Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

Love & Holliman had the misfor- best citizens in the death last Tuesday tune break their thresher while mo- morning at 3:15 o'clock of Mr. W. this neighborhood and grain turned ving it from Mr. Saul's to Rupert E. Williams. Deceased had been ill out fairly well. Bush's. They will get it fixed up since last January when he was county where they have 200 acres while attending Federal Court in afternoon. or more to thresh.

Ivey Rees and family and Mrs. he was confined to his bed for forty Albert Rees and children went over days. on the Medina Thursday for a few days fishing trip. They returned La., Sept. 23, 1854, came to Texas

F. F. Cocke is buying horses at Center Point. Ivey Rees and W.H. Bonnell sold him several head Mon-

The basket supper planned for Saturday night was rained out but Ethel williams, both of whom, with they are planning to try it again in the devoted wife, were with him the near future.

to visit relatives and attend the big and a Mason.

Kerrville visitors Saturday.

went to the Bandera barbecue.

over there. Bro. Meredith preached us an interesting sermon Sunday.

Religious Notice

St. Peter's Episcopal Church:

Creek fourth

Sunday and report plenty of fish.

Deceased was born in Lake Charles, Morris Ranch. when 11 years of age and spent his boyhood in Travis county. Came to Bandera county and was married to Miss Fannie Sheppard Aug. 7, 1881. To them was born six children but liams of Napolean, Ohio, and Miss during his last days and lovingly

W. E. Williams Dead.

This community lost another of its

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bonnell were home at 4 p. m. Tuesday, Rev. J. B. Sunday from Ft. Worth where she not pay his chauffer out of the pub-Camp Verde was almost depopu- Masonic fraternity then took charge school. lated Tuesday as nearly everybody of the body and escorted it to Glen | Archie Fisher, Harvey Stone left the sum of \$400.00 or \$500.00 per T. M. Aaron went over to his ceremonies it was laid to rest. A Fisher's Ford car. Harvey went to olation of the law. Neither will he farm in Bandera county Monday, large number of friends attended look at a barber shop. He reports everything flourishing the services at the home and at the

> His widow and two remaining children have the sympathy of a host of friends at Kerrville and throughtout this section.

Wm. A. Stroman was in the city Sunday School, 9:30 a. ni. Holy Monday looking after his fences in Communion first Sunday at 10:30 a. the race tor Representative in this The people are tired of the "Profourth Sur at 10:30 a. m. Mor- for being elected. He is a splendid Office-Seekers." Sunday. Turtle young man and no doubt qualified These Continental Wars have put was all raised in Gillespie County day at 3:30 p. m. to make a good showing in the in jeopardy nearly every industry in and represented one of the largest lower house at Austin if elected. See the South. Our cotton, corn and Bishop in charge his notice in this issue

Ingram Locals.

(Regular Correspondence)

Threshing is about completed in Editor Advance:

San Antonio. During his last illness

Charlie Archer and Calvin George left Monday for the Divide where they will continue building rock

Mrs. Jim Howell.

Wm. Burney and family of Center ministered to his every need. He home last week from Waxahachie have a "personal representative" or Point went over to Bandera Tuesday was a member of the Baptist church where she completed high school this "deputy governor" and pay him

Riddle conducting the service. The has been attending the Masonic lic funds, in fact he will not take,

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stone on Goat creek.

Judge George W. Riddle Not Professional Politician

ever needed in its history, men with sound judgement, business ability and with seasoned knowledge of the economic problem of our country, they are needed now and will be for the next few years.

undertook to do, whether as lawyer, those who have no hope.

of our State will elect him to the

Did you pay that subscription?

A Word for Morris

will spend the rest of the summer man is able to pay from ten to gate sum paid for the clip would at home with his parents, Mr. and thirty thousand dollars to be elected stagger you, -Brady Sentinel. governor he ought to be able to pay Miss Elsie Mae Smith returned his wife's secretary. He will not out of the public funds the sum of The funeral took place from the Miss Emma Ingram returned home \$150:00 or any other sum. He will o'clock, without any kind of legal sanction, Rest Cemetery where with the usual July 1st for San Angelo in Mr. month from the public funds in vijunket around over the country at Mrs. Florence Comton arrived the state's expense nor have an arf-om Del Rio last week to visit her my of his political friends draw \$6.00 per day hotel bills out of the

Big Wool Clip Sold

Yours very truly,

H. C. GEDDIE.

to about 20,000 pounds. The wool be always on the job. local wool buyers of Fredericksburg transportation and if our country this season. Fredericksburg Stan-

Baptist Church Notes.

Having returned from a splendid meeting at Reservation, I found one You know the politician possesses of my neighbors almost home and none of these elements and makes no that night he died and on the patripretense of having any knowlege of otic Fourth Brother W. E. Williams was buried by a large crowd of Judge Riddle has made a reason- Christian friends and Masons who able sucess at everything he ever loved him. We mourn but not as

farmer or business man and it is sel- We expect to have our usual serdom the people have a chance to se- vices next Sunday and give all who cure the services of a man of this will come a cordial invitation to be type. His land banks will furnish with us. We are hastening to the homes for the people and his ship grave and what we do in this world bill will furnish transportation for must be done quickly. So while we the surplus cotten of our country. may let us do with our might what It is to be hoped that the people our hands find to do.

J. B. RIDDLE, Pastor.

New stock high grade pocket knives at Kerrville Drug Co.

Kerr County Wool Clip is Sold.

Kerrville, Texas, July 4, 1916. H. P. Roddie returned Tuesday If Chas. H. Morris is nied by Messrs Stokes & McGuirk, and last night. From reports the elected Governor he will not take Boston wool buyers, went to attend rain pretty general but heavier in There was a good rain fell on the from the treasury of the state for the sale of the big Kerr county some places than others. From as today and will move to Bandera stricken with a bad case of lagrippe Guadalupe above Ingram Saturday his own uses more than the \$4000, wool clip, assembled by Captain far west as the Wharton ranch the allowed him by law. He will Charles Schreines. The entire clip fall was heavy and stockmen are ju-John Manley got his arm broken not charge up his grocery bills, his amounted to 1,700,000, 900,000 bilant over the thought of fine grass the last of the week while setting a butter, egg and sausage bills, his pounds of short wool and 800,000 and fat stock. It will greatly help concave in Ed. Smith's thresher at feed bills, his dairy bills, his butcher pounds full length clip. The short farm interests, especially late corn, bills his gasoline bills and automo- wool was bought by Mr. Stokes and cotton and feed stuff. bile repair bills to the state and the long clip was divided between have the same paid out of the trea- Messrs. Roddie and McGuirk. This sury in violation of the law. He is one of the largest wool sales that will not pay his wife's social secre- has ever been pulled off in this part tary, if she needs one, out of the of the state, and although Mr. Rod- School House an Educational Rad Lease Merritt arrived home the public funds without authority of die was not at liberty to give out on Tuly 13 and 14th. The sugrainonly two are now living, H. E. Wil- last of the week from Sinton and law and in this connection, if a the price paid, he says the aggre- will be as follows:

Methodist Church Notes.

Following the sermon the sacra- the Child." ment of the Lord's Supper will be ad- At 8 p. m. the same day Bishop ministered Sunday morning at 11 Johnston will speak on "The Res-

Epworth League at 7:30.

been fine. Come join a class, 9:45. | the School and Church in the De-Last Sunday morning Rev. A. N. velopment of the Child." Averyt, president of Coronal Insti- At 8 p. m. the Rev. Dr. Dickey tute, San Marcos, spoke in the in- of the Presbyterian Church wil terest of that institution. At night speak on the "Necessity of Co-operthe church was appropriately deco- ation to Develop the best interests rated with flags and bunting.

S. W. KEMERER, Pastor.

Wm. A. Stroman in the Race.

Mr. Robert Klett went to Kerrville vote for Wm. A. Stroman for Rep- service. The Moon will be at the one day last week and while there resentative 115th Dist. I promise full. m. Morning Prayer second, third and district and reports his chances good fessional Politician" and "Chronic sold a large clip of wool amounting faithful and efficient service and to

Blessed with Good Rains.

Kerrville and this entire section from Kerrville where he accompa- was visited by fine rains yesterday

Educational Rally.

There will be at the Turtle Creek

Thursday the 13th at 3 o'clock p m. an address by the Rev. S. W Kemerer of the Kerrville Methodist Church. Subject, "The Value of

ponsibility of the parent."

Preaching by the pastor at 8:15. On Friday at 3. p. m. the Rev. B. Schleifer of the Lutheran Church Sunday school attendance has will speak on the "Importance of

of the Community."

Every one is requested to attend these meetings. The hour of 3 o'clock was decided on because the farmers will have time to attend to Remember the July Primaries and home duties before the second

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Reorganized and re-equipped, a Serbian army of 100,000 has joined the for s of the allies in Greece. The photograph shows part of the first section of this army marching to the camp at Saloniki,

CALL OF TRADE **DRAGS VESSELS** FROM BONEYARD

Old Wooden Steamers. Barges the frames, planking and enormous rigged Mike Corry is also being fitted and Schooners Being Prepared for Commerce.

"Get Everything That Will Float," Was the Order, and the Fate of the Ghosts Was Sealed-War Causes Increased Demand for Tonnage.

Detroit, Mich.-The ghosts have fled from Belle river. Rude hands have snatched aside hatch covers and allowed the sunlight to violate their sanctuaries in the dark hulls of dead ships. The sound of many hammers and the ear-splitting clatter of calking mauls combine to make a steady

din which no ghost can stand. For years they were undisturbed. The old wooden steamers, barges and schooners in which they held their revels were no longer accounted place in the line of com merce. As their desfulness was over each was sent to this spot; away from the tugging of the current, safe from the winds and storms, to rest in honcrable mace until their bones slowly rotted away and they sank beneath the

placid waters of the river. Long years passed and the ghosts became the only proprietors, the only inmates of the venerable hulks. Then came the war in Europe with its destructive effect upon shipping and the increased demand for tonnage.

"Get anything that will float," was the order and the fate of the ghosts was sealed. But with their going has come to Marine City a shipbuilding activity such as that once rich and active port has not witnessed in over a generation.

Rebuilt for Ocean Trade.

The majority of the wooden packets will soon leave forever the scene of their former triumphs, for they are being rebuilt, rerigged, and will leave for the Atlantic coast as soon as they can be made ready. Perhaps the best known craft of this fleet of other days is the steam barge Gettysburg, once the pride of Gen. Russell A. Alger of Detroit, and named by him in honor of the battle in which he and so many brave Michigan boys partici-

The Gettysburg was built in Cleveland about 40 years ago, and is one of the finest examples of the old shipbuilders' art that can be found any where. She was built for carrying freight and for towing the enormous rafts of the Alger lumber interests. and it was the boast of the company and crew that with her construction and power she could stem any gale that ever blew, and the fact that she is affoat today after all of the many chances that were taken with her proves that they were correct. Oldtimers well remember the Gettysburg's awful battle to save a raft on Lake Huron in a terrible hurricane of wind and snow 35 years ago.

It was late in December, and the Gettysburg was the last ship out. The elements were contrary, and the blizzard struck with awful force. The hours lengthened into days and still the grand old ship and her heroic crew hung on to the raft. The Gettysburg pitched and plunged, and in the trough of the heavy sea rolled first one rail and then the other under water with floating logs threatening to jam holes in her sides every minute. Cooking meals was out of the question, and the crew subsisted on what cold food they could find, but still clung to the prized raft. But ship and crew were no match for the wind and waves and in twos, threes and sixes the logs continued to go until they were scattered for many miles slong the Lake Huron shore.

Faithful to Her Trust.

Some days later, when it was thought that the Gettysburg had sure that she could not resist the impulse ly foundered with all on board, the to start a fire. She has been working their twentieth child, a daughter, Mr.

tow. She had been faithful to her is being pumped out preparatory to trust. It was a feat that lived long being fitted out; the William H. HEZin marine annals and is still fresh and, another steam barge of Detroit, in the minds of the few old timers has been rebuilt and is now in commis-

New York-West Indian trade. in above her water line, and she is while the old three-master Genoa is being replanked with four by six white being rebuilt at McLouth's yard for oak timbers. Below the water line coast service. The fore-and-mizzen keel are apparently as solid as when out with a good chance of going to the first hewn in the forests. New deck- Atlantic. In fact, the ancient schoonhouses are being added, steam heat er Annie P. Grover, resting half suband many other conveniences are be- merged and with upper works gone ening installed, and when the work is tirely, is about the only hulk in Belle finished experienced marine men say river that has not been bought up by LAKE CRAFT FOR THE SEA the Gettysburg will be a modern craft, either Great Lakes or Atlantic coast capable of drowning out any steel shipping interests, and as there are freighter now on the lakes. In addi-still several outlying precincts to hear GET MORE VIGOROUS HORSES tion to her exceedingly heavy timber from it will not surprise the marhas angle braces of fron running diag- time. onally from the covering board to the keel, so that her frame is really a

Detroit.

cabins and the familiar lumber rig. with a small crew.

In addition to these boats the Rob- River La Belle.

THE "LIBERTY GAGE"

tened together with heavy chains, in | ert C. Wente, a steam barge of Detroit, left along the fivers.

left along the fivers.

sion on the lakes; the schooler botts ford is already in commission; the three-master F. H. Knapp has been Heavy oak frames are being stubbed | rerigged and is heading for the coast,

By the end of June the Belle river boneyard will be a thing of the past, series of bridge arches from bow to for almost every boat will have gone,

of the same type, with comfortable beetles, for their work will be done. should be provided. If it is impossible growing condition until about the first consisting of head canvas, foresail eight bells sounds the end of the long, should be arranged where he may play young canes should be left for the and mizzen, a large mizzen staysail grand watch, these boats, the men who in all kinds of weather. taking the place of the mainsail and built them and the crews who sailed "A clean, roomy, light and well-ven- should be removed and burned. The he was given the name of river-horse. making a safe and easy rig to handle them will remain a fond and loving tilated boxstall should be used for him. removal of superfluous shoots will per. The hippo's feet are kept far apart by memory of the old days along the

GOES TO WAR, DISINHERITED

Young Surgeon Took German Side and Is Cut Off by French Mother.

Lebanon, Pa.-Disinherited by his mother on account of his participation in the European war as a surgeon in the German army Dr. Guldo Hinkel of Freiberg, Germany, instituted proceedngs in the Lebanon county courts to break the will of his mother, the late tosalie Parant Coleman of Paris, France.

Following the death of Mrs. Cole man at Paris on April 8, 1915, it was It is best to have the stall where the found that while originally she had horse is near to other horses,

herit my son, Guido Hinkel."

Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, Pennsylvania Company for Insurance one-half the ordinary hay ration, for Gage," the newly designed hat made Philadelphia, and is to be followed by the kidneys and is hard to eliminate especially for the members of the a petition for the transfer of the pro- from the system." ceedings to the local orphans' court for trial.

THIS GIRL A PYROMANIAC

Officials Say She Set Fire to House, Where She Lived, Twelve Times.

Columbus, O .- State fire marshal of fice officials regard a sixteen-year-old girl of near Van Wert, committed to the Girls' Industrial home, Delaware, for causing a number of fires, as the most pronounced juvenile pyromaniac ever found by the department. son of Superior.

She seems to be normal in every respect except on the subject of fires. She admitted that she had set fire a dozen times to the house of the family with which she lived.

Assistant Fire Marshal Charles Miller was sent to investigate the cause of the fires, and upon his arrival at the community he found another fire in progress. It was at the home of the mother and stepfather of the girl, rary residence here and assuming the to which she had gone from the other name of Andrew Byrnteson began cor house, where so many fires had oc respondence with the banker.

suffrage leader, wearing the "Liberty

Woman's party.

curred. Mr. Miller questioned her, and finally obtained a confession. She said proud ship steamed through the Port around at different farmhouses since Williams is the nineteenth child o' Buron rapids with booms and logs, fas she was eleven years old.

CROOK'S WORK IS UNDONE

He Mortgaged Another Man's Land and It Took Owner Six Years to Clear Title.

Superior, Wis .- After six years the work of a clever crook has been unon a forged paper, has been restored to its rightful owner, Andrew Byrnte-

Byrnteson was notified by the bank veterinarian about it. that his interest payment was overdue.

just given him judgment. The swindler established a tempo

to the property and the courts have

Parents of Twenty Children. Danville, Ind .- Mr. and Mrs. Flijah Williams have announced the birth of

FARM

CUTTING THE LAMBS' TAILS

Nothing Serious About Simple Operation-Should Be Done With Pair of Hot Pincers.

At this season of the year there is nothing serious about the simple operation of taking off the tails of lambs, and of castrating them as well. The former should be done with hot pincers made for the purpose, which sear the wound, precluding infection from knife, and at the same time preventing bleeding. When tails are taken off in this way, writes George P. Williams in Stockman and Farmer, we have observed that the lamb notices the operation much less than when the knife or chisel is used. Castration is best accomplished by first cutting the lower half or more of the scrotum squarely off with a sharp knife; if less be cut off difficulty is experienced in taking hold of the testicles and the lamb is caused unnecessary agony by reason of the unusual pinching and working with the testicles before they can be drawn out.

When tails are taken from late lambs, the stub should be well girdled with pine tar to prevent the work of flies; but this is by no means a sure preventive, and very often the eggs may be found to have been deposited regardless of the most careful precaution. These lambs should be watched till the wound be healed. In case maggots be found, catch the lamb and pour in gasoline; this will not harm or hurt the lamb, and is sure death to the worms.

ing from stem to sternpost, the ship iner to see the Grover raised at any Stallion Should Be in Good Physical Condition Before Beginning of Breeding Season.

A stallion that is not fit to work is



Purebred Sire.

named her son as the principal bene- "In feeding the stallion for the seaficiary under the will, she had by a son," Mr. Montgomery cautions, "it codicil on February 23, 1915, disin- should be remembered that a thin aniherited him in the following terse lan mal is just as bad off as one that is Cornwall iron ore banks at Cornwall, may be advantageously supplemented yards. in this county, which she leaves to her by one-fifth-by weight-of wheat or ond cousin, Ronald George De Reuter, cent, is also desirable. Bright hay and her friend, Camille Besson, all should be fed at the rate of a pound instituted are in the form of an appeal horse weighs. If the stallion is being ditions in their vineyards. from the judgment of the local reg worked, he should have a pound and ister's court in granting last Febru half a day to each hundred pounds. ary letters, of administration to the The clover fed it should be limited to on Lives and Granting Annuities of the excess of protein in it overworks Convenient and Economical for Or-

Mr. Montgomery believes that less pampering of the purebred sires would give more vigorous horses.

TROUBLE WITH FARM HORSES

Influenza or Distemper Can Be Provented, Says Nebraska College of Agriculture.

done and a valuable tract of land near out among the farm horses, the loss Charleston, N. D., which he mortgaged from lessened working efficiency is sometimes heavy. The Nebraska college of agriculture says that this dis- deferring the time may result in failease can very largely be prevented if ure to control the pest. Many large The crook convinced a North Da- the horses are vaccinated with influ- ruit growers use one power sprayer kota banker that he was entitled to enza antitoxin as soon as the first for each 25 or 30 acres of bearing place a mortgage on the property and case appears. Two doses should be obtained a loan of \$700. A year later given about six days apart. Ask your

Byrnteson began action to clear title HORSES PAY FOR THEIR KEEP

Good Interest on Investment should Be Secured From Stock Kept on Any Farm.

Is your stock the kind that is paying you a good interest on their investment? That is the only kind that is in the case of those species which worth keeping. It costs more than subsist entirely upon insects the \$90 per year to keep a horse. Is your good they do is absolutely incalcumethod of farming such that the abla horses are paying for their keep?

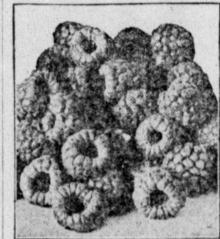


SUMMER CARE OF RASPBERRY

Soil of Plantation Should Never Be Allowed to Become Dry-Cut Out All Old Canes.

(By E. P. SANDSTEN, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Wyo.) During the fruiting season the soi of the raspberry plantation should good and I hope every suffering woman never be permitted to become dry Lack of abundant moisture results in Kelly, 710 Chestnut Street, Burlingsmall and seedy berries, poor yield ton, Wis.

the normal size. As soon as the fruiting season is over, all the canes that have fruited they need.



Fine Raspberries.

never to return, and when the draw- not fit to sire work horses, is the opin- so as not to leave any stumps sticking Accompanying the Gettysburg on bridge closes behind the last one the lon of J. S. Montgomery of the animal out and thus interfere with subsequent the trip to the Atlantic will be the old ship carpenters, the veterans of husbandry division of the Minnesota pruning and cultivation. All the old former three-masted schooners Arenac former days, will gather up for the College of Agriculture. "The horse canes should be burned so as not to burning, crustings and scalings. of Duluth and Alex M. Anderson of last time the calking, making and should be in good physical condition scatter disease to the young growing dumb frons, the timber clamps, the before the beginning of the breeding canes. The plantation should then be The Anderson and the Arenac are rigging screws and the hawsing season," he says. "Plenty of exercise thoroughly cultivated and kept in But for many years after the final to work the horse, a large paddock of September. About twelve of the next year's fruiting. The balance mit the remaining canes to grow the wide body and make paths with a stronger. Fertilizers, especially barn. ridge down the middle, so as to be rec yard fertilizers, should not be applied ognizable at once. They swim well, during the summer months. The plan- but go at their greatest speed when tation should at all times be kept free they can gallop along the bottom in by cultivation.

FERTILIZER FOR THE GRAPES

Light Thrown on Subject by New swims. York Experiment Station-Investigations of Much Value.

Little light on the value of fertil Barnes to his Sunday school class, "Is izers for grapes is thrown by the New the legacy of Adam." York station after five years' tests in | And the bright boy in the class reseveral vineyards in the Lake Erte marked that that was probably the grape belt. The field experiments are first case on record where a will was so contradictory that no deductions not broken. can be drawn.

value because they suggest that money enough to go around. I don't rememis wasted when spent for fertilizers to ber hearing of anybody who didn't rebe used in poorly drained vineyards, ceive his share of the inheritance." those that suffer frequently from wintoo fat. The horse should be in good ter colds or spring frosts, where in-"On account of the war I dish flesh, preferably on the gain, to open sect pests are epidemic and unconthe season. The flesh should be put on trolled, or where good care is lack-The estate left by the late Mrs. by a ration free from excessive corn ing. It is certain in many instances Coleman is estimated at \$1,000,000, or other heating and fattening feeds: that only one or a few of the elements consisting chiefly of holdings in the Oats make a good grain ration, but of fertility are lacking in many vine-

The element most frequently lacknephew, J. Coleman Drayton; her sec bran. A little oil meal, up to 8 per ing is nitrogen. The soil of many vinevards is very uneven in quality, and it becomes a problem for grape American citizens. The proceedings a day to each hundred pounds the growers to make more uniform con-

POWER SPRAYER IN ORCHARD

chardist With Comparatively Small Number of Trees.

For the orchardist having five or more acres of bearing apple trees the power sprayer is the most convenient and economical in that a large amount of work can be done with comparatively few "hands," and at a time when the spraying should be performed.

As an example, the arsenical spray for codling moth should be applied When influenza or distemper breaks | furing the few days about the time or immediately after the last of the petals have dropped from the trees. A week later will not be as effective, and

BIRD AS INSECT DESTROYER

Food of Average Youngster In Nest Estimated at Four Times Its Weight Each Day

It has been conservatively estimated hat the food of the average young oird while in the nest amounts to 'our times the bird's weight, each day,

PAINS IN SIDE AND BACK

How Mrs. Kelly Suffered and How She was Cured.

Burlington, Wis .- "I was very irregular, and had pains in my side and back, but after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and using two bottles of the Sanative Wash I am fully convinced that I am entirely

cured of these trou-

bles, and feel better

all over. I know your remedies have done me worlds of will give them a trial."-Mrs. ANNA

and quality. Over 80 per cent of the The many convincing testimonials conweight of the berries is water and stantly published in the newspapers when this element of plant food is cught to be proof enough to women who lacking the fruit cannot develop to suffer from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine

should be cut out close to the ground. This good old root and herb remedy has proved unequalled for these dreadful ills; it contains what is needed to

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Hippopotami Can Run.

In spite of its clumsy build, the hippopotamus can trot fast. That is why from weeds and the soil kept mellow shallow water. They can stay under water a long time, and when they come to the surface they send little jets of spray from their nostrils. The cow is devoted to the calf. The young one stands on her back as the mother

Judging by Conditions. "Sin, my dear pupils," sald Deacon

"Yes," said the deacon, "but it The investigations, however, are of should be remembered that there was

"What's in a name?" "There's money in it. Any man who can think up a good name for a breakfast food can buy sawdust in carload lots and sell it in pound packages at a handsome profit."

A Sensible Thing To Do

When the drug, caffeinethe active principle in coffee - shows in headache, nervousness, insomnia, biliousness, jumpy heart, and so on, the sensible thing to do is to quit the coffee.

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AUTHOR OF "THE OCCASIONAL OFFENDER." "THE WIRE TAPPERS," "GUN RUNNERS," ETC. NOVELIZED FROM THE PATHE PHOTO PLAY OF THE SAME NAME COPYRICHT, 1915, BY ARTHUR STRINGER

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light.

of one of the French windows open-

ing on the broad veranda and stood

landscape glimmering in the June sun-

his gentle-faced wife inquired tender-

"It isn't that I fear for myself,"

lay in his, "but that human monster

seems bent on striking at me through

harming Margery. He is capable of

anything, but I hardly believe he will

dare remain in this vicinity with both

Captain Brackett and Lieutenant

Even as he spoke those two redoubt-

"It's all right, Mr. Golden," called

out the red jowled police captain as

soon as he got within hailing distance,

"not a trace of that bunch of yeggs.

"That's fine," called out a sweet girl-

into the lake road. She became so

able, if somewhat heavy-featured, po-

Kirby on his track."

has caused us so much suffering?"

What is troubling you, Enoch?"

SYNOPSIS.

on Windward Island Palifori intrigues streets of the lower city ento a squat a Massard one resches Margery from Legar and takes her to her furhers home. Legar shids Golden a demand for the chart. The covered chart is lost in a fight between Manley and one of Legar's henchisen but is recovered by the Laughing Mass. Count ha Espares fightes ha additions attempt to entrap Legar, and claims to have killed him, Golden's house is dynamited during a masked ball. Legar escapes but Da Espares is crushed in the ruins. Margery rescues the Laughing Mask from the pedice. Manley finds Margery not indifferent to his love. He saves her from Mauki's poisoned arrows. Manley plats a mock funeral which fulls to accomplish the desired purpose, the capture of the Iron Claw and has gang. Margery to the Iron Claw and has gang. Margery is saved from death at the hands of the iron Claw by the Laughing Mask. An attempt by the Iron Claw to blew up the O'Mara cottage its frustrate! In the nick of time. The Laughing Mask ascloses his identity to Margery. Margery overlears the police's plan to take the Laughing Mask is almost taken which with Margery and the Iron Claw. Later the Laughing Mask is almost taken which with Margery stather relis her that the Mask has met death. A mysterious woman frightens Legar's henchman into a promise of confession to clear the Laughing Mask. She meets Margery and discloses herself to that young lady as David Manley Legar and his saug get possession of some lost and escape taking Mask adds to his mysteriousness by one more saving her from death.

SIXTEENTH EPISODE The Unmasking of Davy.

In that gloomy sanctuary of evildoers known as the Owl's Nest, Jules Legar bent over the half sheet of pa. lice officers turned in at the graveled per on which the pen in his lean fin- | driveway. gers was inscribing certain cryptic characters. Then he quickly folded the strip of parchment, placed it in an envelope, and securely gummed down the flap with the aid of the iron hook They must have been tipped off I was which took the place of his missing workin on the case." Crossing the dank flagging of the ish voice from the house, "now father

subterratioan chamber, he stood be can't refuse to let me have that gallop fore a rat-faced individual, who Major and I are both longing for." squinted slavishly up at him with one good eye. Although fortified by liber. You anything, Margery," responded the al pertions of the Owl's illicit brew, it affectionate father, "and if Captain was evident that One-Lamp Louis Brackett thinks it will be safe, I cerwas evident that One camp hours talaly don't want to spoil your pleas nourished an unwholesome dread of talaly don't want to spoil your pleas that sear-marked tyrant, who brooked | urc." no infraction of his inalign authority | "Your daughter will be in no dan-Cut out that booze and listen to ger w. me," commanded Legar in curt tones; bounced that officer, "and now the you know the place where those bulls Iron Claw bandit bas cleaned out, from headquarters gave us such a l'm gein' on a still hant for that lively run that I had to cache that Van | masked gum-shoe artist. That paper Horn swag. Get out there as quick as your secretary got off Red Egan leaves you can and turn this envelope over a lot of bad jobs that need explainin'." to Dutch Frank, who will be waiting A few minutes later a groom ap-with Tony Rafello along the road pear proached the veranda leading a spiritthe lake. They will know what to do, ed black horse. Margery leaped into and remember -no bungling on this the saddle and the thoroughbred swung

As the one-eyed gangster placed the absorbed in the liquid-noted duet of envelope carefully in his pocket and two mating song birds that when Maslunk out of that harborage of human jor suddenly pricked up his ears and derelicts, it would have boded ill for shied to one side of the road her equihis peace of mind could he have seen librium was seriously threatened for at that moment into the dark cubby. the moment. As she regained her prehole where that nocturnal old hag, carious balance and quieted her highthe Owl, nested during the daylight hours. In that unsavory retreat stood object of his fright was a black, dusta motionless figure, with one ear coated limousine standing half con- gina



Slipped the Handcuffs Over the Secretary's Wrists.

outer room was plainly audible.

This daring eavesdropper wore a yellow mask, with the mouth slit curv. as One-Lamp Louie. ing upward in a fixed, mocking smile. | Apparently the newcomer was mak-He now seemed animated by a strong ing some urgent demand upon that desire to accompany One-Lamp Louis one-eyed miscreant, a demand which how it got hurt." as that worthy departed on his strange he emphasized by sundry prods with ward through a narrow bulkhead door, appeared to weakly surrender, for he opening onto a gloomy alleyway.

the street where a black, low-slung opponent hastily seized and ripped ly, and then added quickly as though limousine stood drawn up at the curb. open. . On the next block a thick-bodied man | Even as he rapidly scanned the strip ing it, you know."

THE KEN.

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slipped the handcuffs over the secretary's wrists. of his unwieldy opponents and sprang to his feet, the strip of white paper Brackett," declared Enoch Golden still gripped in his left hand.

One-Lamp Louie, seeing his opporleft hand forced him to involuntarily my troubles." relinquish his hold on the crumpled The pursuit of that yellow trimmed bit of paper, and a puff of wind sent must take its course," answered the taxicab led through the canyoniike it kiting high above his head.

The astonished girl, sitting as moferryboat and across the turbid river. tionless as an equestrian statue, had what I was doin', though I've had my threaded the narrow mazes of Jersey barely time to gather her scattered City, and finally swept out on to the wits, when that disputed scrap of broad highways of the open country. parchment came gently floating down the breeze. She knew that paper must the slip." Like a greyhound coursing a clumsy rabbit, the high-powered limousine have some great intrinsic value or the clung to the lurching taxi, and then as Laughing Mask would not have jeopthe two dust-enveloped vehicles struck ardized his life for its possession. into the uplands their speed percepti-

Wheeling her tender-mouthed horse Among these rolling uplands were blow with her riding crop. Smart- at Davy in a third-degree voice, "and the stately summer mansions of a millionaire colony which migrated launched out like a black thunderbolt here annually from the sweltering metoward the startled gangsters blocktropolis. It was in this abiding place of wealth that Enoch Golden had an Indian and scooped up the paper. erected a great rambling manor house. The aged banker now stepped out

her enemies she saw the black limousine backing out from the shrubbery thoughtfully surveying the peaceful just ahead of her, and by a herculean ing stepped a familiar figure holding effort succeeded in pulling up barely a black automatic in his hand. His mysterious vehicle. Just then the Laughing Mask, with his left hand enigmatic smile, ly; "do you think we may still be in hastily bandaged, burst out of the danger from that man who already waiting motor car. He stopped in sudden wonderment as he saw the serene-

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"But this is preposterous, Captain somewhat heatedly. "I would as soon think of accusing my own daughter tunity, leveled the revolver and fired of being the Laughing Mask as this at close range. A stinging pain in his boy, who has stood by me through all

"I'm sorry, Mr. Golden, but the law smug-faced police officer. "I didn't make any move until I was sure of suspicions ever since I found this here piece of joolry on your library floor the time the Laughing Mask gave us

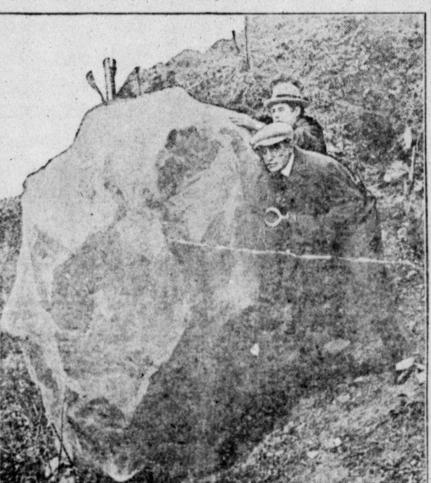
Fishing in a deep sldepocket, he frew out a gold cuff link with the letters D. M. monogrammed on its oval

"You'll have to do a lot of explainin' in his tracks, she struck him a sharp before you get through," he thundered

As Margery swept past the last of captain," came his low-toned deply. "I have no explanation to offer you." Suddenly from behind a lace hang-

"The Laughing Mask!" involunta-

bushes and ran swiftly toward the rily burst from the astounded group. "Entirely at your service," came the mocking rejoinder. Then he cried Golden replied, fondling the hand that eyed girl who smilingly extended a tersely. "Throw up your hands, all of frayed and soiled strip of white paper. you. The cuff link which this highly "I don't know whether this is your intelligent officer considers so very improperty," she said lightly as he came portant was borrowed by me because



Placed Their Shoulders Against the Granite Bowlder.

to lose it after that terrible fight." He was suddenly interrupted by the break the set." strung mount Margery discovered the

cealed in the thick shrubbery. A motionless figure sat in the driver's seat, and will stop at nothing. My man and eled weapon he backed slowly to the his visored cap pulled low over his I can hold them off until you get a open window, and, leaping out with She urged the skittish animal past paper to your father's secretary, it sight of that little assemblage. Overthe troublesome black specter and concerns him deeply. Go at once and come with the very audacity of this continued down the road, every sense ride as hard as you know how."

keenly on the alert for possible danger. Presently her horse reared again, wicker chair in the spacious living came a hurried stampede out of the good and tight-we'll have to do some. levers with all his strength. At that and this time more violently, as a hawk-faced chauffeur wearing a events of the last hour to a little cir masked fugitive. greasy duster jumped up from the cle of breathless auditors, including grassy bank where he had been smok the somewhat abashed Captain Brack ing his pipe. Near this disreputable ett of headquarters,

figure stood an equally disreputable looking taxicab with yellow trimmings. | tered slip of paper which she had Golden. With a light touch of her whip, Mar been instructed to deliver to the gery swept past this leering harbinger young secretary. David Manley, the red-faced captain could restrain him this time?" she demanded, with a ris- into the gully."

A few hundred yards farther on self no longer. Margery sharply reined in her mount "I ain't sayin' this Laughing Mask lake. In that clump of bushes she saw the back of a thick-shouldered crimes he's charged with. I've been bravery in your defense." someone. As the puzzled girl watched you ain't got any objections I'd like "I do love him and I could never love ders against that granite bowlder. that vaguely familiar figure, a startling to have a talk with that secretary of anyone who could stoop to such dedevelopment took place. A second per- yours."

son, whose features were concealed by a derisively smiling mask of yellow pressed so closely to the cracked door fabric, stepped out of the dense foll airly entered the room. Margery ut turn of the crestfallen police captain of a gun. He raced down the hillside a startled group of laborers who had panel that every word spoken in the age and abruptly confronted the wait- tered a gasp of surprise as she saw his and Davy's much-relieved employer. | and put his last ounce of strength been ripping out a defective rail. Amid ing figure, whom Margery now placed left hand bound in a blood-stained "We couldn't find the slightest trace into a flying leap which landed him a babble of warning shouts the engine the one of Legar's scoundrels known handkerchief.

'perhaps yeu wouldn't mind tellin' us

For the first time since Margery

"Wh-I- was fooling around in the drew from his inner coat pocket a guproom and-and my automatic ac-

was hailing a passing taxi.

"Follow that taxicab," he cried out to the chauffeur; "don't let it get out of sight for a minute."

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toward her, "but I didn't want you I liked the design. I'll trouble you for it now, captain, for I don't want to

sound of loud and raucous shouts and He quickly crossed to that sliently the jerky whirring of the taxicab en- raging guardian of the peace and extracted the yellow bit of metal from "These men are in an ugly mood his unwilling fingers. Then with levstart. When you get home give that an agile spring, vanished from the daring stroke, they stood for a mo-From the depths of a comfortable ment staring at the open window, then room, Margery narrated the exciting house to cut off the retreat of the thing and do it quick."

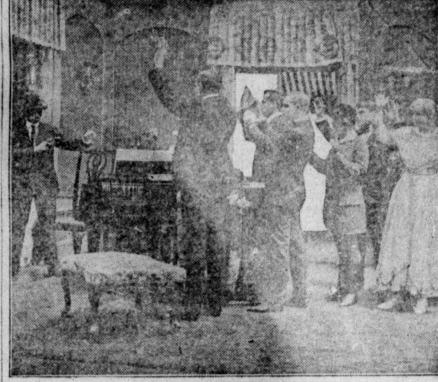
handcuffed, found fixed upon him the And when she exhibited that tat- somewhat scornful glance of Margery

ing inflection of anger.

ception as you have."

."That left hand of yours looks kind the aged banker in response to his tied companions. of mussed up, said the police captain, secretary's questioning look, "but I He dived against the wondering-eyed short distance along the ties, and then, errand. Swiftly mounting a shaky lad the muzzle of a heavy blue metaled had known the frank and boyishly added with pardonable sarcasm, "Isn't his weight sent them both sprawling of twisted metal which had once been

wrisis, from which the half-heartedly to lay hands on Margery's supposed the unregenerate guiman huddled Racing down this alley, he reached sealed envelope, which his masked cidentally went off," he replied halting apologetic officer had just removed the assatiant the flying mass of rock thunconstraining handcuffs, his eye fell on dered across the stace where they all With a gesture of distress Margery struck by an inspiration, "I was clean that strip of paper Margery had re had been standing but the second be Golden turned away from that repultrieved at such great hazard and which fore, and sweeping every obstacle out sive, death-stilled figure.



"Throw Up Your Hands, All of You!"

cealed.'

ed in his customary dignity, reached he felt his way step by step along in time to avoid a collision with that features were hidden by a yellow out an authoritative hand for the the rough trail. mask, the mouth slit curving into an paper and studied it intently for a The captain made up in valor what

cidedly crushed, David Manley stood

the little party embark in a racing motorboat, which carried them swiftly over the limpid waters, leaving a long trail of foam in its wake. For a brief space Davy stared irresolutely out over the lake, then a look of sudden determination flashed into his face, lightly as a swallow on the wing. He landed a short distance below

the deserted craft of his employer and on him. As he broke from cover and made his way through the moss-car. started up the railroad embankment approached that hoary veteran of the a short distance below him. At the his quest.

Davy's eyes traveled up the steep bill. the ties with rapid strides. prehension.

Peering out of a tangled thicket the throttle. . was the deep-seared face of Jules Legar. That face was as repellant in been the hideously painted savages bent on murder and destruction. Unconscious of the presence of this lurking foe, the stalwart police captain was solemnly pacing off certain distances, guided by a slip of white paper which he held in his hand.

Standing hear by and completely absorbed in these awkward maneuvers was the graceful figure of Margery Golden, her stoop-shouldered father close beside her.

A rasping oath from Legar warned Davy that something had gone amiss with that worthy's plans.

"The cop's stumbled on the right voice from behind the bushes; "the fool thinks the stuff is in the ground -now he's starting to dig right in front of the cave—that sews up Louie

"If you want to put the kibosh on Davy, remaining behind, for the ob- that bunch buttin' into our business, vious reason that he was still securely I know how to do it," said Frank. "That big rock we seen up the hill don't need much of a shove to send it goin' down like thunder let loose, "Why have you led me to think you an' it's headed just about right to the lumbering freight engine. The inwere the brave Laughing Mask all smash that whole outfit off the ledge tervening space between those speed-

Davy saw the two rapidly moving every second. "If you must know, Margery," he figures climbing up toward a massive and sat, intently staring into a clump ain't brave enough when it comes to replied, groping for his words, "it was bowlder which by one of those odd the water tank steeled themselves for of alder bushes growing close to the a showdown," he said in unctuous because I love you and I thought you whims of nature hung so lightly poised that seemingly inevitable crash of coltones, "but that don't let him off those were learning to love him for his or the hillside that the hand of a lision. But at that crucial instant the child might have set it vibrating on man, who, by his impatient move- followin up a clue that leads right "You were quite right in thinking its precarious balance. He saw Lements, appeared to be waiting for into this house, Mr. olden, and if so." answered the biazing eyed girl; gar and Dutch Frank place their shoul- long siding, just as the express thun-

Davy knew that in a few seconds that revolving bulk of solid granite At that moment the unsuspecting | They were interrupted in the midst | would acquire a velocity which would the engine, with the desperado at its object of this thinly veiled insinuation of this painful discussion by the re- send it tearing past him like a shot out | throttle, tore down the siding toward of that impudent masquerader," said close to Margery Golden and her star- struck that deadly gap, and bereft of

don't care so much now that you are girl as a groggy football player might enveloped in a swirling cloud of steam, absolved from this ridiculous charge." | weakly hurl himself against the op | plunged headlong over the steep em-Then, turning to Captain Brackett, he posing line, and the sheer impact of bankment. Under that shapeless mass der on one side of the room, the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting engages a furtive engaging David Manley he appeared it about time you released this desperate on the revolver. After casting engages are constrained and somewhat evasive. As Davy stood rubbing his aching Golden and Captain Brackett rushed found the crushed and lifeless form of berating into the depths of the yawn- wearily to her father, who was stand-

since you say you ain't the Laughing ly, "for it is the key to the hiding ured to the shock and tumult of con-Mask, you might as well commence by place of the Van Horn loot, which Le- ...lct by the experience of many years. tellin' us how he happened to drop this gar must have cached when we had who first recovered his self-possession ing his path. Margery swung low like sleeve button with your initials on it." him on the run. It gives Wrenney's and noted a one-eyed man stealthily "! gaess you'll have to do your duty, Oak as a starting place, and here are making his way out of a theep and the directions for pacing off the dis- cavernous fissure in some nearby tances to where the plate is con- rocks. Over one shoulder the villainous-faced prowler bore a burlap sack Captain Brackett, now rehabilitat. which gave out a clanking sound as

> he lacked in discretion, and, tugging "Anyone could see that," he an out his heavy service revolver, he swered slightingly, "and we've got to rushed after that skulking gangster, get out to Wrenney's Oak in a hurry loudly calling on him to surrender in if we're goin' to beat the Iron Claw the name of the law. But One-Lamp and his pirates to that sack of loot." Louis had no apparent intention of With his usual buoyant spirits de- surrendering either himself or the coveted bag of loot to that wrathful on the broad veranda and watched guardian of public morals. Instead, he coolly dropped to one knee and lived up to his reputation of being the handiest gunman in Legar's hardshooting gang by sending a bullet neatly drilled through the police captain's

shoulder. But he did not know as he dodged and a few minutes later he was at the his way among the shadowy tree helm of the speedy "Arrow," skim- trunks that a youthful figure armed ming over the surface of that lake as with a heavy police revolver, a resolute-faced girl and an elderly whitehaired man were rapidly closing in peted woods toward Wrenney's Oak he ripped out a hasty oath as he saw as silently as in aboriginal. As he his pursuers emerging from the woods forest, he saw under its wide-flung same moment they saw that sinister branches the golden-haired object of figure with the burlap sack and came

toward him on the run. The grant oak had implanted its One-Lamp Louie instantly reached sturdy roots deep in the soil on the the conclusion that it was safer to edge of a precipitous ravine, and as run than to fight, and he pounded up

side which abruptly fianked the nar-row path skirting this ravine his face ster saw a battered old switching ensuddenly went white with fearsome ap gine standing by a dripping water tank. He leaped aboard and opened

As the self-constituted posse came to a baffled stop close by the water its beastlike ferocity as must have tank they saw an evilly grinning figure leaning out from the cab of the who once roamed these forest glades, fast receding engine, a figure whose hand waved a mocking signal of fare-

well in true railroad style. A few feet distant from the water tank was a small, boxlike shanty containing the levers manipulating various switches. In front of this shanty stood a distraught engineer, volubly cursing the bold depredator who had robbed him of his iron charge. Suddenly a new look of consternation firshed into his eyes and he turned in a frenzy of excitement to his grimy

faced assistant. "We've got to throw that devil off the main line, Gus," he shouted as he place by accident," growled the angry dived into the boxlike structure. "The Overland is due any second. They'll crash together head on."

Almost as he spoke the last words he jammed over one of the shining moment came a long-drawn screeching whistle, accompanied by the grinding sound of hastily applied airbrakes. Down the level stretch of track the onlookers, gripped in an agony of suspense, saw the heavy Overland express rushing at top speed straight for ing iron-clad monsters lessened with

With set faces the little group by outlaw engine werved with incredible swiftness and shot off into the dered past with its dozen coaches of human freight.

Like a crazy Malay running amuck its steel guides, plowed wildly for a

"Please take me home," she said ing near by

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postoffice at Kerrville, Texas. The Mexican Situation.

Conditions are more hopeful fer settlement of the troubled Mexican situation than for some weeks. Carranza has weakened very much in his warlike attitude with the coming of our troops to the border.

Judge George W. Riddle has an mission Committee" nounced his withdrawal from the "Very few men," the Chairman Senatorial race and has expressed stated, "who really have the cause For County Attorney his choice for Dr. S. P. Brooks for of prohibition at heart are willing to that position. We think Judge embarass the Committee in its work Riddle acted wisely and with good by injecting personalities into the political judgment.

of Amarillo is going to be the nomi- boxes and school houses is going fornee for Associate Justice of the ward rapidly", declared Mr. Wolf. Supreme Court. Judge Hall is well "But there still remains much to do known all over the state and no man before the primary is held, and we For County and Dist. Clerk: in Texas has a better record as a most earnestly ask our friends, and man and a Judge of the law.

Morris stock continues to go up in the race for governor. His character and reputation are without their community is carried out", taint or stain and he promises the people a fair square deal if elected. Judge H. C. Geddie and Messrs W. S. and J. V. Hopkins of this city knew him personally in Wood county chairmen. Among the counties refor years and vouch for him on porting are found, Dallas. Tarrant, every inch of the ground. He will McLennan, Travis, Bexar, Collin, reduce the tax rate or resign.

Did you ever hear any man at any time say one word against the character, life or habits of Dr. S. P. Brooks? His record is clean and he is one of the ablest men in the Dem- go Monday and Tuesday each week. ocratic party in Texas. He is not a politician, has never before asked for public office, has no axes to grind, no political friends to favor Our correspondents will please remake an admirable and able United seldom get them set up for that is-States Senator and we believe the sue. This also applies to church Year's Work: people will elect him.

From Submission Headquarters.

"If the hearty co-operation which we have been receiving continues we will win the fight for Submission." This substance of a statement issued by M. H. Wolfe, State Chairman of the Submission Committee. Continuing Mr. Wolfe said: "From all sec- For Representative 115th Dist: tions of the state we are receiving encouraging reports. Real friends of the cause of prohibition have subordinated their personal ambition. and from all sections of the state For District Judge 38th Dist. there comes assurance that the campaign is being waged on the high election July 22.) plane inaugurated by the State Sub-

campaign".

"The work of organization of the For County Judge It seems that Judge R. W. Hall state by counties, precincts, voting all those who believe that the question should be submitted for settle- For Sheriff and Tax Collector ment to a vote of the people to see that the work of organization in

> The long list of counties which have reported their organsizations show most of the largest voting counties to have organized and ap- For pointed their county and dtstrict Bell, Hunt and Jefferson.

Just received a swell line of mens shirts. Also nice line of ties.

Mosel, Saenger & Co. Texas Steam Laundry baskets

Agency at Adkins Barber Shop. Hats cleaned and blocked.

W. C. Word, agent.

enemies to punish. He would member that unless their letters are notices and other free matter.

the same as heretofore, as follows: County offices Precinct Strictly cash in advance

(Subject to Democratic Primary

election July 22.) M. E. BLACKBURN, (Re-election.)

(Subject to Democratic Primary R. H. BURNEY,

W. D. LOVE, of Uyalde GILBERT C. STORMS. (Subject to July Primary.)

(Re-election.)

W. G. GARRETT, (Re-election, November election.)

R. A. DUNBAR. SID REES. LEE WALLACE. (Re-election.)

JOHN R. LEAVELL,

(Re-election.)

J. T. MOORE. (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor EMMET H. NICHOLS. W. G. PETERSON.

County Treasurer. A. B. WILLIAMSON,

Parent-Teachers Club.

(Re-election.)

(Re-Election.)

The Parents-Teachers Club will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday July 12, at 4 p. m. at the High School Auditorium.

Following is the Program: Prayer.

Music-Mrs. King.

Business Parliamentary Drill. Parliamentarian-Prof. Waller.

Reading-Tyler Wilkinson. Round Table Discussion - The



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I am in favor of National preparedness and believe that as a nation we should be prepared to protect our homes, and the great interests of our country,

I am in favor of our federal government giving aid to the construction and maintenance of public highways. I am in favor of the federal warehouse law and believe that

will be of great help to the people of the south. I indorse President Wilson's administration as being a wise one and patriotic.

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a fine horse for sale.

eries, new goods at

tives in Center Point.

or tin at Berry's.

Local Notes

Fruit Jars, tops and rubbers, at C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mrs. Ed. Gutzeit of San Antonio is spending the week in Kerrvilie the guest of Mrs. J. L. Pampell.

Jaunty Bathing Caps at the Rock Drug Store.

Rev. T. F. Huffman of Harper was a visitor to Kerrville Saturday. He had just returned from a visit to his father at Carlsbad, N. M.

"Hump" Hair Pins. They "lock the locks." 'At BENTON'S.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pampell and son Milton went to San Antonio Sunday morning in their Velie, returning Monday.

This is time for disinfectants. We have all the good ones.

Rock Drug Store.

for Gonzales to join her husband Tuesday. who now has regular employment

Electric face or head massage seed and garden seeds, at 35c at the Palace Barber Shop,

Miss Ruby Stipp of San Antonio Capt. A. W. McKillip writes for is visiting in Kerrville this week us to send his Advance to Colorado the guest of Mrs. J. W. Bailey.

Good values in decorated slop summer jars for \$1.00 as long as they last. Kerrville Furniture Co.

Robt, M. Insall this week sold the but while they last we are making place near the school building which a special price of \$6.50. he recently bought of Robt. Leinweber to Ernst Herbort of Fredericksburg for \$3750.

or without board on Main Street, the South Fork, Apply to Mrs. T. A. Buckner.

Our Shumate razors are kept or seasoned Spanish oak stove wood anteed for a lifetime.

Kerrville Drug Co

, Orris Garland and ites in town Monday.

Fresh Tomatoes and Corn recieevP daily at

C. C. Butt Grocery.

J. C. Carroll of Bee County was in Kerrville Monday prospecting for a ranch location.

T. A. Duderstadt of Mountain Home was in town' trading Satur-

Work shoes, the kind that stand

Mosel, Saenger & Co.

J. E. Dewhitt of Verde was in the city Saturday.

Wafer sliced dried beef in bulk. C. C. Butt Grocery.

"Hump" Hair Pins. They "lock Judge W. D. Love of Uvalde was In Kerrville several days last week in the interest of his race for District Judge of this District. Haught of Menard are in town with

Why pay more? We can fit every one in your family with new shoes value for \$1.00 at Bargains in Laces and Embroid- at same prices as before the war. H. Noll Stock Co.

> the pastor, Bro. Riddle, who was en- near Rock Springs. gaged in a meeting at Reservation.

date. Phone us your orders and W. E. Williams here Tuesday. we guarantee to satisfy you. Phone 25. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Mr. Thos. G. Gunn and family Mrs. E. A. Wied left this week funeral of Mr. W. E. Williams arrived last Friday fom Sinton to make their home in Kerrville. They occupy the Ford place on East Jeff-Just arrived, fresh bulk turnip erson street.

> White scalloped china sets of 42 pieces. Regular \$9.00 values, for 5.50. Call and see them.

Kerrville Furniture Co.

Frank Kring, the San Antonio will guarantee satisfaction. Springs, Colo., where he and Mrs. horse and mule buyer, shipped out McKillip have gone to spend the a car load of stock from here Tues-

> Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed for 50c, . Give us a trial. Model Tailoring Co.

District Judge R. H. Bnrney ar-W. A. Fawcett, Walter Peterson rived Saturday night from Leakey and W. G. Carpenter spent three where he held the regular term of For rent-A nice cool room with days the first of the week fishing on court last week. He will have one week's rest before beginning court here next Monday.

Shumate razors are kept honed honed free of charge and are guar- and biggest load for the money buy free of charge and are guaranteed W. R. Edwards. for a lifetime

Kerrville Drug Co.

eights

S. G. Ragland of Kingsville, who Ed Smith were among the Ingram- is visiting his brother, F. S. Ragland was a guest at the St Charles last

Mosquito Canopies and mosquito

H. Noll Stock Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sachs of San Antonio are among the summer guests at the St. Charles Hotel.

Dont fail to visit our Shoe Department. We have a nice line in low quarters, also Tennis shoes. Mosel Saenger & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Oliver of Yoakum are among the late arrivals at the St. Charles Hotel for the sum-

Ammunition and guns of all kinds our new stock is in at H. Noll Stock Co.

Attorney Henry P. Burney of ville the latter part of last week.

Seven piece water sets, \$1.50 owner, Riviera, Texas.

Kerrville Furniture Co.

Wm. A. Stroman sold to Otto Rev. T. C. Lee of Ingram preach- Schwethelm his new home on Moun-Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Storms and ed at the Baptist Church here last tain street. Mr. and Mrs. Stroman little son spent Sunday with rela- Sunday morning in the absence of have moved to the Cloudt ranch byterian Encampment to spend the byterian Encampment to spend the

> Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sing of Upper Our Grocery department is up-to Guadalupe attended the funeral of

> > Fresh grated cocoanut with the milk in cans at

H. Noll Stock Co.

day which he had bought of various deals was the exchange by Robt. proper fitting lenses. Leinweber of his two places in Kerrville to Robt. M. Insail for farm lands in Colorado county. Mr. Leinweber and family are preparing to move to their new home.

> SPECIAL TO THE LADIES: We can clean or polish your shoes cheaper and better than you can do it yourself. Either come in or send them to the Nifty Shine Parlor, Benton's old stand, two doors from P. O.

Big Increase In Business

My SHOE sales last month was DOUBLE of the same month a year ago. I THANK you S. P. BENTON.

Among those from Kerrville who attended the barbecue-picnic Tuesday at "Boneyard" on the head of the Guadalupe were, Sid Rees and Lee Wallace, candidates for county judge, and H. C. Geddie.

Seeded raisins in cans at H. Noll Stock Co.

Moritz Holekamp was in town Monday from Turtle Creek and reported a fine shower at his place Saturday amounting to 90 points. Further up the creek it was much lighter.

Get the habit of calling at the Nifty News Stand for your magazines. We handle all the standard periodicals. Two doors from P. O.

A. heavy rain fell in the vicinity of Morris Ranch Saturday. It was reported to be as much as four inches in some places and the Pedernales arose until it was past fording.

Have several prospective buyers of ranch lands. List your property with me. Ranch and cattle loans negotiated.

> E. H. PRESCOTT, First State Bank, Kerrville.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

E. E. Dietert has bought a new Oakland "Six."

J. K. Lawhon of San Antonio was city for a few days. here the first of the week prospecting for a location.

Choice farms close to bay to ex-San Antonio was a visitor to Kerr-change for ranch. Fine for truck and citrus fruits as well as general farming. Owners only. W. E. Head,

> Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Heard of Refugio, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Heard of Austwell, Earl and Gerald Stafford and Vivian Bailey of Refugio, are are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R among the late arrivals at the Pres- F. Hunt this week. Mr. Hunt took summer.

DR. WERBLUN IN KERRVILLE

makes regular visits here, will be in swings, etc. Kerrville at Rawson's Drug Store, The "Glorious Fourth" was ob- July 14 to 22. His glasses have alserved by the Kerrville people by ways enabled to read, do close work closing up nearly all business houses or look at objects at long distance, and going out to the country and or at moving pictures, without spending the day picnicing or fishing. causing headache in the least and without tiring or straining the eyes. Accordion Pleating done by the He furnishes the latest improved fully by paying up your subscription. Texas Steam Laundry, W. C. Word, seamless bifocal lenses, also the If you are already paid up, just pay agent. Give me your order and I latest in nose glasses that fit and another \$1 in advance and help us to Among the recent real estate which is almost as essential as toin now which if we had in hand

G. P. Joiner of Gregory, representing the Great Southern Life Insurance Company of Houston, is in the

Dr. W. Culver and family of St Louis are in camp again for the sun mer near the Joe Byas place on the

Herman Schultz was in town Monday from his river valley farm reports it still dry at his place and the corn about done its "do."

Dr. and Mrs. Hammack of Kenedy Medina Lake Tuesday.

Riverside Park is becoming the popular pleasure place of Kerrville. The bathing pool is deeper and better than ever before and Mr. Utterbach is continually putting in new ebuip-Dr. L. Werblun, Optician, who ment in the way of diving board,

The high cost of paper and everything that goes into the production of a newspaper keeps the publisher guessing whether he is going to sink or swim. You can help us wonderwear easy. He also takes great stem the tide. We have a hundred pains in adjusting frames properly or more dollars due us on subscripwould help us greatly.

New Produce Store Opened

We have opened a produce business in the old bakery building next door to Henke's market and will pay highest cash prices for chickens, turkeys, eggs, and other produce. Phone 278 for prices.

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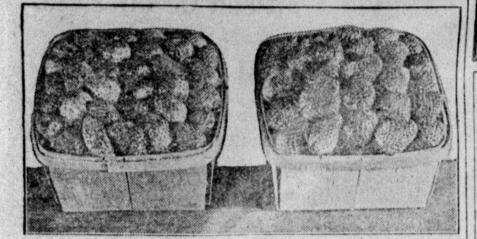
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Quart Boxes of Well-Graded Strawberries-"Fancy" on the Right, "No. 1"

small fruits in popularity because of the sandiest soils, for these dry out its wide range of adaptation to soll and more severely in the late summer elimatic conditions. The large num- months and prevent the formation of ber of varieties gives a long season of new plants and runners and reduce the most delicious fruit. Its ease of the development of fruiting buds for



Strawberries Packed for Market.

culture and its early season of bearing makes it a desirable home and plants 18 inches apart in the row.

Kansas state agricultural college. implements.

The strawberry leads the list of "The poorest results usually occur on

the subsequent season. Freshly Broken Land Ideal.

"Freshly broken land is usually ideal for a strawberry bed provided it has first been planted to same cultivated crop, such as potaces. Sod land is likely to be infested with white grubs which are a dangerous foe to the tender plants."

There are many different ways of planting, states Mr. Merrill, but the two most commonly used are the hill system and the matted row system. In the hill system the plants are set 18 inches apart and no runners are allowed to develop. The strength of the plant is utilized in the formation of one stool. All the work done in cultivation in this system must be done with hand implements, but the returns are higher than the matted row system. A modification of this system is sometimes practiced by setting the rows three feet apart and the

In the matted row system the rows "The strawberry is most productive are from three to four feet apart and in a sandy loam soil, but if this type the plants 12 to 18 inches apart of soil is not available it may be in the row. New plants are pergrown with good results in many of mitted to develop until the row is two the heavier soils," says F. S. Merrill feet wide. With this system the work of the horticultural department of the can be done mainly with horse-drawn

NEGLECT IS COSTLY IN NURSERY STOCK

Through Poor Handling, Says Minnesota Expert.

From 10 to 25 per cent of the nursery stock bought is lost every men that the feeding of crushed cats spring through poor handling, says to cows will improve the flavor of W. G. Brierley of the horticultural dimilk. To ascertain the correctness of vision of the Minnesota college of this theory a series of experiments agriculture. One should buy, all was made by the bureau of animal nursery plants subject to inspection, industry of the United States departhe said, and reject the stock if it is in ment of agriculture at the experimen

poor condition. dling nursery stock," he continues, "is ment; three were fed a grain ration to remove it from the shipping case of cornmeal, bran and cottonseed and 'heel in,' so that the plants may meal; the other three were fed a replenish the moisture lost in transit. grain mixture of five parts crushed If the bark appears shriveled it may oats and one part cottonseed meal. be advantageous to even bury the enable; it softens the bark too much.

moisture for the plant.

MARKETS DIFFER IN **DEMAND FOR POULTRY**

New York Not Particular Whether Its Dressed Fowls Are Scalded or Dry Picked.

There is a marked difference be tween the kind of prepared poultry different markets demand. For instance. New York is not very particular as to whether its dressed poultry comes scalded or dry picked.

Many of the western cities think the same if the poultry be nicely prepared and fowis of the same size are packed together, the yellow and white- ting. Your deed calls for the subsoil skinned packed to themselves. Boston strictly wants its dressed fowls dry picked, Chicago likes its turkeys water if properly utilized. dry picked, but prefers chickens, ducks and geese scalded.

KEEP CLOSE WATCH

Runaway Caused by Broken Parts of Harness Can Be Avoided by Attention.

"A stitch in time saves nine," sometimes it saves a runaway. When you use a harness, keep a sharp lookout for ripped seams and broken buckles. If there is a break, fix it at once, or else take it to the barness maker's farms, as investigation shows, are in without delay. Don't try to patch it manure, in hay and in threshing mawith a piece of string, for the string is chines, and finally the wind blows apt to break when you are going down some of the lighter seeds for several bill. "Safety first."

FLAVOR OF MILK IS IMPROVED BY OATS

Ascertain the Truth of This Assertion.

It has been asserted by some dairytal dairy farm at Beltsville, Md.

"One of the safest methods of han- Six cows were used in the experi-

A number of samples of milk from the navy department refer to the eftire stock in light soil for a day or the cows fed these rations were subtwo. Immersing in water is not advis- mitted to various persons in the dairy division and they were asked to indi- communication between the various "Other means of safe handling," Mr. cate their preference. In all 50 opin- vessels of the navy and between the Brierley continues, "are packing the ions were passed on various samples. offices of the navy department in soil firmly around the roots, throwing Of these, 16 showed a preference for Washington and the various units of the richer top-soil in the bottom of the milk from cows fed on crushed the navy. These efforts have culthe hole and crowning the top with oats, 25 preferred that from the bran minated now in the incorporation of light, loose soil, so as to preserve all and corn ration, while nine expressed wireless telephony into the new sysno choice.

The results show that in these ra- The other day Secretary of the Navy tions not only was there no marked Daniels, from his office in the navy difference in favor of the crushed cats department, actually talked through as a feed to improve flavor, but if the air from Washington to the capanything, the ration containing bran tain of the battleship New Hampshire, and corn was more successful in pro- at Hampton Roads, more than two ducing a fine-flavored milk.

PLANT FOOD NEEDED BY RUN-DOWN SOILS

Lime and Phosphorus Recommended to Improve Physical Defects of Worn Land.

The farmer who robs his soil is saw ing off the limb upon which he is sitas well as the surface soil and the subsoil is a mine of fertility and a well of

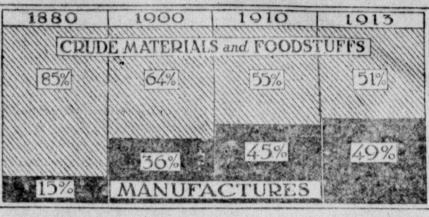
Lime is the one thing most needed by the average rundown soil. Phos phorus, next to lime, is the mineral plantfood probably most needed by the average unproductive soil.

FOR RIPPED SEAMS WEED SEEDS SPREAD IN DIFFERENT WAYS

Found in Manure, Hay, Threshing Machines and Finally the Wind Blows Them.

Some of the many ways in which weed seeds find their way to the

U. S. Has Made Steady Gains for Years in World Markets



Record of United States exports in representative years shows how manufactured products are displacing crude materials and foodstuffs.

By DR. EDWARD EWING PRATT, | tion amounts to not more than 10 per Chief of Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Com-

The great European war has forced upon us the industrial leadership of the world. And thereby it has also brought home to us with singular force the importance of foreign trade. Three years ago it would have been difficult to arouse much serious interest in the middle West or in the South on the subject of foreign trade. Overseas markets meant little to producers, manufacturers and merchants not located near the Atlantic, Gulf or Pacific seaboards.

Today it is different. Our farmers in the middle West have realized that because nations, thousands of miles away, have gone to war, and because the supplies of wheat from certain large wheat-producing sections of the world have been cut off from their usual markets, there is a special demand for American wheat and the prices obtained for the largest crop produced in the history of the United States are the highest prices on

fact that a large part of the cotton

tance of that comparatively small pro- new role in international affairs which portion of our total trade that may be we in consequence are called upon to classed as "foreign." That small por- accept.

hundred miles away. Immediately

after this feat the secretary talked by

long-distance telephone (over wires)

to the senior naval officers at Ports-

mouth, N. H.; Santiago, Cal.; Pensa-

cola, Fla., and Puget Sound, Wash.

Both wireless and the long-distance

wire systems reaching across the con-

tinent have been introduced as regu-

lar features of the navy's communica-

tion system. These improvements

TIN-PLATE INDUSTRY GROWS

Output in United States Increases 51.9

Per Cent in Five Years-Busi-

ness Built Up Sinca 1891.

The growth of the American tin-

plate business since 1909 is shown by

statistics of the United States bureau

of the census, which places the in-

crease in the output of tinplate and

terneplate from 1909 to 1914 at 696,-

462,878 pounds, or 51.9 per cent. The

value of the output increased \$19,536,-

591, or 41.8 per cent. This growth

was all in tinplate, as the output of

terneplate, which, in 1914, constituted

less than seven per cent of the total

production of coated plates, was

somewhat smaller in 1914 than in

value in a crists.

mixture.

ficulties at the outbreak of the Eu-

small percentage was disarranged.

ropean war were caused because that

In view of the apparently small interest taken in foreign trade prior to the outbreak of the European war, it is surprising to learn the real importance of the United States in the world's markets. In the fiscal year 1912-13, our exporters sent abroad nearly \$2,500,000,000 worth of products. This was exceeded only by the exports of Great Britain. We were the second exporting nation of the world, ahead of Germany and far outdistancing France. And, what is more significant, our exports during the last quarter century have shown a steady and rapid increase. The exports of the United States have doubled in the last 15 years.

It is necessary and interesting to point out that a very large proportion of these exports consisted of raw materials and foodstuffs. This proportion, however, has been steadily decreasing during recent years.

In the decade 1870 to 1879 the proportion of manufactured goods export-At the same time the producers of ed from the United States amounted cotton in another section of the United | to only 20.35 per cent. In the period States have had brought home to 1890 to 1899 it had increased to 25.23 them with disastrous forcefulness the per cent. And in the period from 1900 to 1909 it amounted to 37.66 per cent. crop of the United States is marketed | During the normal years immediately in Europe, that when those markets preceding the European war, from were suddenly cut off the price of 1910 to 1914 inclusive, the proportion cotton went down and down until it of our manufactured goods to total exwas scarcely more than half of the ports amounted to 46.75 per cent. On usual price, and far below the cost the other hand the preportion of raw have such all and for the first time the United States steadily decreased. Big Loss Caused Every Spring Series of Experiments Made to realized the importance of foreign These movements are significant in As a matter of fact the whole na- ly significant if their importance had tion has had an object lesson, staged | not been forced upon us by the outon a tremendous scale, of the impor- break of the European war and by the

++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++ USE WIRELESS TELEPHONE IN TALKING TO WARSHIPS Millions of Chinese Have Never Even Tasted Rice. Navy Department Officials Adopt New-

est Wonder in So-Called Mobiliza-Rice is often spoken of as the tion of Communication Aids. staple article of food for the whole of the Chinese people, yet Uncle Sam is mobilizing the comtens of millions of people in China have never seen or tasted rice, says Julean Arnold, United munication system of the navy. At least that is the way the officials of States commercial attache at Pekin. Vast areas of the counuse of the most up-to-date methods of try in the north cannot grow rice and even in the rice-growing sections millions of people are too poor to buy or use rice. are too poor to buy or use rice. ***

FORESTS GREATEST OF KIND

Immense Trees In Some of Uncle Sam's Parks Have Stood for Ages and Are Still Strong and Sturdy.

That the forests of Yosemite, Sequoia and General Grant National parks surpass any other of their kind in the size and beauty of trees and the number of species represented is stated by C. L. Hill in a publication on the forests of these parks just issued by the department of the interior. This pamphlet contains descriptions of the species and of the forest types as well as pictures of the important trees. The most interesting vastly increase the efficiency of the tree is the sequoia, which is the navy and would be of inestimable crowning achievement of the vegetable kingdom in size and majesty and age.

"When Cheops dreamed the first pyramid." says Mr. Hill, "some of these hoary giants of today doubtless already were springing up and hopefully taking possession of this very soil from above which in lordly height and grandeur they look down upon us. Yet there they still stand today, in calm serenity and majesty, unburt by disease, unscarred by all save fire and the hand of man, while we, creatures of a day, creep about and peep beneath their mighty shade and pass away, while they live on. And there is no visible reason, barring foolhardy destruction by man, why they should not live for another millennium or

More Cil Burned in Locomotives. Uncle Sam's figures show a marked

1901. Terneplate consists of steel or iron plates or sheets coated with an increase in the use of petroleum as a alloy of tin and lead known as terne locomotive fuel by railroads of the United States in 1915. The quantity The timplate industry in the United of oil fuel consumed last year was States dates from 1891, as prior to that | 36,648,466 barrels, an increase of 5,year practically the entire comestic | 555,290 barrels or 18 per cent over market was supplied by imports.

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bition. But take no nasty, danger- it won't make you sick. ous calomel, because it makes you Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver

when you feel that awful nausea and bowels regular. cramping.

the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cannot salivate. Give it to your chilcleansing you ever experienced just dren. Millions of people are using take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dan-Liver Tone. Your druggist or dealer gerous calomel now. Your druggist sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's | will tell you that the sale of calomel cent of the total and yet all of our dif. Liver Tone under my personal money- is almost stopped entirely here. - Adv.

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel back guarantee that each spoonfu. fine and cheerful; make your work a will clean your sluggish liver better pleasure; be vigorous and full of am- than a dose of nasty calomel and that

sick and you may lose a day's work. medicine. You'll know it next morn-Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, ing, because you will wake up feelwhich causes necrosis of the bones, ing fine, your liver will be working, Calomel crashes into sour bile like your headache and dizziness gone, dynamite, breaking it up. That's your stomach will be sweet and your

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely Listen to me! If you want to enjoy vegetable, therefore harmless and



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Malaria, Chills & Fever.

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Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugit Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckies, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply set an oance of othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply set an oance of othine—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little lof it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freelies have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is schlom that more than one onnee is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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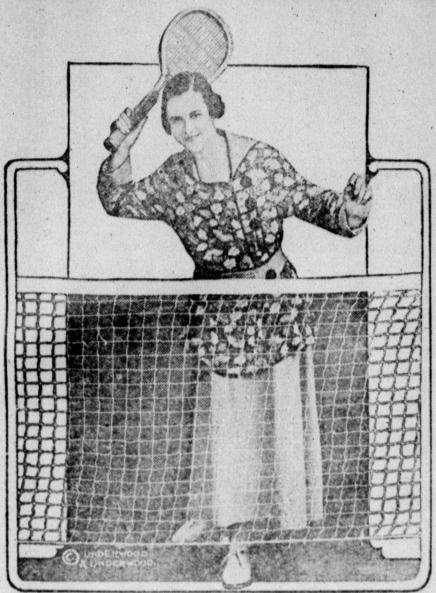
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Tennis Suit of Cotton Ratine



Something of a new departure in | tured here. The skirt is plain and sports suits appears in the combina | moderately full at the hem, with little tion of plain and figured ratine. The fullness at the top, and the coat could rough surface of the material lends it hardly be more simple. Any of the self to brilliant colors and brocaded standard fashion companies have paeffects particularly well, and it is used per patterns very like these garments. with plain ratine and with other plain | Buttons, important items in the finmaterials as well as for decorating ish of sports coats, are well managed

collar, belt and cuffs of the coat are the left of the center.

one-piece dresses and for making the in the suit illustrated. They are a larger size than is ordinarily used and A suit like that in the picture pre- are made of a dark composition. They sents a very wide choice of color com- are set on simulated buttonholes made binations. The plain skirt may be any of flat folds of plain ratine, and only one of the several bright colors that the one on the belt is of practical use appear in the coat, or it may be of as a fastening. Snap fasteners do the gray, tan, or white. The choice of actual work of holding the coat fronts color rests with the wearer, since the together, and the opening is a little to

made of plain ratine like that in the . White canvas shoes or regular ten-skirt. The colors shown in fabrics for nis shoes are to be chosen with some sports clothes are gay and beautiful reference to the suit and the hat worn It has been found by experiment

Midsummer Hats for Little Maids



The little miss must be supplied a very little. A lace rosette centered with sunbonnets and sunhats for play with tiny flowers is placed at the front,

thing of sewing may undertake.

material. The top of the crown is cov

ered with a circular piece cut large

enough to extend part way down the

side crown, where it is tacked to the

wires. Next, a bias strip is cut wide

enough to stretch over the under and

upper brim and it is sewed to the

wire at the base of the crown. Finally

a bias strip is smoothed about the

side crown, joined at the back and

makes a foundation for the lace or

The under brim may be faced with

chiff n or crepe in a pale color, fin-

ished with a frill of lace at the edge.

Begin ing at the middle of the back

The hat at the center, after the

braid covering.

and with something pretty for the lining. times when she is on dress parade. The other hats are covered with Here are shown three bats, selected silk fiber braid seved on flat. The because of their good style and pre poke bonnet at the left is trimmed sented because they may be success with velvet baby ribbon in French provides a device having a closure of fully made at home at a considerable blue and with small flowers set at insaving in cost. These are among the tervals about the crown. hats that anyone who knows some. At the right the hat's under brim tle.

during the warm days of midsummer and the hat is finished with a thin silk

may be faced with silk or chiffon. It All of the bats pictured are made is trimmed with a fluting of ribbon on frames of wire, to be bought ready about the crown and clusters of small made., The frame selected is to be fruit set in foliage. covered with a very thin cotton or silk

Julia Bottomby

Girl's Dancing Frock: dancing school frock, all of bright green pussy willow taffeta, with frills and frills up the skirt almost to the sewed to wires in the frame. This waist line, and a prim little squarenecked bodice fastened to the ruffled skirt by a cording. A guimpe of white tulie drawn up on tiny black frame has been prepared as described, velvet ribbon at the round neck and is covered with narrow val lace ruffles. having puffy, short sleeves, goes under

Summer Uses for Velvet. White panne velvet is used for the brit the lace ruffles are sewed in a tops of crepe chiffon hats and crepe have a rather heavy grain or concen tinuous strip about the hat until Georgette with stripes of velvet is trated ration in addition to the bulk; nter of the top crown is reached. quite the latest word for laties' day matter. the overlaps the preceding one dresses and summer blouses.

the prim little green bodice.

WOODEN BLOCKS FIND FAVOR

Ideal for Paving Floors of Dairy Barns -Coal Tar Creosote Adds Much to Durability.

(By B. O. LONGYEAR, Colorado Agri-cultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.) Pavements made of wood blocks are no new thing-in fact, they were extensively used a generation ago in the principal timber-producing regions of the country. They were usually composed of round blocks set on end and the spaces filled with sand. While excellent when new, they soon wore out in places by the decay of some of the blocks, which left the pavement rough and fall of holes, unless fre-

quently repaired. Substitutes such as stone, brick and asphalt have largely replaced wood for pavements, while concrete has come into use for ground floors in stable and dairy barns. The desirable qualities of wood, however, which these substitutes largely lack, have again brought the wooden block into favor. Thus, it is more quiet, it is not so slippery and is less trying to the feet and legs of animals than are most of its substitutes

Its lack of durability is now over PEDEN IRON & STEEL CO. come by treating the blocks with coal HOUSTON tar creosote, and the blocks are cut square or rectangular so that there FURLONG'S SECRET SERVICE COMPANY, are no large openings between them.

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ing, every possible means must be better than that elaborate gown of taken to get cream on the market in yours."

Attention must first be paid to cool- bundred and fifty." cream is hauled to market, and the can get it for nothing." cans are left uncovered and exposed to the hot sun and dust.

and there are yellows, rose shades, with it. Among the most handsome of that the temperature may be kept London gives some eloquent figures. greens, and blues that are wonderfully sports hats are those of ratine trimmed more than 20 degrees lower when Out of 644 members resident in Great with fruits or conventional figures of dampened blankets are thrown over Britain, many of whom are far past There is nothing difficult or intricate the same fabric painted with vivid the can or dampened blankets are military age, no less than 171 are in covered. In addition, the dirt and dust are kept away from the cans and

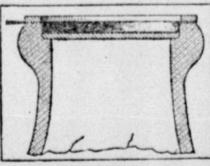
It is not only to the advantage of brothers upon the field of heroism | The suggested design is intended to quality of the cream so that good prices may continue, but low-grade sword cream cannot be allowed to come upon the market in the future.

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Santos-Dumont.

Santos Dumont is visiting many cities in South America in the inter- trouble it is mighty easy to find an est of the Pan-American aeronautic excuse for making it. According to good condition. The warm days that "Of course it did, my dear," replied conference. He was born in Sao Mike Hogan, Casey and O'Brien were have already passed have had a his wife sweetly. "That simple little Paulo, Brazil, on July 20, 1873. From having an argument of their own at marked effect in lowering the quality frock, as you call it, cost three hun- 1900 to 1906 he demonstrated to Eu- Breckinridge street and Barrett aveof cream now being made into butter. dred dollars, while mine cost only a rope the possibility of conquering the nue. It had progressed to the extent air with the dirigible balloon as well that each had forgotten what it was ing the cream just as soon as sep- "Well, for the love of Mike, go out as with the aeroplane. He spent in about originally and they were wholly However, the greatest ex and buy one about twice as elaborate aeronautics alone over \$50,000 a year oblivious of the gathering crowd until posure to heat usually comes when the as the one you've got. Maybe you for 12 years in experimentation. While an urbane and genteel person in a in Paris in 1901 be won a prize of frock coat put in. lier of the French Legion of Honor gently plucking Casey by the sleeve. The report of the Authors' club of in 1904, and in 1990 received the offi- "You don't want to fight; I can tell

Flag for Old Vincennes.

considering the adoption of a flag is two be nine, is ut?" active service in connection with the for Vincenses to be used as the city's And there was where the real war. Six have died in action or of official emblem during the coming In- trouble began.-Louisville Times. wounds and 13 votes of sympathy diana centennial celebration, says the with members in the death of sons or Indianapolis News.

the producer to help in keeping up the have been adopted. The same hand, set forth the British rule of Vincennes it is clear, may wield both pen and by an old English red "V" in the blue about me just now," interrupted Senacenter and the French control by a tor Sorghum. "I'm a statesman most white fleur-de-lis, which was the na of the time. But with several conventional emblem of France during the tions looming up in the near future and "Is it true that battles are being time this territory was under the a large following of practical citizens won in Europe with cigarettes?" asked French government,

Radiating from the center there are politician "Oh, no," answered the contributor 18 white stripes, indicating that Into a tobacco fund. "Cigarettes are diana was the 18th state admitted to merely used in the trenches to make the Union. There also are 48 small a policy of 'watchful waiting' more white stripes, indicating the number

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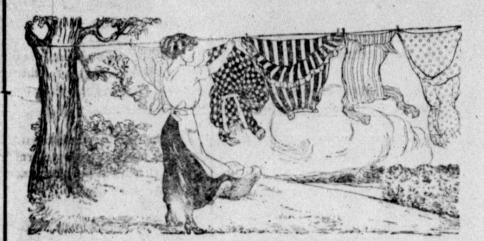
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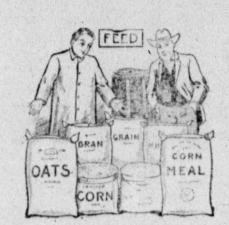
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