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PAYS TO MAKE USE OF PAIN

Apart From Adding to Appearance of Structure It Also Tends to Retard Deterioration.

The foundation reason for painting s protection of the thing painted. The owner of property should never forget that. No one can look upon painting as an expense if he is con-vinced that it servents a greater ex-

There is, however, another great reason for painting and that is the appeal of pride in appearance. This is quite human. It is seen in the matter of clothes. Primarily clothes are to keep us warm, but a suit is discarded while it is still warm because it is shiny, out of shape, or slightly faded. In other words, one feels that it would com-promise their standing were they to wear it.

So it is with the painting of houses, both without and within. In progressive, proud communities. houses are painted every three or four years through pride in appearance. Progressive citizens are not satisfied with the looks of their houses after three or four years' exposure to weather.

As good citizens we should not only see that every person knows that structures will deteriorate if unpainted, but we should also try to make people as proud of the appearance of their homes as their more progressive neighbors. We should deliberately set out to make them ashamed of their dingy homes which are a reflection up-

This work is peculiarly one for local



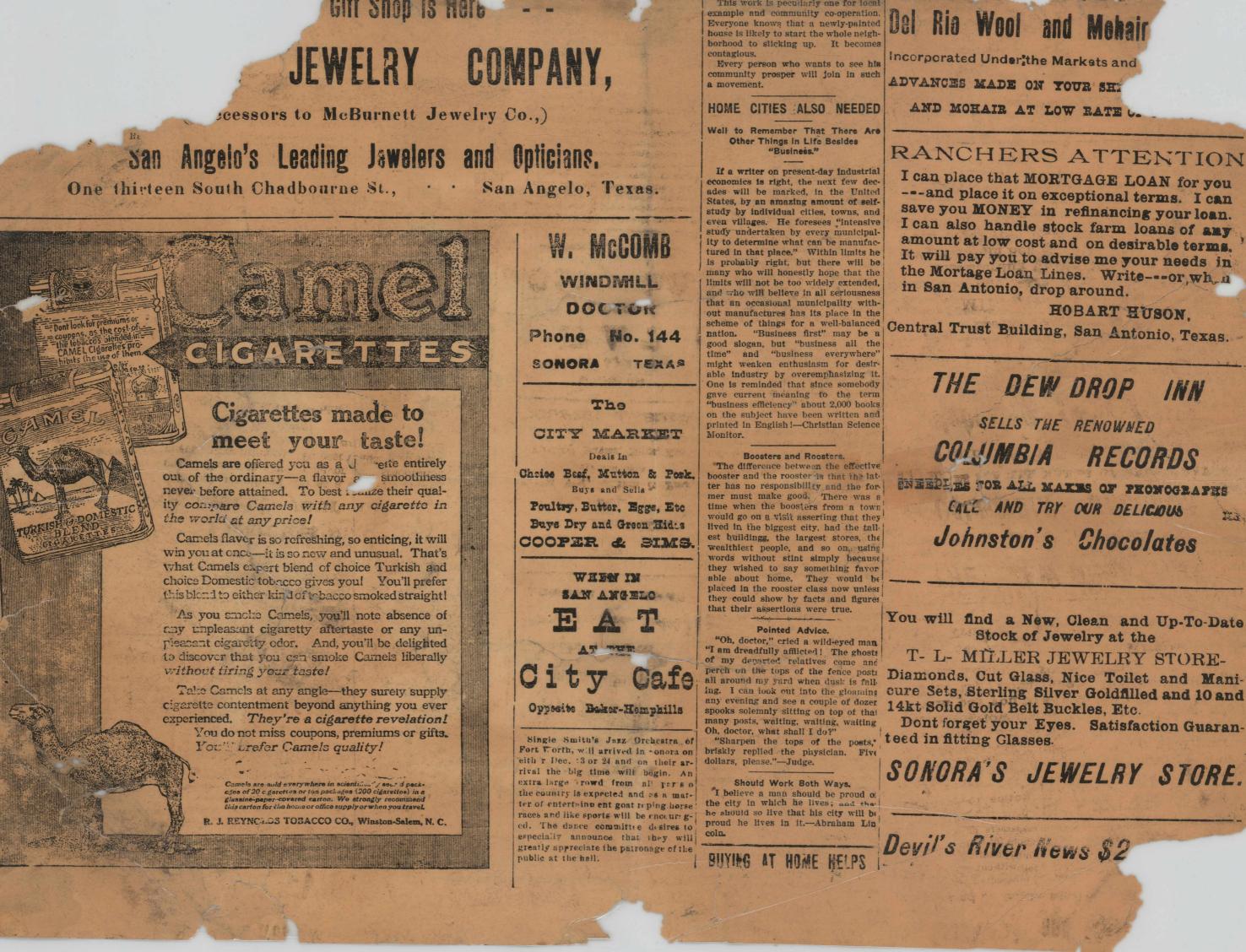
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EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO. EXTERMINATE SUREW HORM FLY.

Dr.D. H. Bennett of the Texis was in Sonora a few days ago and price of eighty cents per pound and Clocks. in answer to enquiry said that the Sonora country wools previously recommend methods for control reported in the News these prices The Sonora Jeweler. Station hoped to soon be able to es funds were available for the country spring clips: JoeTarney labatory to undertake the exter-1 70c; Ira hurley 62; DanCauthorn said they had a very proficient Meckel 72; Robert A. Halbert 75; Vernon Hamilton of the City mination of the pest. Dr. Bennett entomologist at the A&M College and for B. B. Dunbar ? bags at Grocery made a visit that he hoped to have come out 68; 42 bags at 2: 74 bags at 70 Sunday and while there

eases among the live stock in the West. The Sonora Station and not equipped as ye

experiments they intend to make. He thinks the handling of the horse fly that the Cow boys think ground for extensive improve- al property was lost. Vernon was does such damage in the distribu ments to be made to the Commer not near the building when the tion of Charbon in the lower cial hotel. Mrs. McDonald the fire started and some one kindly country will take time and much owner has long contemplated threw out his suit case, but he had

tiffic research The News making these improvements but to come home that night. has been taking about these flys it seemed impossible to get mafor some time and is at last hope terials. The work is to be done ful of attracting the attention of by McClelland & Scott and every man of the Sonora country was the State and Federal department fi :e day will be made to coupt as here this week. the work progresses. of entomology.

of the First National Bank of Del Store. Rio, and a director of the DelRio Wool & Mohair Co., furnished Silverware, one piece overa. Tex s - December 10, 109 formation as to wool sales which and half-dozen sets. he received educaday from Del French Ivory, Platinum Rio. The First National Bank dinnes Rings, Diamond of Del Rio sold for John Rosenow of Carta Valley, a former Sutton Bar Pins, La Valiers, spring wool clip at the record Ear Screws, Watches

E. E. Sawyer, who is president come to the Jewelry

and in addition to the sales of were obtained for other Sonora

CO. SELLS FALL CLIP.

Gzona Hotel Burns 62: Dunbar & Luckie 71; Ben

to ______and 60 _____ Mr. Sawyer p rick hotel was beened to the up the work. Dr. Bennett has also reports that ______ Rio ool ground ine are occurred about been very busy in other parts of & Mohair Co., b. d the Fall five o'clock in the afternoon and the State this season and was wools consigned to them at 55 to is supposed to have started from obliged to miss many important matters connected with the disago by Andrew Nelson, a well-to-

do ranchman, and it is probable modern hotel will be built at once 2L TO BE IMPROFED. Fortunately the fire did not come

FOR DINNER GIFTS.

T. L. MILLER.

New lines of

Part of the lumber is on the in the night and but little person

Russell Franks a former cow-

J. M. Puckett who ranches 16 miles west of town was here on

The San Angelo Standard re J. E. Boog Scott, F. McKee business Monday. ports that the Wool Growers Cen and W. F Rankins of Coleman, KILL the BLUE BUGS and all tral torage Co., has sold the Fall were business visitors in Sonora Blood Sucking Insects by feeding Marwool but no prices have been Tuesday. tin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money ba k if

Owing to the shortage of sugar and other + ruit Cake ingridents, we will have a nice line of Fruit Cakes and Plam Puddings. 17 Moreantile Co as Apple Co. Ed. Glasscock says all kinds of Sonora Mercantile Co. stock are doing well and he is ound M. H. A. Shaw of Christoval was the mur-here Thursday. Mr. Shaw says giving his attention to the farms. as he thinks there is another good

y 7th. conditions for the winter are. crop year in prospect. He is try From the favorable in the Concho Valley. ing to get 250 acres ready for cul, The house recently occupied Noah Schrier was in from his trvation.

gas engine anel forth dano Thurs Frank Decker, Notray Public is for rent. ply to haiged rom day. He heard that the mohair Sutton County. Texas, office with d Glasscock. clip had been sold at Junction at I'L Benson Agency sability he the study of 56 cents. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keene were W. Ed. Glasscock has bought in from the ranch this week the to fit himaing. He din's Erg Producer. Your money back the Mrs. Taliaferro place on Oak guests of Mr, and Mrs Claude Keene. after the in eggs or your money back in CASH street for \$1100. This property camp Guaranteed by al Dealers. 12.6m adjoins his home place and he ex In the burning of the business Bryan Hunt was in from the pects, when he gets able to build section of the town of Mercury we want to one in ranch Thursday. McClelland & a new house on the corner. last Saturday, one of the heaviest loosers was Mis. Fannie Cawyer, Lavor of the issuance of \$400,000 Scott have just finished for him MORE EGGS or YOUR MONEY daughter of John C. Johnson of

Dealers.

HAPPY SHRISTMAS.

The next issue of the News will be published on January 3, 1920.

. custom of country papers to take a holiday during (hristmas week and for the first time in more than a quarter of a Century the News will miss an issue in recognition of the custom will take a week We request that all the off. happenings of the week be reported to us and we hope to greet you in a Prosperous New Year.

The Devil's River News, For 29 Years the Home Paper of the Sonora Country.

RAISE IN BOAKD.

Because of the increased cost of food and labor I fine it necessary to raise the rate for board FIVE dollars a month. The Commercial Hotel, by Mrs. Josie McDonald.

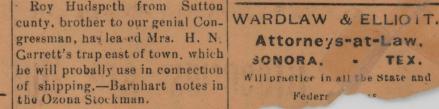
> FOR KENT. rs, Taliaferro, on Oak street

SEMI-ANNUAL AT THE STYLE SHOP Begins Monday December First Millinery On

Ready-to-Wear.

dack Pierce News Agent. The San Angelo Standard, San Antonio Express, ElPaso Herald,

Fort Worth Far-Telegram and Dallas News for sale at the Horn Palace. 92



Wheezing in the lungs indicates that pb egm is obstructing th DAMEAGES BALLARD'S HOUND SYRUP 1 phiegm so that it car up and ijanted Drug Co - Al Mr. an

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in bonds for the building of good a general purpose barn or shed reads in Val Varda county. This 30 x 140 feet. roads in Val Verde county. This 30 x 140 feet.

vote completes the route for the Hi Eastland returned Thursday Del Rio-Canadian · tate Highway from Forest, Miss., where he at- sheep recently brought from New J. G.Barton received a message No. 4, which passes through So tended the burial of his brother Mexico. Be warned. Scab was Thursday stating that his mother nora North and South. The elec Oliver Eastland, who died of about wiped out in Sutton. tion was held on Tuesday the 16. acute Brights disease at Memphis

Mrs. Mattie E. Kennedy died Tenn, on Thursday, Dec. 11tb. at her home in Angelo Tuesday He was 35 years of age and visit- from a visit to his home in Brady Mr. Barton left early Friday for Dec 9th, aged 77 years. She was ed here a few years ago.

the of R. D. Kennedy and Herman Huebner was 21 years will be lots of folk here for Christ once to New Orleans. Mrs. Barseveral years ago conducted the old last week, and he says the big mas if the weather is fine. Decker hotel here, and is surviv- chicken his maw cooked for his ed by her husband, five sons and birthday dinner was the best five daughters. Two of the turkey he ever ate. - Ozona S ock for the Ladies and Girls at the daughters are well known in Sonora being Mrs Thomas Morris man.

of Reagan Wells and Mrs. Orvil TheCityGrocery has put a truck bins of the Owenville neighbor hood is a grand-daughter.

regular freighters and to enable ing for Aldwell Bros., returned son T. A. Bond went to San An Word of Czona. Mrs. J. E. Rob on the road to supplement the the City Grocery to always keep Tuesday from the Fort Stockton tonio Sunday. Miss Violet Stan Worth Jazz Band

mas holidays on the 19th and the produce on hand for the trade. session will reconvene on January James Perry and family of Bell 5th. This recess will give the county are here the guest of Will west are not in as good condition Bond of the West Texas Military teachers a chance to visit their Perry and family. James Perry as those in the Sonora country. Academy who will spend the holi the Sonora Club. homes for Ghristmas and will con is a brother of Kill and is proserve the fuel supply, atthough specting with a view totocating in the Sonora school board was not the Sonora country.

public institutions throughout the nora stockman, was married at country. State, The Sonora school and Fort Stockton on Nov. 3(th to Court house had bought their fuel iss Sue Odom of that city They supplies in the summer and the will make Sanderson their happy J. L. Clark and Clayton Murchicoal strike could have lasted un- ho.ne. The News extends best son of Menard were in Sonora their auto last year, and that the til next winter without interfer- wishes.

rence.

PEACE ON EAR H GOOD WILL TO MEN The EDISON Fountain Pen, 'relatives. lasting X-mas gift. will find them at the

county stockman who ranches near Mertzon was in town Mon of Hile, Hawaii, stoppel at the day. Mrs. Will'ams who has Commercial hotel Wednesday. been visiting here for a week re They were on their way to New turned home with him. They ex Orleans over the Old Spanish pect to spendChristmas here with Trail, having come from San

Makes a beautiful and Gas in the store on comes from food which has formanisted G rid of this badly di e rd find ar Price \$1 to \$16. You quick y as possible it you would rospassers on my ranch east of avoid a bilious attant; HERBINE Sonora for the purpose of cutting is the remain rounced. I cam- timber, hauling wood or hunting Townlyv Store, see and screngthens the stomach able without my permission, will

> enersy and cheerin'ness Sorahy the law The Sonora Drag Co.

12.6m. was worth about \$8,000 and she Scab is breaking out among had only \$1,000 insurance.

Mrs. R. W. Barton was seriously W. F. Boy Crothers is back ill at her home in New Orleans.

and a pleasure trip to FortWorth. San Antonio where expected to Boy looks better and says there join his sisters and proceed at ton has ____ making het home with her son Jess Barton in New

Buy your Christmas presents Orleans for the past two years. The News hopes Mr. Barton will find his mother better. is now on at the Ladies Store

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bond and Single Smith's Ft.

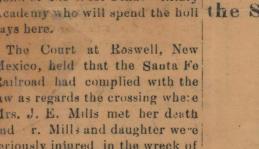
The school closed for the Christ a fresh supply of groceries and country, from which place the ley accompanied them for a few Aldwell Bros., are moving some days visit to her aunt Mrs. A. H. engaged for the cutting timber, bauling wood, work suit purchaser

young cattle to range near San Nathan. On their return they Angelo. Tom says the cattle out will be accompanied by Frank Holiday dances at

DUEER

days here.

here this week on a visit to his aunt Vrs Will Cauthorn and Mexico, held that the Sauta Fe caught napping like many other Gustave Meckel, a former So uncle O. R. Altizer of the Juno Railroad had complied with the law as regards the crossing whe:e Mrs. J. E. Mills met her death and r. Mills and daughter were seriously injured in the wreck of



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vasi out the wound a ZONE ANTI-EPHIC and dress it with BORC. NE POWDER It purifies the wound and heale quickly. Use it on your tock for screw-worms, deb rned eattle or any kind of cut or bruise For man or beast. Sold by Sonors Drug Co

at the Owen's ratch. The rope

got caught breaking a small bone

popular cowboys around here. -

Notice to Trespassers.

D. B. CUSENBARY.

-onora, Texas

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Stochman.



DENTAL NOTICE. I expect to make Sonora every

Red (Elton) Smilh mett with other month and spend a week or a painful accident Sunday after more Dr. J A. McDonald, noon, while ropeing in the corral

Del Rio, Texas.

in his right hand. If sympathy can alleviate pain, Red will sure BETTER BE SATE "HAN SORRY. get it, as he is one of the most Insure now, before your house Barnhart notes in the Ozona burns up, in some good old line company.

T. L. Benson, Agent. 59

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ing live stock, hunting hogs of This is a desirably located home of injurying fences, without my per seven rooms, on four lots, two car garnission, will be prosecuted to the age and other improvements.

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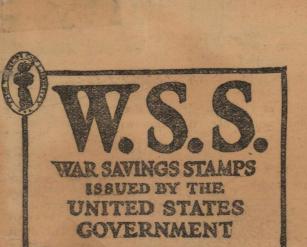
San Angelo to the Paul Turney ranch

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NO TRESPA S.

Notice is hereby give, that trespa-sers on my farm and pasture adjoining ATTENTION-Oil land owners of Sonora on the east, will be prosecuted sutton County. We can sell your leases. List them with us. We deal with owners ONLY. they will ayo d prosecution.

T. L. B NSON. Sonors, 'lexas, Dec. 1, 1918,



Herbert Mears, Dan Benchoff, Thursday on their to Devils River Railroad was not liable for dam

Francisco via El Paso.

Notice to Trespassers

Tom Burditt who is now work-

Will Altizer of Sweetwater was

Notice is hereby given that al liver and howels, and re-tors | e prosecuted to the full extent of

J. FIELDS, Squora, Texas.

Stoke Williams the Schleicher

on a hunt. Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Corbett



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upon in the cities.

get together.

anticipated.

The committee is:

L. W. Elliott,

B. M. Halbert.

week, was one of the prettiest affairs There has been a few fine days since out i ue of December 6th, presented a sharp contrast to the cold but there has hardly been two in dreariness without. succession, still the buyers of Sonora Hotel Co., stock keep coming to the front and work will start pulling down the fire traps abundance of the ever popular mistle-

the coming week now that the toe. fire proof hotel is beyond the pro posal stage. Fort Worth business men decided that that city assist d the lacies in removing their hatel and wraps, after which aby were present d to the host ss, who greeted every - 2200 is to the subscribed on .

amount of \$2,000,000 and have since decided that the hotel should have 522 nonnegative back of the bac have 523 rooms and be 15 stories. Mrs. Stoke Williams of Merizon and high and cost \$2,800,000. And Mrs. James A. Cope stood near the entrance of the dining room and in a most gracious manner chat ed with the has let the contract for the erec- gues,s as they parsed to the dining tion of a 300 room hotel, eleven room.

stories high and to cost \$1,000,-000. This is cited to show how hotel accommodiations are looked the table where it was caught with Our last report was \$56,000 in stock subscribed for and this week the co. Attce is able to report \$11,000 more. No telling line. On the buffett was a tall vase filled what would mappen if that fine with carnations, red wax tapers childed weather should give the buyer and the committee a chance to Presiding at the table were Mesdames

H. P. All son, Thomas Bo: d and T. A. Williams. Others assisting in here T. B Adams, W. A. Miers. w redissess Elma Evans, Velma Savelt E. F. Vander Stucker, W. C. Bryson Wil ie May Winn and Mary Miles who Theo Savell served a most delicious salad cou se, here also, was the color scheme carried

Among the last week arrivals is An enj yable feature of the after 1000 one for \$2,500; six in the \$1.000; was the music in charge of Mrs W. J. one for \$750; and one for \$'00. Wilkinson. b sides a piano solo, ren-Look over the list and see who they are. The committee is also who rendered a beautiful piano solo. assured of \$6,000 as soon as the Miss E sie Baxter a be atiful vielin parties come to town and sign up, rendit on and Miss Kate adele Hill This six thousand is promised not "ho sang "ing Me to Sleep" and "Loyes and Sweet Song" in a charm. "We, the undersigned, hereby Lee Rue on the piano and Miss Baxter severally subscribe for the a- on the violin.

mount of shares of stock set op-posite our respective name in a curporation be hereafter organ. The honoree wis charning in flesh taffeta and hold an arm bouquett or white carnations and ferms, she stool corporation be hereafter orga- in f ont of a bank of white parcissus



ETHING TO WEAR GIVE h GHRISTMAS.

Most Every man and Every boy wants something he can wear. Something useful. We have the things. Men and Boys buy for themselves. They know our goods are standard.

Here are some suggestions for Gifts to the Men and Boys in your family

Handkerchiefs	Neckwear
A man cant have too many.	Silk knitted ties are the smartest thing
Hosiery	Shirts
Underware	Belts.

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Ssee Pexas. December 20, 1919.

All Reselutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Notices of Entainments where first visitation to Sonora and in Witnessed the ceremony after Oscar Appeit, an admission fee is charged. Etc., will fact this part of West Texas, as which a most elaborate dinner T. B. Adams, be charged for at our regular adver- he has been in charge of the Diotising rates.

LYCEUM JANUARY 2nd.

The second number of Lyceum to dates could not be arranged. Auditorium Friday January 2nd, hold so exalted a position in the The groom is the eldest son of The Fam H. Lewis Co., will pre Catholic church and is most demo course will be given at the School The Bishop is a young man to sent a mixed program. Mr. Lewis cratic in his meeting with the is a young stockman of progres-and three ladies comprise the comprise t company. Tickets on sale at and his personality, therriciness and energetic ideas. The Bar Angelo Telephone Co...... 1000 Blood Sucking Insects by ceding Mar-nary couple will make their West Texas Lumber Co....... 1000 tun's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to Pierce's.

A third of an inch of rain fell here Thursday.

at Sonora Mercantile Co. Mrs. Joe Walk of Dallas, is ping and visiting

Annie Decker and family.

Judge Joseph Spence, Jr a Saturday morning.

Walter Whitehead of the big ranch firm of Whitehead & Sone of Val Verde county, was here Thursday the guest of his nephew Thursday the guest of his nephew Judge W. E. Hodges

KATE ADELE HILL

TEACHER OF

Piano and Voice PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING.

TRAINER-WALLAUE. The Right Reverned Arthur J. The home of Mr. and Mrs.Geo. Dros-aerts, of SanAntonio, Bishop of the Catholic diocese of West Texas, accompanied by Father M thedral. San Antonio and Father Trainer was given in marriage to require aud demand." H. M. J. Wirtz, rector of the Sacred Heart church of San of the Methodist church officiat of etock are: Angelo, was in Sonora last week All Reselu ions of Respect, Cards of On a visit. This was the Bishops friends of the contracting parties Sonera Garage,

was served and the guests made J. M. Puckett. cese of West Texas for only a merry. The bride is the eldest W. C. Bryson, year, and the weather being so daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Theo Savell unsettled advance information as expressed their well wishes with J. D. Lowrey......

will soon be felt among the Catholics of his diocese.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Simmons A nice line of Ladies Knit Sweaters and Miss O'ga Massey, the gover ness, were in town Saturday shop

here on a visit to her mother Mrs ee our sock of boys suits and trou-Lat st atterns, prices fight. Sonora Mercantile Co.

were in from the ranch this week. Jack Wardlaw.... Congressman Claude Hudspeth J. W. Trainer Ed Mears of Menard was here pioneer lawyer of San Angelo, this week looking after his interwas a visitor on the ranch for a H. P. died suddenly in that city last ests at the t half circle and Fort Washington. Terrett ranches.

ed shopmade Kelly Beot.

good health.

of Abilene were here Thursday ranch where Mr. Williams will

on their way south on a hunt. inform himself of the manage. Walter has some very good oil ment and care of sheep with a prospects on his land in Eastland view to later engaging in the busi county and if they turn out all ness. Mr. Williams is late of the Gigars, Cigarentes, Cold Drinks. Mai BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT right he will ouy a ranch in this British army aviation service. part of the country. He says we have a nice line of Xmas Apples

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Mrs. Gilbert and children are in at cheap prices. 17 Sonora Mercattile Co. Keet: n's, San Angele.

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nized and entered under the and ferns and to her left were the little laws of the State of Texas, for MissesDimple Trainer and Mary Mitch the purpose of constructing and ell wao received the curds. These little indies were perfect in frocks of pink operating a hotel in the town of and white. Sonora, Texas, with a capital Little Misses Dorothy Baker and

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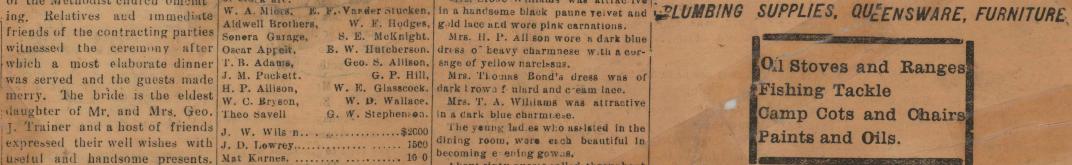
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"But did you not realize the danger gaze on the questioning face of the girl. "However, there is little chance to yourself?" "No, I suppose I didn't, or, rather, I

in the library. I overheard all of That

through the open window, and how

on Eloise Beaucaire before any of the

slaves could be touched, or removed

from the estate. That knowledge only

brought you new courage to play out

your part. But why did you trust me

enough to go with me? And, after

trusting me so fully, why did you re-

fuse to tell me who you really were?"

cheeks were flushed.

Her eyes fell before mine, and her

"You think that strange? I did trust

you, Lieutenant Knox, and I trusted

of our encountering such a party. The did not care. All I thought about was soldiers are all coming up from the South and are bound to force Black how to save her. These were law officers; they would take me to St. Louis Hawk's warriors to the other bank of the Rock. There will be nothing but before a court. Then I could make myself known and would be set free. barren country east of here. What do They couldn't do anything else, could you say, Miss Eloise?" Her eyes met mine bravely, without they? There was no law by which I could be held, but-but, don't you see? a shadow of doubt in them. The delay might give Rene time to es-

"I shall go wherever you say," she cape. That was not wrong, was it?" replied firmly; "I believe tou will "Wrong! It was one of the bravest know best." things I ever heard of. And I know "Then I decide on this route. Once the rest-your encounter with Kirby

we get beyond the section those fel-lows are going to have a hard cask following us, unless they have an Indian trailer along with them. We you learned from him that certain have been here several, hours; the legal papers would have to be served horses must be rested. Let's eat what we can again and then start." Kennedy stood up and stared about us at the disolate scene, the expresion of his face proving his dissatisfaction with the prospect.

"O' course, I'm a goin' 'long with yer, cap," he acknowledged, dryly. "I never wus no quitter, but this yere trip don't look so d-d easy ter me, fer all thet. I'll wake up thet Clark gurl and then saddle the hosses."

you more completely the longer we whon, understand. You were endeav own mind, then gatheree up the map, oring to rescue Rane from slavery. I and replaced it in my pocket, aware. could not conceive what interest you that Eloise had not moved from her might feel if I should confess myself position on the grass. "Is he right?" she questioned, look-Eloise. You were strange to me: we were there alone with the negro, and ing up at me. 'Is there any real dan--and somehow it seemed a protection ger of Indians?"

to me to claim a drop of black blood. "Some, perhaps; it is all Indian Twice I thought to tell you-the words. country, north and east of here-or were on my lips—but something stopped them. Possibly, just a little, I was afraid of you." has been. I am not denying that, but this danger does not compare, in my mind, with the peril which confronts us in every direction. I am trying to "Then-but pot now?"

"No. not now-not even a little: you choose the least. Our greatest diffi-culty will be the lack of food-we have proven yourself all I ever hoped you would be. I am glad-so glad-to possess no guns with which to kill say to you now, I am Eloise Beau-' game, only pistols, and an exceedingly She stopped suddenly, the word small stock of ammunition. That is what troubles Tim; that, and his haif uttored, the smile fading from her

eagerness to get back down the river. He fails to realize what it would mean to you to fall again into Kirby's hands."

"Do you realize?" "Do I? It is the one memory which

blind impulse to save them."

which first brought me to you."

time he and Kirby were together. Af-

was true. Then he laid this plot to

both of you give min dreamed

of owning Beaucaire, of possessing all

it contained. He was willing to risk

everything to carry out his hell-born

scheme, and to ruin everyone who in-

Her hands clung to me, as though

she dare not let go, her eyes were

filled with a mingling of wonderment

best not to go until after we could see

the lawyer. I could not believe my

father had neglected to set those two

free-he-he leved than buch. Della

and Pene had gone n to the Land-

ing that night to see if he had re-

turned. We were both of us afraid to

leave Rene alone-she was so despon-

dent, so unstrung. It was dark and I

was all alone in the house. Then these

"Why, of course, We thought it

ain control of everything, including

it firmly.

caire."

and pain.

controls me. Tell me, am I not right? You despise the fellow; you are willing to face any hardship so as to escape him?"

"I would rather die than have him touch me. Surely you cannot deem it possible that I could ever forgive?" "No; that would be hard to conceive: and yet I wished to hear the words from your own llps. Will you answer me one thing more-why did you first assume the character of Rene, and why did you repose such instant trust in me?" "I think I myself hardly knew," she

admitted timidly. "It all happened, "My God!" She Burst Forth. was born of inpulse, rather than

through any plan. Perhaps it was just "My God !" she burst forth. lips. the woman in me. After my father "But I am not! I am not! Why, I died, Della thought it best to tell us never felt the horror of it all before-I the story of Rene's birthe This-this am not Eloise Beaucaire!" was such a terrible tale, and later we sought all through his private papers, ing to hold my breath, my eyes opin,

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"Without question. We have been riding all night and you were strapped le your horse. Probably you have no recollection of this?"

"You were married to Kirby.

"Dead! Killed?"

was alive.'

you with great care servation. Do you know

answered; as though forcwas half drunk, and once he swore at , speak. "I do know now. knew then, but was mislittle shack in the side of a hill, with posed it might be because little like a negress, but realize it was his own consee. He knew I was a white woman; he had become convinced that I was Eloise Beaucaire. Did you know that, also?"

"I learned the truth on the boat, from the same source where Kirby obtained his information. Elsie Clark told meine

sevilark! Who is she? How did she know?"

"A) free negress, who had been em- fades out, like a dream." ployed by Amos Shrunk. She was the other prisoner on the keelboat when "They fed you?" you were captured, kept locked below in the cabin.'

"How could she know who I was?" "She did not. Only she was positive that you could not be Rene Beaucaire, of the stuff. Then I became dazed because she knew that Rene, in company with her mother, had departed from Shrunk's cabin before those raiders came. The two had already started for Beardstown."

She sat upright, all lassitude gone trom her body, leaning eagerly toward stood up, and then signed on amper, "Gone! Rene escaped them!" she exclaimed, her voice choking. "Oh, tell true?"

me that again. Was the girl sure?" "Quite sure. She saw and spoke ly within my own. with both the women before they left in a wagon. They were on the Under- "I know very little law, and it may ground, bound for Canada, and safety."

"I am so glad-so glad," she said Yet I imagine those men were certain simply. "Now I am strong enough to as to what they could do. Kirby had hear the rest, Lieutenant Knox. You planned to marry you from the very must tell me."

am sock-sure about." I began slowly. your father died." Licby had you securely hidden away somewhere on the second deck, while this Clark girl had been locked into a why?" stateroom above. I possessed such a "Because he had heard of your of you, and I'll give you my ide rowth of beard and was altogether so beauty and that you were rich. Were figured our chances in this way." lisreputable looking as to be mistaken ir a roustabout by the boat's officers, who set me at work to earn my passage. In this way I managed to talk with Elsie, but failed to locate your quarters. The only glimpse I grined

of you was when you were being taken ashore. Then I followed, and a little later succeeded in getting you out of Kirby's hands. That is about all." "Oh, no, it is not-you-you came

too late." "Too late! Perhaps I may know what you mean."

Do you? Surely pot to blame me! to tell you, Lieutenant Knox,

cely know how. It is oeen



RINCE ALBER

"That Man Here!" She Cried in Terror. me. The place where we were was a "My God!" She Burst Forth

stone walls. Kirby took me there Beaucaire! He is the one to whom I from the steamer, together with a man claimed to be Rene." he called Rale-Jack Rale. They

Tim grinned at me, but did not aplocked me in and left me alone after pear particularly flattered at his re- my knowledge of this very condition dark. Then this other man, who ception. dressed like a minister, came back "Not quite so fast, young lady," he with Kirby. They had food and somesaid, stuttering a bit and holding the the Warrior? Did father tell you?"

thing to drink with them, and lit a pipe in his hand. "I reckon I wus lamp so that we could see. It was thar all right, just as ye say, an' thet ly proud of what he had done-bonstawfully dismal and dark in there." I did yer a mighty mean turn, but I ed to me of his success. I have never She pressed her hands to her head ain't such a dern ornary cuss as ye' known a man so heartlessly conceited. despairingly. "I can remember all this, but later it is not so clear; it think-am I, cap?"

"No, you are not," I hastened to ex- this was largely an accident. It was "Miss Beaucaire does not un- not;, it was a deliberately planned, "Try to tell me all you can," I urged. plain. derstand, that is all. Kennedy here cold-blooded plot. I tell you that Joe "Yes, I managed to eat a little, but merely supposed he was doing his duty Kirby is of the devil's own breed; he I would not drink They both became until he learned what Kirby contem-

angry then and frightened me, but plated. Then he refused to have any they did compel me to swallow some hand in it and the two quarreled. Shall I relate that part of the story?" and partially helpless. I had no will Her eyes softened, her lips almost live?" of my own, no power of resistance." smiling.

"Yes," she said. "I am glad to know; "Oh, God !- was I? I wondered; I tell me all." did not really know; truly I did not I described Tim's part in the whole tragedy swiftly, while he shifted awk- ter he died Kirby investigated his know. I seem to remember that I wardly from one foot to the other and story in St. Louis and found that it our nothing had an "thoug to me. Is that true? Do you know that 1 is interjected some comoccasio ment or 2st dection.

"Then I shall count you my friend I grasped her hand and's e'it close- now," she said simply. "And I am so delighted to understand everything. "I am afraid it is true." I answered. There are four of us here, counting the mulatto girl, and we are in hiding not be that such a ceremony is not legal.

terfered with him. I am telling you far from Yellow Banks." all this, Eloise, because it is now time Tim's eyes fell upon the map, lying you should know. Will you not tell outspread on the ground. me just how it all came to you?" "An' whut did ye think wus best,

first, as I explained to you before. He cap?" he inquired gravely. "'Tain't "There is not so much to tell, that I told me that on the Warrior the night likely we got all summer ter sit 'round yere an' talk in. 'Tain't such a bad "Yes, you said so; but I did not place, but by notion is we ought ter quite understand-he planned then-

be joggin' 'long." "Mine also. Come over here, both of you, and I'll give you my idea. I these not reasons enough? But, after In a few words I explained my

he had mistaken you for Rene, the choice of route, pointing it out on the only possible way in which he could map and telling them briefly why I hope to gain you was hy force. Jack was afraid to seek refuge either at Rale suggested that to him and how Fort Madison or Fort Armstrong, or. it could be done. The other man was indeed, at any of the nearer settlea friend of Rale's, a renegade preachments. Eloise said nothing, her gaze er named Gaskins; he is dead." rising from the map to our faces as we debated the question, for Tim

fight with those fellows. We left Rale spoke his mind freely, his stubby fore-"Yes; we brought you away after a finger tracing the course I had indibound and Kirby unconscious." "Unconscious, hurt-but not dead?" cated. "An' whar do yer reckon are them "He had a bad gash in his skull, but "An' whar do yer reckon are them might be warned and not return. They not a start the house and then left this

Kennedy, puffing happily upon a bunch o' Black Hawks? S'pose we'd searched the house and then left this pipe, came loitering about the corner run inter a raidin' party o' them red of the hut and approached us. Eloise bucks. I ain't got much hair, but I staggered to her feet, shrinking back kin use what I hav' got."

am net sure, Tim, but I would even prefer that to being overtaken made up my mind what to do-I would against the wall of the shack, her eyes

"That man here!" she cried in ter-tor. "That man! Why, he was at ably have with him." I retorted, my me off instead of her."

of that cry. Then the reaction came ULTIL O proof that he had, no men.ion, indeed, the knowledge that I must turn her except a memorandum of intention to thoughts elsewhere. refer the matter to Lawyer Halnes at "Do not say that, or even think it," the Landing. This merely served to

I urged, scarcely able to restrain myconfirm what Della had told us, and, self from grasping her in my arms. as Haines had gone to St. Louis, we "Even if it shall prove true-legally were unable to see him. We were all true-some way of escape will be of us nearly crazed. So I suggested that found. The others are safe, and you we run away, and drew money out of are going to need all your courage. my private account for that purpose. Piedge me to forget, to ignore this My only thought was to take a steamthing. I need you." er up the Ohio, to some place where

Her hands fell nerveless and her we were not known, and begin life questioning eyes sought my face. over again. Oh, you cannot under-"You are right, Lieutenant Knox," stand-I had no mind left: only a she said frankly. "I owe my loyalty

now to you. I shall not yield again to I caught her hand in mine and held despair; you may trust me-my friend.' "Perhaps I do understand. It was

The day was not ended when we finally retraced our way across the narrow dyke to the mainland, pre-"You heard about us on the boatpared to resume our journey. The passage was slow and dangerous, and "No; it was Kirby. He was actualwe made it on foot, leading the horses. The woods were already beginning to darken as we forded the north branch of the creek and came forth through a Eloise, listen. You may have thought fringe of forest trees into a country of rolling hills and narrow valleys. The two girls were already mounted, and Tim and I were busily tightening the straps for a night's ride, when, is not human. Rene's father told him from behind us, back in the direction first of the peculiar conditions at Beauof the peninsula we had just quitted, there sounded the sharp report of a "Rene's father! Does-does he still rifle. We straightened up, startled, and our eyes met. There could be but one "No: but he did live for years after conclusion—our pursuers had found he disappeared, supporting himself by the trail. gambling on the lower river. At one



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men came. They did not know me The great mistake made by most and I did not know them, but I was novices is that they study gardens toc sure what they came for. I was termuch and nature too little. Now gar ribly frightened, without an idea what dens in general are stiff and grace to do-only I refused to talk. All I less, except just so far as nature, ever could do was to pray that the others free and flowing, reasserts her rights in spite of man's want of taste, or helps him when he has endeavored to work in her own spirit. But the field: vas a deputy sheriff from St. Louis, and woods are full of instruction, and -and I encouraged him to explain such features of our richest and all he knew about the case. Then I most smilling and diversified countr must the best hints for the embellish ment of rural homes always he d rived.-Andrew Jackson Downing.

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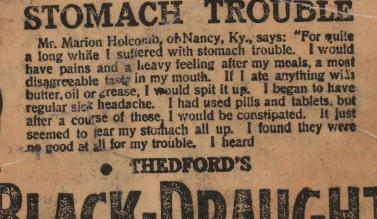
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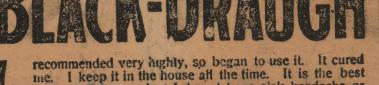
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