing

busy practically all night, but since this law came into effect they say the next two years, a law for the at 9:30 decreases crime; so of course election of U. S. Senators, and an a still earlier closing hour would deamendment to the laws governing crease crime still more. Make it at the State penitentiaries. Other sundown, and if sundown closing Boston Woman Lawyer Makes Some matters may be submitted. The decreases crime, close them at noon special session so far as legislation and still further decrease crime. and so on.

The anti papers have no answers for such arguments as this for pro- a fashionable club luncheon, that the hibition. But who are the anti papers? If you can manage to get along with the other more intelligent use to us, but entirely harmful, and an.

The Advance subscription list is right on friends boosting the Advance and we will have it in a thousand homes in this section within a

It is in "the good old summer are tired of amendments. A brand time" that Kerrville's balmy breez- youths spied "Old Si," whose shirt running streams are most appreciated. The town is full of summer Attorney General B. F. Looney visitors and the banks of the river to the effect that shipments of liquor East and San Antonio and other cannot be made in any manner from cities, and the testimony of all is, "it surely is delightful up here!"

The Farmers Congress and State Farmers Institute will meet next week at College Station and a number from Kerrville are expected counties or precincts where the traf- to take advantage of the low railroads rates and attend.

The saloons closed Saturday when the election on the constitutional An article in the San Antonio Ex- amendments was held, and the city press releases some excellent argu- remained dry so far as liquor and

ment for prohibition. The 9:30 beer are concerned. Nobody was closing law has been in force in San hurt but some benefitted. Why not Antonio for two weeks, and the keep up the closing? If it is good for police report a big decrease in crime. Sundays and election days it is good Heretofore the police were kept for every day. Concentration of wealth honestly the people begin moving toward acquired often develops enterprises The first called session of the their homes along about 10:30 and of great public benefit, but when present Legislature met Monday at by 12:00 the streets are almost de- employed in the interest of monop-Austin. Gov. Colquitt has submit- eerted, and the police had about as oly and to keep wealth in the hands ted for consideration the appropria- well go home and go to bed. Every of a few it is a public menace and tion of funds to run the government one admits that to close the saloons a crime against social justice.

OPPOSES THE DIVORCE RING Sarcastic Comment on Morals of the Present Day.

Miss Amy Acton, a prominent lawyer of Boston, said recently, at divorce ring which western women have inaugurated, is vulgar.

"It is vulgar," she said, "because It is an advertisement of the fact people know that saloons are of no that the wearer is a divorced wom-

Sipping her black demi-tasse, Miss Acton added reflectively:

"I may be wrong, though, in condemning the divorce ring-it perhaps serves some very good purpose. The number of our divorces is really alarming. Ye seem to be approaching that state which prevailed in old Roman times when divorce was so frequent that on the tomb of an undivorced woman was inscribed:

"Here lies a good wife who had but one husband."

WAS READY WITH HIS ANSWER

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OMMISSIONERS' COURT Meets Second Monday's in February, May, August and November.

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A. Starkey, Surveyor Pre. No. 1 Arthur Real Pre. No. 2 Hugo Wiedenfeld, Pre. No. 3 Pre. No. 4 M. Webb

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Silas F. Howard, C. C.

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O. E. S.

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Mrs. Erop Williamson.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

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S. J. DRAKE, Pastor Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m and 8:00 p. m.

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night at 8:00 o'clock Church choir practice every Friday

The Ladies Aid meets every Tuesday at 3 p. m. Mrs. R. S. Newman, President; Mrs A. A Roberts, Secretary and Treasurer Missionary Program 1st Tuesday in each month.

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ly on time. A cordial invitation is extended to ing. Game abounds in the Kerrville all to visit these services.

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Regular services will be held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month at the Union Church. Sunday School at 9:50 and preaching at 10:50 a. m. B. Schleifer, Prstor.

KERRVILLE

Is the county seat of Kerr County, has a population of about 2500, is sitated 70 miles northwesterly from San Antonio, and is the terminus of the Kerrville branch of the S. A. & A. P. railroad. It has two daily trains to and from San Antonio, and daily mail routes, carrying passengers in hacks, to Ingram, Junction, Rock Springs Harper and other places north and west of Kerrville, and also a daily line to Fredericksburg. From Kerrville to Fredericksburg is 25 miles; to Bandera and Medina City. 25 miles; to Junction 60 miles; Rocksprings 80 miles, Harper 21 miles

Kerrville has electric lights and a splendid system of water works. The sum of \$20,000 is being spent on the streets and \$10,000 has been voted for road improvements in this precinct.

The elevation at Kerrville is 1750 feet. The Guadalupe river, which heads 30 miles north of Kerrville, runs through the city. On the east side where the city is located, there are bigh 'luff's on the river, and on the west side is a fertile and beautiful valley, and mountains surround the city on the east and west. The Guadalupe B. and ranchmen, and the mountain re-Williamson, Superintendent; Lula gious, among which there is considerable valley, creek and arable land, there are large ranches of cattle, horses, sheep and goats, all of which do well in the Kerrville country. The land generally is well wooded, principally with live oak, Spanish oak and cedar, and the range is good, and water excellent.

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Edgar Dubose from Alice arrived D. M. Painter was here Monday in Kerrville last week and has acfrom Center Point with another fine cepted a position in Leeth & O'Con- two children arrived this week in

Hay ties or pitch forks. Our to her home at Houston yesterday. and family. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Lillie Pfeuffer who will attend Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hudspeth left school there next term.

Tuesday for an extended visit to A beautiful line of ladies' bell- his mother are at New Braufels this no admission fee. Everyone invited. week visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry West Texas Supyly Co. Scholl

Mrs. H. C. Allen of Batesville is "Well, son, you are extravagant, the Baptist church at San Benito. Mrs. S. F. Howard returned last here for an indefinite visit with her Another pair of new shoes?" "Oh, Bro. Payne reported the Lower Rio BENTON, condition.

The Shoe Maker.

Mrs. Robert Remschel has as her tute will meet Saturday at the Nueces County, spent Sunday in guest this week Mrs. Mabel Mussey court house. An interesting pro- Kerrville. gram will be carried out.

> to 600. Big boned, good individual, moving to El Paso. Price to sell \$25.00.

> > The Oaks Stock Farm.

Miss Elsie Johnson returned Mon- Lima, were in the city today. Mr. ment, as we are trying to get our day from a visit to friends at San Miller reports crop conditions good business straightened up and will on the upper Medina.



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West Texas Supply Company.

G. W. Elam, of Tuff, was in town Wednesday. He came over for his daughter, Miss Pearl, who had been mowing machine, rake, molases mill, visiting here for some time.

Harvey Deering is regularly ememployed with the Wells Fargo Co. taking the place Lewie Moore formerly held.

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Mrs. Owen Anderson of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Will A. Morriss of San Antonio are visiting the home folks at Kerrville and will this week visit the ranch of the Morriss brothers on the divide.

Mr, and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon returned yesterday from San Antonio where Mr. Gammon went to meet his wife, on her return from Hondo, where she has been spending the week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Callaham.

Married

two colts, one a yearling, for good Mr. A. B. Collier of Junction and Miss Carrie Maude Ridgway of Kerrville were married at the Baptist pastor's home in Kerrville on last W. C. Strackbein and two daugh- Friday night, Rev. D. P. Airhart ters, Misses Louise and Alma, re- officiating. The happy couple left turned last week from a plesant for their home at Junction the next visit to friends and relatives in day. The Advance offers congratu-Doss valley and Fredericksburg. lations and best wishes.

Gilbert C. Storms went to Ban dera today on legal business.

Mr. Clark and two little sons of Isaac J. Conn from his home on Ingram made the Advance a pleas- the Guadalupe near Japonica was in the city Tuesday. He reports splendid crops is his neighborhood.

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On next Sunday there will be Edgwood, Van Zandt County, are morning services at the Episcopal late arrivals in Kerrville to spend church at 11 o'clock a. m. The the summer. They are old friends Rev. Mr. Hutcheson of San Antonio will preach. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Eastwood and their car from San Marcos and are spending the week here visiting Mr. Mrs. Fred G. Hoffman returned Eastwood's aunt, Mrs. Z. Leonard,

The Wesley Philathea class and Self's Young Men's class will give their regular monthly program at Clyde Hamilton came home from the Methodist Church, Friday July Pharr last week on a visit. He and 25, at 8. p. m. No collection and

Rev. D. P. Airhart had as his guest Monday Rev. Payne, pastor of no, they are my old ones worked Grande Valley in a most prosperous

Pat Whelan, Justice of the Peace The Kerr. County Farmers Insti- at Corpus Christi and ex-Sheriff of

Miss Minnie McCurdy visited her FOR SALE—One Registered Du- friend, Mrs. Greson, in San Antonio here on an extended visit to her son roc Jersey Male, weight from 500 last week. The Greson family are

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PARIS COPIES NUN'S COIFFURE



HE very latest headdress for evening wear which has appeared in Paris has a touch of the religious about it, not only in appearance but in name. The "Nun's Cap" is made of rare old lace and set with diamonds and precious stones. It gives to the wearer that peaceful look which those who are devoutedly religious have.

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Dainty Touches That May Be Put Into Gifts Intended to Convey All Good Wishes.

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chamois skin.

HAT OF BLACK MILAN



There is something particularly dashing about hat trimmings at the back, and this year such trimmings are as dashing as fashion can make them. This gay little tricorne of black milan owes its smartness to the huge cross aigrette poised at the back, and the neck ruche of plaited malines inreases the modish effect.

Rose and Yellow. Rose and yellow shades, from the palest pink and lemon to the damask red and coppery yellows, lead the way among colors in the newest silks and satins, corded crepes de soie and oth-er fashionable fabrics, while among the materials suitable for garden party and afternoon frocks are the many varieties of chine and Pompadour crepe silks and floral patterned de-

Perfection of Cut and Workmanship Demanded, Though Materials Must Be Inconspicuous.

Instead of hemming, roll the edges | The clothes of the well-dressed French fashion. To do this, first damp- small boy grow plainer and plainer; on the thumb and first finger of the though more attention is bestowed left hand and roll as finely as possible than ever before on their perfection as you continue to sew. The lace edg- of cut and workmanship. Linen, pering or insertion that you trim with cales and galateas are the best choice should be sewed on with the same for play frocks or sailor suits, and for stitch that sews the roll. In other the formal costume, white serge or words the roll and edging are sewed mohair, or heavy white ottoman silk at the s: ... time. It makes a pret- may be used. A little boy of six, who tier, more delicate finish than a hem, has big brown eyes and dark hair as it is almost invisible. Such hand- bobbed off in the familiar Buster kerchiefs may be trimmed as simply Brown style, has had made for sumor as elaborately as you wish. If you mer wear six silken suits, all in the wish to embroider the bride's mono- picturesque sailor style, with very full gram or her name, cut her signature blouses over very short knickers. from the bottom of a letter. Place Two of the suits are of white tub silk it against the window pane with the and with these go flowing sailor ties handkerchief on the top and trace the of black slik. One suit is of a blue and white tub silk and is accompa-A novel handkerchief is made with nied by a dark blue tie; another suit a four-inch diamond shaped center of of tan and cream silk has a tie of white velveteen, which takes the warm amber silk. A gala suit is of place of the chamois. Powder may be red and white tub sllk, with a red dusted upon the chamois velvet cen- necktie and white collar embroidered ter, and it clings to the nappy face with red anchors. The suit de luxe. even better than to the surface of a however, is one of white faille silk. embroidered on collar and sleeve with white chevrons and having a tie of pale blue surah.

MAY SELECT MOST SUITABLE

Styles in Summer Millinery Afford a Wide Choice to Suit Individual Taste and Appearance.

The medium-sized hat of hemp, leghorn or milan is the most popular head covering at the present time. The lingerie hats are lovely, and the poke shapes are particularly stylish and chic. The most popular colors for these hats are citron and fraise (strawberry), in the way of novelty colors, while shades bordering on sand, gold and champagne are also seen. The little hats covered with English crepe are particularly charming, especially when trimmed with wheat, roses and ribbon trimmings. The dressy leghorn models, trimmed with shadow lace or chiffon, are beautiful. The foremost trimming seems to be the rose, the huge pink ones seeming to be most prominent.

A flat cluster of roses, posed on the front of the crown at the top and a single tall rose were noted on two of the most recent importations from famous Paris makers.

New Sashes. New girdles and sashes appear as by magic every few days, and some of them are fearful and wonderful indeed. Others will be unobjectionable if they are discreetly reserved for wear with white and cream summer frocks. Of these are the new pongee sashes in Cubist designs and colors. They come from ten to 18 inches wide and look more like crepe than pongee. The ends are gathered into tassels made of the colors shown in the printed pattern.

Separate Waists. The newest separate waists are de-

back and front

signed with yokes. The lower parts of these waists are generously full ern portion of the county.

FIGHTING OVER THE SPOILS



HUERTA SENDS DIAZ OUT OF MEXICO BOILER EXPLODES ON FAST TRAIN; 2 KILLED

for Its Participation in the 1910 Centennial.

sador to Japan to express the thanks when the boiler of the locomotive pullticipation in Mexico's centennial in Southern Pacific exploded at Fauna,

By appointing General Diaz to this The dead are: mission President Huerta appears to Alfred Tyler, Houston, 1721 Gentry have eliminated him temporarily, at street, engineer. president, when formally conferring fireman. the honor on him Thursday, said that The injured are: he hoped that he would return to Mex- | E. J. Shannon, New Orleans, mail ico in time to be a candidate in the clerk. presidential election which is called J. M. Wofford, New Orleans, mail for October 26.

to plan his trip carefully so that time to Houston.

There never has been any secret in the botler of the engine. about the desire of General Diaz to The remains of the engine, a comstand for the presidency and that he bination baggage and mail car, a would name most of the cabinet, with the un- injuries. derstanding that he should be free to merous political clubs, but the growth were brought to Houston. of the rebellion against the Huerta ad- The engineer of the doomed train many of his own partisans believe his sion occurred. election will be impossible.

make his election at all certain, un- was due to low water in the boiler. less it is General Huerta himself, who can not legally become a candidate unless be first retires from the presi-

Young People Drown in Llano.

drowned. Mr. Burkes was an expert Thomas A. Stafford, Robstown; Annie swimmer. Miss Gammel got into deep F. Higbee, Siaton; Leonard H. Salter, water and in trying to rescue her Stanton; Alfred H. Ables, Terrell; both went down together. Mr. Burkes Tom R. Stewart, Whitney; Fred P. been sergeant at arms of the last legis. Mabank; John J. Ball, Orange; Green lature and recently appointed deputy B. Taylor, Pecan Gap. United States marshal, with headquarters at Waco.

Plot to Dynamite U. S. Consulate. Eagle Pass, Tex.-It is said on good ported to Washington the discovery Pass nightly. The official records of roads, as decreed by the courts. the consulate were removed to the

President Pardons a Man.

postal employe.

Americans Leave Empalme.

Nogales, Ariz.-Federal forces from north of that port, Tuesday. Ameri- at \$15,000,000 before the failure of his can railway men immediately pre-banks in 1905, has shrunk to \$45,000, pared to leave Empalme, where a large according to the attorney for the ad-American colony normally is located.

First Bale at Sinton. Sinton, Tex.-The first bale of this year's cotton crop for San Patricio

Goes to Japan to Thank That Country Accident Happens Near Houston When

Train Was Trying to Make Up Lost Time. City of Mexico.-General Felix Diaz Houston, Tex.-Two trainmen were has been named as special ambassa- killed and two mail clerks injured

of Mexico to Japan for the latter's par- ing the New Orleans special on the ten miles east of Houston, Friday,

least, from the politics of Mexico. The | E. S. Montemet, New Orleans, La.,

clerk General Diaz, however, would have The dead and injured were brought

would be left to him for the comple | Reports are to the effect that the tion of his program in the presidential train was running late when the accicampaign. Approximately a month dent occurred, having been delayed at will be occupied in the trip to Japan, Lafayette to change engines. Assistand another month in the return, and ant General Manager W. S. Waid, who it will be necessary not to discredit conducted an examination of the the mission by too much haste in leav. wreck immediately after it happened, reported that it was due to low water

should be a candidate was part of the en coach and the front trucks of a agreement entered into by him with steel coach were derailed. Several President Huerta as the price of peace other coaches and a diner, composing in the capital. Huerta was to be the the rest of the train, remained on the provisional president and Diaz was to rails and the passengers sustained no A relief train was rushed to the

work out his own political future. Al. scene from Houston, carrying doctors most at once he was proclaimed the and railroad officials. The bodies of candidate for the presidency by nu- the dead men and the two injured

ministration and the failure of Diaz to evidently had a brief warning that remain before the public in a spec- something was about to happen, for, tacular light, in addition to the gen- according to testimony, given the eral apathy of a large part of the peo- board of inquiry by the train crew ple toward the election, results in and passengers, the air was applied placing him in a position where even just a few seconds before the explo-

The board of inquiry, composed of President Huerta insists that the eighteen men, thirteen railroad men elections will be held, but if they are, and five business men, reported that there is yet in sight no man whose it is the unanimous opinion of the popularity is sufficiently general to beard that the cause of the explosion

New Texas Postmasters.

Washington. - Texas postmasters commissioned Saturday were: Edward Kennedy, Anson; James J. Erwin, Bal-Hinger; Kate G. Burke, Crosbyton; Mason, Tex. - Tuesday morning, David P. Porter, De Kalb; John W. while with a party of picnickers bath- Gaskin, Jacksboro; Mrs. William F. ing in the Llano river, eight miles Holmes, Jasper; Robert W. Bennett, south of Mason, Charles P. Burkes of Kenedy; Alice C. Cheney, Mount Waco and Miss Effie Gammel were Pleasant; Green H. Riddlee, Omaha; was of statewide prominence, having Ingerson, Barstow; William J. Lamb,

Slip of Paper Has \$38,000,000 Value. New York.-With a slip of paper in his pocket representing about \$88,000,-000, Frederick V. S. Crosby, treasurer authority United States Consul Luther of the Union Pacific Railroad Com-Ellsworth at Piedras Negras has re pany, walked into the office of the Central Trust Company Thursdays He of a plot to dynamite the American turned the paper over to the trust comconsulate and that his life is in im- pany as trustee and thereby completed minent danger. Consul Elisworth now the first step in the dissolution of the takes refuge at the army post in Eagle Union Pacific and Southern Pacific

American side for safekeeping Thurs. Corporations Earned \$3,304,000,000 Net Washington.-Corporations of the United States earned \$3,304,000,000 above all expenses during the caleneral prisoner dying of tuberculosis since the enactment of the corporation and whose life might be prolonged by tax law by \$400,000,000. This showing

Washington.-The plight of a fed-dar year of 1912, exceeding all records freedom caused President Wilson was divulged by the compilation Tues-Thursday to commute to expire at day of assessments made by Commisonce the four-year sentence of James sioner William H. Osborn of the in-Perrin, convicted at Cleveland on Feb- ternal revenue bureau under the corruary 24 last of embezzling while a poration tax law. Texas' increase was \$159,335.

Walsh Estate Only \$45,000.

Chicago, Ill.-The estate of John R. Guaymas occupied Empalme, a suburb Walsh, whose fortune was estimated ministratrix, who appeared Wednes day before the board of review.

Shipping Elbertas From Palestine Palestine, Tex.-Truckers are bisy County was ginned at the Taft gin. shipping Elberta peaches and many The cotton was grown on the farm of cars have been shipped the past fer O. C. Rachal at Rosita, in the south- days. Good prices are being paid fo the luscious fruit this year.





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Gabe-Does absence make the heart grow fonder?

Steve-Yes, of your creditors. Jack walked into the house rubbing time.

his nose, and trying hard to keep

back his tears. After he had gained control of his feelings, he turned to his mother and said: "Mother, Bobby Brown is the worstest boy that ever lived.'

"There is no such word as 'worst-

est.' my dear. You mean that he is the worst boy that ever lived." "Worst, mum! Well, he's lots bad-

der than that."

Original Sort of Ham.

A lady gave a luncheon recently and explained that she always cooked ham by the recipe used by Thomas Jefferson, which had been handed down in her family for years.

This recipe required that the ham be cooked for about two hours by simmering, but under no condition must it be allowed to boil.

A ham was on the stove, its destinies presided over by a young colored woman from up in the moun-

tains. "Jane," called the mistress of the house, "don't let that ham boil." "No'um," replied Jane, "I ain't er

gwine to boil no ham. It's on the stove now just a simpering!"

CLOUDED BRAIN Clears Up on Change to Proper Food.

The brain cannot work with clearness and accuracy, if the food taken is not fully digested, but is retained in the stomach to ferment and form poisonous gases, etc. A dull, clouded brain is likely to be the result.

A Mich, lady relates her experience in changing her-food habits, and results are very interesting: "A steady diet of rich, greasy foods

such as sausage, buckwheat cakes and so on, finally broke down a stomach and nerves that, by inheritance, were sound and strong, and medicine did no apparent good in the way of relief. "My brain was clouded and dull and

I was suffering from a case of constipation that defied all remedies used. "The 'Road to Wellville,' in some providential way, fell into my hands. and may Heaven's richest blessings fall on the man who was inspired to write it.

"I followed directions carefully, the physical culture and all, using Grape-Nuts with sugar and cream, leaving meat, pastry and hot biscuit entirely out of my bill of fare. The result-I am in perfect health once more.

"I never realize I have nerves, and my stomach and bowels are in fine condition. My brain is perfectly clear we are Southwestern Distributors. Write for Catalog and I am enjoying that state of health South Texas Implement & Vehicle Co., Houston, Tex. which God intended his creatures should enjoy and which all might have, by giving proper attention to their food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever rend the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Not the Way

An "advanced" woman tells New York Tribune that "women are One trial convinces-Hanford's Bal- headed straight for trousers." We beg to inform the dear girl that the manner of approach must be reversed The woman of fashion considers it before the effort can be successful.-

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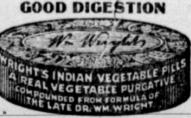
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(By G. E. HOWARD.) The Colored Rouen duck is deservedly popular throughout this country. and is considered one of the most profitable varieties to keep. These ducks are said to have come originally from the city of Rouen, in Normandy. It is known that large quantities of poultry are raised in Normandy, and that these ducks came originally from that city, large numbers of birds closely resembling them are to be not support this contention.

The Rouen duck is a fine market bird, but does not mature as early as does the Pekin or the Aylesbury. The flesh is considered very delicate and \$1,000,000 from sale of liquor dealers' the breed is acknowledged to be ex- licenses is expected in August. cellent for table purposes, being easily fattened. The Rouen will be found a profitable bird to raise on the farm Sulphur Springs claims the distinction being hardy, prolific, quiet of disposition, and of very beautiful plumage. Their eggs are not as large as those of



Trio of Colored Rouen Ducks.

the Pekin, and are diverse in color. The Rouen is undoubtedly closer, plumage alone would make good this struggle all were drowned. belief. But the shape of the domesticated Rouen duck has been greatly ever, remains almost the same.

does against the many valuable varie- ted to reside elsewhere. ties of chickens that have dark plum-

NEW POULTRY FARM STARTED

Second Experimental Station Located at Beitsville, Md .- Managed Upon Practical Lines.

So important has the poultry in dustry become that Uncle Sam has started a second experimental poultry farm on his own, account. He wants to find out what are the best breeds and what is the best treatment and Orleans. management to make them most profitable. He will not trust to the experimental work by the state of supervision, so that no mistakes will

be made. His new poultry farm is located at be made. Beltsville, Md., some 13 miles out of Washington and beyond the Maryland and inexpensive in character, so that the prize offerers. the veriest novice can copy the ideas without a great expenditure either of time or money. Sixty acres bave been set aside for the poultry farm, but as yet it is only in the development stage, and much has to be done before a real-Ty workable demonstration plant is established. Most of the houses are of the colony portable type.

Culling 6 2ld Hens. It is well to a mind that from and Hero. The City of Tampico comes the standpoint of production pul- from Vera Cruz and she had on board hens. It is false economy to retain Hero is from Tampico and she has hens more than two years old unless with her 72 passengers. for breeding or exhibition purposes. Get rid of the old stock in the late summer or early fall, retaining only ville has let the contract for the conthe very best hens for breeding purposes. Plenty of room should be pro- ing. vided for the young pullets to develop and this can be accomplished best by getting rid of the old stock which lows signs of deterioration.

Space for Hens. Allow every hen from four to six feet of floor space; better six. Ten inches each of roosting space is not too much. The roosts should be placed at least eighteen inches apart.

TEXAS BREVITIES

Hutchins recently voted \$10,000 onds for the erection of a new school house and a 15 cent tax for the support of the school.

R. G. Wright & Sons, of Waco, recently sold 1,008 bales of cotton to a New Orleans firm, for a consideration of \$70,000. This is one of the largest cotton deals to be made there in some

Gas was recently discovered near De Leon in paying quantities when parties boring some few miles from this point, came in contact with a rich vein of the product..

Dallas has three candidates for appointment to the consular service. Senator J. C. McNealus wants to become consul general at Mexico City. Barcelona or Zurich; Rev. Mr. Gilmour wants to be consul anywhere in the service, and Wirt F. Mann wants while there may be no positive proof to be consul general at Buenos Ayres.

The Texas legislature will find a million-dollar deficiency in general revfound in the market places there, enue when it meets. The deficiency Some writers claim that the name after a call for \$141,000 has been made should be "Roan" cwing to their was \$930,813. The penitentiary pay color, but really the color itself does roll of \$70,000 to \$90,000 is to be drawn within the next few days, besides other demands for money. However, before the session ends the deficiency may be reduced somewhat, as

> Joe Averitt, a farmer living near of growing the largest cabbage head in the county. When recently in respose to the secretary of the local chamber of commerce, to farmers and truckers to bring in samples of their products for exhibition. Mr. Averitt produced a cabbage head weighing 23

Mrs. Frank Petranello and her four children, ranging in age from 6 years to 6 months, were drowned near Bryan. The woman went to see about three of the children, who had already gone there, taking her baby in her arms. When she reached the water she saw the three children in danger, and, forgetting her baby, rushed into related to the Mallard duck; its the water with it in her arms. In the

By an amendment filed in its Katy modified from that of the wild Mal- consolidation suit, the state made the lard, the body is grown longer and parent or Kansas company, and othtendency to drop down er foreign railroad corporations, parin the rear, the wings have lost the ties, and seeks to recover approximateower of flight which the wild an- ly \$15,000,000 in penalties for alleged cestor possessed. The plumage, how- violations of the Texas anti-trust statutes. The trust allegations and prayer Both the drake and duck clothed in for penalties are made in addition and plumage attractive and pleasing to the as a part of the consolidation allegaeye, are as much fancier's fowls as any tion. It is alleged that the Texas corof the varieties of chickens, yet they porations have violated the office law are of much value as market birds. in that many of the officers of these The only objection to them, aside from companies who by statute required to their slow maturing qualities, is that reside at the place where the general of dark pinfeathers. This should not offices of the respective companies are stand against them any more than it located, have been caused or permit-

The first bale of the 1913 cotton age and dark pinfeathers. To the far- crop, ginned at Lyford, Cameron mer who intends raising ducks for county, Texas, Wednesday afternoon market purposes they are to be recom and was at once expressed to William D. Cleveland & Sons of Houston. The proceeds of the sale have been donated to the building funds of the Methodist and Baptist churches of Lyford. The bale weighed 505 pounds classed strict middling, was good style, good shape and was sold at auction to the consignees for \$505. The first bales were received last year July 2 and the earliest first bale on record was June 11, 1911. The second bale of the 1913 crop was ginned. at San Benito Thursday and it was started immediately by express to New

Maine, New York, Ohio or any other, gelo has purchased an acre of ground He will have it done under his own adjoining the city park on the south slowly with my fingers. After using solution. Never fails to relieve. 25c. for \$1,0000. With this asre added to them for several days my hair began at all druggists or sample sent free by the Santa Fe Park, a new approach can to stop coming out. The dandruff all

The San Benito Land and Water experiment station at College Park Company will during the next three It is being developed by the bureau years award \$4,750 in each prizes to of animal husbandry along practical, the farmers living in the territory, for down-to-date plans, and the equipment, those who are most successful in a while of good appearance is simple crop contest recently inaugurated by

> G. A. Griffiths of Houston recently purchased the Prudential Oil Company by degrees." in Galveston, valued at \$59,000. The tank station and offices will be moved to Houston at once.

. . . Another party of 99 refugees have arrived in Galveston on board the Wolvin Line steamers City of Tampico lets are more profitable than older a party of 27 people. The steamer

> The Methodist congregation at Gatesstruction of a \$25,000 church build-

From 1909 to date a total of \$12,405. 944 hoad and bridge bonds were issued in Texas, of which \$1,548.944 were for bridges. Controller Lane has compiled a detailed statement of the road and bridge bonds issued during the period mentioned, the figure having been assembled for use at the Corpus Chris ti Good Roads conventions.

PAINFUL, TRYING

TIMES

Housework is hard enough for a healthy wom-an. The wife who has a bad back, who is weak or tired all the time, finds her duties a heavy burden. Thousands of nervous, dis-couraged, sick-

ly women have traced their troubles to sick "Every Picture Tells kidneys - have found quick and thorough relief through using Doan's Kidney Pills. The painful, trying times of woman's life are much easier to bear if the kidneys are well.

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BAD CASE OF DANDRUFF

Bissell, Ala .- "I had a very bad case of dandruff on my head. I was tormented by itching and my hair began to come out by the combfuls. I almost became frantic, fearful that I my pride. There were some pimples "Why, the word itself conveys its own on my scalp and I scratched them un- meaning. til they made sores. My hair was dry

"I saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent to my canardly believe, of course." druggist for three cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. think of that?" I washed my scalp with warm water strong with the Cuticura Scap and To carry out her park plans San Andried, afterwards applying the Quil- use Tyree's Antiseptic Powder either cura Ointment, working it in the scalp disappeared and in less than four weeks a cure was accomplished permanently." (Signed) Miss Lucy May. Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L. Boston."-Adv.

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Negligence Called Manslaughter.

The case of Stehr vs. State before the supreme court of Nebraska involved the sentence of a father for from one to ten years in the penitentiary for criminal negligence, because during a blizzard in Nebraska, when the weather was bitter cold, he permitted the fire to go out, snow drifted through a crack in the door and a broken windowpane and the bedding of all the members of the family was frozen stiff. The feet of one of the children were frozen, and although such fact was apparent to the father no physician was called in for sixteen days, when amputation was found tobe necessary and the child died of blood poisoning. The defendant was convicted of manslaughter for criminal negligence in failing to provide medical care after he discovered the frozen condition of the child's feet. In affirming the conviction the court held that for a parent having special charge of an infant child culpably to neglect it so that death ensues as a consequence is manslaughter, although death or grievous bodily harm was not intended, and if the parent has not the means for the child's nurture it is his duty to apply to the pub-

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Dull Boy

"Thomas, you have disobeyed your grandmother.

Aperfect Remedy for Constipa-ion . Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, 'No, I didn't, mother.' Yes, you did Have you not been Worms, Convulsions. Feverishin swimming?" ness and LOSS OF SLEEP "Yes, mother,

"Didn't I hear her say to you not Fac Simile Signature of

go in swimming?" "Oh, she didn't tell me that. She only came out and said: Boys, I wouldn't go in swimming,' and I shouldn't think she would, an old rheumatic woman like her; but she didn't say anything about our going in swimming."

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How Simple.

"My dear," said Mrs Snaggs to ber husband, "what is a canard?" "Don't you know what a canard is?" would lose all of my bair which was queried Snaggs, rather sneeringly.

"Does it, Well, really, I can't see What does it mean, dear?" "Why, a canard is something one

"Oh, to be sure! Why couldn't I

For Aching, Perspiring Feet

sprinkled into the shoes or used in J. S. Tyrce, Washington, D. C .- Adv.

Stung.

"I want my money back for these here socks," said the man as he handed the cterk a package. The sign you had up said the socks was guaranteed for three months. "Well, what's the matter with the

socks?" asked the clerk. "I only wore them three weeks, and I had to take them off and buy an-

other pair because this pair had holes in the toes," replied the man.

Wasn't Overlooking Anything. "That lawyer of mine has a nerve."

'Why so?" "Listen to this item in his bill: "For over your case, \$5." -- Pathfinder.

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"Darn those cats!" "Don't shoot, Abner. I think the one with the contralto voice is our tabby."-Washington Herald.

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Nothing is denied to well-directed labor.-Samuel Bout

What Made Him Sick.

Certainly public employes who have to submit daily to a rapid fire of well- will be doubly repaid by the better meant but needless questions may be work they will do. For sores, galls excused if they occasionally turn upon and other external troubles apply their persecutors. An elevator boy, Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Ranchin the New York Tribune, was one of men, lumbermen and liverymen recen

the victims. "Don't you ever feel sick going up and down in this elevator all day?" a rat killer.

fussy lady asked him. "Yes, ma'am," courteously replied

the elevator boy. "Is it the motion going down?" pur sued the lady.

"No, ma'am."

"The going up?"

"No, ma'am." "Is it the stopping that does it?" "No. ma'am."

Then what is it?" 'Answering questions, ma'am.'

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"What are you doing in that cupboard, Bertie?" "Hush," said Bertie, digging

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whether it be small or great, for the

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