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TEXAS.

gins to peep over the center arch or

the two eyes look out from the left

side of the head .-- Westminster Ga-

Barrymore and Modjeska.

Maurice Barrymore earned

showed, but in its spontaneous

phases its effect always lold. One

of the stories related was about his

experiences with Mme. Modjeska,

"Why, madam," he said, "it is not

zefte.

THE PLUSH COAT.

Sarah Jane Was Told the True Reason She Couldn't Get It.

of Imaginary Ones. Fifteen years ago the community One of the bugaboos of the popuof Wigglesquack Center was startled lar imagination which have caused by the report/that Eben Crabshaw much unnecessary suffering is what is known as a "floating kidney." was going to buy his wife a plush The word "hugaboo" is used delibcoat. Eben didn't deny the rumor, and Sarah Jane, his wife, contented | erately, because for one case of herself with replying to all queries genuine floating kidney there are that where there was so much smoke scores that are simply the figment she guessed there must be some fire. of a nervous imagination. In fact Jared Minthorn, who kept the gen- | there is no physical disorder that eral store, was much exercised and can be so easily imagined into existwanted to take the order, but Eben ence. In the case of a confirmed said he guessed he'd select it from nervous patient who has run the the catalogue of the Chicago mail gamut of all the ills to which 'nerves" are heir, if the name of order house, which caused considerable hard feeling between Eben and floating kidney is mentioned, the symptoms will promptly put in their Jared. appearance.

As the years went by and Sarah Jane didn't get her plush coat the ine cases which may give rise to storekeeper began to get skeptical. After ten years had elapsed he bemuch physical discomfort and even came facetious, and the thirteenth pain. The normal kidney is held year he began to taunt her. "I in its place by the outside shell of hain't seen that there plush coat yit, Sar' Jane," he said. Sarah Jane went home and told

Eben, and Eben was so wrought up suddenly loses a great deal of flesh that he determined to trade with the condition of floating kidney may Harvey Stackpole over at Burnt Meadows, although Burnt Meadows shell of fat is reduced, and the orwas three miles farther away. gan loses its natural support. The condition will be more no-

But the legend of the plush coat had penetrated even to Burnt Meadticeable in people who wear corsets ows, and after a couple of years had or very tight clothing round the waist or in those whose abdominal elapsed Harvey Stackpole said to Sarah Jane one day, "How about that there plush coat Eben's a-goin" muscles for any reason have become relaxed. It is quite possible for this condition to exist without any his condition to exist without any symptoms at all, especially if the

But this time Sarah Jane was orimed. Eben had tutored her. Drawing herself up proudly, she re-

"Mr. Stackpole, ef you knowed as much about furs as you do about mixin' sand an' sugar you'd know that the United States gov'ment trouble the loose kidney will be only has been compelled to pertect the part of a general abdominal relaxaspecies from foreign invasion, that the animal is rapidly becomin' extinct and that there ain't no more clude al with it, plushes bein' killed!" — Woman's Some Home Companion.

ney will cause paroxysms of severe What Troubled Him. pain, with nausea, vomiting, chills The impecunious poet had long and fever and general collapse. worshiped the editor's daughter, These cases, happily, are not freand now-oh, joy!-his dream of quent and are thought to be due to bliss had come true, for she had the kidney being so loose as to be said that she would be His, with a able to twist round its own uretercapital H. Still, in the first throes that is to say, the tube which leads of his rapture he seemed strangely from it to the bladder. In these ill at case. She was quick to notice extreme cases an operation may be it, and a shadow chased the sunnecessary in order to "anchor" it. Occasionally a kidney may be disshine from her fair face.

"Are you not happy?" located by heavy liftin "Ye-es," he faltered.

FLOATING KIDNEY. CHAS. SCHREINER. For One Real Case There Are Scores BANKER (UNINCORPORATED) AND COMMISSION MERCHANT KERRVILLE. TEXAS.

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MIKE MURPHY, Proprietor. STEVE MURPHY. Publisher. USSCRIPTION \$2 A KRAR IN ADVANOR Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora. and speckled side is a part of that second-classmatter.

Advertising Medium of the tockman's Paradise Sonora, Tezas. Oct. 2, 1909.

He Knew the Fact.

A small boy had a dog that was not soon forgotten on the way not rough, as most small boys' dogs are, to behave at meal times. But the and a young girl who lived next bird usually succeeds in its object, door had a kitten, sly, as all cats are. and the flatfish, in spite of persis-One day the small boy came non- tent efforts to retain its natural chalantly into the girl's presence, flatness, at last disappears down the and after some desultory conversa- round, elastic throat of the cormotion he said:

"Yes."

"Well, my dog had a piece of surface to act as sentinels. meat, and he thought your cat was In reality the dark surface of a going to take it away from him."

little girl. "What makes you say eyes are visible, which is not the that the dog thought? You know case when a mackerel or a conger dogs don't think; they instinct."

care whether he thought it or flatfish has since the creature's birth whether he instincted it; but, any-how, he killed your cat."-London bridge of its nose to keep company

Opened His Eyes.

The manager of a small country estate decided to sell his property mitted it to his client for approval. mouths old the left eye has crossed

"Read that again," said the own- over to the right side. Lemon soles

After the second reading he was the head, but when double that size silent a few moments and then said thoughtfully, "I don't think I'll sell. I've been looking for that kind und six months old both eyes are found on the right side. A sole as-sumes its lopsided aspect by the

FLATFISHES' EYES.

A Migration Which Takes Place After the Creatures' Birth.

Flatfishes keep their white and blind side on the muddy or sandy ____ bottom and pretend that the upper bottom. This they do to avoid observation, for in spite of their awkward shape they are swallowed at reputation as a wit and really desight by pertinacious enemies, to served it. His style could be less the manifest discomfort of both. A greedy cormorant curling up and attempting to swallow a plaice, which tries to be as disobliging as possible, affords an object lesson

with whom he acted for several years. He had been as careless as he often was on the stage, and Mme. Modjeska, with all the conscientiousness of a great artist. protested that he had no right to take his calling so lightly and that if he rant. With a view to avoid unpleas-"You know my dog Barca and your cat Darling?" antnesses of this kind soles are wont to hide themselves in the sand id not owe it to his reputation to | wont to hide themselves in the sand, lo his best he at least owed it to her, because she had done so much keeping only their eyes above the in his behalf and had put him be-

fore the public in a dignified and sole, plaice or turbot is its side and serious line of parts. "Thought!" exclaimed the wise not its back. It is true that both "Well," said the boy, "I don't owing to the fact that one eye of a is laid on its side, but this is simply that Modjeska was only the name of a tooth wash."

> with the other eve. The wandering eye begins its

NOTICE. migration at a very early age-so By authority of my position of early, indeed, that it is a little difficult to detect it on its journey. A Administrator of the Retate of J and consulted an estate agent in plaice a fifth of an inch in length Lewenthal, deceased, I hereby the nearest town about the matter. and five days old carries one eye on give notice to all who are indebted After visiting the place the agent wrote a description of it and sub-fifths of an inch long and about two debtedness to me. In the interest of the estate, I desire prompt payer, closing his eyes and leaning back when one inch long or two months ment and to avoid the necessity of old have the left eve on the edge of

of place all my life, but until you read that description I don't know I had it! No, I won't sch now." Lime it has been hatched two months. When a turbot is half an inch in length the right eve just be-Administrator of the estate of J. she insisted. "What is it, darling ?" | nutrition up to par. The gaining "Nun-nothing, dearest," he stam- of a few pounds of flesh will often mered.

that you have been accepted." "Does your - does your father Youth's Companion. pay on acceptance or-or-publication?" faltered the impecunious

poet.

of the editor's daughter, and for visit the wife of a well to do tradesthe bridge, at three-quarters of an the rest of the evening they talked man, and the hostess before going inch the passage is complete and Lodut the weather. - Philadelphia into the parlor to meet her visitor Ledger.

> Serviceable and Cheap. deal of displeasure.

successfully transferred to the any good reason why I should give ish before her."

from adding, "Because I suit 'er," hands the formidable Miss Fitzbeing a respectable young gentle- Jones nestled up to her on the sofa

"What?" pressed the old man. "I am comparatively modest and

economical in my personal expendi- you know any really satisfactory ture," replied the suitor, "and I think, sir, that, altogether, you will Scraps. find me less costly to maintain than

almost any other son-in-law you could select."-London Answers.

Modern Novels."

Our novels are usually much ado vertises a man who makes a busiabout nothing. The ado is well ness of taking new tables and chairs done, on the whole, but still it's and treating them in some way so you who brought me before the about nothing. The people in them | they look as if they were a hundred public and made me known. Peo- aren't so atrociously bad, only they years old. And he makes a great ple had heard of me all over the do make themselves seem rather un- | deal of money by it," she added. United States when they thought real by the seriousness with which | reading on.

When nature is too much for us we trust our Tommy to make a new hold the mirror up to a species of table look as if it were a good deal supernature, conceiving demigods more than a hundred years old, but of lath and plaster and making ma- I hadn't thought of it as a paying

and hopes and fears. That is tolerably safe ground, because nobody understands the psychology of demigood as another's .- Puck.

Swindled.

lice for thumping the piano all day and"-and all night in the part flet " "W. and all night in the next. flat."-

"Fish"

R. H. MARTIN. The treatment of most patients "But something troubles you," is that which brings the general work wonders and will sometimes "Tell me," she demanded. "There be greatly assisted by the tempeshould be no secrets between us now rary use of a properly fitted support and the allaying of nervous fears .---

There are, of course, some genu-

fat which covers it, although all

cidneys are more or less movable.

When a well nourished individual

very well be the result, because this

batient has been kept in ignorance

The symptoms when they do ap

pear consist of pain in the side

lyspepsia and extreme nervousness In most genuine cases of this

tion and displacement, and any ef-

fort at a cure must therefore in-

elude all the other organs involved

Sometimes a case of floating kid-

Dissipated Her Fears.

A prominent advocate of female The glad light died from the eyes suffrage went on one occasion to fairly trembled.

"Goodness!" said she to herself. "What can I talk to Miss Fitz-Janes The old gentleman showed a good about? She belongs to many clubs, reads and studies so many lan-"It seems to me," he exclaimed guages, writes such deep papers and testily, "rather presumptuous for a all that! What on earth can I say youth in your position to ask for my to entertain her? I know I shall daughter's hand! Can you advance appear unusually ignorant and fool-

my consent?" The good dame nerved herself, "Certainly, sir," promptly re-plied the suitor. (He refrained terrible visitor. After shaking hands the formidable Miss Fitzand said in an almost mysterious SONORA, whisper:

"Dear Mrs. Brown, tell me, do way of cooking turnips?"-London

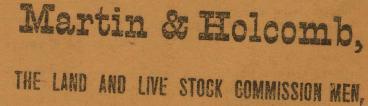
Nothing New About This, Is There? "My dear, listen to this," said an economical little housewife to her husband. "This evening's paper ad-

they take the tangled web we weave when we practice to write a seller. husband doubtfully. "Well, I'd terial of their queer loves and hates | business."-Ladies' Home Journal

Its Constituents. To be exact is the pride of gods, and one man's guess is as science, yet how difficult it is to be exact is proved over and over again. The Cleveland Leader tells a story of a class room dialogue which goes

> "What is contained in sea water ?" inquired the chemistry teach-

"Chloride of sodium and-er-"Well, what else?"



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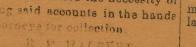
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STAGE FARE, \$4.00, ROUND TEIP, \$7 60. OFFICE AT CORNER DRUG STORE.

"To be in the swim I paid \$4 ad- to show the hopelessness of stating mission to hear that new pianist anything precisely in English. last night." "Well, do you begrudge it ?" "Yes, I do. He turned out to be | er. the fellow I complained to the po-

Judge



PUBLISHED WEEKLY. MIKE MURPHY. Proprietor. STEVE MURPHY, Publisher.

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Entered at the Postoffice at Sonora right of way as 100 feet wide shall second-class matter.

ORIENT PEOPLE AND SONORA AND SUTTON COUNTY PEOPLE.

zens of the city of Sonora and city. county of Sutton, Texas, is hereby

through the counties of Sutton and specified. Schleicher, and terminals in or

defined by that term in this pro position, the said Kansas City,

Mexico & Orient Railway Com pany of Texas proposes hereby to construct its railroad from San Angelo, via Mertzon, or some point which to buy. 1 tried a number

No. 2 Surveying and location tance of this contract, and to be completed as rapidly as possible. No 3. Grading from San Angelo to Mertz in to be begun within 90 days from the date of acceptance hereof, and completed as rapidly as possible.

No 5. Laying of steel to I

Devil's River News. tive officer of the company author ized by law to bind it; and the eubscriptions for bonus shall be secured in the manner usual in euch cases. No 10. In case any streets in

the city of Sonora can be used for SUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE right of way, it is understood that paragraph 8 hereof specifying the not apply, but in the case of use of SONORA, THEAS. - Oct. 2, 1909 such streets the citizens are to furnish the proper orders of the CONTRACT BETWEEN THE commissioners court of Sutton county authorizing the use of such streets for right of way purposes,

or terminal uses as the case may be, if at such time said city of The following propisition to Sonora is unincorporated; if said be binding when approved by E city is incorporated at such time Dickinson, Vice President of the the proper and requisite rights and Kansas City, Mexico '& Orient franchises are to be procured by Railroad Company, of Texas said citizens from the city council and when accepted by the citi- or other governing board of said

No. 11. In making up the made by the said Kansas City, bonus specified in the first para Mexico & Orient Railway Com graph hereof the company will acpany, of Texas, to the city of cept, by warranty deed accompani-Bonora and county of Sutton afore- ed by approved abstract of title,

forty or more acres of land in, or No. 1. In consideration of One immediately adjacent to the city Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100 of Sonora, if the valuation thereof 000) cash bonus, payable when the can be agreed upon between the steel of the road is laid into said company and the citizens-and, in town of Sonora, and in further such case, the value of said land consideration of the right of way shall be dedicated from the bonus

No. 12 It is understood that adjacent to the city of Sonora at the right of way desired is entirely some convenient place and loca through Sutton county-the line tion to be agreed upon between here proposed being a through the parties, and furnished to said line from the main survey of the railway company, which terminals road to a connection with the shall include what is bereinafter Southern Pacific Railway.

> Many Good-One Best. "So many Oils and Liniments

near thereto, into the said city of before using Hunt's Lightning Oit After using it once, however, I re-

25c and 50c bottles.

Do vou know Steve Murphy? If not, go to Senora and meet him. He runs were in their midst.

or the established junction point three lotes. The horses, beauting on long tables into the court house the noon hour here today, and so urgent was the request and solici-tation on the part of the Sonora just as Oid Sol was biding his face behind the hereof, and completed as rapidly come to our city" sign where all who behalf of the people of Sonora and business men for us. to stay here Sol was hiding his face behind the

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WHAT THE SAN ANGELO large volume of trade her people day will become one of the finest SONORA.

years. The trip back to Sonora Sonora, Texas, September 24.- The Sonora reception commit from E.dorado was marked by We arrived at Souora at 11:30 tee was composed of Steve Murphy several spirited races among the this morning. More than 300 peo R H. Martin, W. L. Aldwell. E. automobiles, Dr. LeGear, in his be done within the time specified alized I had found the best there ple were on the streets to meet us. F. Vander Stucken and James Cadillac, was matched with Mr. They gave us loud cheers and Cornell. To this committee's un. Vander Stucken of Sonora. They further. I it fails its 'all (ff ' No bade us welcoms At the noon tiring forts the success of the were the prime participants, and of permanent line from Mertzon to other liniment will bit the spot if hour we sat down to one of the visit to Sonora was made doubly the two opened wide their throt-

ed the dinner and made us wel. tuted one great big reception com- the faces of the others of the come in a way that no one could mittee simply seeing that the wel- party.

San Angelo trade excursionists as it was possible to make it.

No. 4 Grading from Mer'zon, ornament to a great race. He has people sat down for dinner served Angelo trades excursionist through and hit her up to 45 miles an or the established junc icn point three loves: Fine horses, beautiful on long tables into the court house the noon hour here today, and so hour, leading into Sonora and win

can read. It's worth a 90-mile trip in Sutton county. Mr. Cornell paid over night, that we could not do western hills, The sunset this

gave to San Angelo for many speedways in the state in a few

finest dinners yet served on the sure. The fact of the matter is tles and fairly flew over the C. G. YOUNG, Okeene, Okla, trip. The ladies of the town serv- that all the citizens really coasti- ground, throwing clouds of dust in

doubt that all Sonora was glad the come was made as good and as big Forty miles an hour was the

pace kept up by them for some the Devil's River News and he's an Just before the guests and town lightful was the stay of the San took the lead, after a short halt, Sonora, Tex., Sept. 24 - 30 de- time. Finally Vander Stucken

Here Are Two Of the Best Suit Values On the American Continent

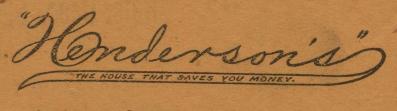


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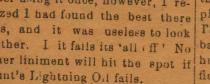
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No 5. Laying of steel to begin an automotion and the steve Murphy.—San Angelo from San Angelo to Sonora to begin by January 1st, 1911, and to Press News. Hour with Steve Murphy.—San Angelo their enterprise and the enterprise their enterprise and the enterprise town. years from the date of acceptance hereof,

No. 6. The citizens of Sutton county agree to provide the right of way through said Sutton and Schleicher counties, to be 100 feet wide, (50 feet each way n'ar line thereof,) ozo-po

praces as the work may require The answer is: It depends on the company approved warranty streets in the world where 5c deeds therefore, except in cases sausage go like the wind. where it may be necessary to con demn such right of way, and in are eight honest paints, 200 adul expense, and under the direction is the best of the eight. Devoe Detter. of the company, to furnish the is the best of the eight. Devoe company with proper certified has more strength than the other copies of the awards and decrees, seven. The painter adds generalof awards, in such condemnation

No. 7. By terminals in the city other one of the seven. of Sonora is meant a 100 foot right of way through or adjacent to said city at the place located by the pots and yards of the company. where there shall be furnished a light of way not less than 300 feet wide and 2 000 feet long-the company agreeing to locate and use vided such location is consistent the less gallons paint. with the uses intended and is ap proved by the chief engineer of the two jubs is \$14 to \$22 and which

No. 8. Upon the failure of the company to comply with any of strength. the terms hereof, unless such failure is occasioned by so some de buy those 5c sausages. fault on the part of the citizens of suid city and county in complying 66 with their part of this agreement, or by the act of God, the said citisells our paint. zens of Sonora and Sutton county, unless the time hereof is voluntarily extended by them in writing

tance of the terms hereoi, it shall becule than any town its size in the Mr. Bartholomew spoke along con- per year for the purpose of creat. tors." 50c, \$100. Trial bottle be evidenced by a formal written people than any town its size in the gratulatory lines. He refered to ing a good roads fund to be used free. Guaranteed by Nathan's contract prepared by the company beatable, and for genuine, old-time, the two towns and the trade rela- in the improvement of the roads of Pharmacy. approved by the cit zine, and free hearted hospitality, the wor'd pro- tions they held for each other. He the state, signed by the committee repre- duces no superior and tew, if any, said that San Angelo owed Sonora It can be seen that when this ie

side of the same street sell saus res one at 10c lb, the other at 5

Yours truly

the second and the second s

sells the more sausage, railroad. the street, There are plenty of

such cases, at said citizans own terated and short measure; Devoe many good things taste all the stage of this excursion. Following the dinner W. L

ly a quart of oil to Devoe; he still Paul, of Sau Angelo. Mayor Paul gratitude at the pleasure of enter luctantly leave Sonora at 7 o'clock The seven are sold at one price speeches of his life, He told how them.

second-rate paint is \$1 50 It to join the excursionists and what an additional car, which drove to Lipan Flat. engineers of the company, except takes 8 gallons Davoe to paint a pleasure it was to be able to join Sonora from San Angelo this We will be home tomorrow

was in favor of good roads and Mayor C T. Paul.

The next speech way by Col. majestic hills, which made the ex The difference in first cost of the John R. Nasworthy, He told his cursionists feel as if they were wears best do you think? It's the hearers of what San Angelo had traveling through beautiful Colora

less gallons paint because of its done within the past several days do instead of dear old West Texas. in railroad matters. He said he Although the country through There are plenty of people to wanted Sonora to get the Orient, this section is rather hilly, there

P S. E. F. Vander Stucken Co., only a rough place in the road, and level and smooth as a floor. Sonora, Sept. 24,-"Sonora, the jewel

No 9 Upon the final accep. rahas more pretty women, more good F. Bartholomew of San Angelo. law taxing automobiles \$10 each pronounced hopeless by all doc

a deep debt of gratitude for the done, the highway we traveled to-

of all San Angelo. He praised The decision to spend the night open to us, well lighted with electhem on the way the town went here was reached about 3 o'clock tricity, and a grand ball was ten Letter to Cooper & Savell. after railroads and the all around this afternoon, and shortly after dered by all Sonora, with the San enterprise shown. He stated that we left for E dorado, accompanied Angelo men as the guests of honor Dear Sir: Two men on opposite he hoped the time would soon by W. L. Aldwell, president of Members of our party who have come when when Sonora would be the Sonora Business Club, and seen (0 summers, tripped the connected with San Augelo by many others, light fantastic with the ease of

On the reception committee that youths of 18, and grace, charm Then came the dinner and it greeted us here were some of and feminine loveliness character was a great one. The excursion Sonora's best business men and ized the occasion. The ladies and ists declared that it was a Fourth most enterprising citizens. The gentlemen of Sonora did all in of July picnic, a barbecue and a run to Eidorado was a distance of their power to make the ball one banquet all in one. The ladies of twenty five miles, and was made of the grandest success in the soci-Sonora served the feast and by in just sixty minutes. The best al history of this town, and their their very presence made the time that has been made at any efforts were not in vain. The music was of the finest, and Steve

we were met by a spiendid delegs- Murphy of San Angelo, acted as Aldwell, president of the business tion of merchants, bankers and floor master.

has a stronger paint than any manager made one of the boat manner made one of the best could not spend the night with oversleep himself. The trip will \$1 75 a gallon; a common price of hard he had tried for three days, In the party of Eldorado we had Mereta, besides other towns on continue to Ft. McKavett and

email house, and 12 of average the party at such a place as Sono morning, and contained Lester E night, having covered many miles paint; 8 gallons cost less than 12; ra. Mayor Paul sprang a new one Ogg, W. T. Bartholomew, John R. in West Texas and made friendly the price is more than offset by on all his listiners. He said he Nasworthy, Jerry Y Rust and calls on all the principal merch-It cost \$2 to \$4 a day to get wanted to see the next legislature The drive back to Sonora this San Angelo. We are sixty miles paint on; a day is a gallon; \$8 to enact a law taxing all owners of afternoon was the most delightful behind our schedule, but there is that right of way through the city sl6 more to paint the more gallons automobiles to maintain them He section of the trip doring and part no regret at this condition, since was given a great ovation when he of this week. We wound through we are the guest of Sonora to-

> Its A Top Notch Doer. world crowns its doers. That's why the American people have the Santa Fe and the Morgan are thousands of acres of rich crowned Dr. King's New Dis Jones roads, and any others if the agricultural land and farms with covery the King of Throat and F W DEVOE & CO people wanted them. Then the fine feed stuff and farily good cot. Lung remedies, Every atom is a colonel grew reminiscent and told ton. Between the Schleicher health force. It kills germs, and of the time when he visited Sonora capital and the Devil's River me. colds and lagrippe vanish. It a few years sgo when Sonora was tropolis the road is simply dandy heals cough racked membrances coughing stops. Sore, inflamed His talk was interesting and the However, at the suggestion of bronchial tubes and lungs are

shall be no fur her bound or obli-of the West, the greatest inland city in doughty old colonel was given the Mayor Paul of San Angelo, made Geo. More Block Lock M. C. gated to comply with the terms Texas today," is the enthusiactic way glad had proper when he finished in a speech here today, the next Geo. More, Black Jack, N. C., Following him came Hon. W. Legislature will be asked to pass a visites "it cured me of lung trouble range of the RED FRONT

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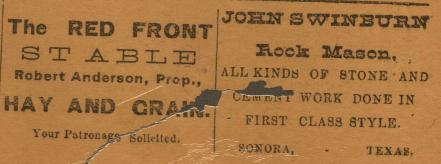
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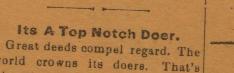
Arriving at E dorado at 4 o'clock Murphy, brother of the Rav. Pat THE COS_HART DRUG COMPANY OF SAN ANGELO. club, called for Mayor Chas. T. ranchmen, all of whom expressed Tomorrow morning we will re. Wish to Thank the People of Sonora for the Kindness Shown their representative J. F. COSGRAVE.

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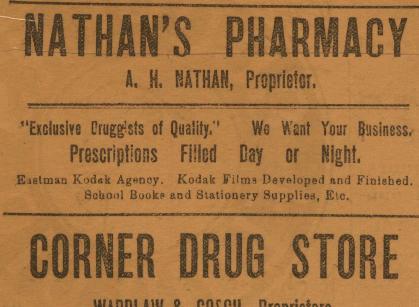
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and the second of the second second second second second second Eric Cloudt of Telegraph was in | Sonora Wednesday on business.

Mat Lee, manager of the Sol Mayer ranch, was in Sonoral Thursday on business.

Mrs. W. R. Clendenuan arrived from San Angelo Monday, to put the children in school here,

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ridgway, Springs. of Edwards county, were visiting.

Mr. aod Mrs. D. K. McMullan were in from their ranch near and other relatives. Bob is in the

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worry if you will treat it at it's first appearance with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It will stop SUBSCRIPTION \$2 A YEAR IN ADVANCE the cough at once and put your lungs and throat back into perfectly healthy condition. Sold by all druggist.

> Will Olendennan who has been bins ranch for some time was in time. Experience unneciseary. quarters, that Sonora was inacces Oct. 2. 1909. Sonora Wedneeday.

Tom Savell was in Sonora Mon. York City, N. Y. day on a visit to his brother Theo

Hamlet.

TO THE BEST PEOPLE ON Stock News, EARTH.

All parties interested in the Dr. C. F. Simmons, Atascosa county, and her people thoroughly ustil in East Sonora to Mrs. Susanah meet in Sonora Saturday Oct. 2, at tonic for me to go among other the court house to appoint delegate people, see other towns and c m to look after land intereet.

NOTICE.

Lend Subdivison are requested to separated from her. It's a good Holland for \$2,500. W. E. Dunbar bought 250 dry cows from Vander Stucken & pare them with Sonora. Our Holcomb at \$17.

One can not appreciate Sonora R. F. Halbert sold his residence

"stay et nome" people often won-W. E. Dunbar of Sonors bought Mr. and Mrs, R. A. Williamson der why "they all want to come were in Sanora Thursday from back to Sonora," and I have been from I. N. Brooks 169 dry cows at Twin Hell ranch on thei. way to among those who have wondered \$17. San Angelo to attend the Fair. but now I know. With the many

to a substant of soil They were the guests of Mr. and from Mrs. Susanab Holland her Mrs. Jas. A. Hagerlund white in will soon correct, Sonora is equal, 412 section pasture in Schlaicher Sopora.

population considered, with any county at \$3 50 per acre bonus, town on the map and the superior to many. D B.Cusenbary of Sonora bought

The water problem has occupied from J. P. Myers of Schleicher the attention of almost every town county 13 000 acres at \$5 50 per and city in Texas, the season and acre bonus. in this respect Sonora is superior

J. C. Powell, of San Angelo, was to them all. You cannot imagine the pleasure the steers he recently bought from in Sonora this week and received I felt in reading of the reception John Ford. While here he Sonora gave the San Angelo bought 10 fat cows from from Mr. Trades excursion. You proved to Ford at \$20 per head. them that Sonora is the only other

Barnie Curris the young sheep. there may have been a disposition man from Paint Rock, arrived in Briefly Stated: The quality to on the part of some San Angelo Sonora Wednesday with a bunch look for in wire fences are: Tre poople to keep Sonora in the back of bucks. They can be seen in the mendious Tensile Strength, Great ground, the unbiased ones must Murphy pasture near town.

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The business is a p but I wish to engage business. Apply to, JAMESL T.

dise, of how the town and the in the Murphy pasture adjoining country are a unit in all things town. Will be here till about 86-2t.



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NUSCHAFTING AND DESIGNATION ON ADDRESS		
le. s for sale	Born on Friday Oct. 1, 1909 to Mr, and Mrs. Joe Trainer a boy.	Tom McKnight of Eldorado, was in Sonora Friday on business,
years old KEL. a, Texas.	F. Glied the photographer left for Brackettville, Wednesday to move his family to Sonora.	A. R. Cauthorn was in from the ranch Friday on business. Billy Bidgeway of Bhiledelet:
ORSALE	Aug. Moos were in Sonora Friday	18 Vielting his mother Mrs. M. M.
as many may need. aying one	for repairs. Mrs. Bud Ellis, of San Angelo is visiting her mother Mrs. M. M. Parkerson this week.	BOYSI GIRLSI COLUMBIA BICYCLE FREE! Greatest offer out. Get your friends to subscribe to our magazine and we will make
in other 82 tf ARVER	E F. Vander Stucken left for Dailas this week on a business trip.	you a present of a \$40 00 Columbia Bicycle—the beet made. Ask for particulars, free outfit, and circu- lar telling "How to Start." Ad.
Sook arriv- day with ain-Merino	Harvey & Williams of Odessa, were in Sonora Thursday with several loads of salt for Geo. S Allison.	dress, "The Bicycle Man," 29 32 East 22d Street, New York Oitz, N. Y.

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ground, stretches over the hill and feel sure much of the success of

about a cough-there's no need of BEST is the cheapest, buying your fence.

easy it will be for a railroad to WANTED-SUCCESS MAGZZINE build into Sonora from the east. DAIRY BUSINESS F wants an energetic and responsible The trip to and from Eldoradoman or woman in Sonora to collect "hest time made on the entire Sonora is for sale with for renewals and solicit new sub- trip'' also proves the falsity of the cows as the purchaser playing cowboy on the John Rob. scriptions during full or epare statement, so current in some

Any one can start among friends sible from the north. and acquaintances and build up a The most pleasure I have on Marcus Balch who had the mist paying and permanent business this trip is in telling others of the fortune to have had his leg broken without capital. Complete outfit patriotism and loyality of the land Barnie Currie, Paint R some-time ago is out on crutches and instructions free. Address, owners and ranchmen of the ed in Sonora Wednes and is doing as well as could be ... Von Szccess Magazine, Room 103 Sonora country to Sonora the trad- about 125 head of Dela

mail lime from San Angelo to Big ranch Friday. He reports every ing of the town and country. How, thing in good shape out there. Bub Pass one of the old timers A, J. Callahan a well known in. the country productive, wanted to

visit to his daughter Mies Minnie | week on business.

Bill Teague and son Morgan and

the Strength of any other wire of beauty, talents, graces and style Springs on the Sonora road same size, adjusts itself to uneven are not equalled any where and I

down in the canyon the same as Sonora's entertainment was due to on level ground. Romember the their efforts. That was a masterly

Let me figure with you before back from E dorado for the night J. B. MURRAH, Agent.

Juno, Texas.

Success Magazine Building, New ing center of the Stockman's Para Bucks. These Bucks car be see

Tom says he is doing well with his Font Mayfield was in from his that tend to the material 'apbuild: Oct. 14. when the ranchmen who had made

Mrs. M. M. Parkerson and family arrived in Sonora Tuesday on a surance man was in Sonora this acquire their lands the town peo-

ple had supported their efforts and All of my stock horses, except how the ranchmen have always Standard breds. All increases

Elasticity, Heavy Galvenizing, now spread the news of Sonora's Bally for Sunora's people, and 200 head of stock cattle Herefords for A clear title to our clame, the the ladies are included, for there is sale, only a few crives. For further BEST Fence on Earth. Double where Sonora spines again. Their particulars see or write me at my ranch of any other wire of boundary takents again.

showed them conclusively how

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stroke that brought the tourists Six well bred Billie and sent them via. the Frisco Trailway to Fort McKavett as it.

Juno Thursday the guest of the fornia and is doing fine. Commercial.

Now is the time to see Kirkland and flues. Dont wait for the rush by an inactive liver. A bad liver Earth that is a surer and quicker Earth. but attend to it right away,

the insurance men arrived iu Sonora Monday from a business and pleasure trip to Fredericksburg.

Joun Hurst the well driller was sorts, get a bottle to day. A posiin Sonors this week attending to tive cure for bilious headache. some business. He has just fin Constipation, Chille and Feyer racing dancing etc. during the you with this letter I am. ished a well for Whitehead's and and all liver complaints. Sold by Christmas holidays. got lots of water at 377 feet. all druggist.

It's a Rustler,

Hunt's Lightning Oil is up and Floyd Estes who has been look. doing all the time. It cures your ing after the windmills for Sol aches, pains, cuts, burne and brui. Mayer, moved to town with his ses while you sleep, Rub a little family last week, and is working on your misery and feel it disap. in the Sam Merck blacksmith Ozona were visiting in Sonora this Court House for the purpose of call on Eddie Maier, at the shop. pear.

W. B Story, chief engibeer of Cold Weather Advice. the A F. & S. F, and vice preeident in charge of construction, C to all is to beware of coughs and this week where he purchased a F. Felt, chief engineer of the G. C. colds on the chest; as neglected nice line of holiday goods, jewelry & S. F., and M. F. Temple assist. they readily lead to pneumonia, and drug euodries. ant engineer, arrived in Sonora consumption or other pulmonary Tuesday about noon. They came troubles. Just as soon as the Notice to Trespassors. by automobile from Prinview. cough appears treat it with Bal. They had no information to give lard's Horebound Syrup the stanoutjust looking over the country. dard cure of America Use as direct. trespassers on my ranch, cutting

Money Comes In Bunches. \$, A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell. N. Y., now. His reason is well wort reading: "For a long time 1 suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, Bond ranch Thursday for supand general debility," he writes, plies.

"I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every Sel Mayer ranch Wednesday trad. from a visit to friends and rela ling. ment. Then used Electric Bitters

Twelve bottles restored all my old Mr. and Mrs, Clyde Mills were Henry Sharp was in Sonora Also Spanish Interperting. time health and vigor. Now I can in Senora several days this week Thursday. Henry has just returnattend to busines every day. It's from their ranch near Brackett. ed from a prospecting trip to the a wonderful medicine." Infaili. ville. ble for Stomsch. Liver, Kidneys, Bishop Johnson delivered an ex- doing.

Blood and Nerves. 500, at Nath- cellent sermon at the Episcopal an's Poarmacy.

Church on Thursday night, He had a bad attack with his throat It is a class to itself. It has no

The Rev. Richard Mercer was in while in San Angelo which pre- rivals. It cures where other town for several days this week. wented his arrival until Thursday merely relieve. For actes, prin-He came to meet Bishop Johnson afternoon, He left with Rev. stiff joints, cuts, burns, bites, etc. and informed us that he will be Mercer on Fridey morning for it is quickest and surest remady. back to conduct services or Sunday Fort McKayett where he will condever devised. We agen Hunt's duct services on Sunday. October 81

Russell Franks was in from the

makes one cross and irritable, cure for cuts, burns, aches, pains I have seen some of the Orient Parole. 216, trotting. All the

edged to be the perfect liver regu- ter myself." H. H. WARD, lator. If you're blue and out of Rayville, La.

W. E. Dunbar was in from the

ranch several days this week on Mineral Wells. Tex., Sept. 28 '09 tour. Mill good as new. business.

Mrs Chas. Schauer and daughter Miss Mintie and son Charles of

Commercial Hotel. Clarence Gosch with the Corner

Drug Store, returned from Dallas

Notice is bereby given that all

ed-perfectly harmlees. A cure imber, hauling wood, working and preventive for all diseases of stock, gathering pecans, bog hunt. the lungs. Sold by all druggiste, ing or hunting of any kind or fish-Price 252, 500, and \$1.00 per bottle ing, without my permission will be prosecuted.

> E. E. SAWYER. Miss Fannie Johnson and broth.

John Bryden was in from the er Cliff arrived home last week tives at Mercury, Texas.

> Alpine country. He eave it is very dry out there and nothing

> > No Others.

Lightning Oil. 50c and 25c bottlas

Cal Woodard, of Brady, were in People marvel at this unity-be by the following stallions: Juror stood ready to support the town from colts to four year old, sired

the Tinner about your stove pipes had melancholy, probably caused "Possibly there is something on address this to the Best People on Elbine, grandson of Old Election

Jim McDonald and Lea Aldwell causes mental and physical de and bruises than Hunt's Lightning track, bridges and buildings and above stock are nice smooth slock pression and may result disas. Oil. If so, I would like to be from what I have seen and heard and will develoy into fine drivers cited. For twenty years I have from others, there is no system All the above sired are Standard Ballard's Herbine is acknowl- been unable to find anything bet- superior to the Orient and I am and registered For farther inforconvinced that the present activity mation addres,

among the railroads in West' Texas to-day is dus to the Orient. What about having a stock show | Trusting I have not burdened

> Yours truly. Mike Murphy,

A mass meeting will be held in When you go to san Angelo

Sonora, Saturday, at 3 pm at the week. They were the guest of the organizing and putting on foot FavoriteSalcon, he will treat you measures to secure a railroad to 0. K. . Sonora. Everybody come and give your views and money.

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> R A. Williamson, tf-85 Ozona, Texas, For Sala.

A ten foot Samson windmill and See C. J. LEWIS.

72-tf Notice to Trespassers Notice is hereby given that al! trespassers on my rench east of Sonora for the purpose of cutting

timber, hauling wood or hunting hogs without my permission, will be prosecuted to the full extent of

> W. J. FIELDS, Sobora, Texas,



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Sonora, Texas.

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I will be in Sopora about the 20th. of Sept. with one hundred and filly (150) bead of fine bucks. Sheepmen: I have a bargain to offer you and it will be to your interest to ses me before you buy

BARNIE CURRIE I tion at Austin last week.

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IOBANDT & RAPHAEL, SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

Glied the photographer midel Miss Milley Philips will open a some very fine photos of the Sau music class Monday at the Owens Angelo Trades peop'e. They are residence near the School House. selling like but orkes.

Will Hayes the popular and Roy Hudspeth was in Sonors obliging grocery clerk, who has last Saturday and informed us been with the Sondra Mercantile that his brother the flos. C. B Co for several years has bought a Hudepeth passed his law examina- third interest in the grovery first of North & Hamilton,

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A CANINE HERO.

The Story of Scotch, an Ohadia

A most interesting as well as a most pathetic dog story is related Life on the Rockies." Mr. Mills viscounts, while the eldest sons of and his dog Scotch were on a four earls and the younger sons of mardays' tramp on the summit of a desolate and lofty range far above bishops and barons. the timber line, and Mr. Mills The work required that he should often said, to range peers of the stopped to take some photographs. remove his sheepskin mittens, which same degree in the order of the he placed in his coat pocket. The story follows:

From time to time as I climbed the summit of the continental divide I stopped to take photographs, England preceding those of Scotbut on the summit the cold pierced land, and both preceding those of my silk gloves, and I felt for my Great Britain, while peers of Iremittens, to find that one of them | land and the United Kingdom folwas lost.

I stopped, put an arm around Scotch and told him I had lost a precede all peers, and this is why mitten and that I wanted him to go down for it to save me trouble.

Instead of starting off willingly, as he had invariably done before in privy seal he at once passed over obedience to my commands, he the heads of all marquises and stood still. I thought he had mis- dukes (saving royal dukes) and understood me, so I patted him and stood in order eighth from the then, pointing down the slope, said: king's nephew. Again, judges of "Go for the mitten, Scotch. I will the high court are almost invariably wait here for you.

willingly. He had always served me takes precedence long before a so cheerfully that I could not understand, and it was not until late special precedence that the custom the next afternoon that I realized has obtained. Thus the late Mr. that he had not understood me, but Justice Wright was a bachelor when that he had loyally and at the risk elevated to the bench, and it was of his life tried to obey me.

My cabin, eighteen miles away, ed knighthood. was the nearest house, and the re-

When at midnight he had not peer takes precedence of the dow- Pry, "\$21 a week! We used to pay come I felt something was wrong, ager peeress-usually but not, of old Mis' Rogers five and her fare showed fourteen below zero. I kept twenty-four hours after I had sent Scotch back, I paused on a crag and There in the snowy world of white he lay by the mitter in the snow. He had misunderstood me and had gone back to guard the mitten instead of to get

After waiting for him to eat a luncheon we started merrily toward home, where we arrived at 1 o'clock in the morning.

Some of its Delicate Points and a She Was So Very Different From the Few Dilemmas.

A writer in the London Express gives some interesting pointers on social and official precedence in England and calls attention to a few of the many delicate dilemmas due to questions of rank and station

"In the first place," he says, "I SONORA. TEXAS. - Oct. 2, 1909 may mention that it is a common error to suppose that all peers take precedence of all commoners. Not ficial precedence, but it is in the second precedence. Thus a duke's eldest son would precede all earls and a duke's younger son and a marquis' eldest son all lay her hands on.

> "Again, in the matter of peers themselves it is not right, as is so, the kitchen. 'I haven't got anydate of their patents. Before this test is applied there has to be a preliminary marshaling of them by the class of their creation-peers of low after.

"Certain high officers of state her so exasperating. their offices are so much coveted by great nobles. When the late Lord Salisbury, a marquis, became lord and wanted to talk. knighted, but not for their own He started for it, but went un- sakes, for a judge of the high court knight, but it is to give their wives not until he married that he accept-

"Men, indeed, are often careless gion was utterly wild. I waited a of their own claims, but their wives easonable time for Scotch to re- have a habit of being particularly turn, but he did not come back. As observant of such points, and it is it was late in the afternoon and from the women that the reckless growing colder, I decided to go on or ignorant hostess will hear of her toward my cabin along a route that disregard of their rank. Nor are I felt sure he would follow, and I such offenses readily forgotten or the room, but there was no direct reasoned that he would overtake forgiven. Now, there seems to be reply to her challenge. a general idea that the wife of a

I slept two hours and decided to go course, always her mother-in-law. both ways. And she'd take right to meet him. The thermometer As a matter of fact, the dowager hold anywheres - sewing, preservprecedes the reigning peeress on ing, anything that came up, and if on going, and at 2 in the afternoon. the ground that she is senior in dig- anybody died she'd stay on through nity, her husband being nearer the those first heartbreaking hours, and succession. On the other hand, but | you felt that warm, soothing hand on the same ground, the sons of the o' hers holding you up. And as for reigning peer take precedence of those of the late peer. "If a woman is a peeress in her in a paean of praise, "she lef' that

she cannot derogate from her dig- that she was." - Youth's Com- dealt it a severe blow. nity, though she may add to it by panion. marrying into a higher rank.

"Another point is sometimes for-Consider for a moment who pathe position of the wives of the sons of peers. The wife of the eldest son of a duke goes in before countesses and all other peeresses of lower rank. So, too, does a duke's daughter. The wife of the eldest son of a marquis, the wives of the younger sons of dukes and laughters of marquises precede vis- ture, and men are far in the rear. "As to the lower title, the wives of baronets rank according to their husband's class and date of creation, but with this exception-the baronets of England, Scotland, Great Britain and Ireland rank only according to the dates of crea- American men to use the advantion. Daughters of baronets nat- tages at their doors .-- Philadelphia urally precede the daughters of knights, and between them come the wives of the eldest sons of knights. The daughter of a knight, be it noted, takes precedence of the ticularly bad boy from every con-"Well, if I should be going wives of the younger sons of barthrough a dark hall and should onets and, as a consequence, of the cause of his apparent wickedness. meet Will White, and he should ask wives of the younger sons of He had been especially annoying all me the time, and I should say, 'My, knights. "Finally there is no social prece- the teacher sat down by him and be an irrelevant remark." - New dence between the professions, as said: "John, what is the trouble vanilla essence briskly for five minsuch, but a colonel in the army and anyway? Why is it you find it so a captain in the navy are esquires by right of that position, and they

THE TRAINED NURSE. A SNAKE IN THE ROOM.

The Tale of an Odd Adventure in Northern Brazil.

The subject on Mrs. Pry's mind was the "independence" of the Mr. Edward H. Cooper's article on South America and his referyoung woman who had nursed her ence to its poisonous snakes rein a recent illness. "Not a thing mind me of an interesting advenwould she do outside the sickroom; ture of a friend of mine in northern 'it wasn't customary,' she said when asked her if she wouldn't take Brazil.

Old Time Natural Nurse.

thing catching!'

asleep

nurse!' I said.

manded Mrs. Pry.

My friend was making a collechold with the washing. And she had to have her three meals reg'lar, tion of the poisonous enakes of the neighborhood, and as every one and never once did she offer to eat 'em in the kitchen, or say, 'No matround us was aware of the fact only is this untrue in the case of of- ter; I'll stand up in the pantry many gifts of the kind were offered ing at a table in our hut when a To call on us and I was the sickest, and she knew Maria and Em'ly had it all to do. "She never went into the kitchen living specimen of one of the most test our except to cook what little I ate and deadly poisonous snakes of the to 'sterilize' everything she could very busy, asked him to put it in a "Good land!' I said one day

when I saw her grabbing up things glass jar on the table, which was I'd barely touched and starting for accordingly done.

Unfortunately the hot night and "Do you s'pose she stopped? No! much for my friend's waking pow-She gave her head, with that doll's ers. He went to sleep with his head cap, a toss and started. "And if I ever said I couldn't till awakened by a fearful crash on the table and slept peacefully swallow my medicine she'd go right He had knocked the table over, is extended to you. on measuring it, then under my with the lamp on it; the lamp had head her arm would go, up it would naturally been put out, and, as his We have stocked come, and before I could shut my senses slowly returned, the awakened sleeper remembered that the heavily in all kinds teeth down the medicine would go and I'd be back on the pillow! All glass jar also had fallen to the floor

without a word-that's what made and the snake must now be loose. was to jump on the bed and shout "And when she did say anything it was generally impudent. I could for help and light. But the hut brandies and other was empty, and no help came. One not sleep nights I was in such pain, and when I wasn't I was lonesome on a bed roaring for help; so, as

door, the snake collector jumped about Uncle Ezra Whiting courting down from the bed, resolved to appreciated. his second wife-my mind kind o' run on the past-an' how his chilhis boots off at an early part of the dren held out against it, and he had evening, and as he jumped he felt a to be so sly about it that he didn't sharp, vicious nip in the heel of his dare unlatch her gate going or coming, but stepped over the fence so's | right foot.

My friend was a person with plennot to make a mite o' noise, an' how ty of cool presence of mind. A servshe never saw him to the door or anything like that. I thought Miss ant entered the hut at the mo-Ames was mighty quiet, and I ment. He summoned him, told him turned my head, and there she was curtly that he had not five minutes to live and proceeded to dictate a "I thought you were a trained will and various directions to his traveling companion and one or two "I am not trained to keep awake other persons. But death tarried

"What do you think of that?" de- presently the reason of this became apparent. The snake was curled up In the Cope building. in a far corner of the room, sway-A sympathetic murmur ran round

ing and hissing angrily, and my friend had jumped off the bed on to a piece of the broken glass with "And we paid her," added Mrs. which the floor of his room was. liberally strewn .--- London Saturday Review.

Pat's Narrow Escape.

During the South African war an Irish trooper on outpost duty one night felt so desperately tired that he thought he would have a five minute nap. Placing his helmet on | favor by notifying a rock, he lay down and was soon in a sound sleep. Waking suddenly, he mistook his helmet for one of own right her position is secure, and | to the doctor, like the natural nurse | the enemy, drew his sword and

> Perceiving his mistake, the troop er picked up his helmet, which he had cut in two, and gave thanks to

> > Kerosene.

which I denominate 'kerosene.'

Banana Pudding.

"Kerosene" seems to have been

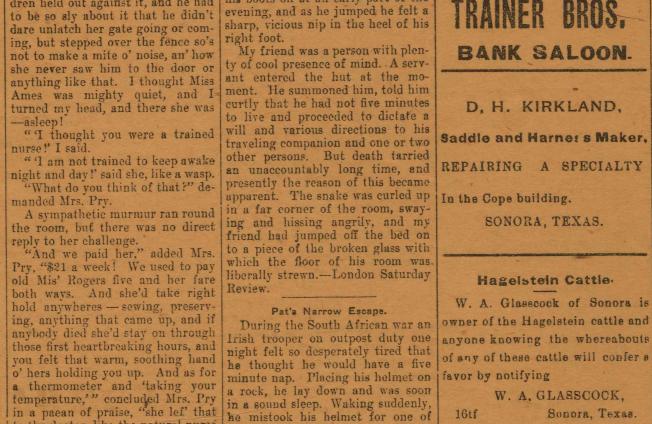


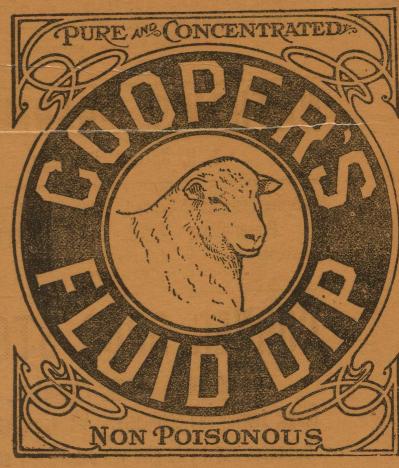
neighborhood. My friend, who was Carstair's Invincible Rye and MARTIN'S BEST. other soporific influences proved too and other liquors. A cordial welcome

Obviously the best thing to do of wines, whiskies,

could not spend the night standing liquors. An order

morning it was, I was telling her eight feet between him and the from you will be



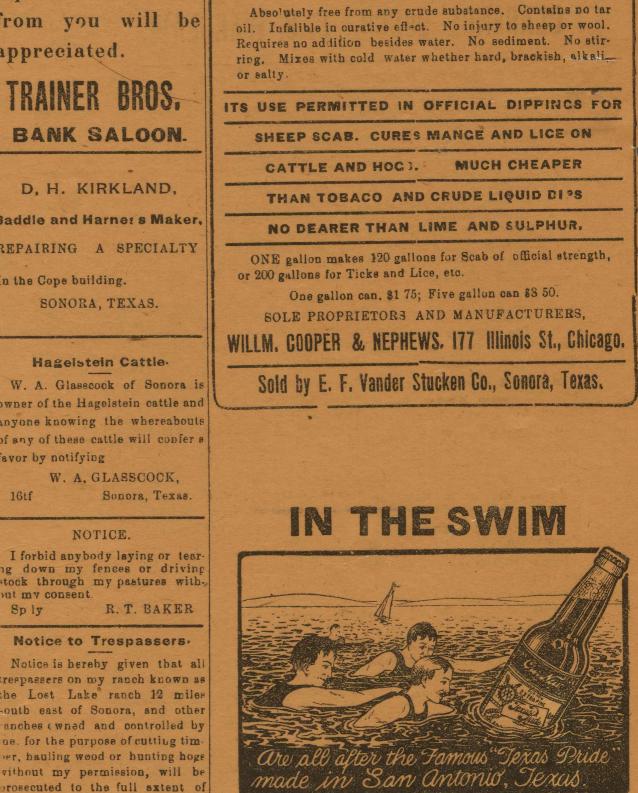


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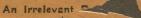
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Triumph





Had I not returned I suppose Scotch would have died beside the mitten. In a region cold, cheerless, oppressive, without food and perhaps to die, he lay down by the mitten because he understood that I told him to. In the annals of dog heroism I know of no greater deed.



ty child, quite the belle of the class and the cause of many a heart flutter. It was in the course of a morning recitation a few days previous to the close of school that the teacher asked her if she could define an irrelevant remark.

"I can't just define it," she answered, "but I can give an exam-

"Very well, give the example, please.

me the time, and I should say, 'My, knights. but your nose as cold!' that would York Sun.

A Cruel Joke.

A Chicago girl recently played a cruel joke on her mother, and this is how it happened: She accidentally found a love letter that her father had written to her mother in the halcyon days of their courtship. She read the letter to ber mother, substituting her own name and that of her lover. The mother raved with anger and stamped her foot in disgust, forbidding her daughter to have anything to do with a man who would write such nonsensical stuff to a girl. The girl then gave the letter to her back yard.

A Laughter Maker on Laughs. "Don't trust a man until you've Delineator. laughed with him. You can tell him by his laugh. I know all the laughs there are-the hearty laugh, the nanny goat laugh, the tweedledee laugh (a kind of titter), the gufwith his ears-you know, the man who sits down at an entertainment

shall P. Wilder.

would rightly be preceded by a clergyman who happened to be, let so derned hungry!" me say, the son of a knight." Then the teach

Poor Little Girl.

Little Helen, who is a great talker and aged just three, was annoying her father one day by her almost endless chatter. He was endeavoring to finish some important writing, so said: "Run away, dear. marked I was sorry for him. My Daddy is very busy."

Helen toddled off and after the space of about five minutes return- little fuss over him, as one does mother to read, and the house be- ed and, standing beside her father's came so suddenly quict that she chair, laid an appealing fat hand on him. could hear the cat winking in the his arm and, looking up into his "I Daddy, I's very lonely. I tan't

find any one to leave myself wif."-

Slightly Colder With Snow.

When you see that kind of a faw, the mere smile, the merry weather forecast you know that laugh with the eye and the middle rheumatism weather is at hand class laugh. They're all good, but Get ready for it now by getting a save me from the man who laughs bottle of Ballard's Snow Liuiment Finest thing made for rheumatism with a sort of I dare you to make childlaine, frost bite, sore and stiff me laugh' kinder air and bites his joints and muscles, all aches and World's best for Piles. 250, at are the best pille I ever used "250 50e, and \$1.00 a bottle

tronizes the institutions in this country which make for mental and ethical culture. The vast majority of churchgoers are women. It is have been seeing meself at this women almost exclusively who pamoment!" tronize art exhibitions, symphony concerts, libraries, theaters and the opera. These things make for culfirst used in United States patent It is probable that the average of No. 12,612, of March 27, 1855, education in this country is higher granted to Abraham Gesner of than in Great Britain, but the Brit-Williamsburg, N. Y., and assigned on who is at all educated is a man of better culture, wider perspective to the North American Kerosene

Men's Slack Education.

and better sense of proportion than Gaslight company. In the preamble to his specifications Gesner is the American. The moral is for states that he has "invented and discovered a new and useful manufacture or composition of matter. Inquirer. being a new liquid hydrocarbon

Too Hungry to Study.

A teacher who had studied a par-"Coal oil" was the term in general use before "kerosene" was invented. ceivable standpoint finally found the Beat together the yolks of four eggs, four ounces granulated sugar, one ounce butter and a teaspoonful utes. Add four ounces of sifted hard to behave in school?" flour, three bananas peeled and cut Poor John in a burst of confi- in thin slices and the beaten whites dence blurted out, "It's 'cause I'm of the four eggs, with a pinch of salt. Pour into a buttered pudding

Then the teacher knew that mold and bake for three-quarters John's reformation must begin in of an hour. Unmold when serving his stomach.-Exchange.

Was He to Blame?

"Don't talk to me about the vanity of women," the woman began. "We are not in it with the men. Once I met a man who was so pockfirst impulse was to shudder. Then out of sheer kindliness I made a over a hurt child, whenever I met

"Do you know, I found out afterface with a most grieved air, said: ward that he got to be afraid of | me. He thought I had fallen in I don't see why I should say Uncle

"I would have been a cripp'e for life, from a terrible cut on my knee cap," writes Frank Disberry, ergy. Such power comes from the Minn. "without Bucklen's Arnica splendid health that Dr. King's Salve, which soon cured me." In. New Life Pills impart. They vi. ance of same. fallible for wounds, cuts and bruis- talize every organ and build up es, it soon cures Burne, Scalde, brain and body. J. A. Harmon, Old Sores, Boils, Skin Eruptions. Lizemore, W. Va., writer: "They Nathan's Pharmacy.

tock through my pastures with. fore lying down, "for," he soliloout my consent. quized, "had my head been inside

R. T. BAKER Sp ly that it's 10 to 1 a dead man I would

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-Boston Transcript. Juvenile Logic. Norman's mamma was something of a stickler for propriety, and she was not a little annoved that it seemed impossible to make the boy give his uncle's name the customary handle. One day after the little fellow had met with a severer

coming of his he said: "I mean to be good, mamma, but

Frightful Fate Averted.