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<p>Five Dollar Hats for Men. Did you Ever Pass the Hat? Do not Pass These. Prices range from 25c to \$5.00. Get 'em at Shipper's.</p>	<p align="center">SHIPPER'S HOME OF GOOD VALUES</p>	<p>Shoes for Everybody One thing to remember buying shoes—our prices from a 25c soft sole to a \$5 patent vici. Always remember Star Brand Shoes are Better.</p>

<p>Lane Gets Life Sentence. Crockett, Texas, November 1.—The case of the State of Texas against W. N. Lane, charged with the murder of Henry Dudley in May of this year, which has been on trial in the district court here since Monday, October 29, was brought to a close last night, the judge delivering his charge to the jury about 7 o'clock. At 10 o'clock this morning the jury returned into court a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and assessed Lane's punishment at confinement in the State penitentiary for life. This is the first instance in many years that the full punishment prescribed by the statutes in any form has been meted out to a white man charged with murder. Henry Dudley was a well-to-do farmer, living ten miles east of Crockett, and married a granddaughter of W. N. Lane. There had been trouble of long standing between the Lanes and Henry Dudley, and on the morning of May 4, 1907, while on his way to</p>	<p>rebuild a fence destroyed by high water, Dudley was shot by Clint Lane a son of W. N. Lane, three times with a pump gun, two loads of buckshot taking effect in the side and one load of small shot taking effect in the face. Dudley fell to the ground and expired in a few minutes. W. N. Lane and Henry Christain, together with several negroes, were present and eye witnesses to the shooting, Lane being armed with a double barrel shotgun at the time. Immediately after the killing W. N. Lane came to town and surrendered to Sheriff Lacy, stating that he had killed Dudley, and was by Sheriff Lacy placed in jail. After an examination by Sheriff Lacy, County Attorney Earle Adams, Jr., and other officials, Clint Lane and Henry Christian were placed under arrest charged with being implicated in the killing. Christian turned State's evidence, telling in detail the events of the killing and what transpired immediately afterward. His testimony was corroborated by a number of wit-</p>	<p>nesses who were present at the time of the killing. The jury was composed of the better element of the farmers of Houston county, and the verdict seems to meet with the approval of the general public. County Attorney Earle Adams, Jr., assisted District Attorney Tom J. Harris in the prosecution and took the lead, on account of his familiarity with facts in the case. The defendant was represented by Adams & Adams, More & Sallas and J. A. Ragland, the best criminal lawyers in the county. The Post correspondent understands that the attorneys for the defendant will immediately file a motion for a new trial, and if the motion is overruled the case will be contested in the higher courts.—Crockett Correspondent in Houston Post. De Witt's Carbolyzed With Hazel Salve penetrates the pores—thoroughly cleanses—and is healing and soothing. Good for piles.—Sold by Carelton & Porter.</p>	<p>Reynard Notes Reynard, Nov. 2.—Cotton picking is almost over and a great many are out of a job. So few have come until that job will soon be over. W. F. West, Tommie Kent and Geo. Allen made it hot for the birds yesterday from the number of shots. They had quite a number of empty shells and sacks, too, expect. Glad to learn that W. H. and Henry Newsom and their families have moved back in our midst. Old Reynard is a mighty good place in which to live if it is a little torn up. T. S. Kent attended the Baptist association at Jacksonville. Hope he was able to secure the services of a preacher, for we certainly need one down this way. Mrs. Jennie Kent of Oriole is visiting her little grand sons, Paul and Earl. P. L. Fulghum has traded his buggy for a surry, his family having outgrown a buggy. 'Possum hunting is one of the</p>	<p>orders of the day, or rather night, and they are very fine. Sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Peterson. Will miss him from the pages of the Messenger. What is the matter Rex? You must not quit us short off if things are a little dull. Sharpen up your pencil and whitewash a little. Hoping for sunshine and brighter days in many ways, will ring off. Zack. SAN ANTONIO INTERNATIONAL FAIR..... NOV 9 TO 24 Excursion Rates Daily via I. & G. N. railroad. For "Railroad Day," Nov. 21, extremely LOW RATES. The Fair that's different from all others. See I. & G. N. agents. Notice. Elder Bill Lagow, one of the early settlers and Primitive Baptist preachers of this country, will preach at the Christian Church on Saturday night and Sunday at eleven o'clock.</p>
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The Messenger.

ALBERT H. LUKER, Editor.

GRAPELAND, - - TEXAS.

The worst kind of sipping—Gossiping.

A loan-some place—The pawnbrokers.

A ship ruled by a woman—Courtship.

Motto for the married—Never despair.

A man of some account—The bookkeeper.

Trying times—Going to the dressmaker's.

Where to recover yourself—At the tailor's.

In advance of the mail—The engine tender.

Slight of hand—Refusing a marriage proposal.

A good place for meeting—The butcher's.

The best illustrated paper out—A bank note.

How to find a girl out—Call when she isn't in.

"Parlor matches"—Courtship in the front room.

Orange peel is said to make excellent slippers.

Strange behavior—A vessel "hugging" the coast.

Police men assist each other by clubbing together.

How to find a chip of the old block—Axe the block.

The most becoming tie for young ladies—Modesty.

"A repeating rifle"—Robbing the same place twice.

A LITTLE VARIETY.

A studious son is a delight to his father.

Girls know that kisses have a face-value.

Imitation of another is limitation of one's self.

Schemes of the naughty should come to naught.

You may think it is fun to do the thing your teacher or parents tell you not to do, but while you are being reproved for it the other boys will think it is fun.

It seems too bad that being out late is wrong, but worse yet, that another sin, that of telling a lie about why you were out late, has to be thrown in.

Rev. T. I. Gasson, president of Boston college, recently conducted a retreat for the Passamaquoddy Indians of Pleasant Point, Me., in their church, which is under the patronage of St. Anne. There are nearly 400 members of the tribe, and almost all made the mission.

Two changes in the policy of the Methodist Episcopal churches in that country are being considered for adoption by the British Wesleyan Methodists—namely: the prolongation of the term of ministerial service and the abolishment of the class meeting as a requisite for good standing.

EYE LORE.

When you bat your eye, try to beat it out.

Too many highballs affect the eyeballs.

Many people get hurt slipping on an icy stare.

Burning glances are liable to singe the lashes.

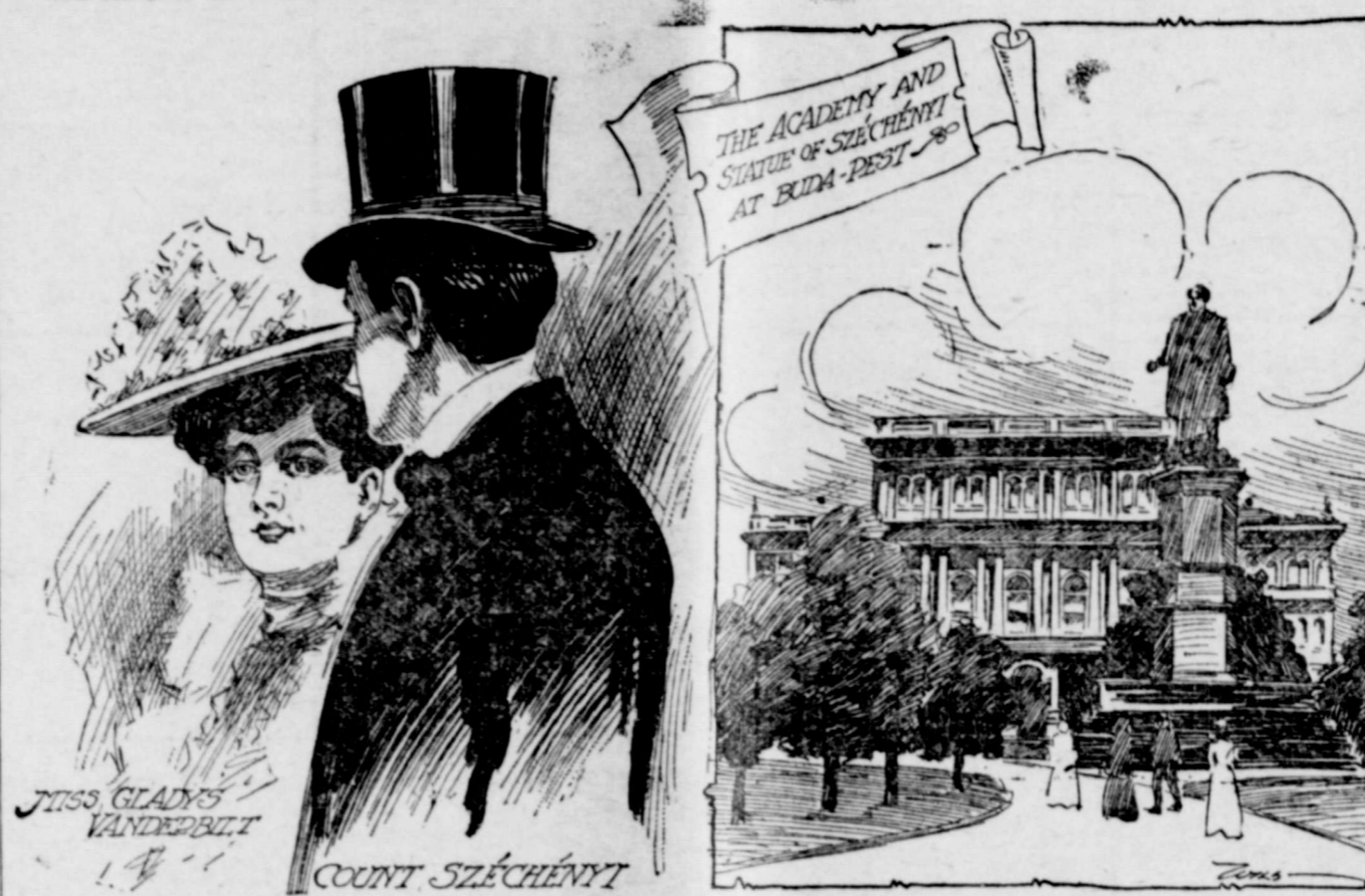
If the town is wide open, close the lids oftener.

Coal black eyes are susceptible to injury from cinders.

People with laughing eyes must be full of aqueous humor.

If you can't make your eyes behave you have unruly pupils.

Do not strain your eyesight. That doesn't make it any finer.



The betrothal of Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, daughter of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sr., and the young Count Laszlo Szechenyi of Budapest, Hungary (the marriage to take place on December 4), had the dash of an Anthony Hope romance about it. What's more, the young people, knowing all the facts of the case, must be laughing in their sleeves at the sensation caused by the vague rumors from Newport that found their way into print.

From what Austrian officials in this country say, the so-called sensation was quite a cut-and-dried affair. One of the richest of American girls had garran castle weeks before, and on that occasion the details of the "American betrothal in October" had been arranged. Then a young Hungarian nobleman had dropped quietly into Newport to play his part in the formalities.

The first surprise over, every one asked:

"Who is Count Laszlo Szechenyi?" Therein lies the romance of the story. Only the last chapter properly belongs to the Anthony Hope school. The first of it might be a short story by William Dean Howells. On the other hand, the real romance is worthy of Gibbon or Sienkiewicz. In it are the raids of a savage Asiatic people upon the nomads of the Russian steppes, the primeval forests of the Danube and the wild defiles of the Alps. There is also the pageantry of primitive war, the strains of wild music—of Slavonic harmonies embroidered in a web of national tragedy—music hardly suggested by the Hungarian orchestras of the cafes, but mirrored by Liszt and Paderewski, and visualized a few years ago in the latter's opera, "Manru."

Then there are the green fez, the flowing white robes of the Turk, the brown habit of the Christian missionary, the splendor of a Hapsburg court, and tyrannies that led a proud people to a rebellion that echoed around the world. And all finally ends in a basket phaeton on the Cliff Drive at Newport, with a young Hungarian and an American heiress acknowledging to their friends that they are about to marry.

An Object of Interest.

New Yorkers have been watching Miss Vanderbilt with more than customary interest in the last three years. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, and the only one of her children unmarried. Her sister is Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney; her brothers, Cornelius, Jr.; Alfred Gwynne and Reginald Vanderbilt. She is, too, one of the richest girls of her age in America, having come into a fortune of \$12,500,000 on her twenty-first birthday last August.

Miss Vanderbilt was introduced to society three years ago at a dance given by her mother in the great Vanderbilt house at Fifth avenue and Fifty-seventh street. It was one of the events of the season. The house had not been opened for five years.

The chat of the drawing rooms connected Miss Vanderbilt's name again and again with those of young men who might be considered her suitors. Sometimes these reached her newspapers, sometimes not. One of the young men was Robert Walton Golet.

Another mentioned more recently was one of the younger generation in the Gerard family. When any of these reports crept into print they were positively denied.

Then there were rumors that Miss Vanderbilt's trip abroad last summer had back of it a desire to put as many miles as possible of sea and railroad between herself and one of the more persistent suitors. Be that as it may, Mrs. Vanderbilt and Miss Gladys went to California early last spring with Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard, then came east and sailed for Europe in April.

From time to time reports drifted to them were entertained in London by Ambassador and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, then visited the ambassador at his country place, West Park. Later they were said to be at Carlsbad for the season. Then the messages had them cruising on European waters.

This went on until nearly the end of August. Miss Gladys was 21 on the 24th of that month. Mrs. Vanderbilt cabled an order to open The Breakers, her Newport home, and she and her daughter started for New York, arriving on Sept. 25.

When Mrs. Vanderbilt and Miss Gladys reappeared at Newport, their presence seemed to crystallize vague rumors that had been coming from Europe. The gist of these was that Miss Vanderbilt had fallen in love, in the good old way, with a foreign nobleman, and that, Vanderbilt-like, she would brook no opposition when she had decided to have her own way.

Nothing was to be learned of the nobleman's identity. There was not an inkling of what had actually happened to Miss Vanderbilt during her trip to Europe. Certain Austrian officials in this country are authority for the story. They say Miss Vanderbilt met Count Laszlo Szechenyi—they called it Sa-sho-nye—in Salsburg, a continental watering place, and that they had fallen in love with each other in short order. The count's relatives were told of it and Miss Vanderbilt was invited to come in the mid-summer to the home of the Szechenyi family, in the district of Horpreck's, Hungary.

At a family gathering there, so the story runs, the young American heiress was formally betrothed under the laws of Austro-Hungary. Then Miss Vanderbilt resumed her journey.

Count Szechenyi's appearance in Newport started the rumors of Miss Vanderbilt's romance again with feverish persistency.

In the young nobleman who was Mrs. Vanderbilt's guest at The Breakers, Miss Gladys Vanderbilt's friends saw a quiet, affable young man of 28, whose dark complexion suggested a Magyar origin. Many even thought he looked like young Robert Walton Golet, with whom Miss Vanderbilt's name had already been associated. The chief difference was that the count wore a small black mustache with the ends turned up like the Emperor William's.

The engagement announced, every one is repeating:

"Who is Count Szechenyi?"

His full name is Ladislaus Szechenyi von Sarvar und Felso-Videk. His family is one of the oldest in Austria-Hungary. Although a count by right,

the title does not mean more than an honor conferred on all men of his class. Just as all the sons of the Szechenyi family are chamberlains in the imperial court of Austria-Hungary by birth, and the senior member holds a seat in the upper branch of the Hungarian parliament.

So far as lineage goes, probably none of the titled foreigners who have married American women can boast of a longer line of ancestors than count Szechenyi. Besides his family tree, that of the duke of Marlborough, who married Miss Consuelo Vanderbilt, is the veriest sapling. Count Szechenyi's husband of Miss Anna Gould, might compare with the Szechenyis in pride of birth, for his family is one of the oldest in France and their castle of Castellane has been in the family for many centuries.

The Szechenyi name, however, goes back fully 1,000 years. The story of the young man who is to marry Miss Vanderbilt began not later than 955. He comes of the Magyars—wild adventurers descendants of the ancient Scythians, who invaded Europe from Central Asia in the ninth century and overran Hungary and Transylvania.

The men of the Szechenyi family have borne the title of count for more than 300 years. Among the most celebrated of them was Count Nicholas Szechenyi, companion in arms of the famous Hungarian general, Zrinyi, who in the sixteenth century stood like a battlement between the encroachments of the Turks on the south and east and the kingdoms of western Europe.

Few episodes of mediæval history are more romantic than the story of Zrinyi's defense of Sziget, a fortress on the Danube, withstanding for a month, and with 2,500 men, the onslaughts of the Sultan Solymán and 65,000 Turks. Zrinyi's fate has been made the theme of one of Theodore Koerner's most famous tragedies.

Another of the Szechenyis, holding the rank of archbishop, was the mediator in bringing about the peace between Emperor Ferdinand and Rokoczy, by which the latter was recognized as legitimate prince of Transylvania.

Like their ancestors the wealth of the family lies in the ownership of land. The young count's father owned thousands of acres divided into scores of farms and forest preserves. As did their forefathers, the Szechenyis drew from these domains tribute of wheat, Turkish pepper, tobacco, hemp and grapes, and next to France, Hungary is the greatest wine-producing country in the world. According to Hungarian standards the Szechenyis are very rich and powerful.

When Miss Vanderbilt goes as a bride to Austro-Hungary she may well believe herself in that Ruritania which Anthony Hope has made the scene of so many adventures. Her new domains, now broken by the Carpathian mountains and the Alps, now reaching out toward the rivers in great grain fields or vineyards, will be a land of quaint customs, of traditional romance and of old world aristocracy in present-day surroundings. The great houses of Vienna and the imperial court will be open to her, and Vienna is one of the gayest of European cities. Budapest will offer her a social prestige little less alluring.

Saw it Come Out of a Cow.

A little city boy and his sister Dorothy were taken to the country for the first time.

The two children were happy as the day was long. In the late afternoon they watched the cows come home, heard with delight the tinkling cow-bells, and the little boy even went in the barns to see the milking done.

At supper, just as Dorothy was lifting her glass to her rosy lips, the boy cried out:

"Oh, Dorothy, don't! You mustn't drink that milk. It's not fit to drink. It came out of a cow. I saw it!"

Test Its Value.

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Bush Over Buried Treasure.

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the liver to greater activity, purifying
the blood, and extending its restorative
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for the other tenth. The pro-
portion of men, who won't take
good advice, and use the least-
gallons paint, is about one in ten
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and stores and shops and barns
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paint is worth saying; and ten is
the least. There are scores of
paints that throw away half of
both gallons and labor on whitening
china-clay, ground stone, barytes,
benzine, water—all they are good
for is to make gallons of nothing
and look like paint in the can;
more gallons to buy and more
gallons to pay for putting on—
gold bricks and green goods.
Here's how they work.

Judge I. D. Fairchild owns two
houses exactly alike in Lufkin
Texas. J. H. Torrence painted
both houses; one Devoe, 15½ gal-
lons, the other with another paint
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Lovelady, Texas, November 1—
Yesterday afternoon two con-
victs escaped from their guards
here. They were trustees, who
came in from the Eastman farm,
sixteen miles southwest of town,
and while out of sight of the
guard, made good their escape,
and were seen a little out of town.
As soon as it was known that
they were gone the sergeant made
strenuous efforts to recapture
them, but to no avail. They
have not yet been apprehended.
They stole two horses during the
early part of last night and rode
away from a farm house seven
miles west of town, and the horses
were back at their usual place
early today. There is an officer
here from Huntsville with dogs,
but he is handicapped by heavy
rains and other causes that can
not be overcome.

How to Cure a Cold.

Be as careful as you can you
will occasionally take cold, and
when you do, get a medicine of
known reliability, one that has
an established reputation and
that is certain to effect a quick
cure. Such a medicine is Cham-
berlain's Cough Remedy. It has
gained a world wide reputation
by its remarkable cures of this
most common ailment, and can
always be depended upon. It
acts on nature's plan, relieves
the lungs, aids expectoration,
opens the secretions and aids
nature in restoring the system
to a healthy condition. During
the many years in which it has
been in general use we have yet
to learn of a single case of cold
or attack of the grip having re-
sulted in pneumonia when this
remedy was used, which shows
conclusively that it is a certain
preventive of that dangerous dis-
ease. Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy contains no opium or
other narcotic and may be given
as confidently to a baby as to an
adult. For sale by B. R. Guice &
Son.

Rev. J. E. Howard of Route 1
was in town Saturday and re-
ports that he had the misfortune
to lose a very fine mule one day
last week.

Always Was Sick

When a man says he always
was sick—troubled with a cough
that lasted all winter—what
would you think if he should say
—he never was sick since using
Ballard's Horehound Syrup.
Such a man exists. Mr. J. Clark
Denver, Colorado, writes: "For
years I was troubled with a
severe cough that would last all
winter—This cough left me in a
miserable condition. I tried
Ballard's Horehound Syrup and have
not had a sick day since. That's
what it did for me."—Sold by
Carleton & Porter

Mr. Frank Allen of Route 2
was a pleasant caller Saturday
and shoved up his figures and
also renewed for the Galveston
News.

You can't be well if you have
a weak, unhealthy, tired out
stomach. Neither can you feel
good if by some little irregularity
in eating you have caused the
stomach to get out of order.
These little stomach troubles are
signs of indigestion, which may
and very often does turn into a
very bad case of dyspepsia.

Don't allow this to go on
without doing something to
overcome it. Take some good
reliable and safe digestant like
Kodol for Dyspepsia. Kodol is
the best remedy known today for
heart burn, belching and all
troubles arising from a disordered
digestion. It is pleasant to take
and affords relief promptly.
Sold by Carleton and Porter.

Miss Cleo Murchison was home
from Huntsville a few days this
week, being on the sick list and
unable to attend school.

A Safe Combination.

Read your home paper. No
argument is needed to prove this
statement correct. You also
need a paper for world-wide-gen-
eral news. You cannot choose
a better one—one adapted to the
wants of all the family—than the
Galveston Semi-Weekly News.
By subscribing for the Messen-
ger and the Semi-Weekly News
together, you get both papers
one year for \$1.75. No sub-
scription can be accepted for less
than one year at this special rate
and the amount is payable cash
in advance. Order now. Do
not delay.

1908 will be presidential year.
Your order will receive prompt
attention. Address, Messenger
Grapeland Texas.

Colds and Croup in Children.

"My little girl is subject to
colds" says Mrs. Wm. H. Serig,
No. 41, Fifth St., Wheeling W.
Va. "Last winter she had a
severe spell and a terrible cough
but I cured her with Chamber-
lain's Cough Remedy without
the aid of a doctor, and my little
boy has been prevented many
times from having the croup by
the timely use of this syrup." This
remedy is for sale by B. R.
Guice & Son.

The Big Three Story Building

Filled to overflowing. The big
building 78 by 120 feet, three
stories high, that was erected
four years ago as the home of
the Tyler Commercial College of
Tyler, Texas, will no longer ac-
commodate the great crowds of
students that are flocking to it
from over half the states in the
Union. Additional room is be-
ing prepared. The management
of this school have proven them-
selves thoroughly competent to
cope with any conditions that
may arise, by building in the
short space of a little over seven
years, the largest commercial
school, of day students in Amer-
ica, and the public may rest as-
sured that this large and rapidly
increasing crowd of students will
be well provided for. They have
now by far the largest and stron-
gest corps of teachers ever plac-
ed in a business college. Their
systems are the most modern
and progressive. Recently one
of the latest and most modern
\$325 Burroughs Adding Machiens
was added to the Banking De-
partment; one of the McCaskey
famous Account Registers to the
Retailing Department, and a
Huber Account Register in the
Jobbing Department. Loose
Leaf Ledgers, Card systems, Fil-
ing devices of the most modern
and approved makes—every-
thing is used that will aid in giv-
ing the students a well-rounded
commercial education.

Their Employment Bureau has
been enlarged until it now has
150 active agents in various cities
throughout the U.S. Through
this great army of agents, the
very best of positions are secured
and it has been thoroughly de-
monstrated that this Employment
Bureau is able to secure far more
positions for bookkeepers and
stenographers, or operators, than
the school will ever be able to
supply. The Editor desires to
commend this school for its
moral training, for it is the only
commercial school, to his knowl-
edge, that looks its students
while out of school as well as
while they are in school, and that
demands regular attendance and
that every student conduct him-
self as is becoming to a lady or
gentleman at all times.

THE GRAPELAND MESSENGER

ALBERT H. LUKER - Editor and Publisher

SUBSCRIPTION—IN ADVANCE:
ONE YEAR.....\$1.00
SIX MONTHS.....50 CENTS
THREE MONTHS.....25 CENTS

Entered in the Postoffice at Grapeland, Texas, every Thursday as second class Mail Matter.

Advertising Rates Reasonable, and made known on application.

Even speckle peas help some, and peanuts—well, they are 'it,' plant some.

The financial panic and the Bailey-Crawford incident hit Texas about the same time. The money panic hurt worse for we are use to Bailey's antics.

We feel sorry for the birds around here and think the legislature ought to pass a special law for the protection of the birds in this immediate vicinity the year round. The crack of a gun is heard every few minutes and the birds fly helter-skelter pell mell to some nearby brush pile only to die of fright. Our sportsmen ought to go out and practice shooting at the barn door before trying to shoot a bird.

It is a false report that Ringling Bros. have bought all the shows and got a corner on the circus business. Texas has a Mollie Bailey they haven't cornered. Mollie has been putting on airs here of late and now travels in her own "special palace railway cars." Mollie says her show has been re-organized and is more stupendous and gorgeous than ever. The show will be at Grapeland, Tuesday, Nov. 12. Bring the kids out to see the fun.

The financial "panic" hit Grapeland full in the face last week and caused considerable consternation among our people for a little while. We'll bet a slight draft on H. Clay Pierce that 12,500 tales went out about the bank here. Some had it "busted," some "busting," and others that you couldn't get your money. The vault of the bank did like to "bust," but it was because there was so much money in it. Cashier Miller was conservative in paying off checks, and no loans were made, but this was done in order to avoid a rush and for the protection of depositors. Every depositor who got scared and presented his check was paid in full, and that's more than any bank in this country has done. The bank is stronger today than since its organization and there is no cause for alarm.

LaTexo Items.

LaTexo, Nov. 4.—We have had rain enough and if it will stop now without a freeze we will be blessed, as the truck patches are looking fine. Cabbage, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes and cane are doing well and will be a great help in holding our grip on what little cotton we made.

Syrup mills will begin to run this week and then with fat possums surrounded by sugary potatoes, good old Houston Co. hand made syrup, whose equal does not exist anywhere, we will fairly revel in the good things of life.

The cotton industry will play out here if the farmer fails to get its worth, for there are so

many other things that we can raise here that are better than cotton. Those living near the depot and shipping points can raise cabbage, tomatoes, Irish and sweet potatoes, cantaloupes, etc., and those who are too far away for this business can raise peanuts, ribbon cane, hogs and fat 'possums, so you see we are independent of the cotton speculator. Of the crops mentioned above peanuts will, I believe become as great a money getter for the people of Houston county as wheat is to the wheat producers, and more, for we can realize from 25 to 50 dollars per acre and the crop is very little trouble to raise. If you plant enough to justify it, you can get a thrasher that will thrash the nut, sack it and leave the hay in good shape to be baled. So I look for a bright future, and nearby, too, for this country, when you will see our farmers living in comfortable painted houses with all the comforts of life around them.

Mrs. C. E. Hayes returned last week from Lone Star farm where she had been attending Mrs. Clinton, who has been quite sick.

Mr. Hayes is now ploughing the orchard which adds much to its looks.

Mr. W. F. Scott has bought a farm near here and will engage in truck farming next year. Mr. Scott is an experienced truck grower and will show us how it is done.

Dr. Meriwether and family visited Dr. Paxton's family at Elkhart last week.

LaTexo Union will hold an open meeting next Saturday and everybody is invited to attend, and especially non-union people. Good speakers are invited to be present and the present situation will be thoroughly discussed.

If you will let us know you are coming, Mr. Editor, we will try and have "possum and taters" for you. Rex.

Hays Spring News.

Nov. 3.—The health of this community is very good at present.

We are nearly all union people out this way and are squeezing through some pretty tight times now, as we are holding our cotton for the fixed price. We are not very strong in number but are strong in faith and are proving it by the way we are holding cotton.

B. R. Eaves spent last week in Crockett on the jury.

W. T. Warner and J. L. Ward attended the district union last Saturday which met at Guice-land, and report having a good time.

Our old friend, Ed Keen, of Leon county was seen knocking about over here a few days ago. Also Mr. John Morris and wife came over. They were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Guice of Grapeland.

Next Sunday is Bro. Camerons day at Hays. This will be his last appointment for this year and we hope there will be a good congregation out to hear him. Julius

Biggest stock, best values and lowest prices from Nov. 1st till Jan. 1st is the meaning of Bs, Bv. and Lp., and a personal investigation of our stock and cut prices will convince any one that it is a money saving proposition to buy your bill from us. No bill too little to be appreciated and no bill too large for us to fill.

Geo. E. Darsey.

F. A. FARIS!

Will Sell You as Good Goods for as Little Money as any House in the County

He is always looking for BARGAINS and gives his customers the very best. The Place to buy your SHOES is where you can fit the whole family. Buy your SHOES now, winter is coming. We have all styles and sizes.

My stock of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Gents Furnishing Goods and Groceries is complete.

I want to buy your turkeys, Chickens, Eggs, Bees Wax, etc. Will pay the highest market price.

Yours for more business,

F. A. Faris

The Grapeland Messenger and The Galveston Semi-Weekly News for \$1.75

WINDOW GLASS

ALL SIZES

Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Brushes.

Anything in the Paint Line.

Carleton & Porter,

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A Safe,
Simple System

The System of paying by Check was devised for all men, for any man, for you.... It is suited to the needs of any business either large or small. It makes no difference whether you pay out \$10. or \$10,000 a month, a checking account will serve your needs.... Pay by check; the method puts system into your business and gives you a record of every transaction....

The Farmers & Merchants State Bank,
Of Grapeland
HOUSTON COUNTY DEPOSITORY

LOCAL NEWS.

Go to Howard's for groceries.
Fresh bananas at the Bon Ton
Buy your next bill of flour from Clewis. Car just in.
Flour is up, but F. A. Faris is selling at the old price.
If you want a good wagon see Geo E Darsey
Every bite of our candy taste like more. The Bon Ton.
The best and freshest flour in town at F.A.Faris'.
Just received at Howard's a mixed car of flour and feed stuffs
M. L. Clewis has just unloaded a car of good flour.
Apples, oranges, bananas, lemons, etc., at the Bon Ton.
\$15.00 suits for 11.50 at F. A. Faris'. They are beauties.
Hides! Hides! Cash paid by Clewis.
A few second hand wagons cheap for cash or easy payments. Geo E Darsey
The Bon Ton always keeps a fine supply of good cigars. We want your trade in this line.
Carry those old clothes to Odell Faris and let him fix 'em up like new ones.
Miss Flora Alice Sullivan came up from her school Friday to visit her parents near town.
Let us hand you a Lemon. Fresh box Just opened at the Bon Ton.
Don't buy wire said to be as good, but go to Darsey's and get the genuine Baker Perfect at 3/4
The Bon Ton is headquarters for all kinds of fruits and nice fancy candy. A convenient place to drop in.
Call at Guice's Drug store and leave your order for JEWELRY. If we haven't got what you want we will gladly order it for you.
If you want shoes that will stand cold wet weather buy Brown's Star-5-Star Shoes. We have them in men's, women's and children's.
George E. Darsey.

Best Y. C. sugar 20 pounds \$1.00. Any quantity at Darseys.
F. A. Faris will give you bargains in everything.
Ear corn and corn chops at Darsey's.
Go to Howard's for the best flour.
I make old clothes new, and new clothes too. Odell Faris.
Best High Patent Flour at F. A. Faris'. at \$5.35—none better.
Good ribbon cane syrup at Howard's.
Car of Big Heart and Lillie Flour just received at M. L. Clewis'.
Go to Guice's Drug Store for your JEWELRY of any description.
F. A. Faris wants all your turkeys, chickens and eggs this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Gersham Lansford of Crockett visited the family of Dr. McCarty Sunday.
Clewis wants all the hides and bees wax in the country. Cash paid.
Keep up with the times. Buy a \$3.00 clock for \$2.50 at F. A. Faris'.
Mrs. W. B. Taylor and little daughter of Oakhurst are visiting relatives in the city.
Good yard wide brown domestic 7 cents a yard, any quantity at Darsey's.
Trade with F. A. Faris. He has the goods, the quality and the prices.
If you want to buy furniture cheap see J. R. Richards at the Furniture Store.
Call in our store and examine our line of Jewelry and our large, illustrated wholesale catalogue. Guice's Drug Store.
Miss Emma Brown of Alabama is here on a visit to former friends and relatives. She is now visiting Mrs. J. N. Parker.
Try a sack of Bell County's best flour at F. A. Faris'. It is the best product of wheat. 6.00 per barrel.
Mr. Ike Whitaker is busy fixing up the Guice store for a picture gallery and will soon be ready for business.
We have just received a car of new flour to be sold at old prices dont be talked in to paying advanced prices as long as ours last. Geo. E. Darsey.
At the furniture store you will find bedsteads, dressers, Chevals, bureaus, side boards, dining tables, center tables, kitchen sates, rocking chairs, Parlor and dining room chairs, matings, window shades, mattresses, bed springs and everything usually found in an up-to-date furniture store. When you come to Grapeland come around and let me show you what we have and how cheap that we are selling. J. R. Richards, in the new brick store, south of Darsey's.
When the baby is cross and has you worried and worn out you will find that a little Casca-sweet, the well known remedy for babies and children, will quiet the little one in a short time. The ingredients are printed on the bottle. Contains no opiates. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

Sewing Machines at cut prices at Darsey's.
9 pounds best green coffee for 1.00 at F. A. Faris'.
Dr. W. B. Taylor was up from Oakhurst a few days this week.
Clothing at cut prices at Darsey's.
Miss Eunice Miler visited in Crockett Saturday and Sunday.
Furniture at cut prices at Darsey's.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bean are the parents of a girl baby.
Best stock of shoes in town. Quality guaranteed. Can shoe the whole family. F. A. Faris.
Frank Aldrich of New Caney was up a few days this week visiting relatives.
If you want a trunk, suit case, or grip, now is the time. F. A. Faris is going to close the out.
The Postmaster of Gasconed, Mo., Daniel A. Bugh, says of De Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, "I am doing so well, and improving so fast in health, that I cannot say too much for your Kidney & Bladder Pills. I feel like a new man." De Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are sold by Carleton & Porter.
A few saddles at Darsey's at cut prices.
We have the exclusive agency for the largest and best JEWELRY CONCERN in America, and can give you possibly the best BARGAINS to be found in the JEWELRY LINE anywhere, anything in the Jewelry Line, regardless of what it is. Guice's Drug Store.
Single and double barrel shot gus at cut prices at Darsey's.
How to Treat a Sprain.
Sprains, swellings and lameness are promptly relieved by Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This liniment reduces inflammation and soreness so that a sprain may be cured in about one third the time required by the usual treatment. For sale by B. R. Guice & Son.
Special Notice
Beginning Friday November first and continuing until after January first we will not charge any goods to any one for any length of time.
We hope that you will not ask us to violate from the above for if we sell you and not your neighbor he would have a right to think that we was showing partiality. Respectfully. Geo. E. Darsey. Oct. 28th 1907
Geo. Shipper and Lum Weisinger become involved in a difficulty Tuesday afternoon in the formers office over an account Weisinger owed. Guess the account was settled all right, and they must pay the doctor bill and reckon with Judge Davis. Weisinger was bunged up pretty badly.
What Would You Do?
In case of a burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such injuries are liable to occur in any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by B. R. Guice & Son.

MONEY TO LOAN
We Handle Real Estate.
If you want to buy or sell a farm or borrow money on it, call on us. We buy Vendors Lien Notes.
WARFIELD BROS.
Office North Side Public Square CROCKETT, TEXAS

Cupid's Work.
ANTHONY—WHITE
A pretty home wedding occurred last Saturday night in which Mr. Markus Anthony and Miss Minnie White were the contracting parties. The wedding was a quiet home affair, taking place at the home of the bride's mother. Rev. H. E. Harris officiated.
The bride and groom are very popular young people of our town, and have a host of friends who join the Messenger in extending best wishes.
GUICE—McCANN.
Mr. B. J. H. Guice and Mrs. M. A. McCann were married last Sunday morning at the residence of the bride in north Grapeland, Rev. J. E. Bean officiating. The contracting parties are both well advanced in years, and the Messenger hopes their declining days may be filled with joy and comfort.

Cupid has not yet accomplished all his work in Grapeland, and in the not far distant future wedding bells will ring again.
The following announcements are out:
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Howard invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter Leila to Mr. M. Odell Faris Thursday evening, November the fourteenth, nineteen hundred and seven at half past eight o'clock Methodist Church Grapeland, Texas
Darsey buys turkeys, chickens eggs, hides and peas.

Miss Sa lie Waters of Lovelady now has charge of the central office.
See Darsey's cut prices before spending a dollar any where.
Tax Collector's Dates
I will be at the following places on date opposite each place for the purpose of collecting state and county taxes for the year 1907:
Holly, Wednesday, Nov. 20.
Pennington, Thursday, " 21.
Kennard City, Friday, " 22.
Ratcliff, Saturday, " 23.
Weches, Tuesday, " 26.
Augusta, Wednesday, " 27.
Percilla, Thursday, " 28.
Grapeland, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 29 and 30.
Daly's, Friday, Dec. 6
Ash, Tuesday, " 10
Creek, Wednesday " 11
Antioch, Friday, " 13
Weldon, Saturday, " 14
Lovelady, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 17 and 18.
A. L. Goolsby, Tax Collector.

Six Pairs Buster Brown Shoes.
We are glad to state that we have added six pairs of Buster Brown Shoes to our list of premiums for the boys and girls getting up our Cash Register Checks, we expect a letter from the doll house this week, see our ad next week for the additional premiums to be added to our list of Cash Register Check getters, this is a free proposition to all and the premiums will be distributed according to the amount of cash register checks that each boy or girl gets up by Dec. 14th.
Geo. E. Darsey.

You Read the Other fellow's Ad
You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition; that it will bring business to your store. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is fall-to you. Would it be well to give the other fellow a chance
To Read Your Ad In These Columns

Mollie Bailey's
Big SHOW
Be at
Grapeland
Tuesday
Nov. 12th.

**Preston Stowe
Barber**

EASY SHAVES
STYLISH HAIR CUTS

Shop on Front Street

Agent for
Inceda Laundry

**THE ORIGINAL
LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP**

Cures all Coughs and assists in expelling Colds from the System by gently moving the bowels. A certain cure for croup and whooping-cough.



**KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
HONEY AND TAR**

PREPARED AT THE LABORATORY OF
E. G. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.

Sold by Carleton & Porter

J. N. F. WEEKS G. R. WHITLEY

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ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW**

Offices:
Palestine, Grapeland,
Texas.

**WHITE'S
Cream Vermifuge**



THE GUARANTEED
**WORM
REMEDY**

THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.
BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.
THE GENUINE PREPARED ONLY BY
Ballard-Snow Liniment Co.
ST. LOUIS, MO.
—FOR SALE BY—
CARLETON & PORTER.

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Davis & Murchison

REAL ESTATE DEALERS AND
COLLECTING AGTS.

We Solicit Your Business and
Guarantee Prompt
Service

Grapeland, Texas.

City Livery Stable

J. R. Smith, Prop.

Good Rigs Furnished on
Short Notice.

Special Attention Given
Commercial Men, and trips
made to any part of the
County.

Mr. Cutler Writes.

I promised my family and friends when I left my western home to write them giving the news of this portion of Houston County. I know of no better way than through the Messenger.

Yes, I am once again in my old stamping ground, sitting by my old hearth stone, surrounded by some of my children and grand children and many of my old time friends, but the old home is not like it use to be. The boll weevils and the protracted drouth has done a destructive work in this section, and it places this country in the middle of a bad fix.

Since I arrived I have been busy trying to sell my land and stock, but as yet have been unable to find a buyer. I will probably rent my farm and ship my cattle to the west. Money matters is close—more so than I have seen it before. I have met a great many of my old friends and neighbors and were it so I could would be glad to be with them always, but I can see nothing for this country in the near future.

In a few days I will dispose of my property in some way, and will turn my face to my western home.

The health of this community is good. Will say good bye to all for the present.

G. B. Cutler.
Augusta, Texas, Nov. 3.

"We Have Many Similar."

The following is an extract from a letter received from Mr. H. H. Meyers of Stuttgart, Ark., "You would greatly oblige me if you would introduce Hunt's Lightning Oil at Milligeville, Ill. as I have many friends and relatives there, in whom I am concerned, and I understand the Oil is not kept there. I can recommend it as the best medicine I ever had in my house. It cured me of a bad case of the Bloody Flux in less than a half-hour, and it cured my granddaughter of a bad case of Cholera Morbus in a very short time."

It is the prediction that a financial crisis is at hand. Be that as it may, it is evident things are not just as rosy as they were even a few months ago. In the efforts of the farmers to hold their cotton for 15 cents a very serious condition has been brought about in the business world. The Herald hopes the farmers will be able to get 15 cents for their cotton, but their efforts have brought about a condition that they did not expect, nor even dream of. In holding their cotton they have sewed up the merchant. The wholesalers are now demanding settlements from merchants that the merchants are unable to meet and in many sections the crisis is approaching when either the cotton has got a jar loose or many will have to go into bankruptcy. It is a condition that even the intelligent farmers are at a loss as to how to solve. To precipitate a financial panic the farmer stands to lose infinitely more than he can gain by getting 15 cents for his cotton. It is a condition that the best financial heads of the country are trying to unravel now. The Herald is heart and soul with the farmers. It hopes they may realize all they hope for; and at the same time it fears for the future unless relief comes in some shape pretty soon.—Palestine Herald.

De Witt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made. They do not gripe.—Sold by Carleton & Porter.

Blaming Wrong Ones.

Charles G. Dawes, former comptroller of the currency, addressing the National Civic Federation in session at Chicago criticised Attorney General Bonaparte, the magazine writers and some other people for present day financial conditions. He defended the financiers of New York, asserting that many of them who have borne the lash during the last four years are doing a work for the good of the country, the value of which it is hard to estimate. He further urged the amendment of the anti-trust law so as to avoid embarrassment to the "good trusts."

It is strange that men who take the position Mr. Dawes does have no word of censure for the men whose greed for gold has brought about present day financial conditions. He accuses the attorney general and the magazine writers of attacking the "business interests" of the country and he has much to say of the importance of upholding those interests. But so far as we have seen he has had not one word of censure for those men who have manipulated the banking business to their own selfish ends and who through wildcat speculation have brought on a panicky condition.

Mr. Dawes' words would carry greater weight if he had something to say in condemnation of the wealthy and powerful evil doers of the country.—Bryan's Commoner.

"Nails."

"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching, though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years. I was sorely afflicted and had it to do. One application of Hunt's Cure however relieved my itch and less than one box cured me entirely."

J. M. Ward,
Index Texas.

Good times depend upon the maintenance of public confidence. Fear and distrust are fatal enemies of confidence. The moment business men get scared and people begin to talk hard times, distrust spreads like wildfire. Level headed men say they see no real cause for alarm, but at the same time the perpetual suggestion which is being passed along influences them, and they grow more cautious. Bankers see no breakers ahead, yet they think that they should be conservative, and they begin to call in their loans, which are not quite so gildedged as before. They are also more careful about accommodating their borrowing customers, so that they may be a little better prepared in case anything adverse should happen. Don't talk hard times.

Its Dangerous.

To neglect a cold the results are too often very serious. Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Pneumonia and Consumption are frequently the consequences. Upon the appearance of a cold, sore throat or chest use Simmons' Cough Syrup. It soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm and promptly cures you.

Dr. L. Meriwether was up from La Texo Saturday on business. The doctor is booming the peanut industry and says quite a number of the farmers in his community are becoming interested. The peanut industry promises to become a leading crop in Texas and our farmers should fall in line with the procession.

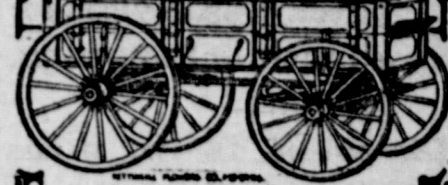
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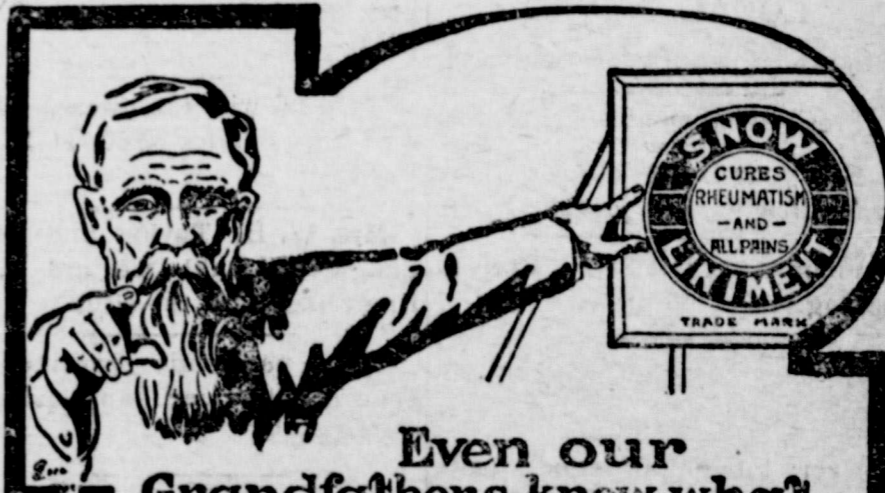
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SAVED BY BROTHER-IN-LAW.

Nervous Man Escaped Ordeal That He Dreaded.

Mr. B—and his brother-in-law are both members of a certain Evangelical church in a city where the weekly prayer meeting forms an important feature. Mr. B—, while regular in his attendance at the church services on Sunday, has seldom been present at the prayer meeting, through fear lest, according to the prevalent custom, he may be called upon either to pray or "give testimony." He is a bashful man, and such an ordeal has extreme terror for him.

But one evening recently he yielded to his brother-in-law's persuasion and formed one of the congregation at the midweek service.

After two or three others had been called upon and responded, the searching eye of the pastor lighted upon Mr. B—. Beaming with approval, and feeling, apparently, that public recognition would be an encouragement to the infrequent visitor, he announced: "And now Brother B— will please lead us in prayer."

The unhappy victim was thunder-struck. Exactly what he had always feared had happened. He was fairly paralyzed with fright, and he knew that even should he open his lips he would not be able to utter a sound.

But what escape was there? The congregation had already devoutly bowed their heads, waiting for him to begin. The delay had become noticeable, and Mr. B—'s torture grew momentarily, when sudden relief came in an unexpected form. His brother-in-law, who is somewhat deaf, nudged him gently, and inquired in an anxious whisper:

"What is the matter, John, did he call upon me to pray?"

"Certainly, Sam," shamelessly responded the other, with ready presence of mind. "He called on you."

The difficulty was solved. Praying and speaking at the meetings were familiar to the brother-in-law, and he took up the task which had been laid upon Mr. B—. The latter breathed freely again, like a man who had escaped a great danger. Some members of the congregation looked surprised, but a look of comprehension passed over the face of the minister, and Mr. B— believes that, should he have courage to attend again, he would be passed over as a silent participant.

Popular Hatred.

Let no man slight the scorns and hate of the people. When it is unjust, it is a wolf; but when it is just, a dragon. Though the tyrant seated high, does think he may contempt their malice; yet he ought to remember that they have many hands, while he hath one neck only. If he, being single, be dangerous to many, those many will to him alone be dangerous in their hate. The sands of Africa, though they be but barren dust and lightness, yet, angered by the winds, they bury both the horse and traveler alive. Against the hatred of a multitude there is no fence but what must come by miracle; nor wealth, nor wit, nor bands of armed men can keep them safe that have made themselves the hate of an enraged multitude. It is thunder, lightning, storm and hail together.

Her Mistake.

"She gave a supper just for the sake of inviting her friends and not inviting her enemies."

"Judging from the comments I have heard on the supper she would have come nearer making a killing if she had invited her friends and left off her enemies."

Nice of Tom.

"Yes," she said, "I always like to go out with Tom."

"But," her friend replied, "he seems so stupid. He hardly ever says anything."

"I know. Still, I can sit and tell him my troubles by the hour and he never lets me know by word or sign that he is being bored."

Overcame All Obstacles.

At 12 years of age Keir Hardie, the well-known labor member of the British parliament, could neither read nor write and the only kind of schooling he received was a rough drilling in the elements of reading, which he obtained by studying books and notices in shop windows. Writing and shorthand Mr. Hardie taught himself, practicing the latter in the coal mine with the aid of a white stone blackened with smoke from his pit lamp and used as a tablet upon which he scratched the symbols with a pin. At 22 he left the pits and became secretary of a miners' union and two years later he obtained a position as sub-editor of a local newspaper at Cumnock, the town in which his present home is situated.

Shakespeare and Surgery.

The fact that Shakespeare was ahead of his times is proved by a line in "The Taming of the Shrew," where one of the characters says: "My master hath appointed me to go to St. Luke's to bid the priest be ready to come, against you come with your appendix."

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."



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Bible Names for Colts.

A hostler from the Blue Grass has just found employment in one of the stables of a New York man. His darky dialect is so quaint and his stories of "Ole Kaintuck" so unique no member of the household misses an opportunity to speak to him and have him say a word.

His employer said to him a few days ago: "I suppose your master down south had a good many horses?"

"Dat we did, sah, dat we did! And my ole master had 'em all name Bible names. Faith, Hope and Charity, Bustle, Stays and Crinoline, was all one Spring's colts!"

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Reason This Out.

An English quarryman was charged with assaulting one of his mates, and when the case was carried into court, an eyewitness of the occurrence gave some curious evidence.

"He tuk a pick an' he tuk a pick," the witness began, "an' he hit him wid his pick, an' he hit him wid his pick; an' if he'd hit him wid his as hard as he hit him wid his, he'd have near killed him, and not him him."

Her Good Advice.

"I am often asked by friends what to do for skin troubles such as Eczema, Ringworm and similar afflictions. I always recommend Hunt's Cure. I consider it the surest remedy for itching troubles of any character there is made."—Mrs. J. I. Hightower, Palmetto, La.

Italians Go to South America.

Italians to the number of 130,000 emigrated last year to South American ports, as against 287,000 who came to the United States.

Why does the average girl bestow more affection on a pet dog when a young man is present than at any other time?

Didn't Need Cyclopedias.

The canvasser for a cyclopedia came to the home of a colonel, whose record he had carefully studied before his visit. The colonel was especially proud of some of his sons, so the canvasser began with:

"Those are very fine boys of yours, colonel."

"They are," replied the colonel.

"I reckon you are ready to buy anything those boys want?"

"I am so," said the father of the fine boys.

"Well, then, let me sell you this cyclopedia. There's nothing will do your sons so much good."

But the colonel looked at him aghast. "Why, them lads of mine don't need any cyclopedia. They ride mules!"

"Makes It Go Away."

We simply can't do without it. We are not going to try. When Bobby stubs his toe, it's "Ma, where's the Lightning Oil?" When Lizzie burns her hand or arm, it's "Where's the Lightning Oil?" When little Dick's been playing with a bumble bee, it's "Where's the Lightning Oil?" The echo of all our afflictions is "Where's the Lightning Oil?" It's the balm that makes the pain go away. Sincerely yours, P. Cassidy, Montevallo, Ala.

Cats as Plague Preventive.

An Italian correspondent of the North China Daily News writes: "The newspapers have latterly been full of all sorts of suggestions for the stamping out of plague. For instance, never kill rats; if you do the fatal rat flea may be driven to feed on you. Also, compel each householder to keep cats. In fact, let the cult of the cat as it prevailed in ancient Egypt be revived in India. Plenty of cats, no rats."

Peculiar Ornament.

An African queen, the second wife of King Lobengula, wears for a headdress on state occasions a carved and decorated bust of her husband's first wife.

Never look upon your work as a refuge from thought, but express your thought in your work.—Phillips Brooks.



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BACKACHE AND DESPONDENCY



MISS LENA NAGEL

Are both symptoms of organic derangement, and nature's warning to women of a trouble which will sooner or later declare itself.

How often do we hear women say, "It seems as though my back would break." Yet they continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, dragging sensations, nervousness and no ambition.

They do not realize that the back is the main-spring of woman's organism and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the feminine organs or kidneys, and that aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed.

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Miss Lena Nagel, of 117 Morgan St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:—"I was completely worn out and on the verge of nervous prostration. My back ached all the time. I had dreadful periods of pain, was subject to fits of crying and extreme nervousness, and was always weak and tired. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me."

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Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.

OLD SORES FED AND KEPT OPEN BY IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

Whenever a sore refuses to heal it is because the blood is not pure and healthy, as it should be, but is infected with poisonous germs or some old blood taint which has corrupted and polluted the circulation. Those most usually afflicted with old sores are persons who have reached or passed middle-life. The vitality of the blood and strength of the system have naturally begun to decline, and the poisonous germs which have accumulated because of a sluggish and inactive condition of the system, or some hereditary taint which has hitherto been held in check, now force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body. The place grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding tissue until it becomes a chronic and stubborn ulcer, fed and kept open by the impurities with which the blood is saturated. Nothing is more trying and disagreeable than a stubborn, non-healing sore. The very fact that it resists ordinary remedies and treatments is good reason for suspicion; the same germ-producing cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore, and especially is this true if the trouble is an inherited one. Washes, salves, nor indeed anything else, applied directly to the sore, can do any permanent good; neither will removing the sore with caustic plasters or the surgeon's knife make a lasting cure. If every particle of the diseased flesh were taken away another sore would come, because the trouble is in the blood, and the BLOOD CANNOT BE CUT AWAY. The cure must come by a thorough cleansing of the blood. In S. S. S. will be found a remedy for sores and ulcers of every kind. It is an unequalled blood purifier—one that goes directly into the circulation and promptly cleanses it of all poisons and taints. It gets down to the very bottom of the trouble and forces out every trace of impurity and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. changes the quality of the blood so that instead of feeding the diseased parts with impurities, it nourishes the irritated, inflamed flesh with healthy blood.

I was afflicted with a sore on my face of four years' standing. It was a small pimple at first but it gradually grew larger and worse in every way until I became alarmed about it and consulted several physicians. They all treated me but the sore continued to grow worse. I saw S. S. S. advertised and commenced its use and after taking it a while I was completely cured. My blood is now pure and healthy from the effect of S. S. S., and there has not been any sign of the sore since S. S. S. cured it. THOS. OWEN, West Union, Ohio.

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Fictitious Impression.
"I cannot help thinking of the wonderful thought displayed in your daughter's commencement essay last June." "Yes," answered Mr. Cumrox, "judging from that essay, you would think she was as much interested in 'The Subservience of Individual Ambition to Eternal Destiny,' as she is in ice cream soda. But she isn't."

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