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MIX FILTH WITH FOOD.

PRESIDENT SENDS TO CONGRESS REPORT TELLING OF DISGUSTING METHODS IN PACKING HOUSES.

Washington, June 4.—The horrifying revelation made in the special report on conditions existing in the Chicago packing houses as reported by commissioner of labor Neil and James Reynolds of New York was submitted to congress by the president with a message in which President Roosevelt describes the state of affairs as "revolting" and calling for immediate and drastic legislation along the lines of the Beveridge bill.

Statements in the report are generally sickening and some are unfit for publication. The investigators spent only two weeks in their investigation, but found enough to corroborate all the charges made by the independent investigators. The report affects all the Chicago packing houses and details only what the investigators actually saw.

The report begins by saying that the brick pavements in the yards are covered with manure and cannot be properly cleaned. They are "slimy and malodorous when wet, yielding clouds of dust when dry."

The interiors of the buildings are mostly of wood, and the floors are soaked and slimy, while the rooms are poorly lighted and ventilated.

Many inside rooms where food is prepared are without windows and the air in these rooms is rarefied.

Sanitation is not found in any establishment visited. Taking up the sanitary conveniences the report says that nothing shows more strikingly the packers' indifference in matters of cleanliness.

The retiring rooms frequently adjoin the work room, from which they are cut off only by low partitions. The arrangements are described as abominable and as seriously and directly affecting the cleanliness of the food products.

The wash sinks are small and dirty with neither towels, soap nor any other necessities provided. The investigation tells of employees with shoes filthy from the refuse on the floor climbing over piles of meat to select pieces they wanted and walking on the tables where the meat is handled.

"We saw meat," the report says, "shoved from filthy floors and piled on tables that are rarely washed, pushed from room to room in rotten box carts, everywhere gathering dirt and splinters on the floor. The filth of excretion in particular is a glaring instance of the uncleanness found in the rooms where the best grade of sausage is prepared for export.

"Employees carted chopped up meat across the room upon barrows the handles of which were filthy with grease, while meat is thrown upon the tables and employees climbed up and spread it with unwashed hands, kneeling with dirty aprons and still dirtier trousers in contact with the meat. After thus finishing they wiped their hands on their trousers or apron and took hold of the dirty handles of the barrow and went after another load. There is no water and no towels in this room."

The report points out that the federal inspection as now conducted is by no means complete and that the labels on canned goods indicating their contents have been inspected are misleading.

Conditions existing among the

employees, especially women, are gone into in detail, and the inspectors conclude that the while situation tends to moral degeneration, discourages cleanliness and is unpardonable and unnecessary.

The president says that if the required legislation is not passed he will order the use of inspection labels on all canned goods stopped, and also adds that the worst evil is in their preparation, perhaps. The inspection cost should be levied on the packers and each animal inspected would not cost to exceed 8 cents.

Will Colonize Big Artesia Tract.

As a result of the sale of 6622 acres of land at Artesia an extensive colonization movement from Williamson and Travis counties will be started. The purchasers of the land are Casey and Cooper of Georgetown and the seller is I. Lang, trustee. The deal was made through the agency of the Adams-Kirkpatrick company, the price paid being \$10,000.

The land will be divided into small tracts and will be settled by farmers from Travis and Williamson counties. It is fine cotton land and will be used mainly for the raising of that staple.—S. A. Gazette.

TEN THOUSAND YEARLINGS.

T. B. Jones Buys That Number From Santa Gertrudes Ranch.

T. B. Jones has bought 10,000 head of yearlings from the Santa Gertrudes ranch.

Keithly is receiving them and driving them to the ranch Southeast of Cotulla.

Local Option Election Returns.

The result of the local option election last Saturday in this precinct was 118 to 69 in favor of the anti.

The total vote cast was 187, about three-fourths of the vote of the precinct. The anti polled the Mexican vote almost solid. The pros were not organized and comparatively little interest was taken. Of the white vote cast the majority was in favor of prohibition.

The election was a very quiet one. The saloons were closed the day previous to the election and there was no drunkenness whatever on election day.

Land Deal.

Earnest & Daniel, the real estate men, sold last week to parties from Fayetteville, Arkansas, what is known as the Landa land, containing over six thousand acres, about three miles West of Millett. This is one of the best tracts of tillable land in the county. The new owners intend to divide it into small tracts and sell it to farmers. This should add largely to the population of that part of the county.

Tacky Party.

Next Friday night, June 15th, the Ladies of the Methodist church will give a Tacky Party at the M. J. Barlow building for the benefit of the church seat funds. Refreshments will be served and everybody is invited to attend. Come one and all and take a part in the party. Admission 25c.

COMMITTEE.

SENATOR GORMAN DEAD AT CAPITAL.

Washington, June 4.—Arthur Pue Gorman, the democratic senator from Maryland, died this morning after a long illness, aged 67. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made. For forty years he had been a leader in American politics.

Death was due to heart failure. His daughter, Ada was at his bedside.

In his day Arthur Pue Gorman was a mighty man—mighty as they go in the day and age of machine politics. The walls of national convention halls have thundered to his name and the floors have reverberated under the tread of his supporters.

In the senate his name stood for policies—policies which have drawn the scathing denunciation of the chief executive of his own party, expressed in such terms as "perfidy" and "treason" and at times it has meant victory won by a smaller force from an aggressive and oppressive party majority by parliamentary skill and tactical finesse.

He has won fame as a leader and organizer of men and his name will have a prominent place in the political history of the past 40 years. It will be mentioned in connection with the defeat of the force bill and with framing of the sugar schedule of the Wilson-Gorman tariff act.

Although not a very old man Arthur Pue Gorman has had a longer career in political life than almost any man now on the public stage. It began in 1852, when at the age of twelve he

was elected to the United States senate, and runs through the war-time period, even up to the beginning of the Roosevelt administration.

He began with nothing. He has long been reputed to be a very rich man.

For 12 years from the date of his appointment as judge in the senate Gorman was connected in an office holding capacity with that body. In 1866 he was postmaster of the senate and was removed and immediately appointed collector of internal revenue for the fifth district of Maryland. This office he held for three years, when he was removed by Grant, and went home to Howard county, Maryland, to run for the state legislature. He was elected and re-elected to the lower and later the upper houses of the Maryland legislature, serving in that body 21 years.

Arthur Pue Gorman was born in Howard county, Maryland, March 11, 1839. So poor were his parents that they did not own the few acres which they tilled. His education was begun in the country school and continued after he became a page in the senate by personal reading and study.

Senator Gorman was ever a better politician than statesman. He was not an orator in any sense of the word, but few had a keener knowledge of the ebb of political machinery than he, and none was better able to manage a campaign. By his political opponents he was denominated a spoilsman of spoilsmen, as senator Hanna was.

Mr. Gorman was married in 1866 to Mrs. Hattie D. Schwartz. Outside of politics he devoted himself to his family, his wife, three daughters and a son, who resembles his father and has followed his path in politics into the Maryland legislature. In 1872 Mr. Gorman became President of the Chesapeake & Ohio canal company which connection laid the foundation of his wealth.

LOCAL NOTES

P. A. Kerr returned Wednesday from Bay City.

F. K. Hall was seen on our streets this week.

City, S. T. Phelps was in the city this week.

Rev. F. A. Barnes returned Monday morning from Laredo.

Bluer Richey of Carrizo Springs was here a day or two this week.

W. H. Hamilton and wife of Millett were in town Friday.

Henrichson was in town today from Artesia.

E. Shipp left yesterday morning for Carrizo Springs.

W. H. Jennings and outfit left this week for Brackett.

W. O. Miller, who has been in the city for Rockdale.

W. H. Daniel and daughter were in town yesterday from the Lake Grove Farm.

E. McBryde, a merchant of Rockdale has been in the city all week.

Young people enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Simon Costant's last night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Giffin and sister Miss Giffin were in town yesterday.

A fine girl to Mr. and Mrs. Willis Johnson Wednesday, June 6.

Jack Neal returned Thursday from St. Louis where he had been with a train of cattle.

Pros like mother used to make, will be easy with the nice fresh canned apples and seedless raisins at Hall & Bowen's.

FOR SALE—A few thorough bred Berkshire pigs, \$25.00 per pair, for males \$15.00.

MATT RUSSELL.

Mrs. C. D. Lake of San Marcos, arrived on Thursday's train on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. L. A. Kerr.

Miss Mary Hargus returned first of the week from Carrizo Springs, where she has been for the past month visiting relatives.

The editor has been away all the week and left the "devil" to get the paper out, and if there is anything wrong, please look over it for we did our best.

Notice.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Baptist church at 11 a. m. June 17th. Children's exercises at 8:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

W. G. Gilstrap, Pastor.

Miss Mamie Wildenthal, Pele Gujan and Carrie Manly are behind the counter at the City Cash Store this week during Clearance Sale.

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white wash shirtwaist goods; all of the best and novelty embroidery. A new line of cor-velties in white embroidered wash belts Parasols. The most popular things in white duck shoes for women and children. Also a big line of ladies white hand bags in the latest and most practical styles. This is the greatest white goods season in the country has ever known and there is no other style of dress that is so un-



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MOSQUITO EXTERMINATION.

This is another name for the prevention of mosquito breeding by obliterating the primary conditions requisite for their wholesale production. On the 11th instant the Third Annual Convention of the American Mosquito Extermination Society was held in this city, at the New

Union League Club by the President, Mr. Wm. J. Matheson, in honor of several guests and Health Board officials.

At the convention it was shown that much progress had been made toward the abatement of the mosquito nuisance by a greater enlightenment of public sentiment in its favor, as evidenced through recent legislative enactments.

In the State of New Jersey, for example, where only a few years ago the suggestion of eliminating the mosquito met with ridicule, now, as a result of a more universal education and extension of information on the subject, it is reported that the State Legislature has passed almost unanimously an appropriation of \$350,000, to be expended at the rate of \$50,000 per year for the diking and ditching of the great salt marshes lying adjacent to the city of Newark and about the Hackensack River. Legislation is also in process in the New York Legislature to the same end for the benefit of New York city.

The convention adopted what is termed a "Mosquito Brief," stating in simple language the number of species of mosquitoes that inhabit marsh lands and cess-pools of the United States—that they can only breed in water; that one mosquito can lay on the average three hundred eggs a day; that the life of one mosquito is about a month. The most dangerous of Southern mosquitoes is the Stegomyia fasciata, the natural carrier of yellow fever germs.

At the evening dinner, Gen. Fred D. Grant, of Governor's Island, U. S. army post, gave some interesting reminiscences on mosquitoes and their effect on the health of the army. He related how he had protected a division of the army located on one side of the Rio Grande River, in a southern section of the country, from the spread of yellow fever, which had broken out in a town situated on the opposite bank. He secured funds from Washington to

carry out an effective system of screening, and said as a result that not one of his men was taken with the fever. On Governor's Island, numerous relics in the shape of 15-inch-gun shells were used to shed water into the sea, which had the effect of killing locally the generation of insects. Even up to the present time the shells were filled with

Mr. Paul L. Cravath related an interesting record concerning the relation of the mosquito to malaria. On the north side of Long Island, about thirty miles from New York, there were certain valleys and bays where the mosquito was notoriously evident. The areas were located upon a map. Another record was made as to the extent of malaria over this section, from physicians and others, and these areas were placed upon a second duplicate map. This medical map was then superimposed over the first map, and it was found the areas in both cases pretty evenly matched each other.

This record is of special interest to all boards of health, and proves most graphically how it is possible to improve the public health by the prevention of mosquito breeding.

Other interesting remarks were made, showing how marshy places by being reclaimed and converted into public parks could easily improve land valuations and at the same time become a public benefit.—Scientific American.

The large stock of hats, of the best factories, bought expressly to meet the demand and taste of stockmen, will be sold at actual cost, at R. A. Gilmer's

NOTICE.

The County Commissioners' Court of La Salle County will meet as a Board of Equalization in the Court house thereof in the town of Cotulla, Texas, on Monday June 11, 1906, it being the second Monday in said month, and the regular day for meeting thereof as appointed and provided by law, for the purpose of receiving all the assessment lists or books of the assessor for inspection, correction, equalization and approval.

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Announcements.

FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce Jno. N. Garner, of Uvalde as a candidate for Congress from the 15th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce John T. Briscoe, of Devine as a candidate for the Legislature from the 97th district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Commissioners' Court will meet as a Board of Equalization Monday, June 11th.

The Texas onion crop this year will net the growers nearly a third of a million dollars, and Cotulla has gotten a great big slice of it.

How to Kill a Lie.

It's pretty hard to know how to treat a lie. It's about your self. You can't go out of your way to deny it, because that puts you on the defensive, and sending the truth after a lie that's got a good running start is like trying to round up a stampeded herd of steers when the scare is on them. Lies are great travelers, and welcome visitors in a good many homes, and no questions asked. Truth travels slow, has to prove its identity, and then a lot of people hesitate to turn out an agreeable stranger to make room for it.

About the only way to kill a lie is to live the truth. When your credit is attacked, don't bother to deny the rumors, but discount your bills. When you are attacked unjustly avoid also the appearance of being too good—that is, better than usual—armise and suspicion feeds the lie, and when a man goes about business along the usual rut they soon fade away for lack of brushment.—Ideal Review.

Martin Noyles' Sharp Curve.

Martin L. Noyles, a freight conductor on the New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad, who owns the "Buttercup Extra," is noted along the road as a wit. A few days ago one of his regular crew taking a day off, the spare man sent to fill his place was a Western chap, with rather exaggerated tales of railroad life on the plains.

The conversation taking the form of an argument to which had had the sharpest curves, the Western man said: "Why, there is one curve on the Southern Pacific so sharp that when a train of thirty cars is taking it the conductor can stand on the caboose platform and hand the engineer a plug of tobacco."

"Oh that's nothing," said Martin. "We have a curve right here on the New Haven system so sharp the fireman throws a shovelful of coal at the firebox it invariably lands plumb into the headlight."—Boston Herald.

EARTHQUAKES.

The destructive earthquake at San Francisco on April 18th has brought out a great many articles in the magazines and papers on earthquakes. Some of these were written by scientific men, others by pseudo-scientists. But all serve to prove that scientific men know very little about the causes of earthquakes. Graphic accounts of earthquakes and earthquake phenomena have been published for several hundred years, but no real scientific observations or study were made until about 1887. About that time an English scientist, Prof. John Milne, became professor of geology in the University of Tokio, in Japan. Japan has its earthquakes, marking their paths by ruin and death, but they are few compared with the number of harmless earthquakes. There are many hundreds of slight shocks every year, doing little or no damage, and here the student has ample and safe opportunity to collect facts.

This opportunity was seen by Prof. John Milne. He formed a society of natives and Europeans which in a few years collected a mass of facts with regard to earthquakes that surpassed in value all that the previous four centuries had placed at the service of science.

Among the results was the perfecting of instruments for recording earth motion, and there is no doubt seismographs all over the world have recorded the San Francisco shocks. Science may now determine, if the required data are obtained, the epicentrum, or, in other words, the particular surface beneath which the subterranean jar that caused the earthquake occurs. It may also determine approximately the depth beneath the surface at which the trouble begins. Thus the place of origin, or the epicentrum, of the Charleston earthquake was in the region just west and southwest of the city, about twelve miles beneath the surface. It is probable that the place of origin of our last disastrous earthquake will be ascertained. Unless the shocks were followed by heavy earthquake sea waves along the coast, it is perhaps more probable that the epicentrum was under the land surface than under the sea floor.

According to the Washington report, the earth waves produced by the shocks reached the seismographs there in less than one and one-half minutes after the original occurrence at San Francisco. If this report is accurate, the rate of transmission was more than eleven miles in a second, a remarkably rapid rate of movement, though earthquake waves travel with widely varying velocity. In the Charleston earthquake the rate was about 17,000 feet, or a little more than three miles, in a second.

Earthquakes and volcanic phenomena seem to go together, and there is, doubtless, some connection, although some earthquakes have occurred far from the scene or time of any volcanic outburst. We believe that more careful study and observation will prove that not only all volcanic outbursts and earthquakes are connected, but both belong to the electrical phenomena of the globe. The San Francisco earthquake followed only a few days after the eruption of Mount Vesuvius and there must be some connection between the two. Back of all is the electrical unrest in the Earth and its atmosphere, which has been very apparent the past two months.—Word and Work.

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Jesse Hill went up to San Antonio Wednesday.

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Whit Neal returned to San Antonio Monday.

Miss Fannie Woolls is visiting relatives in Pearsall.

Furniture, Furniture, Furniture that's what Henrichson sells.

Watermelons, cantaloupes and roasting ears at Philippe & Guinn's.

Miss Mary Kerr is visiting at the Burke Ranch.

Mrs. Florence Yaeger of Millett is in the city.

Delbert Neal took in the picnic at New Braunfels Wednesday.

Cantaloupe shipments began in earnest early this week.

Judge F. B. Earnest returned Monday from Millett.

C. E. James was in the city a day or two this week.

Terrell Bobo is here visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Reed.

Philippe & Guinn's beauty coffee in bags, \$1.00.

L. N. Woolder made a business trip to Waco first of the week.

J. M. Turner of San Antonio is in the city visiting relatives.

Sheriff W. T. Hill is having an addition built to his house this week.

When you buy, buy the best, that is why it pays to buy of us. G. W. Henrichson.

Mrs. G. M. Soles left Tuesday for Caldwell on a three month's visit to relatives.

Rev. J. F. Kimball returned to Laredo Monday after spending a week in the city.

We printed for D. L. Neeley this week 1000 Note Heads and 1000 Envelopes.

The Commissioners' Court meets as a Board of Equalization Monday next.

Miss Janie Thomas left Tuesday morning for Pearsall where she will visit friends.

Miss Lucy Manly left last week for the Irvin Ranch where she will spend about a month.

Miss Elizabeth Kerr went to Laredo Wednesday on a visit to relatives.

See K. Burwell's line of Mexican hats and big straw hats to wear in the sun.

Miss Florence Poole returned to Pearsall Monday. Where she is attending the Normal.

Miss Lizzie Fullerton left first of the week for San Antonio and Gonzales on a visit to relatives.

Nunley Camp was an arrival on Tuesday's train from San Antonio and left for the Burke Ranch that evening on a visit.

Mrs. A. Armstrong and son Otto, returned home Tuesday from Austin, where Otto has been in school the past six months.

If you want an up to date Oxford, remember the walk-over and Edwin Clapp are the best, at G. W. Henrichson's.

The editor left Monday for a week's vacation at Corpus Christi, where the Texas Press Association met Wednesday.

Miss Mary Chiles left Tuesday morning for Milwaukee, Wis., on a visit to friends, she will be gone all summer.

Miss Mary Mulder, formerly of Cotulla, but who now resides in Victoria, is in the city on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm George of Carrizo Springs came in on Monday's stage, and left next morning for San Antonio.

Misses Willie and Mary Baylor was in town first of the week from the La Motte Ranch, the guests of Mrs. W. A. Kerr.

Leave your laundry bundles at this office. Basket leaves every Wednesday morning, returning Saturday.

See the big picture proposition K. Burwell has for your consideration.

Mrs. Ed Cotulla and children came up on Wednesday's train from Laredo on a visit to relatives.

Workmen's clothing and underwear have advanced with the price of cotton, sold at actual cost at the store of R. A. Gilmer.

Jno M. Daniel and sister, Miss Madie Daniel, left Monday for Corpus Christi, to attend the meeting of the Texas Press Association.

Messrs. Lindsey and Shiner, who were here from San Antonio representing the liquor houses in the local option election, returned to San Antonio Sunday.

alter Warren returned to Winder spending two days with relatives.

Mr. Paul L. during May was interesting record purposes. Now if malaria. Quite at the right time, there'll be something to do.

Edwin Hart of Falfurrias, was here this week. Mr. Hart has been truck farming the past year, and although he was new at the business made a success of it.

When in need of a nice hat call at G. W. Henrichson's, who has just received a shipment and will take pleasure in showing you the latest styles in Stetson's or any other hat you wish to buy.

Mrs. E. P. Gilmer left Monday for Virginia to spend a month at the old home and among friends of her childhood days. Mrs. Minnie Thompson has charge of the hotel during her absence.

Wm. George of Carrizo Springs has again the contract for carrying the mail from Carrizo Springs to Cotulla for four years. Also M. T. Davis has the contract for carrying mail from Dull Ranch to Cotulla.

Land For Sale.—300 acres fronting Rio Grande river near Laredo lying between Pace and Nye irrigated farms. Will sell all or part of it. Price of entire tract \$40.00 per acre. Investigate. MANUEL RAMERIEZ, Laredo, Texas.

Guilford Gilmer and sister, Miss Lizzie, left Tuesday for Toronto, Canada, where they will spend the summer. Guilford has accepted a position as civil engineer under Mr. Roger Miller, a contractor for the Canadian government, and says if the weather does not freeze him out he may remain in Canada through the next winter.

Raymond H. Seefeld, manager of the Los Palms Farm left Monday for Speedwell, Va., where he will join his wife and spend several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Seefeld will not return to Cotulla before August, and will visit Milwaukee, Mr. Seefeld's home, before they return.

The Cough Habit

is more dangerous to your life than the drink, cocaine or morphine habits, for it soon ends in Consumption, Pneumonia and Death. Save yourself from these awful results of Coughs and Colds, by taking

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STATE LAND OFFICE.

Austin, Texas.—This office had section 10, block 5, certificate 640 acres, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., McMullen county, valued at \$2.50 per acre, thus creating a tie. On Monday, July 2, 1906, land will be subject to sale, one offering the bid, but not less than \$2.50. Those sending applications to purchase this land before the above date will place same in a sealed envelope as follows: "Application to buy land, Section 10, block 5, Grantee H. & T. C. Ry. Co., County McMullen, state of Texas, on market July 2, 1906." Applications will be held until July 3rd at 10 A. M. when same will be sold to the highest bidder, and the land awarded to the who offers the highest price, not less than \$2.50 per acre, provided no legal obstacle prevent sale. JOHN J. TERRELL, Commissioner.

IMMIGRATION.

From Europe Through the Port of Galveston.

Our Foreign Immigration Office, No. 2305 Mechanic Street (corner of Tremont), Galveston, Texas, in charge of Mr. J. E. Schelling, Foreign Immigration Agent, is now equipped for the handling of all matters pertaining to Foreign Immigration.

Mr. Schelling will give special attention to the filling of orders for labor from the "HOME-SEEKERS" arriving Galveston on each ship. Orders placed with him should state the number wanted, the kind of work, and the wages with a statement of the cost of board, etc.

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BAPTIST—Rev. W. G. Gilstrap, Pastor, regular services every 1st and 3rd Sundays, Sunday School every Sunday. Song practice every Tuesday night.

SOCIETIES

A. F. & A. M.—Cotulla Lodge No. 292 A. F. & A. M. meets Saturday night after the full moon of each month. W. G. JOHNSON, w. m., J. P. GUINN, Secretary.

EASTERN STAR—Eastern Star meets Saturday afternoon after full moon in each month. T. G. Woolls, W. P., Mrs. G. Philippe, w. m., Mrs. L. W. Gaddis, Secretary.

W. O. W.—La Salle Camp No. 125, Woodman of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights of each month. DANIEL SMITH, C. C. B. WILDENTHAL, Secretary.

LOVE.

'Twas in April, well I remember, When the streets were crowded to an excess, I felt tired and lonely, wanted solitude and rest. I paused in the shadow of the bright lights And listened to the music sweet. It was there a dreamy sensation came stealing o'er my soul, I looked and lo! and behold— I met the bold gaze of a stranger With eyes of beautiful gray, Who seemed to steal my senses away. As I looked into those eyes Something seemed to whisper, 'tis not wise, Cupid came tripping along And sang to this stranger a love song. He took him by the hand and led him many miles from that gay scene. I searched and found the dreamy brown eyed girl, Even taught him how to woo and win Her heart and soul from all others I Left them to blend their lives into one perfect whole. HULDA.

Jno. M. Daniel

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Hays County; 300 acres black land on river; 3 miles from railroad station; 200 acres in cultivation; fine house; large barn; two windmills; rent houses. Adjoining this farm is a 4000 acre ranch fenced into four pastures; has river front, wells, windmills and ranch house. Will sell both places together or will sell the farm or part of it.

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