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# NEWS FROM THE GRAPELAND BARGAIN STORE

Flour Bacon Lard Syrup Sugar Meal Coffee plenty in stock at prices that will stop the people from talking hard times and high cost of living

Chops, bran, shorts, oats and hay, Shoes, dry goods and notions cheaper than the cheapest. Don't be deceived by those who tell you that the goods I sell

are not the best. I sell everything under a guarantee-

### Quality, Weight and Measure Try me and be Convinced

Sam Jones said that it is the hit dog that 'hollers.' So if you hear anyone howling about Wherry's goods or prices you will know that they have been hit and the louder they howl the harder they have been hit. I started on January 15 to reduce the high cost of living and if in doing so I have interfered with anybody's business I am very sorry, but I intend to keep on fighting the high cost of living. This is no time for large profits. The country is in no condition to pag old time profits on goods and the sooner the business men realize this the better for our town, and country, too.

MY MOTTO: "SPOT CASH AND SMALL PROFITS" W. R. WHERRY THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND

LETTER FROM ANTRIMITE

"the sun would shine after the rain," but we wish to remind the first Sunday in May. The the heart with a shot gun. Mr. them that it also shines before subject will be: Resolved, That Allen assigned no cause for the it rains and sometimes it takes Congress Should Forbid Further act, although he left a note adit all out in shining.

orated with dog-wood blossoms and smilax vines, which made a beautiful scene under the lamp light. Joe Miller of Rocky

Mound was with us and made April 11.-Someone has said, arrangements for a joint debate between their society and ours, to be held Saturday night before Foreign Immigration. Our next

People are beginning to plant before the second Sunday, Allen, stating that he alone was cotton, and we are still of the which will be May 7. The to blame and that he had brought opinion that there will be almost Grapeland debaters will be with trouble to himself. Prior to the us in a joint debate and the quesact, he had been working the The corn is young, but is as tion submitted is Resolved, That Congress Should Forbid the road and nothing unusual about Further Manufacture and Sale his actions were noticed by the of Intoxicating Liquor in the U. others. He left about 11 o'clock, ing corn and peas (alternately S. A. There have been a great going to his home, and one hour and we believe this to be the many people who have expressed later took his life. He leaves a a desire to hear this question debrother, Geo. Allen, and a wife bated, so we invite you to be and several children. His rewith us on that night. The promains were buried in the Daiy's gram in full will appear later.

## **NEWS ITEMS** FROM DALY'S

April 12.—Only a small portion of the much needed rain fell here Saturday night. We were thankful for that and hope to have more soon.

Bro. Williams preached to a large congregation here yester. day. Singing was also well attended.

Miss Bertha Weisinger is on a visit to her brother, Fletcher and family of Daly's.

Little Callie Mae Laseter spent Friday night with homefolks.

Quite a good many from Hays Spring attended church and singing here Sunday.

Calhoun Mitchell was here Sunday.

Tom Moore of Crockett Pledger Chiles and Ted Fox of Reynard were visitors at Daly's Sunday evening.

Gardens are growing and looking fine. Chickens will soon be ready to eat, and there is no danger of hunger. The crops need rain and until we get it we will have cause to be discontented. We are never satisfied.

SYLVESTER.

## **COMMITTED** SUICIDE

Charlie Allen, a farmer living at Reynard, took his own life at his home last Friday about 12 o'clock, shooting himself through dressed to his brother, George

# Another Good Thing Grabbed! WHITE CREST FLOUR

Messenger.

Unloaded this week: Car of White Crest Flour. This flour is too well known here for us to comment on. ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED.

You will find our stock of feed stuff complete. EXTRA LOW PRICES. We handle nothing but goods of quality, such as Pure Corn Chops, Mill Run Bran and Shorts, heavy bright red Oats, Pure Wheat Shorts and the choicest of Pea Green Hay. Don't buy your bill until you get our prices.

## **HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR BUTTER AND EGGS**

THE CASH GROCERY COMPANY **FREE DELIVERY** Phone us Your Orders

## **NEW DRESS GOODS** ARRIVED for your INSPECTION

We have opened new patterns in Lace Cloth, Voile and Crepe. Be sure to see these designs before you buy. Prices are right.

New suits for men in blue serge and brown. Attractive prices.

Straw and silk hats that are record winners. Let us show you these.

### Japanese Sugar Cane Seed and Amber Cane Seed

a normal crop planted.

promising as we ever .saw. Most people around us are plantbest way for the sandy soils.

In the school election Messrs. A. W. Beeson and G. L. Waddell were elected trustees.

Miss May Martin is spending The special school tax carried a week with her Uncle Robert by a vote of 16 to 1, and one and family. The singing society of Rock

voter was not entitled to vote on Hill and Antrim seems to be on the tax question. The vote was the decline. Very few were out as we expected, as Antrim has Sunday afternoon. Good people, the way to kill a good thing is to been standing for better educadeny it your support. tional facilities all the time, The debate Saturday night though she has labored against was won by J. F. Durnell and great odds, but we believe that G. L. Waddell, the question befairness and right dealings with ing the division of Texas into two our fellow-men will eventually triumph over all obstacles. 'Tis better to be a good loser than a being in favor of the affirmative. bad winner.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hudnell had the misfortune to loose their little three months old child last Saturday, April 3rd. It was buried Monday in the Antrim cemetery. Their many friends joined them in their hour of trouble. Rev. Hooke of Elkhart conducted the ceremonies.

splendid \_ none better." For The Antrim Literary and Desale by all dealers. bating Society met Saturday night the 10th. Some splendid recitations were delivered, and among those reciting were Miss-The citizens of Grapeland will ess Esther Durnell, Alice Taylor, Lurie Gray, Mary Williams and honor Prof. A. W. Cain with a Pearl Fox. Messrs. John War- reception at the school auditorren, George Kyle, Jim Kyle and ium tonight (Wednesday). Mr. J. F. Durnell sang a splendid Cain has been in Manila, P. I. quartette The dialogue, acted by Mrs. A. N. Edens, Mrs. Cleo Weisinger, the writer, Jim Hogg and Emma Charm Edens, was also good. The house was dec-erybody is invited.

cemetery Saturday morning.

Until our stock is sold we will sell these two items at a sacrifice.

Call on us for whatever you need. We can fill your entire bill.

McLean & Riall THE HOME OF DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE BOTH PHONES FREE DELIVERY

# For Ladies

LATEST IN WASH GOODS -- New designs in wash goods fabrics have been added for the spring wear, very neat and attractive, and exceptionally reasonable in price. They have been especially selected with a view to their strength and wearability, and are a master stroke in style and economy. SPECIAL OFFERINGS ON LINGERIE--The ladies will be delight-

ed with our new display of lingerie. They are dainty, stylish and of the 1915 designs. Our stock is complete, each piece is of guaranteed quality, and prices are very attractive. Ladies will always find the highest product of the manufacturer's art at this store.

# For Men

YOUR SPRING WEAR IS HERE---Come right in and look it over, make your selections early and get the advantage of first choice. We have a splendid new stock of everything in the line of spring suits, hats, shirts, underwear, shoes, hosiery, collars, ties, and all of the knickknacks which go to make up well groomed men. Quality and style are of the best and strictly up-to-date, and prices are battered down to the minimum.

Kennedy Brothers

The Store for Everybody

Mrs. Wm. M. Thompson, of Battle Creek, Mich., writes, "I have been troubled with indiges. tion, sour stomach and bad breath. Alter taking two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets I am well. These tablets are

or more states. J. M. Warren and Howard Campbell were the opposing speakers, the decision

> ANTRIMITE. A Cure For Sour Stomach

**RECEPTION TO-NIGHT** 

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# CARRANZA OFFERS AID **TO AMERICANS TO LEAVE**

FIRST CHIEF WILL PROVIDE A TRAIN FOR THOSE WHO WISH TO LEAVE MEXICO CITY.

## **REFUGEES WAIT AT TAMPICO**

General Huerta, Former President of Mexico and an Exile, Now a Visitor in New York City. On the Border.

Washington .- General Carranza informed American Consul Silliman, at Vera Cruz, Tuesday that he would furnish a train for Americans desiring to leave the City of Mexico. He will permit a passenger train from Vera Cruz to proceed as far as Ometusco, forty miles east of the City of Mexico where the Americans would be picked up. The first chief asked to be notified as to the number of Americans expecting to leave and the time they wish the train to be ready. The action grew out of the effort of the United States government to obtain the neutralization of the railroad between the City of Mexico and Vera Cruz. Although unwilling to make any permanent arrangement, General Carranza now has expressed a desire to aid foreigners who are anxious to reach the seacoast.

Many Americans and foreigners in Tampico similarly are planning to leave as soon as transportation arrangements can be made. Secretary Bryan sought the aid of the war department Monday and the transport Sumner at Galveston was ordered to Tampico to bring back the 300 or more foreigners.

General Victoriano Huerta, former provisional president of Mexico, who for nearly a year has been an exile in Spain, arrived in New York City Monday on the Spanish steamship Antonio Lopez from Cadiz. General Huerta was passed by United States immigration officials as a transit alien after he had declared under oath that he would do nothing that would in any way involve the neutrality of the United States.

The abandonment of the proposed Villa attack on Nuevo Laredo was reported from the border, General Hernandez having returned to Piedras Negras with his forces and the remaining Villa troops not being strong enough to attack.

Washington. -- General Villa- telegraphed his agency Sunday that he had sent a communication through foreign consuls to General Obregon incountry north of Celaya to fight or Germany. else permit the noncombatants of that

# LIVE STOCK QUARANTINE **REGULATIONS MODIFIED**

Order Permits Limited Shipments of Cattle Into Texas and Restricted Hog and Mule Traffic.

Austin, Tex.-Proclamation annulling all previous orders relating to foot and mouth disease and promulgating new regulations, effective April 15, was issued Friday by Governor Ferguson.

The modified quarantine permits the shipment of cattle and other live stock into Texas from New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado. Also the shipment of horses, mules, jacks and jennets from Oklahoma into Texas, provided that the feet and lower part of legs and tails are washed with a 3 per cent solution of cresol compound before cars are loaded, and are accompanied by an official health certificate. Cars containing hogs so shipped must be placarded and the way bills accompanying them stamped in boldfaced letters: "Hogs for immediate slaughter." The stock yard companies to which hogs may be consigned will be required to furnish the live stock sanitary commission at Fort Worth with notice of arrival of each shipment, giving name of shipper, point of origin, etc.

The new order lifts the embargo on the shipment of hay, straw and fodder, providing that shipments from all points except New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado, either for commercial or packing purposes, shall have first been disinfected.

## TEXTILE INDUSTRY FACES **A SERIOUS DYE SHORTAGE**

American Manufacturer Claims 270 Mills Will Be Forced to Close Unless Dyes Are Obtained.

Washington .- A gloomy view of the immediate future of the American textile industry was presented at the White House and the state department Wednesday by a committee representing 400 mills, and headed by former Representative Metz of New York. Unless some relaxation of the recent British blockade order in council is obtained and German dyestuffs reach them within six weeks' time, Mr. Metz declared, 270 mills will be forced to close and 260,000 operatives be thrown out of work.

The situation is complicated in the extreme, and while negotiations are in progress with the British government. apparently there is little prospect of framing an agreement that will be viting him to come into the open satisfactory to both Great Britain and

inder a previous agreement with

# Have You a Bad Back?

Does your back ache night and day, making work a burden and rest impossible Do you suffer stabbing, darting pains when stooping or lifting? Most bad backs are due to hidden trouble in the kidneys and if the kidney secretions are scant or too frequent of passage, proof of kidney trou-ble is complete. Delay may pave the way to serious kidney ills. For bad backs and weak kidneys, use Doan's Kidney Pills-recommended the world over.

### A Texas Case

R. E. Smith, car-penter, Queen City, Texas, says: "For years my back and years my back and hips pained me and I suffered f r o m gravel. Sometimes, the kidney secre-tions were almost retarded. Reading about Doan's Kid-ney Pills I used them and the first faw doses relieved few doses relieved me One box cured me and I haven't suffered since." a's at Any Store, 50c a Bo

DOAN'S HIDNEY FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N.Y. PUT IT OVER THE CENSOR

German Prisoner in France Cleverly Contrived to Send Information to Home Folks.

According to the Germans, German prisoners of war in France are not always cared for as luxuriously as they might be if they were French prisoners of war in Germany with no harder task in hand than the cleaning of Berlin's streets. They tell of a certain Hans Schmidt from a town in Saxony who was so unlucky as to be surprised with his companions on outpost duty and carried off to a French prison camp. He fared no better than many of his countrymen in captivity. In fact, he fared very badly. But he couldn't even try to let his friends at home know how things were going for fear of making bad worse. At last, however, he managed to give a hint. To an inquiry from home as to his. welfare he replied:

"It is just as if I were at home in our Forest Home." The French censor could not know

that Forest Home was the name in Schmidt's part of Saxony for the prison devoted to the worst criminals.

### The Protoninary.

"I see the Russians are preparing to sweep everything before them." "Then they must have succeeded in raising the dust."

Lots of people would get a good sendoff if we were only sure they would never come back.

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# PROUD OF THE ABILITY TO LIE AVOID INDIGESTION

Chinese by No Means Ashamed When Accused of an Absence of Truthfulness.

Dr. Frank Garrett, who has been a missionary to China for the last 17 years, says that the first thing you have to do is to get the Chinese viewpoint. Like many of their customs, it seems to us upside down. In the United States if you call a man a liar, you are likely to get into serious trouble. In China, the man would be rather complimented than insulted.

A missionary had established a little church somewhere in the interior, and put a native preacher in charge while he visited some other mission points. When he returned he missed one young man from the congregation. The native preacher said they had put him out of the church.

"Why, what was the matter? What did he do?" asked the missionary.

"He stole a bamboo rod," returned the preacher.

"Why," answered the missionary, "a bamboo rod is worth only about ten cents. Don't you think you were a little severe?"

"No, no," and he shook his head indignantly. "We can't have a thief in the church. The Bible says a thief can't go to heaven, and we couldn't have anyone in the church who couldn't go to heaven. Besides, it would give us a bad name in the com-munity."

"Well," returned the missionary, 'the Bible says a liar can't go to heaven. Are you going to turn the liars out, too?"

"Oh," cried the preacher, "that's different! Entirely different! We all lie."-Youth's Companion.

### Costly Infirmity.

A lady whose son was about to enter a university in one of our great cities was anxious that he should get good rooms in a first-class boarding For that brief instant even the cry of house. Accordingly, she went the rounds with him.

The landlady of one of the houses they visited said, "I will let this excellent room on the second floor at reduced rates because there is a woman next door who plays the plano continually."

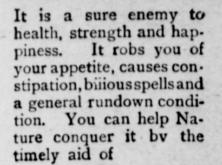
"Oh," said the mother, "that won't trouble my son much-he's quite deaf."

"Ah." said the landlady, "in that case I must charge him the full price." -Youth's Companion.

A paper chimney, 50 feet high and fireproof, is a curlosity to be seen at | onion my superior." Breslau, Germany.

No man can serve two masters unless he has been married twice.

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# **HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters**

It will help you bring back the appetite, aid digestion and promote health in a general way. For over 60 years it has enjoyed public confidence.

### Try It Today. Avoid Substitutes

Lull in the Day's Work.

The instruction in folk dancing which the children now receive in the public schools and recreation centers has done much to develop a wholesome and delightful form of exercise, and has given picturesqueness to the dancing in the streets. But yesterday I found myself pausing on East Houston street to watch a group of children assemble at the sound of a familiar dance from a hurdy-gurdy, and looking up I met the sympathetic smile of a teamster who had also stopped. The children, absorbed in their dance, were quite unconscious that congested traffic had halted and that busy people had taken a moment from their engrossing problems to be refreshed by the sight of their youth and grace. "War extra" was unheeded.—Lillian D. Wald, in the Atlantic.

### Pooh!

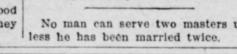
Alice was very enthusiastic regarding the new minister, and young Winston was inclined to be rather jealous

"Oh, he is superbly eloquent," cried Alice. "He can move his hearers to tears."

"Well, that is but a paltry accomplishment, Alice," replied the young man, sarcastically. "I would scorn proficiency in an art in which every sneeze is my equal and every peeled

New novels are scarce. Evidently the best fiction writers are now working on summer resort circulars.

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city to withdraw before he begins the bombardment.

quarters at Irapuato, Sunday, was as The new British order, however, has follows:

"The recent engagements with Al- tions. varo Obregon's column at Celaya resulted disastrously for the enemy, who have suffered enormous losses in killed. I have heard from reliable sources that six trainloads of Carranza men wounded as a consequence of this engagement have left Celaya shipments if the United States would for Queretaro.

ized and my troops in the vicinity of interference with trade between Amer-Celaya and Queretaro inform me that Obregon's men are constantly desert- and noncontraband goods ceased. ing him in groups of from one hundred to two hundred, throwing away cent declaration of the Berlin foreign their arms, which are being gathered office of Germany's willingness to disup by our soldiers.

The enemy have destroyed two kilometers of railroad to the north of Celaya, which shows that they will try to retreat or reorganize their troops, who are in a most critical condition.

Another message relayed from General Villa was as follows:

"We have defeated the enemy. The situation could not be better. The forces of Obregon are leaving Celaya in order to avoid further fighting. The annihilation of the enemy is now certain. Our troops are pursuing the enemy incessantly."

The Carranza agency gave out the following from Manzanillo concerning the situation at Irapuato and vicinity:

"Reports from Michoacan and Jalisco confirm previous news of Villa defeats in the vicinity of Irapuato. General Dieguez and General Sanchez, who were at Lapiedad, in the state of Michoacan, have recently engaged the Villa troops near Irapuato with success."

A message characterizing General Huerta as a murderer and expressing the hope that he might be arrested while in the United States was telegraphed to President Wilson Sunday by Senor Denegri, described by Mexicans as the Carranza consul general at San Francisco. The message charged Huerta with being the murderer of President Madero and other Mexicans.

Germany, ships carrying American cotton to German ports were permit-The message, dated Villa's head- ted to bring back dyestuff cargoes. struck at this traffic in both direc-

When the textile representatives called at the German embassy after their conferences with government officials, the ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, suggested that there would be no further trouble about dyestuffs threaten an embargo on exports of The enemy is completely demoral- war supplies to Great Britain unless ica and Germany in foodstuffs, cotton

> The ambassador reiterated the recontinue the sinking without notice by submarines of British merchantmen if Great Britain would stop molesting noncontraband cargoes consigned to German civilians.

> Millionaire Ranchman Assassinated. Ballinger, Tex .- John Bryson, one of the wealthiest ranchmen of Central West Texas, was shot and instantly killed Saturday night while sleeping in the house of his son, twenty-five miles south of Ballinger.

> Governor Appointed District Judge. Austin, Tex .- Frank Willis of Canadian was Wednesday appointed judge of the thirty-first district court by Governor Ferguson to take the place of Judge P. F. Greever, deceased.

### Fire Burns Railway Bridge.

Beaumont, Tex .-- Fire, supposed to be of incendiary origin, completely destroyed 100 feet of the Texas and New Orleans railroad bridge over Pine Island, at Voth, ten miles from Beaumont, Friday.

To Seek Oil in Seguin Field. Seguin, Tex .- An oil company has been organized for the purpose of testing the oil fields in the country south of Seguin.

#### Struck Oil at Childress.

Childress, Tex.-The Consolidated Oll Company Tuesday brought in what is believed to be a paying oil well.



**Post Toasties** 

These Superior Corn Flakes are not only a delicious breakfast food-they make an appetizing lunch at any hour of the day.

And how the kiddies do enjoy them! After play time-for lunch or supperthe crinkly brown flakes just hit the spot.

Post Toasties are made of choicest selected Indian corn; steam-cooked, daintily seasoned, rolled and toasted to a delicate golden-brown.

Post Toasties reach you all ready to serve-just add cream or milk. Little or no sugar is required as pure sugar is cooked in. Also mighty good with any kind of fruit. Ask Your Grocer.

**Post Toasties**—the Superior Corn Flakes!

# GERMANY'S 2ND SEA **RAIDER IN U. S. PORT**

KRONPRINZ WILHELM FROM THE SOUTH SEAS ANCHORS AT NEWPORT NEWS.

## HAS 14 STEAMSHIP SCALPS

Nine British, Four French and One Norwegian Vessels Sent to Bottom. 960 Prisoners Were Taken. Had Thrilling Experiences.

Newport News, Va .- The German converted cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, another raised of commerce in the southern seas, slipped into port Sunday and asked for fuel and provisions Many times reported destroyed, the former North German Lloyd lines evaded hostile warships for eight mont\_s, while she sent fourteen mer chantmen to the bottom, and her officers said she was forced to steal her way past four French and British cruisers off the Virginia capes in order to reach this refuge.

When she dropped anchor the Kronprinz Wilhelm had less than twentyfive tons of coal and scanty provisions for the crew of 500 men and sixty-one prisoners from British merchant ships sunk in the South Atlantic. Of the fourteen ships that the drab-painted, 15,000-ton cruiser sank, nine were British, four French and one Norwegian. The value of these ships and their cargoes, officers of the Wilhelm estimated at \$7,000,000.

In her raid of the seas since she slipped out of New York harbor Aug. 3 last as a German merchant and passenger steamer, the Kronprinz Wilhelm never touched land and took 960 prisoners from various vessels destroyed.

Most of these were sent to South American ports at different times on German ships which met the raider in response to wireless calls. The sixtyone now on board who will be landed this week are British sailors taken from the steamships Tamar, destroy. ed March 25, and Coleby, destroyed March 27 last.

The second of the raiders brought as thrilling a story as did her predecessor, the Eitel Friedrich. Her record of destruction, however, was accomplished with only four guns, two taken from the German cruiser Karlsruhe and two captured later from the British merchant steamer La Correntina, sunk Oct. 7, 1914.

The most connected story of the long voyage from New York, 255 days health." in all, was told by Lieutenant Alb Warneke, the first officer, who left Adv. New York harbor with the ship.

"We left New York Aug. 3 and put out into the great big ocean," said Lieutenant Warneke. "We were not clares that a two-months' course of a warship then, but three days out, off proper breathing exercise should inthe Bermudas, we met the German cruiser Karlsruhe. We took from her two 3-inch guns, which we mounted on the bow of the ship and took Lieutenant Captain Thierfelder, her navigating officer, to command our ship. We also took seventeen of the Karlsruhe's junior officers and men, took on more coal and provisions and put to sea. We made for the South Atlantic and the first ship we encountered was the British steamer Indian Prince, which we sank Sept. 4, 1914. From that time on we remained on the big ocean, destroying the enemy where we might find her, as follows: British steamer La Correntina, French bark Union, French bark Anne de Britagne, British steamer Bellevue, French steamer\_Mont Agel, British steamer Hemisphere, British steamer Potaro, British steamer Highland Brae, British schooner Wilfred M. Norwegian bark Somantha, French passenger steamer Guadeloupe, British steamer Tamar, British steamer. Coleby and the British steamer Chase Hill.'

A Little Learning-It was before the war began, but even then there was dangerous excitement for the mother and grandmother of Charles Henry as the taxi dashed furiously along the sacred streets of Rome. Faster and faster they went as mother and grandmother tried their Kentucky Italian, Germon and French on the unsusceptible ear of the driver. Every knock on the window but deepened his conviction that his fee would be doubled if he arrived in record time. Nothing seemed left to do but pray, when Charles Henry, whose mind had been working painfully during the last ten minutes, made a remark in some foreign tongue. As by magic the taxi slowed down while peals of laughter from the driver rose above the noises of the street.

"What did you say, son?" "Oh," said Charles Henry, with all the loftiness of a grammar-school senior, "I just said in Latin 'The Virgins fear greatly."-New York Evening Post.

# **CAN'T PRAISE CARDUI ENOUGH**

### This Lady Was Very Nervous, On Account of Serious Womanly Trouble. But Now She Praises Cardui.

Murrycross, Ala .- The following is from Mrs. W. J. Daugherty, this place: "I will write a full statement of my condition before I had taken Cardui. I was very weak. I had not any nerve at all and could not stand any noise,

and had female complaints. At last my doctor told me to try Cardui and I did so, and I can say, it sure has cured me sound and well, and am glad to tell anyone what it did for me, and it will help any suffering

woman. I can't praise Cardul enough. I wish every woman would believe what I say and give Cardui a trial, and they will

find my word to be true. Cardui is all I take in the way of medicine. We always keep it in the house for my benefit.

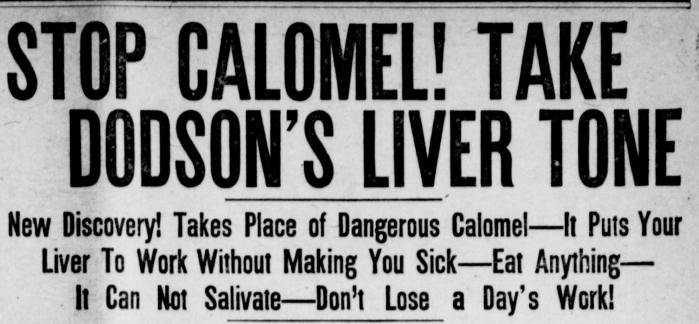
When I was told to try Cardui I did not think I would, but my friends kept on at me until I got one bottle, and it did me so much good that I kept on taking it.

My back has got well, my nerve is all right and my old tired feeling has gone, and I am stout and strong as a woman can be. I am glad to say it was Cardui that I can praise for my

Your druggist sells Cardui. Try it .--

### Room for Medals.

Bacon-A teacher of singing decrease the circumference of the chest wo or three inches.



I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to try a bottle and if it doesn't straighten you up better and quicker than salivating calomel just go back to the store and get your money. I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your thirty feet of bowels of the sour bile and constipation poison which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable.

I guarantee that one spoonful of this harmless liquid liver medicine will relieve the headache, biliousness, coated tongue, ague, malaria, sour stomach or any other distress caused by a torpid liver as quickly as a dose of vile, nauseating calomel, besides it will not make you sick or keep you from a day's work. I want

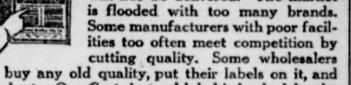
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to see a bottle of this wonderful liver medicine in every home in the South.

Calomel is poison-it's mercury-it attacks the bones often causing rheumatism. Calomel is dangerous. It sickens-while my Dodson's Liver Tone is safe, pleasant and harmless. Eat anything afterwards, because it can not salivate. Give it to the children because it doesn't upset the stomach or shock the liver. Take a spoonful tonight and wake up feeling fine and ready for a full day's work.

Get a bottle! Try it! If it doesn't do exactly what I say, tell your dealer to hand your money back. Every druggist and store keeper in the South knows me and knows of my wonderful discovery of a medicine that takes the place of dangerous calomel.

<ul> <li>WHEN CONFIDENCE IS LOST</li> <li>Man Who Fails to Do What He Says Cannot Expect to Be Held in Any Great Respect.</li> <li>I have long received with amiabil- ity, I hope, the professions of all sorts and conditions of men. But after I have heard their professions, I wait patiently to see their performance. If a man wishes me to consider him to be loyal, for example, I must really trouble him to show his quality when put to the test; and if he cannot do so I may not say anything the next time he comes around and professes his loyalty, but I will do a lot of think- ing. I wonder within my own head if</li> </ul>	How She Sent Him. "A man dropped in here today to sell you an aeroplane," said the blonde typewriter. "What did you tell him?" inquired the employer. "I sent him flying." YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red. Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids: 'No Smarting- just Eye comfort. Write for Book of the Eye by mail Free. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago. As Usual. She—I'm sorry I ever consented to marry you. He—You didn't. I consented. Made since 1846—Hanford's Balsam Adv. Phonograph records imported into	The Son of a Gun. "It's an ill wind that blows—" "Shut up!" "It's a long lane that has no—" "Cut it out!" "You can lead a horse to water, but—" "Cheese it!" "What are you, for goodness sake?" "Tm a Maxim silencer."—Judge. The unsuccessful issue of a man's wooing often can be traced to the fact that the girl's parents approved of him. Wanted-Agents to sell merited article to pendence to acceptable parties. Emancial inde- pendence to acceptable parties. Lassice, Bostpeller, U. "EARLIANA" tomato plants 2 months old, baar ripe tomatoes in May; 100, 50c prepaid, Daily, Evergreen Plant Co., Evergreen, Ala.
if he really thinks that I am as inno- cent as I look. That is the rigid and stern standard to which we hold each other, whether we realize it or not. You know the slang expression, "He	Russia are subjected to government censorship.	W. N. U., HOUSTON, NO. 16-1915.
is a bad actor." You are not speaking of the stage. You mean he does not do what he says; and the minute you find he does not do what he says, then it is all up so far as your trustfulness and admiration and willing dealings with him are concerned.—Woodrow Wilson. Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for	Every ance, qualit will m is floo	or -teed Roofing buyer needs the proper assur- when he pays for the best y, that a second or third quality to be delivered. The market oded with too many brands.



say it is the best. Our Certain-teed label is backed by the written guarantee of the world's largest manufacturer of asphalt roofings. It gives each buyer the assurance wanted. and our unequalled facilities for manufacturing enable us to sell it at a very reasonable price.

Explosion Causes \$750,000 Loss. Kansas City, Mo .- An explosion, believed by the police to have been caused by a bomb, wrecked the sevenstory cooling building of the Cudahy Packing Company's plant Sunday, causing a loss estimated at \$750,000. Two men working in the building at the time were injured.

Route Selected for Alaska Railway.

Washington-The Seward-Fairbanks route has been selected for the government railway in Alaska, Secretary Lane announced Saturday. The property of the Alaska Northern Railway Company from Seward over the first stage of the journey has been purchased for \$1,150,000.

#### More Texas Postmasters Named.

Washington .- The following Texas fourth class postmasters have been appointed: Twitty, Wheeler county, Asa L. Twitty; Portland, San Patricio county, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Danforth; Lyra, Palo Pinto county, Mrs. Nellie O. Whitaker; Paradice, Wise county, James C. Frost.

Egbert-Some of those foreign army officers ought to take that treatment so they'll have room to hang some more medals.

### YES, RESINOL CLEARED AWAY EVERY PIMPLE!

At least once a day-usually twice-I bathed my face for several minutes with plenty of resinol soap and hot water and applied a little resinol ointment very gently. I let this stay on for ten minutes or so, and then washed it off with resinol soap and more hot water, finishing with a dash of cold water to close the pores. I was astonished how quickly the healing resinol medication soothed and cleansed the pores, removed pimples and blackheads, and left my complexion clear and velvety. Physicians have used resinol oint-

ment and resinol soap for 20 years in the treatment of itching, burning, skin eruptions. At all druggists'.--Adv.

### No Change There. Bacon-I see nearly one thousand varieties of rice have been identified in the Philippines by government scientists. Egbert-And yet if a woman is mar-

ried four or five times she always gets the same variety of rice.

### Hicks' CAPUDINE

CURES HEADACHES AND COLDS Easy To Take-Quick Relief .- Adv.

Par value in 1913 of capitalization of railroads in United States was \$19,-796,125,712.

Compliments are the red fire that lights up life's dingy scenery.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

infants and children, and see that it

Signature of Chart Mutcher! In Use For Over 30 Years.

Applied to the Right Man. An amusing incident occurred before the troopships containing the New Zealand expeditionary force left the dominion. One sportive soldier handed a visitor a ship's biscuit, duly addressed and marked "On active service," and asked if he thought he could get it through the post office. The visitor took the biscuit and smilingly remarked that if anyone could get it through he thought he could. It happened to be the New Zealand postmaster general.

### Kill the Flies Now and Prevent

disease. A DAISY FLY KILLER will do it. Kills thousands. Lasts all season. All dealers or six sent express paid for \$1. H. SOMERS, or six sent express paid for \$1. H. SOMER 150 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Adv.

### Raising the Limit.

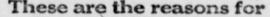
Somebody is leaving the government \$3,500 for the conscience fund. This is raising the limit. Heretofore a dollar is about the hardest blow anybody's conscience has received.

For inflamed sore eyes apply Hanford's Balsam lightly to the closed fids. It should relieve in five minutes. Adv.

The Limit of Hatred. Hewitt-You don't like him? Jewett-No-I hate him as if I owed him a bill.

For weak joints apply Hanford's Balsam thoroughly and well rubbed in. Adv.

A man earns his right to heaven by leading a righteous life. A woman earns hers by living with her husband.





We invite every one interested to come to our mills and see how we make the goods. We know that our Certain-teed Roofing is the best quality that we can make. It's the best quality that can be made to last and remain waterproof on the roof. It is made with that one purpose in view. We also make cheap grade, poor quality roofings to meet the demand for very temporary roofs, but the <u>Certain-teed</u> label goes only on our best quality, longest life product. It is the grade which carries our Company name and endorsement and guarantee-1-ply 5 years, 2-ply 10 years, 3-ply 15 years.

If you want the right quality and want to be sure you are getting what you pay for, insist on the <u>Certain-teed</u> label. The price is reasonable. No one can tell the quality of a piece of roofing by looking at it. The man is not living who can take three kinds of roofing of differ-ent qualities and tell with any degree of accuracy the length of time each one will last on the roof. He cannot tell their relative values by looking at them. Why take the chance of guessing, when you can get the safest guar-antee on the best quality goods at a reason-able price.

le price.

If for any reason you do not care for the high It for any reason you do not care for the high-est quality—if you want a temporary roof, we also make goods sold at the lowest price on the market, because we have unequalled fa-clifties, and are making approximately a third of the entire asphalt roofing and building papers of the whole world's supply. Our facilities enable us to beat all competition on price goods as well as on <u>Certain-teed</u> quality. The difference between the total cost of the goods, the freight, the laying, etc., between quality goods and price goods is insignificant. It is much better policy to cut out the guessing and let the manufacturer of real responsibility insure you on all the vital points. He knows what he puts into the goods and what they will do-you can then insist upon getting everything as represented. everything as represented.

### General Roofing Mfg. Co. World's largest manufacturer and Building Paper

New York City Boston Chicago Pittsburgh Philadelphia Atlanta Cleveland Detroit St. Louis Cincinnati Kausas City Minnespolis San Francisco Seattle London Hamburg Sydney

Less Politics-More Prosperity

Less Politics-More Prosperity We have had enough starvation business-enough of political "cursalis" of every party, with their smashing and busting-enough of politicians who promise economy and honcety in order to get into office and then practice un-heard of extravagances and then play for votes or party rather than for principle and right, etc. The cost of living is not going down. Let's go after good timegand make enough money to pay for the cost of a living, whatever it may be. We don't want choop living - we want good business and good times for everybody and if we all pull together we will get them.

and good times for everybody and if we all pull together we will get them. The game of the politician is to promise every-thing. Many of them ought to be prosecuted for fraudo a account of the difference between what they premise and what they deliver. They're worse than the business man who over-advertises the quality of his goods. Let the bus-iness interests, from the laborer to the superin-tendent, from the office boy to the president, from the hird man on the farm to theovers of the farm, remember that they have a common interest in good business and a square deal in business. Stop listening to the fakers and let's boost ourselvee back into good times, it can be done. No more knockers and faise prophets are wanted. We are going to be too busy to listen to any ercept those who promise "good busi-ness" legislation.

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### THE GRAPELAND MESSENGER LOCAL ITEMS FROM CROCKETT

#### Editor and Owner A. H. LUKER. - -

Entered in the Postoffice at Grapeland, Texas wery Thursday as Second Class Mail Matter

SUBSCRIPTION - IN ADVANCE 1 YEAR ..... \$1.00 6 MONTHS .... .50 .25 3 MONTHS ....

THURSDAY, APR. 15, 1915

## **NEW SAN PEDRO** LITERARY NOTES

Notwithstanding the inclement weather, our society had its regular meeting on the night of the 10th inst. A considerable crowd 26th, and the boxes heard from was present, and a successful showed the following vote for program rendered. The debate trustee at large: J. H. Rosser was, Resolved, That Nation wide 419; Nat Patton 128. Prohibition is more Conducive to the Public Welfare than Statewide Prohibition. Decision was favorable to the affirmative.

day in the office of Judge John Spence, County Judge E. Win-On the night of the 3rd inst. our society was to have met the free performing the ceremony. Antioch society in joint debate at Antioch. On account of circumstances, our president, Geo. Louis Payne, was the only most entirely to criminal busispeaker able to go. There were ness and several cases were disto have been three speakers on posed of. They were: each side. The Antioch society put forward their Mr. J. D. Saltwo years; Jim Warfield, cattle las to meet our speaker. The las to meet our speaker. The question was, Resolved, That cattle theft, not guilty; Wm. Randal, cattle theft, four years, sentence Texas should be divided into two suspended; Oliver Calhoun, bootor more states. Our president legging, one year; Tut Elam, represented the affirmative in a theft, dismissed, defendant a 32 minutes opening speech and minor; Paschal Manson, assault a ten minute rejoinder. Mr. to murder, dismissed; Sol Hop-Sallas on the negative, spoke one kins, hog theft, two years; Robhour. Decision of judges was in ert Andy, rape, two years; H. favor of affirmative. Geo. Louis M. Gary, assault to murder. By reports that he was treated royagreement of counsel retired ally and shown a remarkably from docket, to be tried should good time by the Antioch folks. the defendant return to Houston He was a guest at a birthday County. This case is the one and Easter dinner at Mr. J. T. wherein Gary is accused by in-Knox's on Sunday, the next day. dictment of shooting ex-district The next meeting of our society clerk, J. B. Stanton in front of will be on the 24th inst. This Crockett State Bank several will be our anniversary celebramonths ago. Gary, at the time tion. Space will not permit us of the trouble, was placed under to go fully into detail as to our a peace bond, being shortly afprogram. Our debate will be a terwards indicted by the grand joint affair with Antioch, the question chosen by the latter be-ing, Resolved, That Woman Ought not to Vote. Affirmative J. D. Sallas, V. H. Porter and J. W. Bray. Negative, Tom Whitaker, Jr., Preston Driskell granted during the week, two night before the fourth Sunday and Monroe Anderson. The white and one colored; Mrs. Fan- in this month. Afterwards we Ephesus Literary Society will nie Castchouldt vs Marion Cast- will meet once every month. be our guests on this occasion, chouldt; Chas. Glenn vs Mary Then some of the patrons made bringing with them a program J. Glenn and Jennie Holly vs talks which were appreciated of their own. There will also be Sampson Holly a dialogue or two by the Belott Literary Society. The Grounds-Walnut High School will also be our guest, and will lend us their program. Our society will have as large a program of its own as in connection with the outside assistance, we will have time to render.

## THE SCHOOL NEWS

Arwine Skidmore, Editor

The long expected spring has come at last, which everyone is

April 12.-Mrs. J. J. Bishop, glad to see. wife of District Attorney Bishop, who has been here for several

George Kent of Reynard were

here the first of the week attend-

The commissioners court can-

Mr. Nute Mullenax and Mrs.

Fannie Castchouldt, both of La-

texo, were married here Satur-

CRIMINAL COURT

The past week was devoted al

Henry Murchison, burglary,

week on official business.

ing court.

The girls have disbanded days with her husband, has rebasket ball on account of hot turned to her home at Athens. weather. They have organized a ball team and are playing on Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kennethe basket ball court. This dy of Grapeland were Crockett shows that they are determined visitors the first of the week. not to lose any time in their ath-Messrs. Frank Taylor and letics.

> Lucile Hill was absent four days last week.

Clinton Parker and Mamie Constable Spoon English of Ratcliff was here the first of the Kennedy were absent a part of Monday.

Winnie Davis has quit school.

vassed the election return of the Some of the Grapeland boys played base ball against the Palestine boys Saturday afternoon, and the score was 26 to 6 in favor of Grapeland.

> Our Library is still growing, as our book case will not hold all of the books. Plans are being made for another book-case, to be made by the school boys.

Melba Brock was absent Monday, also Sam Hague.

Miss Kennedy's room will have charge of chapel exercises this week and we expect a good program.

The school is planning to beautify the campus by cleaning up around the building and trimming up the trees.

The teachers report that the basket ball game between Lovelady and Latexo resulted in a score of 11 to 1 in favor of Latexo.

## **PEBBLES FROM ROCK HILL**

April 10.-The time has come and we have gone to planting our cotton. We have a wet ground and it will come up easily.

Our school closed last Friday, and a few of the parents visited the school. Friday night we had a concert, which was very interesting. After the program was carried out we re-organized our Only three divorces were society and will meet Saturday very much, and last of all came the talks of our teachers. We realize the strength and warmth of the hearts from which those beautiful words came. Mr. H. V. Standley and Mr. P. W. Morrison are men of ability and men who have been a help to the upbuilding of our community and



SERVICE possible. It matters not how small or how large your bill is our SERVICE insures you of the same courteous treatment, prompt attention, highest quality and most reasonable prices.

Now IS THE TIME to think of what to wear for summer. Our complete stock of up-to-date merchandise in all departments makes it easy for you to buy your entire bill here with a big saving of time and money, and with the insurance of having the season's latest styles and fabrics. This store is the store for the men, women and children of Grapeland and surrounding country. We sell everything you eat and wear. And remember you get



We will have an address, "The European War and its effects on the future of our country" by attorney J. E. Winfree of Crockett. An address, (the subject to be chosen) by Hon. J. W. Madden Fate Maples, white, charged of Crockett. Then Hon. Nat with hog theft; Fred Whiting, Patton of Kennard will deliver | white, charged with horse theft; an address.

Wur program may differ somewhat from this; but at this writ- colored, charged with hog theft. ing this is as fully as we can All of these parties were indictdescribe it. Mr. Chas. R. Streetman is also on the program with his singing class.

will meet on the evening of the lodged in jail Friday, charged 24th at 6 o'clock. The hour may be changed, but it is certain not from packages in depot awaiting to be any later, but is likely to be delivery to consignee. His wife earlier.

A special invitation is extended to the Editor and Mrs. Luker, gro's house revealed several pairs on our honor roll last week. also the whole office force. A of shoes and other articles of They were left off by oversight. special invitation is extended to merchandise. The negro by all the Grapeland people, and in virtue of his position, had access fact, to everybody.

At our last meeting the Belott times during the day. Society rendered valuable assistance, for which we are appreciative. Mr. Jim Monk and family and Mrs. Cal Beeson and children of Crockett were among the guests of our society at this SECRETARY. meeting.

If you do not know about cows affirmation or denial of the recome and hear Temperance port could be obtained. Whitestone's essay on cows at the Deestrick Skule Friday night. study.

### COURT NOTES

DIVORCE DOCKET

Deputy Sheriff Will Musick has returned from Groesbeck, having in charge one John Davis, a white man, charged by indictment with arson. The offense is alleged to have been committed in this county about the first of the year.

Spence has arrested and placed these men as men who will, under bond the following parties: Abe Bryant, colored, violating

local option law; Bill Doddles. ed by the recent grand jury.

Fred Johnson, the negro por-So far as we know now, we ter at the I. & G. N. depot was Singing Society met at Antrim with theft of some property was also placed in jail, but released later. Search of the ne- Grapeland should have appeared

to freight department at all

A rumor was current here this week that the defense in the

charged by indictment with kill- Woodell, Merryville, La.; J. H. ing Marshall English, would file Powell, Augusta; S. M. Brima motion asking that the case be transferred to someother county. Upon investigation, neither an W. Cain, Manilla, P. I.

eggs.

school. We know we have parted with men who have toiled and without a doubt, give satisfaction to any school. They have stay. ed on Saturdays and evenings after school and taught those who were interested.

There was preaching at Rock Hill Saturday night and Sunday morning by Rev. Clifton of Salmon. We all enjoyed it and invite him back.

The Rock Hill and Antrim and made some good music.

LITTLE JOE.

The names of W. D. Dickey of Percilla and Dick Calhoun of The roll this week is as follows: Will Lively, M. J. Baker, J. B. Clark, and Buck Turner and Chas. Denby, (col.), Grapeland; T. M. Sheffield, Spurger; Miss case of State vs Dick Wilburn, Frankie Gregg, Weches; A. M. berry, Lewis Springs, Ariz.; A.

S-u-i-c-i-d-e spells Suicide alright, but that is not the way We pay more for chickens and Wick Traylor spells it in the McLean & Riall. adv spelling match Friday night adv

Mrs. H. G. Cleveland, Arnold, Pa, writes, "For some time I suffered from stomach trouble. would have sour stomach and feel bloated after eating. Nothtaking two bottles of them I was cured." For sale by all dealers. adv.

The remains of Mrs. Lon New-Since the recent adjournment exerted every effort to do our some, who died at the home of posed toward the manufacturers of grand jury, Sheriff Bob children justice. We recommend her sister, Mrs. Hughes, in Ok- of that preparation. I know of Newsome cemetery, several miles by all dealers. north-east of Grapeland for interment. The remains were accompanied here by George Hughes.

When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chambing benefitted me until I got erlain's Cough Remedy unsur-Chamberlain's Tablets. After passed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elida, Ohio, says: "Ever since my daughter Ruth was cured of a severe cold and cough by Cham. berlain's. Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt kindly dislaboma, were shipped here last nothing so quick to relieve a Thursday and carried out to the cough or cure a cold." For sale adv

> If you have an old hat have it reblocked, new bands put on and make it new. The cost is a trifle. Bring it to Clewis. adv

# Man

Comes into this world without his consent and leaves against his will. During his stay on earth his time is spent in one continual round of contrarieties and misuncerstandings by his fellow beings. In his infancy he is an angel; in his boyhood he is a devil; in his manhood he is everything from a lizard up; in his duties he is a fool; if he raises a tamily he is a chump; if he raises a small check he is a thief and then the law raises H--- with him; if he is a poor man he is a bad manager and unfortunate; if he is rich he is considered dishonest, but smart; if he is in politics you can't place him as an undesirable-citizen; if he goes to church he is a hypocrite; if he stays away from church he is a sinner and doomed; if he donates to foreign missions he does it for show, if he doesn't he is stingy and a tightwad. When he first comes into the world everybody wants to kiss him; before he goes out they want to kick him. I want to order your next suit of clothes and clean and press your old one.

M. L. CLEWIS, The Tailor



and biscuits, too. All as light, fluffy, tender and delicious as mother used to bake. And just as whole-some. For purer Baking Pow-der than Calumet cannot be had at any price. Ask your grocer.

Read the cast of characters in the "Deestrick Skule" in this issue and you will be sure to attend. adv.

LOCAL NEWS

Earle P. Adams of Crockett

White Crest flour in a class of

Mr. W. C. Vickers left Tues-

day for a month's visit to his old

Good sound No. 2 corn \$1.00

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Monroe

Spanish peanuts for seed.

S. N. Boykin came in Satur-

White Crest flour, the best by test, for sale by the adv. Cash Grocery Co.

Miss Nettie Owens of Elkhart

Why should you buy an in-

ferior grade of flour when you

can get the best-White Crest at

owner of an automobile, driving

in last Friday afternoon in a 5-

White Crest. For sale by the

Mrs. L. H. DeBolt of Tyler

Hats cleaned and re-blocked,

Dr. and Mrs. Elliott and daugh-

Misses Hattie and Zollie

Pedro to spend Sunday with

ter, Miss Clairette, of Crockett,

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kennedy.

M. L. Clewis.

made to look new. New bands

put on inside and outside.

visited relatives here the first of

the week, returning home Wed-

Cash Grocery Co.

is spending the week with Miss

McLean & Riall.

California black-eyed peas at the Cash Grocery Co.

Weisinger, of Route 1, Tuesday

adv.

adv.

per bushel at the Cash Grocery

its own at the Cash Grocery Co.

was here Monday.

home in Georgia.

morning, a girl baby.

with his family.

Lura Mae Owens.

passenger Ford.

adv.

nesday.

adv.

their parents.

The Cash Grocery Co.

adv.

gives better satisfaction.

adv.

White Crest Flour, made from pure soft wheat, milled by a special process, handled by The Cash Grocery Co. adv

Misses Blanche Kennedy, Louise Denny, Addie Hill and Mrs. B. H. Logan attended the local teachers' institute at Latexo Saturday.

Purify the blood and put the system in order for summer work by using at this time a short course of Prickly Ash Bitters; it is the greatest blood purifier on earth. Sold by D. N. Leaverton. adv

Mrs. J. N. Sory and her daughter, Mrs. Sam Moore, and Mrs. J. H. Benton and her granddaughter, Miss Velma Merday night and spent Sunday rit, of Palestine, were visitors to Grapeland Saturday. Mrs. Sory, who had been visiting Mrs. Blue Ribbon Flour costs more, Moore at Palestine, left Saturday night for her home in Livings ton.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Grapeland Independent School District at Grapeland on the first Saturday in May, 1915, the same being the first day. of said month, for the purpose of electing three trustees to succeed J. J. Brooks, Jas. Owens and E. W. Davis, whose terms of Dr. G. H. Black is now the office expire on said date.

This election shall be held in conformity with the law governing other elections.

J. E. Hollingsworth is hereby If you are using less flour use appointed manager of said electhe best. Let the next sack be tion. J. J. BROOKS,

President Board of Trustees, Grapeland Independent School District.

Grapeland, Texas, April 6, 1915. (Advertisement)

Not Paint

The worst mistake in painting is not putting off. That costs about 10 per cent; you keep your money a year and pay 10 per cent for it.

Paint would have to come down 25 per cent to make 10 per spent Sunday afternoon with cent on the job, for wages do not go-down.

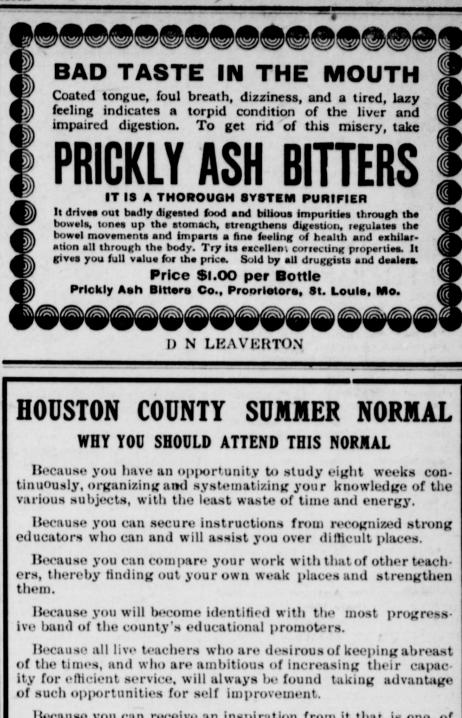
The worst mistake is cheap paint. It costs from 50 per Kleckley of Crockett came up cent to 100 first cost, and another Saturday and went out to San in wear.

What a liar "cheap" is! "Putoff" is bad enough; "cheap" is ten times worse. DEVOE

FEED MAIZE HEADS

I have just received a car load

adv.

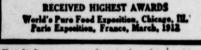


Because you can receive an inspiration from it that is one of the very best qualifications any teacher can take into the school room.

AT GRAPELAND, BEGINNING JUNE 7th CLOSING JULY 29th



I will pay 18c per dozen for eggs and 40c to 45c for chickens in trade this week. YOU CAN'T BEAT THIS



n you buy cheap or big misled. Buy Calumet.

Do you appreciate good biscuit? If so get a sack of White Crest flour. A good biscuit as-sured then. For sale by the Cash Grocery Co. adv.

Indigestion is the direct cause

Little 5-year old Penelope persons annually. Stop the will not last very long. Hornwell, alias Mrs. J. P. Roya 1 trouble at the start with a little adv. J. W. Howard. doesn't know what her cogno- Prickly Ash Bitters; it strengthmen is, but she gets there just ens the stomach and aids digesthe same. "Deestrick Skule" tion. Sold by D. N. Leaverton. Friday night. adv. adv.

Drugs!

And Some Other Things

Come here for your patent medicines.

Come here with your prescriptions.

Come here for your school supplies.

It will be a profitable "come" for you.

Come here for many other things.

**D.** N. Leaverton

**Prescription Druggist** 

Come here for your toilet articles.

Come here for your stationery.

Come here for your sundries.

Just come here anyway.

Come here for your drugs.

of maize heads. It is the best and cheapest feed you can buy. of disease that kills thousands of See me at once as this supply

**RAYMOND NEEL GETS CUT** 

In an altercation with Lewis Murdock last Saturday evening son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neel, who live a few miles east of town, was severely cut in the neck. The quarrel started over the game and the fight followed. One of the leaders of Neel's neck was badly cut and the gash required several stitches.

Prof. J. L. Jackson attended the meeting of the executive committee of the normal, which was held Saturday afternoon at was in session. The advertising campaign was mapped out and the first ad of the normal appears in this issue. "We feel sure the normal is going to be a success and the attendance will faculty and make the normal a good advertisement for our community.

Messrs. Geo. E. Darsey, R. B. Edens, J. R. Richards, C. R. Taylor, Wick Traylor and severour city look alright in their reg- weeks here, returning to the Is-

PRICE! Bring your chickens and eggs to me. J. J. BROOKS EAST SIDE RAILROAD John Spence Lawyer at the ball park, Raymond Neel, Crockett, : : : : Texas Office Upstairs over Monzingo Millinery Store Our "Jitney" Offer .- This and 5c" Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co, Chicago, Ill, writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey-and Tar Com-Latexo, where the local institute pound for coughs, cold and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold by D. N. Leaverton. adv. Prof. A. W. Cain arrived in

Grapeland Monday night from be large. It is up to Grapeland Ft. Worth, where he and Mrs. people to co-operate with the Cain have been visiting relatives. Mrs. Cain will arrive later. Mr. and Mrs. Cain arrived in the United States from the Phillipine Islands in January and have been in Georgia several al other prominent citizens of weeks. They will spend several ular attire, but when they ap lands in May. They left Grape. 'Deestrick Skule'' Friday night. again, and the only regret is available this year. See me at they have not come to stay. once. J. W. HOWARD, adv.



I have a small amount of ferpear Friday night in short land eight years ago and this is tilizer on hand and those desir-trousers and hickory shirts,— their first visit. Their many ing any had better get it at once, well if you want to know see the friends are delighted to see them as there will be a small amount

## PORT ARTHUR MAN **FINDS GOOD HEALTH**

Sufferer Is Restored and Makes Remarkable Gain In Weight on Few Doses.

J. F. Stoneburner of Port Arthur, Texas, suffered from stomach ailments for a long time. He fell off in weight and took treatment without apparent benefit. He tried physician after physician until he almost lost hope.

He at last took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, then wrote:

"I have taken all of your wonderful stomach remedy and got good results from it. I have gained in weight since starting on your remedy-twenty-one pounds so far. I was under the care of five doctors for about six months before I got your medicine. I am entirely well now."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee-if not satisfactory money will be returned .- Adv.

### "Hot" Newspapers.

Sensational French newspapers, especially in these times of war, contain plenty of "hot stuff" in the way of reading matter. They are also providing heat in another way and one that is probably more useful.

French soldiers shivering in the trenches have found that they can keep themselves warm by padding their uniforms with old newspapers. Large quantities of newspapers find their way to the front, and these. when read, are used as coat linings.

The value of paper as a heat retainer has been recognized in other armies. Japanese soldiers, for example, are provided with paper shirts, which are not only cheaper than wool or cotton. but in some respects are quite as satisfactory.

### CUTICURA SOAP BATHS

### Followed by a Little Ointment for Baby's Tender Skin. Trial Free.

They afford infants and children great comfort, permit rest and sleep and point to speedy healment of eczemas, rashes, itchings, chafings and other sleep destroying skin troubles. Nothing better at any price for the nursery and toilet.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcará, Cuticura, Dept. XY, Boston. Sold everywhere .- Adv.

### Innocent.

Robert, at the end of the college year, was taking up with his father the debatable matter of obligations incurred with tradesmen in the pursuit of knowledge. It had been a rather stormy session, but the storm had subsided and the father returned to his book of poetry. Presently he was



## WAREHOUSE CORPORATION **BILL VETOED BY GOVERNOR**

State Has Already Assumed Control and Supervision, He Says, in Giving Reason for Rejection.

Austin, Tex .- House bill 575, providing that warehouse corporations shall be subject to the general incorporation laws of the state, but not the statute relating to and governing warehouses especially, was vetoed Tuesday by Governor Ferguson.

"The state already having assumed control and supervision of warehouses," said the governor in giving his reasons for the veto. "I do not think any concern doing this character of business should be exempted from the general law covering the same subject. 'Equal rights to all and special privileges to none' seems to be very pertinent to the consideration of this law. The bill is therefore disapproved."

The governor approved senate bill 274, authorizing mutual assessment accident insurance companies to place admission fees of not exceeding \$3 each in the expense fund, and providing that such admission fee may also apply as a credit on the initial premium. The bill also authorizes corcorporations organized under this law to engage in the business on the assessment plan of insuring against disability resulting from sickness or disease and to pay a funeral benefit of not exceeding \$100 on account of death of a member resulting from sickness or disease. The bill is now in effect.

United Mine Worker Paroled

Norfolk, Va .- The German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich was interned Friday at the Norfolk navy yard, where she will remain until the

**CLOSE OF EUROPEAN WAR** 

EITEL IS INTERNED UNTIL

THE MESSENGER, GRAPELAND, TEXAS

end of the European war. After the cruiser reached the navy yard Commander Thierichens went to the office of Rear Admiral Beatty, the commandant, and signed an agreement not to violate the neutrality laws of the United States. He and the officers and crew of the German cruiser will be extended the liberty of Norfolk and vicinity. They will live aboard their vessel.

Commander Thierichens notified the Washington government through Collector of Customs Hamilton Wednesday of his decision to intern rather than "deliver crew and ship to fruitless and certain destruction" by British and French warships waiting off the Virginia capes.

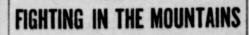
The German captain delivered his announcement in writing when Collector Hamilton boarded the Eitel Friedrich with an imperative notice from the Washington government that the time for his stay in port would expire at midnight and that he must leave American waters by 4 o'clock Thursday morning. Before the customs collector could deliver the message Commander Thierichens banded to him the written announcement of his decision. The letter follows:

### Thierichens' Letter.

"I inform you I intend to intern H. M. S. Prinz Eitel Friedrich. The relief I expected to appear did not arrive in time, so the number and force of the enemy cruisers watching the entrance of the bay makes to me impossible the dash for the open sea with any hope of success. I have decided not to deliver crew and ship to fruitless and certain destruction. Being obliged for the courtesy shown by all United States authorities I am expecting your orders. I have sent the same information to Rear Admiral Helm, U. S. S. Alabama. Respect-Thierichens." fully,

# **GERMANS ATTACK** FRENCH POSITION

LES EPARGES, RECENTLY TAKEN BY FRENCH, IS NOW SCENE OF HARD FIGHTING.



Kron Prinz Wilhelm, Another Sea Raider, Comes Into Newport News. Belgian Relief Ship Sunk. Activity in Dardanelles.

### Latest War News From Front.

Les Eparges, occupied on April 9 by the French after a series of desperate engagements costing countless lives, has again come under the fire of the German guns. It was around this point that the Germans, according to a French official report, lost 30,000 men in two months' fighting. It is here that General Joffre, the French commander, is bringing his strength to bear on the German wedge to force it out of the allies' side, so that the allied line that stretches in front of the great German fortress of Metz may if possible be straightened.

The efforts of the French to advance in the Woevre district are meeting with characteristic resistance and the Germans are delivering fierce counter-attacks at various points, not only in that territory, but to the north, in the neighborhood of Albert, around which many engagements have been fought during the war.

Berlin reports the capture of three villages on the Yser canal and the failure of French attacks in the Argonne. But the French claim to have captured a section of a German trench in that region. The French admit the loss of some trenches, previously captured from the Germans, in the Montmar wood.

The British steamer Wayfarer, a 6,000-ton vessel, which had been in the Liverpool-Galveston trade for ten years, and had recently been requisitioned by the British government, is being towed into Queenstown with a great rent in her side caused by a German torpedo or a mine. One hundred and twenty men from the Wayfarer have been landed at Falmouth.

Details of the latest operations in the Carpathians are lacking, the Russian official reports being largely confined to the defeat two days previous of the Austrians, in which the Russians captured a battalion, and the occupation of several heights near Uzsok pass, in which they captured more than a thousand men.

The German auxiliary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, following the example of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, has slipped into Newport News with the record of having sunk fourteen vessels since last August.

The sinking of the British steamer

# WOMAN WOULD NOT GIVE UP

Though Sick and Suffering: At Last Found Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Richmond, Pa. - "When I started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable



Compound I was in a dreadfully rundown state of health. had internal troubles, and was so extremely nervous and prostrated that if I had given in to my feelings I would have been in bed. As it was I had hardly strength at times to be on my

feet and what I did do was by a great effort. I could not sleep at night and of course felt very bad in the morning, and had a steady headache.

"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." - Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

### Women Have Been Telling Women

for forty years how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored their health when suffering with female ills. This accounts for the enormous demand for it from coast to coast. If you are troubled with any ailment peculiar to women why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? It will pay you to do so. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.



For Young and Old

The acute agonizing pain of theumatism is soothed at once by Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub-it penetrates to the sore spot, bringing a comfort not dreamed of until tried. Get a bottle today.

RHEUMATISM

test Robert's education minded "What do you know of the 'Ode on

a Grecian Urn'?" he asked. Robert felt himself to be injured unjustly.

assure you that a mistake has been made. I didn't buy a single Grecian and fined \$1,000 on a charge of conurn while I was in college."

#### It Takes the Fire Out.

scald quickly use Hanford's Baisam of of failing health. Myrrh. Apply it lightly at once and the inflamed skin should be quickly cooled. Be prepared for accidents by always having a bottle on hand. Adv.

### Not to Be Desired.

"How artificial we have grown since the good old days."

"Maybe," replied Mr. Growcher. "But no argument is going to get me longing very seriously for the good contains five different varieties, makold days when the women used to come down to breakfast with their hair in curl papers."

DON'T VISIT THE CALIFORNIA EX-Ease, the aniheptic powder to be shaken into the Shoes, or dissolved in the foot-bath. The Standard Remedy for the feet for 25 means. Shoes or dissolved in the foot-bath. The Standard Remedy for the feet for 25 years. It gives instant evief to tired, aching feet and prevents swellen, not feet. One lady writes: "I enjoyed every minute of my stay at the Expositions, thanks to Allen Foot-Ease in my shoes. Get it TODAY. Adv.

#### That's All.

"You naughty boy! Aren't you ashamed to be caught telling a lie?" "Yes'm! I'm ashamed to be caught."

### -Take CAPUDINE-

For HEADACHES and GRIPP. It's Liquid=Prompt and Pleasant .-- Adv.

### Philosophical.

"He's so philosophical." "Yes. He talks like a man who has never had a trouble in the world."

For bruises use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Too bad that the blooming idiot is so seldom nipped in the bud.

Don't be stuck up. If you can't climb over crawl under.

Fort Smith, Ark .- Fred W. Holt, former secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas district and later "Father," he answered earnestly, "I candidate for governor of Oklahoma, who was sent to jail for six months spiracy against the government in connection with the Prairie Creek Coal Mine difficulties, was given a parole To take the fire out of a burn or by Federal Judge Youmans because

### Uncle Sam Distributes Seed.

Washington - Hundreds of thousands of packages of seeds, provided and distributed at Uncle Sam's expense, are being poured into the mails from the capitol Each senator and representative is shipping 28,000 packets of seed, mostly vegetable, to constituents in his state. Each- packet ing a total of close to 75,000,000 packages.

### Louisiana Oil Well Brought In.

Shreveport, La .- Harry J. Parker, on the Palmer tract, Red River parish, Saturday brought in well No. 4, making on partial day's gauge at the rate of 3,325 barrels initial maximum production the first twenty-four hours.

### Honor Ellen Wilson's Memory.

Atlanta, Ga,-Twenty-one Atlanta women Saturday were granted a charter in the superior court here for the formation of the "Ellen Wilson Memorial," in honor of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

### Oll Mill Fire Cost \$50,000.

Rogers, Tex .- The farmers' cotton oil mill was destroyed by fire Saturday night, the entire mill property being consumed. The loss is estimated to be about \$50,000.

Taylor Now Has Eighth Gusher. Taylor, Tex .- Another oil well, No. 3, on the Fritz Fuchs hilltop, was brought in Wednesday, gushing high

above the derrick. Its capacity is estimated at 3,000 barrels daily.

### Letter Delivered to Thierichens.

"April 7, Commander H. M. S. Prinz Eitel Friedrich: Sir-By direction of my department I have to advise you that if the Prinz Eitel Friedrich departs from this port by 12 o'clock midnight of this day, April 7, 1915, which is the time limit prescribed by the government of the United States in which she must depart or otherwise be under the necessity of accepting interment within American jurisdiction during the continuance of the war in which your country is now engaged, it will be necessary for her to depart from the territorial waters of the United States by 4 a. m. o'clock, April 8, 1915. This is imperative.

"Norman R. Hamilton, Collector."

The German ship made history when a few weeks ago she limped into Newport News, Va., for repairs after a long sea raid, in which time she destroyed many vessels, taking their crews, which she landed at Newport News.

### Busch Heir Dies in Pasadena.

Pasadena, Cal.-Carl Busch, son of the late Adolphus Busch, millionaire brewer of St. Louis, died Friday, aged 36 years. He had been in ill health several years. By the will of Adolphus Busch the share of the estate that would have gone to him was bequeathed to his brother, August A., on condition that the latter provide for Carl.

### Women Lost in Connecticut. Hartford, Conn .- A proposed woman suffrage constitutional amendment was rejected by the house of representatives Wednesday, 124 to 106.

Harpalyce in the North Sea remains somewhat of a mystery. The Harpalyce, which carried gifts from the American people to the Belgian sufferers, recently arrived at Rotterdam and discharged her cargo. It is understood that she was on her way to Newcastle when she either was torpedoed or sunk by a mine.

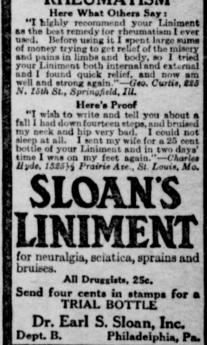
More than half of her crew of fiftythree were rescued, but only meager details of the disaster have so far been made public. It is not known whether the vessel still carried her permit of exemption from attack under the charter of the commission for the relief of Belgium.

Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador at Washington, has made public the text of the note he recently presented to the American state department. In this note the ambassador points out that a great industry of war materials of every kind is being built up in the United States, and says:

"If the American people desire to observe true neutrality, they will find a means to stop the exclusive exportation of arms to one side, or at least to use this export trade as a means to uphold the legitimate trade with Germany, especially the trade in foodstuffs."

The allied fleet has, according to unofficial reports, been bombarding the Dardanelles forts from the Gulf of Saros. This doubtless is being done to prevent the Turks from repairing the forts, for it is not believed at London that the big attack will be resumed until the land forces arrive. Heavy losses in men are being incurred on both the French and Carpathian fronts. Paris says that in the forest of Montmare fifteen German attempts to retake trenches captured from them were repulsed, and that heaps of German bodies lay upon the ground afterward, while in Champagne the Germans were mowed down in a similar offensive movement.

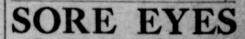
An attempt has been made by a native Egyptian to assassinate the sultan of Egypt, Hussein Kemal, but the bullet went wide and the sultan's assailant was seized.



To cure costiveness the medicine must be more than a purgative; it must contain tonic, alterative and cathartic properties.

possess these qualities, and speedily to the bowels their natural peristaltic so essential to regularity.

### WINTERSMITN'S CHILL TONIC not only the old reliable reme FOR MALARIA general strengthening tonic and appetizer. For children as well as adults. Sold for 50 years. 50c and \$1 bottles at drug stores.



Dr. Salter's Eye Lotion relieves and cures sore and inflamed eyes in 24 to 48 hours. Helps the weak eyed, cures without pain. Ask your druggist or dealer for SALTER'S. Only from Reform Dispensary, 68 S. Broad, Atlanta, Georgia

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### CHAPTER XVIII-Continued. -15-

of the dining-room, out into the office. became more and more apparent as out of the question. Elsa was not a to fly back to the jungles, to James, child, to be reasoned with. She was a and leave matters as they were. Here woman, and she had come to a wom- and there, along the way, he had tried an's understanding of her heart. To a bit of luxury; but the years of econfrom the world she knew, the regret home . . . to what? Surely there how much she loved the man. . . . He pushed back his chair, leaving his the manner of prodigals in general, coffee untasted.

He possessed the deep understanding of the kindly heart, and his one gone out of their lives. thought was Elsa's future happiness. Could he save her from the day when she would learn Romance had come strong enough to vanquish the longfrom within? No. All he could do was to help find the man.

to the consulate, to the principal ho- now peering down at the phosphorestels-the most difficult composition he cence seething alongside, now standhad ever attacked. But because he had forgotten to send the sixth to half shut, letting the strong winds meet the packet boat, against the pos- strike her full in the face. Many a sibility of Warrington changing his mind and not landing, his labor was thrown to the winds.

Meantime Elsa stopped at the office desk. "I left a note for Mr. Warring- foreboding and oppression. The exton who has gone to Saigon. I see it in his key box. Will you please return it to me?"

The clerk did not hesitate an instant. He gravely returned the note he knew he no longer belonged to the to her, marveling at her paleness. city with its Himalayan gorges and Elsa crushed the note in her hand and canyons, whose torrents were human moved toward the stairs, wondering beings and whose glaciers were the if she could reach her room before she hearts of these. A great loneliness broke down utterly. He had gone. He bore down on him. For months he had gone without knowing that all had been drawing familiar pictures, he wanted in life was his for the tak- and to find none of these was like coming. In her room she opened the note ing home to an empty house. The old and through blurred vision read what life was indeed gone; there were no she had so happily inscribed the threads to resume. night before. "Paul-I love you, Come to me. Elsa." She had written it, downtown to the offices of the Andes unashamed.

She flung herself upon the bed, and there Martha found her.

what has happened?"

eyes. "Well, I love this man War. blue, Warrington asked: "What place and he loves me. But he has gone. Can't you see? Don't you understand? Have you been as blind as I? He is Paul Ellison, Arthur's floor." brother, his twin brother. And they obliterated him. It is Arthur who is the ghost, Martha, the phantom. Ah, I have caused you a good deal of affair of red brick, four stories high, worry, and I am going to cause you this monolith had sprung. With a sigh yet more. I am going to Saigon; up Warrington entered the cavernous and down the world, east and west, doorway and stepped into an "express until I find him. Shall I go alone, elevator." When the car arrived at or will you go with me?"

was not likely to meet any of his erstwhile fellow passengers. The mock-He saw her walk bravely the length ery and uselessness of his home-going place before her the true angles of omy and frugality had robbed him of the case, the heartless banishment the ability to enjoy it. He was going which would be hers later, no matter | would be no welcome for him at his journey's end. He would return after not scriptural, to find that he was not wanted. Of his own free will he had

He fought grimly against the thought of Elsa; but he was not ings from his heart and mind. Always when alone she was in fancy with him, He sent five cablegrams to Salgon, now smiling amusedly into his face, ing with her chin uplifted, her eyes "good-night" he sent over the seas. An incident; that would be all.

His first day in New York left him with nothing more than a feeling of pected exhilaration of returning to the city of his birth did not materialize. So used to open spaces was he, to distances and the circle of horizons, that

Early the second morning he started Construction company. He was extraordinarily nervous. Cold sweat continually moistened his palms. Change, "Elsa, child, what is it?" Martha change, everywhere change; Trinity cried, kneeling beside the bed. "Child, was like an old friend. When the taxicab driver threw off the power and Elsa sat up, seized Martha by the indicated with a jerk of his head a shoulders and stared into the faithful granite shaft that soared up into the is this?"

### THE MESSENGER, GRAPELAND, TEXAS

ed the check and extended it toward the meat of the business."

the astonished wanderer. "We don't want that, Paul. What we wanted was to get you back. There was no other way. Your brother made up the loss the day after you . went away. There was no scandal. Only a few of us in the office knew. Never got to the newspapers."

It was impossible for Warrington to digest this astounding information at once. His mind could only repeat the phrases: No scandal, only a few of us in the office knew, never got to the newspapers. For ten years he had hidden himself in wildernesses, avoided hotels, read no American newspapers, never called for mail. Oh, monumental fool!

"And I could have come home almost at once!" he said aloud, addressing the crumpled check in his hand What a misfortune! Argument was the days slipped by. Often he longed rather than the man in the swivel chair.

> "Yes. I have often wondered where and your brother were upper-classmen. I never knew Arthur very well: but you and I were chummy, after a fashion. Arthur was a little too bookish for my style. Didn't we use to call you Old Galahad? You were always walloping the bullies and taking the weaker chaps under your wing. To me, you were the last man in the

world for this business. Moreover, I never could understand, nor could father, how you got it, for you were not an office man. Women and cards, I suppose. Father said that you had the making of a great engineer. Fierce place, this old town," waving his hand toward the myriad sparkling roofs and towers and spires. "Have to be strong and hard-headed to survive it. Built anything since you've been away?" "In Cashmir." To have thrown away

a decade! "Glad you kept your hand in. I dare say you've seen a lot of life." To the young man it was an extremely awkward interview.

"Yes; I've seen life," dully.

"Orient, mostly, I suppose. Your letter about the strike in oil was mighty interesting. Heap of money date. He did not belong to the times. over there, if they'd only let us smart chaps in to dig it up. Now, old man, practically ordered (though she had I want you to wipe the slate clear of no authority) that he should be given these ten years. We'll call it a bad dream. What are your plans for the future?"

"Plans?" Warrington looked up blankly. He realized that he had made no plans for the future.

A man like you wasn't made for idle- He was in no mood for work. ness. Look here, Paul; I'm not going to beat about the bush. We've got a whopping big contract from the Chi- ing a dilapidated feather-molting bird, nese government, and we need a man to take charge, a man who knows and per. Rajah scattered the seeds about, understands something of the yellow people. How about a salary of ten ter cup and swashbuckled generally. thousand a year for two years, to be- By and by, above the clack-clack of gin in October?"

Work, rehabilitation.

"John," said Warrington, huskily, "you're a man."

"Oh, piffle! It's not all John, The old man left word that if you ever turned up again to hang on to you. You were valuable. And there's Miss Chetwood. If you want to thank anybody, thank her." Warrington missed the searching glance, which was not without its touch of envy. "You'd better be off. Hustle back as soon as you can." Elmore offered his hand now. "Gad! but you haven't lost any of your old grip.'

"I'm a bit dazed. The last six months have loosened up my nerves." "Nobody's made of iron."

"I'd sound hollow if I tried to say what I feel. I'll be back a week from today.'

"I'll look for you."

As the door closed behind Warrington, the young millionaire sat down, scowling at a cubby hole in his desk. you were, what you were doing. You He presently took out a letter postmarked Yohohama. He turned it about in his hands, musingly. Without reading it (for he knew its contents well). he thrust it back into the cubby hole. Women were out of his sphere. He could build a bridge within a dollar of the bid; but he knew nothing about women beyond the fact that they were always desirable.

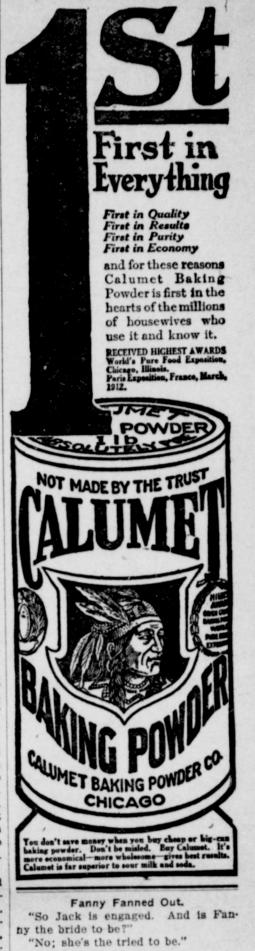
A few monosyllables, a sentence or two, and then, good day. The average man would have recounted every incident of note during those ten years. He did not admire Warrington any the less for his reticence. It took a strong man to hold himself together under all these blows from the big end of fortune's horn.

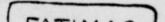
Paul was a born engineer; Arthur had entered the office as a makeshift. Paul had taken eight thousand one day, and decamped. Arthur had refunded the sum, and disappeared. Elmore could not understand, nor could his father. Perhaps some of the truth would now come to light. Somehow, Paul, with his blond beard and blonder head, his bright eyes, his tan, his big shoulders, somehow Paul was out of

And Elsa had met him over there; a start anew; that, moreover, she would go his bond to any amount. Funny old world! Well, he was glad. Paul was a man, a big man, and that was the sort needed in the foreign bridge building. He rolled down the "Yes. What do you intend to do? | top of his desk and left the building.

The evening of the third day found Warrington in the baggage car, feedwho was in a most scandalous temspurned the banana-tip, tilted the wawheels and rails, came a crooning Warrington twisted the check. song. The baggageman looked up

from his waybook and lowered his "Could you trust me?" he asked pipe. He saw the little green bird





The stingiest woman in the world is

the one who can keep a secret.

Then Martha did what ever after endeared her to the heart of the stricken of the vice-president. He recalled the girl-she mothered her. "Elsa, my baby! Of course I shall go with you, [ always. For you could not love any quest to make the restitution in perman if he was not worthy."

Then followed the strangest quest doubtless ever made by a woman. From Singapore to Saigon, up to Bangkok, down to Singapore again; to Batavia, over to Hongkong, Shanghai, Pekin, Manila, Hongkong again, then Yokohama. Patient and hopeful, ness. Elsa followed the bewildering trail. She left behind her many puzzled hotel managers and booking agents; for here." it was not usual for a beautiful young woman to go about the world, inquiring for a blond man with a parrot. Sometimes she was only a day late. Many cablegrams she sept, but upon her arrival in each port she found face Warrington had seen since his arthat these had not been called for. Over these heart-breaking disappoint- there was nothing in evidence on ments she uttered no complaint. The world was big and wide; be it never so big and wide, Elsa knew that some disturb me for an hour," the young day she would find him.

In the daytime there was the quest; close the door as you go out," but, ah! the nights, the interminable hours of inaction, the spaces of time in which she could only lie back and stared at his visitor, not insolently, think. Up and down the coasts, across | but with kindly curiosity. islands, over scas, the journey took her, until one day in July she found herself upon the pillared veranda of the house in which her mother had find father. He's been gone six been borz.

### CHAPTER XIX.

#### The Two Brothers.

stom port to port, sometimes not stepping off the boat at all, moody, wended his way home. There was nothing surprising in the fact that Warrington placed the certified check he never inquired for mail. Who was on the desk. "With interest," he said. there to write? Besides, he sought only the obscure hotels, where be his fingers over his smooth chin. fold

"The Andes building, sir. The construction company occupies the top

"Very good," replied Warrington, paying and discharging the man.

From a reliquary of the Dutch, an the twenty-second story, Warrington was alone. He paused before the door "old man," thin-lipped, blue-eyed, eruptive. It was all very strange, this reson. Well he would soon learn why. He drew the certified check from his wallet and scrutinized it carefully. Twelve thousand, eight hundred dollars. He replaced it, opened the door, and walked in. A boy met him at the railing and briskly inquired his busi-

"I have an appointment with Mr. Elmore. Tell him that Mr. Ellison is

The boy returned promptly and signified that Mr. Elmore was at liberty. But it was not the "old man" who looked up from a busy man's desk. It was the son; so far, the one familiar rival. There was no hand shaking: either side to invite it.

"Ah! Sit down, Paul. Let no one vice-president advised the boy. "And

Warrington sat down; the bridge builder whirled his chair around and

"You've filled out," was all he said After fully satisfying his eyes, he added: "I dare say you expected to years," indicating one of the two portraits over his desk.

It was not at the "old man" Warrington looked longest. "Who is the other?" he asked.

"What? You worked four years with this company and don't recollect that portrait?"

"Frankly, I never noticed it before." The vice-president crackled it, ran

quietly.

"With anything I have in the world. Understand, Paul, there's no philanin Peru. I'm familiar with your work. Do you want to know whose portrait parrot cage in the other. that is up there? Well, it's General Chetwood's, the founder of this conlongs to his daughter. She convertmonth ago I received a letter from general at Singapore that you had nature. Frankly, this offer comes through her advices. To satisfy yourself, you can give us a surety bond for fifty thousand. It's not obligatory, however."

Elsa Chetwood. She had her father's eyes, and it was this which had drawn his gaze to the portrait. Chetwood; and Arthur had not known any more than he had. What irony! Ten ) ars wasted . . . for nothing! Warrington laughed aloud. A weakness seized him, like that of a man long gone hungry.

"Buck up, Paul," warned the good the wind out of you. I know. But ant. what I've offered you is in good faith. Will you take it?" "Yes," simply.

you go out to lunch with me? We'll talk it over like old times."

"No. I haven't seen . . ." "To be sure! I forgot, Do you know where they live, your mother

and brother?" "No. I expected to ask you."

The vice-president scribbled down the address. "I believe you'll find them both there, though Arthur, I understand, is almost as great a traveler as you are. Of course you want to see them, you poor beggar! The

pause and begin to keep time with its head, It was the Urdu lullaby James used to sing. It never failed to quiet thropic string to this offer. You've the little parrot. Warrington went pulled through a devil of a hole. You're back to his Pullman, where the porter a man. I should not be holding down greeted him with the information that this chair if I couldn't tell a man at a the next stop would be his. Ten minglance. We were together two months utes later he stepped from the train, a small kitbag in one hand and the He had come prepared for -mistake

on the part of the natives. The single cern, the silent partner. The man smart cabman lifted his hat, jumped who knew kings and potentates and down from the box, and opened the told 'em that they needed bridges in door. Warrington entered without their back yards. This building be speaking. The door closed, and the coupe rolled away briskly. He was ed her stock into granite. About a perfectly sure of his destination. The cabman had mistaken him for Arthur. her. It directly concerned you. It It would be better so. There would be seems she learned through the consul no after complications when he departed on the morrow. As the coupe worked with us. She's like her fa- took a turn, he looked out of the winther, a mighty keen judge of human dow. They were entering a driveway, lined on each side of which were chestnuts. Indeed the house was set in the center of a grove of these splendid trees.

Warrington went up the broad veranda steps and pulled the old-fashioned bell cord. He was rather amazed at his utter lack of agitation. He was as calm as if he were making a call upon a casual acquaintance. His mother and brother, whom he had not seen in ten years! The great oak door drew in, and he entered unceremoniously.

"Why, Marse A'thuh, I di'n't see yo' Samaritan. "All this kind of knocks go out!" exclaimed the old negro serv-

> "I am not Arthur; I am his brother Paul. Which door?"

Pop-eyed, the old negro pointed to a "That's the way to talk. Supposing door down the hall. Then he leaned against the banister and caught desperately at the spindles. For the voice was not Arthur's.

Warrington opened the door, closed it gently and stood with his back to it. At a desk in the middle of the room sat a man, busy with books. He raised his head.

"Arthur, don't you know me?" "Paul?"

The chair overturned; some books thudded dully upon the rug. Arthur leaned with his-hands tense upon the Southwestern will pull you almost up desk. Paul sustained the look, his to the door. After the reunion, you eyes sad and his face pale and grave. hike back here, and we'll get down to (TO BE CONTINUED.)

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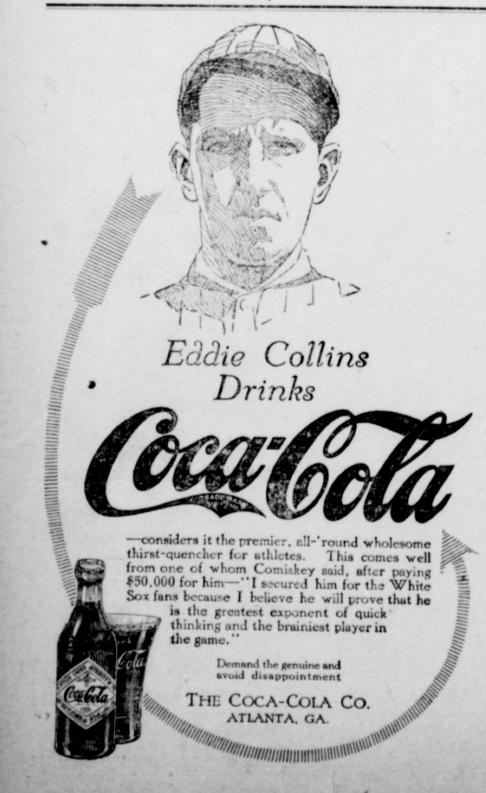
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