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ORIENTAL COURTESY.

The Formality of a Welcome to a House in Damascus.

Ased Ullah's house is in what

remains quiet, traversed by appren-

ices upon errands, veiled women in

the way and shout a warning to the wife of Ahmed Ased Ullah, provid-

ng against the scandal of a surprise

in the garden.

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A Lawyer's Opinion on a Lease and a

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called in by a large company and

"Give us your opinion," said the

president. "We have a great deal

The lawyer went through the

"Um-will you tell me what firm

drew up this instrument?" he asked

"For five years we have drawn every

ever found who thoroughly under-

stands the complications and condi-

tions of such transactions as we en-

The attorney's face brightened.

"None whatever," declared the

"Can you discern any flaws?"

"No-emphatically! Mr. Johns,"

continued the attorney, turning to

document with some care, but quick-

Some years ago an attorney was

second-class matter.

SONGRA. TEXAS. -

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Garson S sion of man and beast and noisy trading of the Suk et Tawileh, but

Earth

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on the

Corner

Here, then, upon cushions under the light, with his pens and his tools business of the bazaar and the troublous politics of the town, sits Ahmed Ased Ullah, the writer, unused to the company of travelers from abroad, but mildly wishful for it.

"Your day be happy," says Ahmed Ased Ullah, according to the form, beaming inquisitively over his great spectacles.

"And yours both happy and bless-

"My house," he replies, his interest quite detached from the compliment, genially expressing itself rather in a glowing, diffident smile, childlike in frank delight, "is hon-

ored in your presence."
"But, no," is the protestation; "the honor is to such as may by grace be permitted to visit the homes of the distinguished."

"God forbid," says Ahmed Ased
Ullah, with pious formality, "that it

ould be considered so in this

"God forbid, indeed, that it should be presumed otherwise!"

devotion precisely similar in form Metropolitan Magazine. and sincerity, all the while continuing with remarkable rapidity to jump his finger tips from breast to brow, as if with the determination to multiply his politeness beyond the possibility of being matched, displaying in the ceremony an agility which nothing but lifelong practice could achieve

bowing an invitation to enter.

"It is by your grace." diwan of Ahmed Ased Ullah is accomplished. - Norman Duncan in link and the result is the same.

The Narrow Path. There are occasional doubts in

the minds of the elders of the Morse family as to the quickness of Bobby's wits, but there has never been any doubt that a lesson once learned by him, however slowly, is forever after remembered.

"Won't you shake hands with me, buah pakmah of Malays. The plant ty days confined to the house by ac- Bobby?" asked one of his sister's admirers, but Bobby hung back. "I don't care to," he said, with terrible distinctness.

"Don't you like me?" asked the unwise visitor.

then there was a shocked chorus tion, and mammy swept away the from the family. "Bobby," said his aunt reproach-

public gaze, "why did you say such a rude thing to Mr. Brown?" "Because, aunty," said her wrig-

I shan't never take any risks again!" Pressing.

A Frenchman asked a New Yorker: "What is ze meaning of ze Americaine word 'press?' I have looked in ze dictionaire and find ze exploded Susic.—Judge. press newspapers, ze press ze printing machine, ze press ze grand crowd, ze press for ze cider, ze press importune, to persuade, to squeeze, best guns he could buy. How did What grand language when one leetle word have so many translat peared one night at a sw tion and was vociferous plause of a certain sing ing to the host he cried:

FUGI MOUNTAIN.

The Spell Cast by Japan's Matchless

Other mountains may be painted seems to be a mean quarter of the with some fair degree of truth and town. It is but a seeming. All Da-mascus houses front upon mean frau—but not so Fuji. Its loveli-Quality streets and are hidden and barred. ness is so delicate and its moods so enough underfoot, painted thick no matter how skilled the artist, the with vivid sunshine and deep shadow most he can ever hope to accomplish -a mystery of direction, too, and is only to give some faint idea of its of detail, turning unexpectedly, for- charm of a moment. The spell cast arches and steep alleys, of fenced tombs and wells in the wall. It is ing in the sky is far beyond his but a step from the flowing confu- reach.

Every nature worshiper visiting Japan has fallen in adoration at the foot of Fuji, and foreign writers and poets have followed their Japanese black, who slip along the walls of unfrequented places, sheiks and scribe the feelings with which they have been inspired.

scholars in softly tinted robes. There Who that has seen the snow clad is a gigantic porter at the gate, as at the gates of the men of wealth crest gleaming so white and pure against the deep blue of the winter and quality of the town, to unlock sky will not admit that the mountain is worthy of all the praise that has been bestowed upon it, and

It is not only the physical charms Here, then, upon cushions under the light, with his pens and his tools and his collection of old master-pieces, secluded from the vehement business of the bazaar and the trouany land on earth, but it is also the wondrous web of legend spun around the snowy peak that is as charming and full of delightful mystery and sentiment as the moods of its beauty are capricious and fitful—a delicious combination that marks Fuji as unique among all the mountains of the earth.

Fuji is a dormant volcano—an isolated cone, tapering from a circumference of about a hundred miles at its base to but a fortieth part of that distance at the summit. It cannot be accounted extinct, for at the eastern side of the mountain top the ash is very hot in places, testifying to the presence of fissures leading to the fires below, which may at any time burst forth again.

Tradition tells us that Fuji rose from the earth in a single night, while simultaneously a great de pression appeared in the earth, 150 miles away to the southwest, which is now filled with the waters of Lake

Ahmed Ased Ullah swiftly touches Geologists say that Fuji is but a Biwa. forehead, offering the service of his stroyed its beauty by bursting the heart, his lips, his mind, in agree- crater rim- a fate that usually overer or later.—Herbert G. Ponting in

> Why Foam on Ink Is White. The foam was white.

"How white the foam is!" said the pretty girl in a voice muffled by the sable stole drawn across her red mouth. "Yet the sea is green. Why, then, isn't the foam green?" But the young sophomore laugh-"By your favor," says he at last, ed in derision of such ignorance.

"Gee, you are ignorant!" he said. "Beer is brown, but its foam is And the gentle welcome to the white too. Shake up black ink and you get white foam. Shake up red

"A body that reflects all the light it receives without absorbing any is always white. All bodies powdered into tiny diamond form, so that they throw back the light from many facets, absorb none of it and are white by consequence. Powdered black marble, for instance, is white. And foam is water powdered into these small diamonds, and hence its whiteness," - Cincinnati Enquirer.

Speaking the Truth.

The parson arrived unexpectedly to remain for supper with a large colored family in Kentucky. Im-"No, I don't," replied Bobby, and mediately the cabin was in commoswarm of little pickaninnies with a few well timed warnings and refully as she withdrew him from the minders as to table manners. When supper was ready the possum and taters were tempting, and little Susie watched with despairing eyes gling charge, "I got spanked last the delectable viands diminish and week for not telling the truth, and fade away into nothing ere her turn came. When the parson had almost finished mammy turned to Susie and said:

"Have some mo' possum, honey?" A pair of indignant eyes flashed. "Mo'! I ain't had some yet!"

Schools For Thieves,

In Tokyo . there are regular for ze cotton, ze press for ze girl to schools in which thieving is taught embrace, ze press for ze hat, ze press by professionals. In Japan, as elsefor ze clothes—oh, so many kinds of where, there is honor among ze press I am weary." "Well, mon-thieves, and the entire "thieves' cieur, the press you mean probably colony" in the capital of Japan is means to exert pressure—that is, to governed by rules that are rigorously enforced. Their "codex," or body - "Ah, zat is ze word! Merci! of rules, prescribes that the youngest beggars and thieves shall retain 10 per cent of their earnings; pickpockets of the second class retain from 30 to 40 per cent, while the most skillful thieves keep from 50 to 60 per cent of their earnings!" The greater part of what then remains is employed in keeping the thieves' academies in efficient working order.

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your thorough grasp of this most eighteenth or nineteenth dynasty or difficult branch. In my opinion this instrument is unassailable. It will

hold in the highest court of this "That is what we want your honest opinion," said the president. honest opinion," said the president. one for black and one for red ink
"You have given it, and we are and a lower one for holding reed much obliged to you and shall be pens. The black and the red inks pleased to have a bill for your service. My dear sir, the highest court in the state declared this lease null and void last week, and we lost a \$10,000 suit upon it!"—Circle Mag-

Poet and Creditor.

A Paris contemporary tells this story about Joseph Mery, the French poet: A creditor called one morning early to ask payment of an account. He interviewed the poet give you anything?"

A Borneo Parasite. A famous rarity in the vegetable is one of the most degraded of para-"No firm at all," was the reply. sites, and so completely does it sub- his violent exercise affected his merge itself in the tissues of its host heart, and he died at sixty-four. lease made by our company right in that the only part which ever shows "This is one of the best drawn handle such matters inside your own viting an exterior must possess some organization. I commend your busihidden virtue in the way of compensation. Various species of rafflesia "Can you suggest any improve-are known in Borneo, and, oddly ments?" species of vine (cissus).

Ancient Inkstands. An inkstand that was probably in use 3,400 years ago is in a museum the president's assistant, "I want to in Berlin. It is of Egyptian make congratulate you, as a lawyer, upon and is supposed to belong to the somewhere about 1500 B. C., although its real age can only be judged of approximately. It is made of wood and has two compartments, an upper one provided with two holes, are certainties, for some still remains, in a dry condition, within the receptacles. Another inkstand is supposed to hav been intended for the use of a schoolboy. It would certainly hold ink enough for a schoolboy's needs, for it has no fewer than four ink holes. Both

inkstands were found at Thebe.

OLD FASHIONED SHOOTING. The Record of Lord Malmesbury and

Slow Firing Guns. sides being one of the best shots of settle the account. "With pleasure," most painstaking and careful chronreplied Mery. "Have the goodness icler of his sport who ever fired a to open the first drawer of that cab- gun. For forty seasons, ending "I have, sir," replied the with the year 1840, he kept a reccreditor, "but there is nothing ord of every cartridge he fired and there." "Indeed? Well, try the next." "There is nothing in it." may have a parallel, but is hardly May 29, 1909, "That is strange. Try the third." likely to be beaten. He fired in all "There is nothing in there either."

"Look on the mantelshelf." "But it is the same as the drawers." "It which he did not add to his figures; is increditable. Have you looked they were the birds he killed when on the table?" "Yes." "And in he hit more than one with the same the secretaire?" "Yes, and there is shot. As for walking, there never nothing." "In my clothes?" "Yes; was such an untiring pursuer of I have turned out all the pockets." every bird and beast that could be entered in a game book. He calcurated the could be entered in a game book. greatest composure, "if there is no lated that he was out for four hours money in the drawers or on the a day for ninety days in the year, of this sort of legal business, and it mantel or on the table or in the sec- which made 14,480 hours' walking is only fair to say that your opinion retaire or in my pockets, how in the in forty years, and since he walked may mean much to us and to yourname of all that's wonderful can I at the rate of two and a half miles an hour he remarks that in all he must have covered 36,200 miles, cumference of the globe." He was world of Borneo is the rafflesia, the never in bed for a day and not thircident or illness, though, to be sure,

The list of his hits and misses are mend it to man. It appears, how- which would be likely or possible their slow firing guns and their bad shot patterns they managed to kill even one bird in four. "A gun never shoots twice alike," Colonel Hawker wrote, and he shot with the

> great-grandchildren would not bur- French importance, our visi den a keeper with, they did contrive to shoot as well as we do, and somehow the pictures made of them while they were shooting give you the idea that they enjoyed the me ze grand favor! shooting more.—London Spectator. ze lady to sing one n

The second Lord Malmesbury, bein bed and expressed sorrow at havsides being one of the best shots of
ment with the polite custom, and
takes mountains of this nature soon-

"very nearly once and a half the cir-

this office. My subordinate here, itself to the external world is the particularly interesting when you Mr. Johns, is the only man we have enormous flower. The diameter of compare his records of shots at birds the flower measures about two feet. like snipe and woodcock, which were The odor is repulsive, and there is as difficult to hit in his day as they not one feature of beauty to recom- are in ours, with the kind of figures ever, to hold an important place in with modern guns. In the season the pharmacopoeia of the natives, 1819-20, for instance, Lord Malleases I have ever examined," he who perhaps imagine that the plant mesbury fired eighty-three shots at said heartily. "You are wise to to which nature has given so unin- woodcock and bagged forty-five, and out of 411 shots at snipe he actually got 216, which is somewhat better than one out of two. Any snipe shot today would be pleased with a enough, their hosts are invariably record of three out of five, taking the wilder, twistier snipe of late autumn and winter with the home bred snipe killed in August and September. You read these records and those of men like John Mytton, who would make a point of invariably killing fifty brace of partridges to his own gun on the first day of the season, and wonder how with

> they manage it? Somehow, with guns which their Being a gentleman of no

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Circles Has Desirable Features."

The feature of the week in a offers advantages throughout the near San Angelu. heated term which are plainly evident.

Five hundred furnished the di version after which a delightful! Alexander J. Chandler, Mrs. Ralph Palmer, Mrs. Louise Palmer, Mrs W. Lee, Mrs. Joseph Lee, Mrs. A. C. McQueen, Mrs. Ruth Huber, Mrs. Harry L. Chandler, Mrs. George Scott and Mrs. George W. Silverthorn. - Mesa (Arizma) Free

Never Fails

out fail such troubles in my family be realized. as Eczema, Ringwerm, and all others of itching character. That remedy is Hunt's Cure. We always use it and it never fails. W.M. Christian, Rutherford, Cenn.

in Sonora several days this week to the plan selected. The boys gave Tom a warm recep

One of the Strongest in the West return mail.

W. L. Aldwell, cashier of the First National Bank at Sonora, returned Tuesday, from Houston. where he had been attending the Household Coods For Sale Banker's Convention. The First Consisting of three sets of bed National Bank of Sonera, is one room furniture, dining room and of the strongest financial institu kitchen furniture, chairs, table tions in West Texas. San Angelo etc.. Will sell any or all. Standard May 15.

Be More Careful in Time.

The auto operators in Sonora, have so far been fortunate in avoid ing accidents as to life and limb of would be pleased to learn of their a young man named Kelley, wantpedesterian and this is indeed a whereabouts. The yearling nan ed in San Saba county, charged like a 16 year-old boy," he writes, was surprised to learn that the Duke blessing or we might say a miracle nies are marked swallow fork the with criminal assault on a 12 year Now boys and men be careful. It right; I and 2 year old muttons, old girl. The party had been seen tric Bitters. For thirty years Kid-directed a scathing epigram, had of provisions. I cannot tell yet is really remarkable how skilfully crop and under slope the left; three in Sonora and Sheriff Allison plan- ney trouble made life burden, but spoken in his favor. He hastened what it will cost to board myself, you handle your cars, experience right, crop and under hit the left. considered, but our streets are These goats were ranging on the could put them on the trail. The medicine convinced mel had found narrow and children do a great Millard ranch 12 miles north of arrest was made 15 miles north of the greatest cure on earth." They eral subjects, and De Tressan found provisions, besides room rent, fue deal of the shopping. They are Sonora Address not accustomed to the fastness of the auto and the operator of a car should take into consideration the conditions and confide his "skill I will sell at a bargain one coming ful" handling and demonstration three-year-old bull raised by Lee of speed to the public roads or Bros., of San Angelo. I bought pastures.

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Gus Noyes of Ballinger, was in Sonora Monday and received 563 SOCIETY IN MESA, ASIZONA. head of Hereford yearings and "An Inovation in Mesa Social 2 year old heifers purchased from Sol Mayer of Sogora at \$18 per

Irve Ellis of Menardville was in social way was the party given by Sonora Friday on steer business. Mrs J L Waring and Mrs. Roy He received 320 from J E Rob McCormick at the house of the bins and 250 from J. O Taylor former in honor of Mrs James A. In the Ellison fit were Bud, Pik Hagerland, who is a guest in the and Ace Ellis, Will E tes, Fred city from Sonora, Texas. The Crawford, Gilbert. Si and Jo Ellis Saturday morning party is rather and Lamar Wilkerson. The cattle an innovation for Mesa but it will be taken to the Ellis pasture

150,000 Pounds to Kerrville

E. F. Vander Stucken Co., of lunch was served. Those present Sonora, 20,000 pounds of the choice Sonora, have in their warehouse in were: Mrs. James A. Hagerlund, mohair of the Devil's River Coun try, but Mr. Vander Stucken says the market for mobair is upex Jao. W. Hagerlund, Mrs. O.ive P | Plainable du l and no sales are Dawley, Mrs. Throup, Mrs Horace being made at present. The spring elip of this firms customers wool, probably 150,000 pounds, is being shipped to Kerrville to be sold by the veteran wool man, Captain Charles Schreiner. Mr. Vand r. Stucken thinks that good prices will be received for this seasons clip as the wool is particularly light this season. Between 18 to There is one remedy, and only 20 cents per pound is expecied and one I have ever found, to cure with it is hoped the expectations will

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An Important Arrest.

Sheriff John S. Allison of Sonora Sheriff Charlie Hartley of DelRio, iest Sonora Wednesday at noon in About April 6 or 7 I missed 125 Sheriff Allison's auto in pursuit of in the Sonora jail at 2 o'clock 50c. at Allison's Pharmacy. Thursday morning. Sheriff Hartley and party took him to Del Rio

> J. A Allison was in from his swer country calls promptly. try Friday trading.

Mr. and Mrs. U.S. Holcomb were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J A. Cope.

John Hurst bought the interest of his partner Walter Wyatt in the Ice Cream Parlor.

Our old time friend Parson W. Baker ranch Thursday, attending Ozona and Rocksprings. to some business.

and will be pleased to have his leased a shop. The News regrets friends patronize him.

tin Thursday where he visited his is no better blacksmith than he. parents and received medical attention and a much needed rest.

was in Sonora this week from his range. Troubles never come singranch on the Divide 25 miles south ly though, and a Mexican herder of town.

day for his old home in East Ten. were in the pens two nights and a nessee on a visit to his father and mother. He will meet his wife in San Angelo and go by way of New Orleans. Sunday will be his last day here for preaching for some time and he is anxious for all who will can to be present. Subject for Sunday night:- 'No Night in Wedr Heaven."

Lived 152 Years.

Wm Parr. England's oldest man should be youthful at 80. James wit and grace. ed the Del Rio officers that he the first bottle of this wonderful to call on him and thank him. San Augelo on the Robert Lee are a godsend to weak, sickly run-

Dr. L. L. Craddock bought the with a mischievous but kindly smile: seems to be about as low as good Mitchell runabout from Dr. Jarna gin and will now be able to an-

Harvey & Williams the salt conin from the ranch Thursday the Allison ranch with 12,000 pounds

There will be a dance at the Court House ih Sonora Wednes. has been engaged for the occasion and a number of visitors are ex-W. Baker was in from the R. T. pected from Menardville, Eldorado

Fritz Husbner, the blacksmith. W. W. Wellmaker has taken will leave with his family for Com charge of the short order house stock next week, where he has to see Fritz leave but hopes the Washington to whom an unneces-W. J. Fields returned from Aus. move will be to his benefit. There sary or inane question is as a red dows or balconies of certain houses

G.P.Hill was in town Thursday. Giles is still in the dry belt but Stanly Green, the cattleman, will move his cheep to better left his yearling wether flock in Rev. C. T. Davis leaves on Mon. pens and came to town. The sheep were in the pens two nights and a "Yes!" growled the professor.

ixie Show

French Tact

A pleasant story is told of how not stop until they were all gone." -married the third time at 120, one of the Dukes de Nivernois show-Sheriff Charlie Hartley of DelRio, worked in the fields till 132 and M. H. Wright State Ranger and E. lived 100 pears larger Poorle forget. His olive branch was ex-

how to remain young. "I feel just to the French academy in 1780. He writer says:

no opportunity to refer to the past lights, etc., which will swell the road and the prisoner was placed down or old people. Try them. or to make the embarrassed apology amount to at least \$1.50. The sturbed and the prisoner was placed down or old people. Try them. which he would no doubt have of- dents generally, so far as I have asfered but for his host's tact. Just certained, pay from \$1.50 to \$1.7 as he was leaving the duke said, per week for table board, and \$3

Tennyson in Playful Mood. Tennyson's simplicity would sometractors of Odessa, were in Sonora times find vent in almost boyish when one day she came to her moth-Friday on their way to the George freaks. One evening, at Farring er and said, "Mother, dear, I's so ford, he was seized with the idea nervous!" that he would like to dress up one day night, June 2. Special music with a burned cork disfigured her young to be nervous. But Louise pretty face, daubing upon it a heavy | insisted, and her mother finally askblack mustache and imperial, and ed her how it felt to be nervous. then retreated to the other side of the room to gaze with manifest de- shoulders up and clinching her fists ight upon the result of his handi- tightly, "I des feel in a hurry all work. - From "Some Early Victo- over me."-Delineator. rians," by J. Comyns Carr.

What They Were Doing.

rag to a bull. whom he had not seen for years. "Why, professor!" exclaimed the can Herald. man. "To meet you, of all men!

"Are you?"—Harper's Weekly.

Heartburn, sour risings, belching, dull, beavy feeling and such Fre next things are all caused by indigestion. Kodol stops them by digestune 2. ing all the food you eat. Sold by the Allison Pharmacy.

LOST CLASSICS.

Not One Work of Menander or Varre Remains to Us.

What with barbarism, religious could have remained to us of the literatures of Greece and Rome but for their almost inexhaustible

Of Sappho we possess only an ode or two and quoted fragments. Her works were burned in the eleventh century by order of the great Hildebrand. Addison says by way of consolation that they were "filled with such bewildering tenderness and rapture it might have been dangerous to give them a reading." Of 108 comedies of Greek domes-

tic life, the work of Menander, a writer whose field was never occupied by anybody else and whose purity of style Plutarch declares to have been surpassed by Home alone, not even what may be called a fragment remains. Stray lines are quoted here and there. Twenty four of the plays are known to have existed until the seventeenth century, when they were erased from their rolls to make space for the works of an ecclesiastical writer. Of the 276 dramas of the great

Greek tragedians, Aeschylus, Sophocles and Euripides, only thirty-two are possessed by the world today. The brilliant Livy, to whom Macaulay, among moderns, is often likened, wrote 140 volumes or rolls of his "Annals" of Rome. Of these

only thirty-five remain to us. Of the thirty historical volumes of Tactitus we have four. Of Pliny the elder, the sole great

naturalist of the Roman race, but one work has escaped destruction. Varro, a Latin biographer, placed by common consent beside the otherwise incomparable Plutarch, is totally lost to us.

Of Caesar's orations, for which his contemporary fame was as great as for his generalship or statesmanship, not one has been preserved .-Exchange.

Two Faced Meanness. "Talk about mean men," said the

retired professional burglar; "I met one one night that beats them all. "It was like this. I was just packing up some of the silverware from the dining room sideboard when he stole softly downstairs and had his gun at my head before I was aware of his presence. I pleaded with him to let me go and promised to re-

"But he had no mercy and marched me straight to the pantry, where seven large pies loomed up before

"Do you see those pies?" he said. "Then eat every one of them,' and he pressed the cold steel to my head. That man was so mean that he acually made me eat those seven pies When I had finished he released me, and I didn't even get credit for the feat, for as I passed under his bedroom window I heard him say: "Yes, dear, I was so hungry and your pies were so good that I could

College Life In 1853.

Anglin of Langtry, River Guard, lived 20 years longer. People tended with characteristic French the medical school of the University of Michigan in 1853 tells of the Wright, of Spuriock, Ky, shows The Count de Tressan was elected cost of living in those days. The

> "It will cost me much more to "after taking six bottles of Elec. de Nivernois, whose enemy he had once owing principally to the high price been and against whom he had once owing principally to the high price but think that I cannot safely esti-The conversation turned on gen- mate it at less than \$1 per week for "Ah, monsieur, you see how in board can be obtained, including growing old I have lost my mem- room, fuel, lights, etc."-Michigan Alumnus.

Her Diagnosis Correct. Louise was just four years old

Her mother, believing the child HAY AND CRAIN. of Mrs. Cameron's nieces in the was repeating words she had heard garb of a man. He got one of his some older person say, told her to own long coats from the hall and run on and play—that she was too

She answered, drawing her little

How Rooms Are Rented In Mexico. Strangers sometimes mildly won-There is a government official in der what newspapers or sheets of blank paper are tied on the winfor. A sheet of paper thus arranged Last summer he made his usual is a sign meaning that there are trip to Europe. On the first day out rooms to rent in the house on from New York he was strolling on which it is displayed and is just as ALL KINDS OF STONE AND the promenade deck when suddenly significant in its import as three there appeared before him a man golden balls over a pawnbroker's shop are in other countries. Mexi-

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No Need of Thirst In a Desert Where the Bisnaga Grows.

the plant is very valuable.

man who is tortured by thirst and or danger, life or death, but which rally, of course, this gave the Indians heat can draw from it a cool and would mean to such a man, indeed, no something to think of in the night copious drink of water which surcopious drink of water which surpasses the ambrosia of the gods. In Arizona in summer a man needs shout two large college of water a about two large gallons of water a monotony, was something more excit- cavalry, went on the trail, which was be supplied from the bisnaga.

some water in this way. With his have seen men lynched. These things we were greatly annoyed at times on some water in this way. With his machete, which is really an Iowa to what I have felt when out alone on corn cutter of Mexican antecedents a scout. the trail. Next a smooth green when some extremely dangerous mission had to be undertaken the scout could give my red brothers a surprise. stick. It is necessary to choose for this purpose a tree that does not kind of battering ram the flavor of

tus meat began to fly like the sparks one and had what is called a "lead fort with hasty grass fires and "smoke pulp were lost because there was had only himself to look out for, and about fifteen good marksmen,

wash himself. This done, he pro- ger and even game. The fact that striker, Bill White, announced Indians into the valley, and that had to be it dry and throw it away.

By alternate squéezings and poundings about three pints of and we stepped up and drank.

Pawnbrokers' Snops.

Pawnbrokers' shops were first esablined from motives of charity in diffeenth century. Their object was to lend money to the poor upon pledges without interest. They were first supported by voluntary contributions, but it became necessary to charge interest upon the money loaned. These banks were first called "montes pietatis," the word "mont" being applied to any pecuniary fund, and it is possible that "pictatis" was added to give it an air of religion and so obtain larger subscriptions. The montes pictatis" were also called "Lombards," from the name of the original money lenders, the Lombards, who came to London in the reign of Edward I. and established themselves in the street which bears their name and which in the reign of Queen Elizabeth was the handsomest street in London.-London Home Notes.

"Welsh Rabbit" Parallels.

It is to be feared that the namer as well as the inventor of the "Welsh rabbit" is lost in antiquity. As early as the eighteenth century, when Grose expounded the vulgar tongue, the false "rarebit" derivation had crept in. "Welsh rabbit" is exactly parallel with "Scotch woodcock" and may be compared many other delicacies. Thus, a baked sheep's head used to be known as a "Field lane duck," a red herring as a "Glasgow magistrate," turkey" is a codfish, and a "prairie oyster" is a drink. And the "colonial goose" of Australia represents mings .- London Chronicle.

Took Him on Probation.

she was a tiny baby, and for four years she had ruled her mother and every one with whom she came in contact. Much to her surprise she was one day introduced to a "new papa." She looked him over carefully, then, after much coaxing, she climbed upon his knee and listened here we just won't have you for our husband!"—Delineator.

Allisons Pharmacy.



burdensome and oppressive to a man who was traveling along plant. In a book caled "Campfires no one to see but himself, his horses, on Desert and Lava" W. T. Horn- a boundless level of prairie grass, the aday describes a barrel or bisnaga blue sky above, with its sun by day cactus, a deeply fluted and elabo- and its stars by night. At first the rately "spined" plant. The tradi- question seemed strange, but I soon understood how a man who has lived tion is that every bisnaga always all his life in daily touch with Broadleans to the south. A majority of way might go melancholy mad in a them do lean in that direction, but they are not absolutely to be dethey are not absolutely are not absolutely are not absolut Here is our experience: On the crazed. I have watched street riots, I third day out we stopped to get have witnessed royal pageants, and I Getting fresh meat for Fort Sheridan,

There is no need of thirsting in police at Chester, Pa., near Philadel-Generally I preferred, like others, gog alone, as then I had only myself to look out for.

I took Kershaw with me often, as I knew the country was infested with



The bugle call threw them into confusion. with the humorous nicknames of large bands of Indians, when it was too dangerous to travel in daytime and your object could be best accomplished in the night. His value as "a striker" can be best explained by the following a "Norfolk capon" or a "two eyed ing the day in a well wooded box cansteak," potatoes have appeared as you, near a little stream of water, with ing and extreme gentility. A blizzard "Irish apricots" or "Munster plums," plenty of grass for the horses to browse arose. Fortunately we were near shell more, I found the trail of their horses and "Gravesend sweetmeats" were on, and at the same time we were hid- ter in the shape of some bluffs and and wagons where they had crossed shrimps. In America a "Cape Cod den from view. Toward evening, when scattered wood. When the blizzard and by the hoof tracks located the dinial goose" of Australia represents band of Indians assembled down the the wind cutting and sharp. a leg of mutton with savory trim- canyon to camp for the night. Mountbackward in the woods, we remained Elizabeth's father had died when concealed until they had settled down. see that they did not become drowsy, There was no way to get out except a and on my return I found indications dash through the Indian village. We of numbness and drowsiness even in dared not stay till daylight, as they the case of the lieutenant. I aroused

Smashes All Records.

and health-builder no other pills cuts, sprains bruises, bumps, burns things he would do for her mother can compare with Dr. King's New or scalds Don't neglect such things and her, finally asking whether she Life Pills. They tone and regulate -they may result serious if you would love him just a little. She stomach, liver and kidneys, purify do. Apply Ballard's Snow Lini looked him squarely in the eye and the blood, strengthen the nerves; ment according to directions right said, "Yes, if you do all you prom- cure Constipation Dyspepsia Bili. sway and it will relieve the pair ise I may like you, but I tell you ousness, Jaundice H. adache Chills and heal the trouble. Price 25c, now, if you try to be boss around and Malaria. Try them 25c at 50c and \$1 00. Sold by J Lewen-

HAVE been many times asked if might find our trail, and they would the solitude of the plains was not have us corralled, so we quietly waited until they had settled down, when we mounted and sneaked toward the edge pass and a well is indeed a useful some of the vast expanses of the west, of the village, where there was an avewhere for hundreds of miles there was nue of escape. Their faithful dogs, of course, alarmed the camp, so the best we could do was to make a dash out, wheel and fire as quick as we could, and Kershaw with his faithful bugle blew the charge. Riding quickly around the village, we made another little firing at them and sounded the bugle charge again. A repetition of this at another point and a bugle charge threw them into confusion, stampeded their ponies, prevented pended upon. As a well, however, its voices. There was a multitude of their quick mounting, and while they things around him to arouse interest, went in one direction bold Kershaw and In times of stress for water the which to the plainsman meant safety myself were riding in another. Natuday. Part or all of this water can ingly fierce than anything I had seen followed for two days, and the Indians

generally out with the same object. and Connecticut manufacture, the | Consequently the scout on duty was | Many a hot skirmish or many a run doctor deftly cut off the upper part compelled to invent ruses of his own for it was necessary. Buffalo naturalof a fine specimen that stood beside to assist him in emergency. And ly were some distance from the fort, whittled to the shape of a pounding often puzzled the commander by re- In a run for it a few miles from the fusing aid in the shape of a squad or fort was a hogback that furnished a any chosen number of soldiers to accompany him. But actually it was the often noticed that it had a long, deep, yield bitter wood, for with the wrong part of discretion to do so, as going bushy ravine. It was in the nature alone or with one or two chosen com- almost of a natural fortification. So I the drink might easily be impaired. rades whom you knew to be true blue thought how I could get them to re-The central surface of the decapi- was a precaution that favored your peat their many attacks on me when I tated bisnaga was attacked with own safety, as every scout naturally ran to this particular point, from this pounder, and white bits of cac- picked the very best mounts and rode which I could signal for help to the from an anvil. Several handfuls of horse," well trained, to follow and that talked." Buffaloes were at the stand by him in every emergency. He time plentiful, so I secured Kershaw nothing to hold them, but presently with a good lead horse in a race for with provisions for the trip, and startlife had a fresh remount. Therefore ed out before daylight for the hunt, and over fifty miles from wood and The man whose hands were the I always kept myself well provided Hiding the soldiers in this ravine, we water. This wood and water were in a cleanest was invited to take out with well trained steeds, who became proceeded on our journey and had not some of the waterlogged pulp and wonderfully proficient in scenting dan- the wagons half filled before my one gap which would furnish descent ceeded to take out the pulp, squeeze your horses were unshed was another in the distance, "and a big band, too," reached by careful attention to direct to settle at once. Otherwise their puzzle to a trailing Indian, as a shod said Bill. Away we went for the hogcommonly did, and at a distance of bout seventy-five yards from the am-

> fresh meat. A country of such vast expanse, unsettled save for a few forts as places campaign in winter, with the blizzard | yells and paeans of joy. conditions, not only hazardous and combated attended by excruciating suf- command had been sent to reconnoite feated Napoleon in his winter cam-

paign in the region about Moscow. one occasion I was out with some of the Fifth cavalry under the command of Lieutenant Bache, a descendant of Benjamin Franklin and a member of a well known Philadelphia family and, by the way, a magnificent young officer, who in various campaigns showed incident: On one occasion we slept dur- a bravery and dash that one would not associate with his aristocratic bear-

out for their men from the cold and

Boys will be Boys

iim and appealed to him to pull himself together, but he was just in the humor to resent it. In consequence 1 had to take the law into my own hands and shake him up in lively style. first taking the precaution of slipping his revolver and placing it out of his reach. As he did not respond to my efforts on the horse, I simply dismounted, pulled him from the horse and used him in what one would think a rather rude and rough manner. In fact, I had to make a punch bag and football out of him, much to the astonishment of some of the young troopers, who came up and were going to avenge my apparent discourtesy to their officer, though some of the older men explained its necessity. Eventually I got the lieutenant on his feet, and while our horses were being taken care of an old sergeant and myself hustled him along on a little foot race until we got test our his blood in circulation, and so, overcoming the danger, we eventually arrived safely at the fort.

On another occasion when out with General Eugene A. Carr, with whom I consulted and who, by the way, was one of the best posted and equipped the roster of the army, we both con-cluded that on account of the peculiar balmy condition of the weather a blizzard would be the next thing in orde as we were then in a bleak country



In the blinding blizzard lower country, where there was only

man's presence or the proximity of the man's presence or the proximity of the the Indians gaining on us every min- of the wind, we had not gone far be- nands of an attorney for collection horse print gave him a clew to a white back, and it was lickety split, with Starting early and getting the point military. One of my ruses was to ute. We reached it, threw our wagons fore old Boreas began his revels. Genwhite water were soon accumulated, take with me a bugler of the Fifth into position, packed our buffalo hams and we stepped up and drank.

| take with me a bugler of the Fifth into position, packed our buffalo hams the commanding officers of companies to cavalry named Kershaw, who developed up and drank. It was surprisingly cool, a trifle oped a capacity for comradeship in sweet and in flavor like the finest such adventures. Kershaw, after redead grass to make a signal. The Interest the men and to quirt them in case of due me. tiring from the army, became chief of dians, seeing it, knew that relief any of them succumbing to the cold. police at Chester, Pa., near Philadel-would come and they hadn't a modesert where the barrel cactus phia, and died there several years ago. ment to lose if they wanted our scalps. was necessary for me to go by the On they came, dashing around. My- wind and not flinch from it, for in the self and teamsters and five or six of blinding blizzard we would all soon be as banging away at them, they cir- lost. The direction brought the wind cled around and drew off, as they against my left ear, and, as the storm soon became so blinding that even a black horse could not be seen ten feet bush. As usual, they bunched togeth- from the picket ropes, lariat lines were er, listening to the wrangle of the scattered along to guide the men, who south east of Sonora, and other chief. Bang! Bang! Bung! And the kept so close almost as to touch each ranches cwned and controlled by old Winchesters began to talk from horse's tail. But I dared not change the ravine, while Kershaw with his my position for fear of losing the dibugle blew the charge, the Indians rection, so for eight hours I held my tumbling here, there and everywhere left cheek and ear against the storm without my permission, will be out of their saddles, the rest scattering and, of course, suffered greatly from prosecuted to the full extent of with the speed of jack rabbits in all frostbite. I dared not dismount, as directions. Assembling on the distant did many of the others, General Carr hills, they realized that the jig was himself walking nearly all the disup, particularly when they saw the tance, leading his horse. I had stuffed cavalry coming in the distance. Some- my ear with a piece of saddle blanket, how or other during the remainder of but notwithstanding that the eardrun the season they never seemed to mo- was frozen, and for a time it gave me lest the butcher wagon with the same intense pain and suffering, and up to appetite. And the fort always had the present day it has quite affected my hearing on that side. But by this pertinacity we reached the gap, and when I had made the point successof refuge and succor so comparatively fully and the descent down into the few in number as to be, as it were, like canyon became assured there were pebbles on the seashore, rendered the never 1,500 men who let out such

> On another occasion I had a very trydangerous, but even if successfully ing experience when General Penrose's fering. This the old army officers and the surrounding country by General soldiers of the early campaigns will Sheridan and were known to have been never forget, the physical discomforts somewhere in a blizzard. Not hearing and mental worrying with climatic from them for several days, we knew conditions far excelling those that de- they were up against it, but as all trails were covered and obliterated by the drifting snow it was a serious I relate two or three examples. On problem to find them. General Carr, of course, consulted with me in the mat ter, and he relates the incident in detail in "Carr's Campaigns" of my suc cess in finding the men. In this instance, knowing in what direction they had gone, I had to travel fifteen miles to find a ridge that they would cross and that the storm would blow the snow away from and leave bare. Fol-On coming back from the lead to con- extent that the horses and mules had ed as they were, it was useless for us sult with Lieutenant Bache I passed eaten the manes and tails off each to attempt flight, so, moving farther by him to caution the sergeants to look other. Returning the next day, relief



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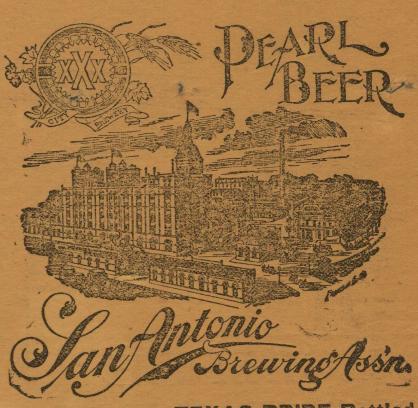
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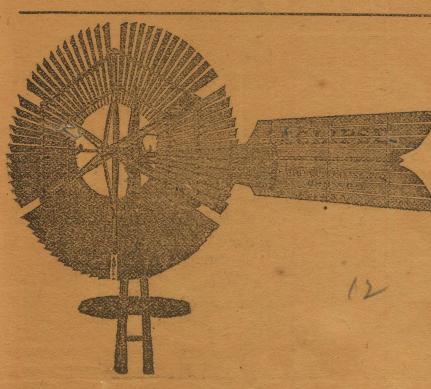
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SamMcKee the cattlemen whose ranch is 25 miles south of Sonora, was in town Tuesday.

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Sonora last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Owens were in the Joe Ross pasture. Troy says his cotton and other crops are up and doing nicely.

Miss Myrtle Davis returned last wook from Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis and children are still at the Welle where they

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stokes left for San Angelo Tuesday with their long time. It is thought the little fellows leg will have to be ampu-

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which had been set for May 31, at nesday trading. San Angele, was on Wednesday continued for the term as was also

Luther Thorp, the tonsorial artist from Sherwood is back in Sonora again. Mr. Thorp is hold

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills quickly relieve backache weak back, pains in the groin, to E.C. De Witt & Co. Chicago, for ranch, were in Sonora Monday. son Pharmacy.

Bart De Witt returned Saturday church. from their visit to Brackettville. They were accompanied by Misses Sadie Dooley, sister of Mrs. Cor.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY,

During the life of Queen Victoria of England, May 24 was a national in all British posessions because it years I was afflicted with a form was "The Queen's Birthday," and was celebrated much the same as almost unbearable itching. I could our Fourth of July. On the 24th neither work, rest nor sleep in of May this year, Miers Savell, peace. Nothing gave me permason of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Savell, Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora was 6 years old and the young American wanted a party. That settled it and between 4 and 6 o'clock Monday afternoon the house. lawn and grounds was turned over S.E.Gilbert moved his family to to the following hopefule: Knox Carl Gunzer was in town Tues. Frank Dacker, Beanell Wheat, Acie Gailey, Herman Heubner, DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Will and Mart Drennan, George Ernest Ward, Taylor and Fordie needay on business. Beard, Buster Halbert, Joe North, Joe Logan was in from the Sam Word, Edna Fowler, Lois Ward, ness. Mrs. C. T. Davis and babies left Marie Lowrey, Alice, Grace and for Miles last week on a visit to Evalyn Trainer, Josie May Bellows, nie Brown were in town shopping to Mr. and Mrs. J. H Luckie a Edna Ward, Velma Savell, Ger Sonora. trude North, Linden Barton, Ben Bellows. Newell Hayes, Luther

> After the children had played the limit their vigorous young an | sen Pharmacy. petites were satisfied with cake, R. F. Steen was in from his ranch

After the party Bart C. DeWitt like some more. cox a picture of the crowd.

gain I know what to get," de- on the summer range. clares Mrs. A. L. Alley of Beals, of Dr. King's New Discovery, and vinced it is the best medicine made | Sold by the Allison Pharmacy. Uoughs. Colds and lung trouble." Everyone who tries it feels just Will Hodges book-keeper on the that way. Relief is felt at once City, Monday, where he had been G. W. Whitehead & Sone ranch in and its quick cure surprises you with T. D. Newell's goats. Ward Val Verde county, was a visitor in For Bronchitis, Asthma, Hemor. did not seem to have been effected rhage, Croup, LaGrippe, Sore by the sights he had seen, but felt Toroat, pain in the chest or lungs more at home in Sonora. in Senera Monday, from their farm its supreme. 50c. and \$1 00. Trial Gus Noyes, the Ballinger nattle bottle free. Guaranteed by the man was in Sonora Munday. While Allison's Pharmacy.

> of precinct No. 2, was a business on his farm at Munardville, visitor in Sonora Wednesday.

nora on June 13.

A most enjoyable dance was son Hiram, who has been ill for a hall, in honor of Misses Dooley and Veliman of Brackettville.

proving fast.

young. Now is the time to reno. M. M. Parkerson and sisters Mrs. prosperous business man of E. vate yourself. Simmon's Sarsa- Cope and Mrs. Stanley this week. Paso, was in Sonora Saturday. Max W. E. Duabar, the cattle and

geat man, who ranches 12 miles admirers in Sonora, Max says The Coleman Whitfield case south of Sonora was in town Wed. Mrs. Mayer and children are in

E. E. Roberts bas gone to Mo-San Saba before returning.

ing down Mr. Roberts chair during Wednesday. He is pleased with houses. the laters absence on a fishing the rains and delighted with his crop of colts. Grass fine and every. firm of Murrah & Smith of Devil's thing lovely.

church will hold services in Sonora Sharp Mr. and Mrs. James Cornell and on June 4, 5 and 6th at the Baptist

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Notaries Appointed

John T. Cooper will prove that legislature: H P. Allison, G P. State Bank coon to begin business

Beyond Expression

G. W. Farlowe, East Florence, Ala., writes: "For nearly seven of skin disease which caused an nent relief until I tried Hunt's Cure. One application relieved me: one box cured me, and though a year has passed, I have stayed cured. I am grateful beyond ex-

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T. L. Beason the big merchant salve is good for cuts, burns and and Lum Trainer, Louis Fowler, of Eldorado, was in Sonora Wed-

Ida Halbert, Nellie Rountree, Lora McKnight ranch Monday on busi-

Guida Lowrey, Flora and Mary Tuesday from the Brown and Bur Born on Saturday May 22, 1909. Kirkland, Della May Drennan, ney ranches eight miles north of

> De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver plils, small gentle and sure. Sold by the Alli-

lemonade, oranges, candy, etc. in the Franks Defeat country, All the guests bought a little token Thursday for supplies. He reports some rain and bail but would

R H. Chalk was in Sonora Tuesday. Rus says the sheep are doing Won't Slight A Good Friend fine now and a little or much more "If everI need a cough medicine rain will put the finishing touches

Me., "for, after using ten boutles pills are antiseptic and relieve pain DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder seeing its excellent results in my Send your name to E. C. De Witt own family and others, I am con- & Co., Chicago, for a free trial box

Ward Hill returned from Kansas

here he learned that the hail storm of last week had ruined the 'ready W.Bascom Smith, commissioner to harvest" orop of cale and wheat

Arthur Mills was in Sonora Tues. Rev. B. Mercer of the Episcopal day from his eight section ranch are being much benefited by the church will hold services in So. in the Heward Wells country. Arthur was on the lookout for a trade of any kind.

And the next thing is dipping the cattle. The rains having been partial in a double sense, those who have had the rains should W. M. Ledtord the jolly drum | now prepare to dip. It went take mer was in Sonora Tuesday. He so much grass to keep the cattle says his home town Talpa is im thrifty when you dont feed the ticks.

Max Mayer a pioneer of the the young feel well-the old feel ville, is visiting her mother Mrs. Sonora Country, and at present a looks just the same as of old and good health.

A. C. Fambrough of the garage, the civil suit of Aldwell ve Jack. nardville for his family. They has ordered an engine, lathe and will be absent about two weeks as machine plant for the automobile they expect to fish some in the business. He has also ordered a dynamo and will be able to run D. B. Cusenbary, was in Sonora electric fans for the business

Henry Sharp sheep boss for the River, was in Sonora Wednesday. Mrs. A.R. Cauthorn daughter and Henry was on his way to attend son and Miss Dela Smith who has court in San Angelo as a wittness rheumatism. etc. Send your name been teaching at the Cauthorn in the Whitfield case, He found out here that the case was continu. free trial box. Sold by the Alli- Rev. P. D. Swift of the Baptiet ed. He was accompanied by Mrs.

The End of The World

should it come to-morrow would find fully 13 of the people suffer-The worst foe for 12 years of ing with rheumatism of either nell, Mary Veltman and Blanche John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich. slight or serious nature. Nobody Seargeant, nieces of Mr. Cornell, was running ulcer. He paid doc need suffer with rheumatism for who will remain for a short visit. tors ever \$400.00 without benefit. Ballard's Srow Liniment drives Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve kill- away the trouble, relieves the pain ed the ulcer and cured him. Cures instantly and leaves the user as is a pretty hard thing to accom- Fever-Scres, Boils, Felons, Eczema, well and supple as a two-year-old.

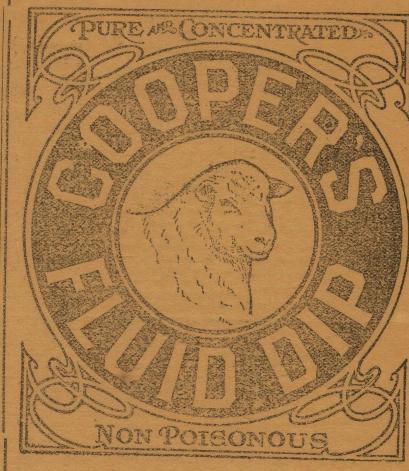
Eldorado's Loss.

Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Silliman and children will leave Saturday for The tollowing is a list of the Van Horn, El Paso county, where notaries for Sutton country ap- Mr. Silliman goes to accept the pointed at the last session of the position of cashier of the Van Horn

> Mr.Silliman is an old time nt of Schleicher county and en postmaster at Eldorado past four years. He and od wife have many friends bo will regret to see them and whose best wishes will h them to their new home. rado Times.

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