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## A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY

### For Homo-Seekers to Locate in a Most Favored Portion of the Northwest.

Advices are received to the effect that the Uintah Indian Reservation in Utah will be thrown open by the government for settlement on August 28th and that on account of same individual registrations for the land will commence August 1st at Grand Junction, Colorado, and at Vernal, Price and Provo, Utah, such registrations to close August 12th.

Drawings to determine the order in which selections of the land may be made, will be held at Provo, Utah, commencing Thursday, Aug. 17th, and the applications of those participating and drawing numbers from 1 to 50 inclusive, must be presented at Vernal, Utah, August 28th, when they will be considered in their numerical order during the first day; the applications of holders of numbers 51 to 100 inclusive to be presented on the second day, and so on until all numbers have been disposed of.

Between the time of registration and the drawing, applicants will be given certificates permitting them to examine the lands. All applications for entry must be made individually, and can not be made by agents or representatives except in the cases of honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, who may submit proofs of their qualifications through agents of their own selection. No person, however, will be permitted to act as agent for more than one soldier or sailor. The reservation is reached to advantage via a new transportation line from Mack, Colorado, known as the Uintah Railway, also by stage line from Price, Utah, a station on the line of the Denver & Rio Grande R. R. On this account and in order to admit of interested persons participating in the very unusual opportunity thus presented, at nominal expense, the Fort Worth & Denver City Ry., (The Denver Road) will sell round trip tickets from Texas points daily at rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip, with a return limit of 60 days from date of purchase, and will also afford the privilege of stopovers going and returning in order to facilitate the interests of those desiring to investigate and file claims.

Details regarding the best plans of procedure in order to secure parts of the property will be supplied free of cost by Mr. A. A. Glisson, G. P. A. of "The Denver Road" at Fort Worth, Texas, upon application. The lands referred to are in many respects extraordinarily good and, as this is probably the last opportunity of the kind which will be afforded for many years to come, it goes without saying that an immense interest will be found in the opening by parties from all sections of the country.

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his wife, who were pronounced that the young lady would prove rapidly. The Governor probably remains here for two or three days.

**A Father Arrested.**  
Kaufman, Texas: John You white man, about 40 years old, lives about fifteen miles southeast of Kaufman, has been jailed here on charge of having committed criminal assault upon his own daughter, 15 years of age. The complainant sworn to by his wife and daughter.

**Victoria Cleaning Up.**  
Victoria, Texas: Cleaning up putting all premises in good condition is the order of the day now as a result of Mayor Schaefer's proclamation demanding obedience and enforcement of the sanitary ordinance. Kerosene oil and screens are coming in for their share.

**Residence at Shreveport.**  
Shreveport, La.: The residence of A. D. Chadwick, commercial agent of the Katy road, together with the

## IT'S ALWAYS BAD.

### The Best of Backs are Bad When They Ache, and Texas People Know It.

A bad back is always bad—Bad at night when bedtime comes.

Just as bad in the morning. Ever try Doan's Kidney Pills for it?

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## TRUNKS OF EVIDENCE.

### Two Filled With Papers and Account Books of A. S. Busby.

Austin, Tex., July 31.—The Attorney General's Department today turned over to Assistant Attorney General Howard Martin, who has charge of all criminal matters for the State, two large trunks full of financial statements, ledgers, etc., which were used by the penitentiary financial agent while A. S. Busby was assistant financial agent. The papers were used in the case recently settled at Dallas, where the State was reimbursed the amount alleged due from Financial Agent Hill, account of the alleged defalcations of Assistant Busby.

The criminal proceedings against Busby have been postponed twice because the records showing the financial transactions were tied up in the case against Hill and his bondsmen. Now that the case is settled, Mr. Martin will take the records to Crockett, Houston County, where the Busby case is pending on change of venue from Rusk, Cherokee county. The case was set for last April, but postponed for the reasons stated until the October term, when it will likely be tried, inasmuch as it will be called at that time.

J. H. Walker, assistant financial agent of penitentiaries at this time, is here going over the papers with Judge Reese and Howard Martin.

## A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute, but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a tendency to gripe. If this does not check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipency and all danger avoided. The castor oil and this remedy should be procured at once and kept ready for instant use as soon as the first indication of bowel trouble appears. This is the most successful treatment known and may be relied upon with implicit confidence even in cases of cholera infantum. For sale by S. L. Murchison.

## Woman's Honor.

A beautiful and fragrant flower is coaxed into bloom by the genial sunshine of tropical countries. It is called the camelia, and is so sensitive and tender that if it be touched with but a breath no power on earth can prevent the blight or wipe away the stain.

Such a flower is the good name of woman. One breath of suspicion, one word of slander, will leave it marred and bruised forever.

Too often lies born in the hearts of scoundrels and circulated by the lips of fools have whispered reputation to death. Once started, they travel like winged vampires on their mission of infamy, gathering filth as they pass from knavish lip to foolish ear and out again.

Gossip is the black witch of

falsehood, the courier of bad news, the handmaiden of slander. It whispers evil into the ear of the world. It is dumb to utter good, but with a thousand tongues it spreads the base, the vile and the impure. It repeats nothing that is not bad, it forgets everything that is good. It is a snake in the grass, a filthy reptile that reveals with its belly on the ground, leaving its trail of slime behind. It can damn with faint praise, and without sneering teach the rest to sneer. It is the master of innuendo. It can circulate falsehood with knowing winks and with a hundred arts of deception convey the lie it dares not utter.

This is gossip—and it is more. It is a human Harpel who with unsated appetite leaves its feast on festering reputations in the charnel house of character to devour the good name of the innocent and pure. It is the arch enemy of woman's honor and has with its lying tongue stabbed many a reputation in the back.

The newspapers of this country who fight the battles of law and order should be the first by precept and example to protect and shield the good name of women. No story should be printed concerning them and compromising them which might be untrue, and when a woman has no wealth, no influential friends—nothing but her good name—she should appeal for protection to no editor in vain. A woman's honor is worth more than a newspaper story, and it is better not to print the news than to unjustly destroy the reputation of a good woman.—Memphis News Scimitar.

## Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of the prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years although I am now 91 years old." Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

## Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation." For sale by S. L. Murchison.

## Consumption Threatened.

C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since." Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

## TEXAS' PRECAUTIONS.

### Tabor Has Placed Guards at All of the Gateways.

Galveston, Texas, July 31.—Dr. George R. Tabor, State health officer, stated to-night he has completed an inspection service on the Louisiana-Texas border. He has appointed Dr. J. N. Florence, the regular quarantine officer at Brownsville, to take charge of the southern inspection and quarantine stations, with headquarters at Beaumont, to which point he will move at once.

Dr. John F. Eaves, the regular officer at Aransas Pass, has been appointed to have general supervision of the northern quarantine line with headquarters at Shreveport.

He has visited Texarkana and there instituted a quarantine and inspection service against New Orleans and other infected points in connection with the local authorities at Texarkana. He also visited Waskom on the Texas and Pacific at the border and installed an inspection system there. Dr. Tabor has also appointed two inspectors from Houston for Logansport selected by Dr. Brumby of Houston. One is W. F. Bates, who was with Dr. Tabor at Laredo. Dr. Eaves has gone to Logansport to install the two inspectors.

This completes the quarantine with inspectors at every railroad gateway on the Texas-Louisiana border and makes the system about as perfect as it is possible to make it.

"It is of interest to note," said Dr. Tabor, "that Havana has quarantined against the entire gulf coast except Texas. It behooves every section of the state to prosecute a sanitary campaign and mosquito crusade, so that the ports of Texas may be kept open and commerce not interfered with. I would most earnestly urge every community to clean out mosquitoes and be prepared to resist the introduction of fever."

Dr. McLendon, State quarantine officer here, has returned from his vacation and resumed charge of the station today. State Health Officer Tabor, who has been relieving him, will go to Houston on Wednesday and from there direct the affairs of the State health department for a few days.

## Doctors Endorse It.

Lang Bros., Druggists, Paducah, Ky., write: "We sell more of Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure than all other remedies combined, having retailed over 700 bottles in one season. Physicians here prescribe it and persons who once use it will have no other. Sold by J. G. Haring."

## Accept No Substitute.

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Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

**Trees and Lightning.**

About the most dangerous place to seek shelter in a thunderstorm is under an oak or elm tree, as was proved again by the experience of a dozen persons in Prospect park, Brooklyn, only a short time ago. This fact has long been known to scientists, but many persons are killed every year by lightning because of the lack or disregard of this knowledge.

The total annual loss of life by lightning is not known, for complete statistics on the subject have never been kept. A few years ago the United States Weather Bureau attempted something of the kind in a tentative way. Its experts figured out the average number of persons killed by lightning yearly in the United States at 312. But this was not complete. From several States in the Union the Weather Bureau received no reports.

The reports received did show that of all that lightning killed only a few were struck in the open field. Most of the killed and injured, it was found, had sought shelter from thunderstorms under trees, in doorways of barns or near chimneys.

While no record of the kind of trees most often struck by lightning has ever been kept in the United States, the lightning rod conference held in England in 1881 reported that in the United Kingdom the trees most often struck were the elm, oak, ash and poplar. It is also said that the beech, birch and maple were seldom touched by lightning. It was an elm that was struck in Prospect park on July 8.

For a period of eleven years in the Principality of Lippe-Detmold exhaustive records were kept of all trees struck by lightning. These showed that trees standing near water seemed to be the most likely to be hit and gave this table of comparative danger: Oaks, 100; elms, 77; pines 33; firs 10; fir trees in general, 27; beeches, by far the safest of all forest trees, 2.—New York Sun.

24 Out of 25.

Pocahontas, Ark., Feb. 17, 1905. "Ship 3 gross Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. I have been selling your Chill Cure for 7 years and find that 24 out of 25 who once use it will have no other. W. H. Skinner, Druggist." Sold by J. G. Haring.

**The Make-Up of a Gentleman.**

A gentleman is just a gentleman: no more, no less; a diamond polished was first a diamond in the rough.

A gentleman is gentle.  
A gentleman is modest.  
A gentleman is courteous.  
A gentleman is slow to take offense, as being one who never gives it.

A gentleman is slow to surmise evil, as being one who never thinks it.

A gentleman refines his tastes.  
A gentleman controls his speech.

A gentleman deems others better than himself.—S. F. A. by Mrs. F. M. B.

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Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

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Will cure Kidney and Bladder Disease. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

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Whom Gott has kilt mit ager fits.  
He would not let him live mit me  
So took him up to lvs mit He."  
The child would have lived had he been given Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. Sold by J. G. Haring.

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**A COONSKIN FARE.**

It Would Have Paid the Traveler to Let the Change Go.

Many years ago, as the story runs, when coonskins were worth six bits apiece in Arkansas and a regular fee of two bits was assessed for ferrying a horseman across the St. Francis river, there came along a traveler whose entire capital consisted of but a single pelt, and the ferryman hadn't a cent of change in his pocket.

The traveler was bound to cross, but refused to pay three times as much as the man who passed before him or the one who was to come next. The ferryman would not wet an oar unless payment for his services was assured. Here was ample foundation for an argument, and presumably the opportunity was not neglected. But a satisfactory arrangement was finally reached, the traveler getting value received for his coonskin by being waded thrice across the stream. This of course would leave him on the right side, and neither party to the trade would have cause for complaint. Such was the generous spirit of accommodation which obtained in these earlier days, such-but hold on a bit.

On the second trip the ferryman chanced to inspect the coonskin closely and found that it was by no means up to the recognized standard. Maybe it had been killed too early in the season or was not properly stretched. Anyway, he decided that four bits was all it was worth, and the traveler frankly admitted the soundness of his judgment, acknowledged that he had received its value in the double ferrage and forthwith started on his fifty mile ride up the river to the nearest point where it was fordable.—Field and Stream.

**A LONG LOST CITY.**

Tanagra, the Site of the Modern Town of Gremada, in Greece.

Gremada is the name of the modern city in Boeotia, Greece, which occupies the site of the ancient city of Tanagra. The old town was a rich and luxurious place, greatly renowned for the cock-fights that were given there. It had the honor of being the birthplace of Corinna, the great poetess of the fifth century before Christ, and perpetuated her memory by a majestic tomb, on which she was represented five times crowned in remembrance of the five victories which she had gained in the lyrical contests with Pindar. Despite this comparative celebrity it appeared destined to the eternal sleep of forgetfulness when after more than twenty-two centuries of silence chance drew to it the attention of archaeologists.

In 1870 the inhabitants of the neighboring villages while digging in their fields exposed to view some tombs which the French have assigned to the nineteenth century before the Christian era. The discovery of these first sepulchres was the cause of excavations, during which a quantity of other tombs were discovered, all situated along the roads which led from the walls of Tanagra in the direction of Thebes, Chalcis, Harnia and Platae.

Among this mass of tombs belonging to several centuries the most interest attaches to those of the fourth century before the Christian era on account of their contents. It was in these particularly that the statues known today under the name of "Tanagra figurines" were for the most part discovered.

**He Lost His Dignity.**

A pompous individual from the east, says a Texas newspaper, happened to be traveling in western Texas and stopping at a hotel, when trouble started among some cowboys, who prepared to conduct the argument with revolvers.

"Stranger," said a Texan to the pompous man, "it would be a good idea for you to lay down on the floor till this dispute is settled."

"It does not comport with the dignity of a Boston gentleman of my profession," said the pompous gentleman, "to wallow in the dirt on the floor."

"You may be right, stranger," answered the Texan as he prepared to recline, "but my opinion is that you had better lose yer dignity for the time bein' than to have the daylight let into your system by a 44." He lost his dignity.

**A Curious Legend.**

Easby abbey, the ruins of which lie close to the river Swale, a short distance from Richmond, in Yorkshire, England, is the home of a curious legend, says Photography. One of the main walls of the building is cracked and toppling, but has not yet fallen to the ground. Nor do the natives expect it to do so, at least not until it receives the impulse which it is said to await. For a tradition relates that the wall, when it does fall, will bury in its ruins a newly married couple, and as the tale is well known the chance of a honeymooning pair resting beneath its shade is remote.

**Quite the Contrary.**

Woman of the House—You're not one of these labor agitators, are you? Goodman Gonrong (with his mouth full of pie)—No, ma'am. I'm a rest agitator.—Exchange.

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**ODETTE TYLER.**  
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**"Nails."**  
"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly fingernails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching, though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years. I was sorely afflicted, and had it to do. One application of Hunt's Cure, however, relieved my itch and less than a box cured me entirely."  
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**Kipling's New Story.**  
It is an old trick of Kipling to preface a story with a scrap of verse. He has chosen for introduction to "An Habitation Enforced," which appears entire in the August Century, these lines of Thomas Tusser:  
My friend, if cause doth wrest thee  
Ere folly hath much oppressed thee,  
Far from acquaintance kest thee,  
Where country may digest thee,  
Thank God that so hath blessed thee,  
And sit down, Robin, and rest thee.

**GRATEFUL TO CUTICURA**  
For instant Relief and Speedy Cure of Raw and Scaly Humour, Itching Day and Night—Suffered Months.

"I wish you would publish this letter so that others suffering as I have may be helped. For months awful sores covered my face and neck, scabs forming, itching terribly day and night, breaking open, and running blood and matter. I had tried many remedies; but was growing worse, when I started with Cuticura. The first application gave me instant relief, and when I had used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment, I was completely cured. (signed) Miss Nellie Vander Wiele, Lakeside, N. Y."

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More women would go in for vocal culture if they could buy things for a song.

## The Scalping Business.

There are two sides to the question at issue between the railroads on the one hand and those more or less malodorous people known as "scalpers" on the other, and the "scalpers" side is not without merit, where considered as a purely abstract proposition.

The scalper lays down the dictum that a ticket is the property of the man who buys it, and that the purchaser, therefore, has a right to dispose of it as he sees proper and at any price he sees fit to accept it, and, going further, he claims that the purchaser of a ticket pays for and is entitled to the transportation it provides or its value in money, and his right to sell it.

As an abstract proposition, the scalper has a strong position, and makes the most of this *quid pro quo* argument, but his defense being based on false premiums, his logic is wrong and his conclusions are erroneous.

If the railroads had no rights which the public should respect, and if the contract into which the purchaser enters with the railroad when he purchases a special rate ticket can be violated regardless of the ethical questions involved in every agreement—business or otherwise—then the scalpers would be in the right.

Unfortunately for the scalper's position, the tickets which form the stock in trade of his illegitimate business are sold for the accommodation of large numbers of people who could not otherwise avail themselves of the travel and traffic which are thus put within their reach, and for the benefit of business men and other citizens at the other end. They are sold with a specified limit, for a specified purpose, and for a specified occasion. They are sold under a plainly stated understanding or contract between the railroad and the purchaser, which is as legally and morally binding on the one as on the other, or should be.

Then the scalper, in order to promote his own nefarious business, (1) works against the public interest because, if he succeeds, the result will be the abrogation of all special rate excursions, and (2) he works to induce honest men to act dishonestly and in violation of their contracts.

The scalper is unquestionably a menace to the business and moral interests of his locality; he is a gambler of the most detestable and harmful type.

Our laws are supposed to be designed for the public good, and they provide punishment for the crime of gambling, the receiving of stolen goods, the violation of contracts, etc., and it is not unreasonable to hope that they may be able to reach and crush this species of disreputable, if not dishonest, lawbreaker, not in the interest of the railroads, but in the interest of decency and honor and good morals, as well as business integrity and good government.

With the damage suit industry and the nefarious scalping crushed, we may look for a healthier tone in the industrial world, and great enterprises which incidentally promote every public interest and build up those sections in which they lay, thus assured of justice and a fair deal, will have their sphere of usefulness enlarged and will not be slow to improve not only the facilities for handling the public business, but for larger investments and new enterprises.

Anything which threatens capital and enterprise and endangers their safe investment and proper administration works greater injury to the public interests than it does to the enterprise against which it is directed. That the public is awakening to this fact is evidenced by the withering of the damage suit industry and the crusade against the "scalpers" under an aroused public sentiment.—Eagle Pass Guide.

**Your Father Used It.**  
For twenty years it's cured them, and rarely ever fails. There are many newer remedies, but no better ones. It cures Chills, Fever and all malarial troubles. It creates strength, appetite and health—we mean Cheatham's Chill Tonic. If it fails to cure your money is promptly refunded.

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If you suffer from ulcers, eczema, scrofula, blood poison, cancer, eating sores, itching skin, pimples, boils, bone pains, swellings, rheumatism, catarrh, or any blood or skin disease, we advise you to take Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). Especially recommended for old, obstinate, deep-seated cases, cures where all else fails, heals every sore, makes the blood pure and rich, gives the skin the rich glow of health. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle. Sample sent free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. Medicine sent at once prepaid; 3 for \$2.50, 6 for \$5, 12 for \$10.

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I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. THOS. ROBINSON, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

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Honeysuckles and the sweet girl graduates bloom simultaneously.

The Cuckoo.

(Translated from the Gaelic.) Cuckoo! Cuckoo! Cuckoo!

O Cuckoo, dear, thy voice I hear, The sound dispels my sorrow; It seems to say, "Drive grief away, And hail the bright to-morrow."

At early morn, thy notes I hear, With raptured ear, I listen; At even fall, I hark thy call, And mark the dewdrops glisten.

O tell me whither didst thou fly, When wintry blasts were blowing? Say, didst thou sleep, in slumber deep, Nor thirst, nor hunger knowing?

I envy thee, my bonnie bird, Though knowest naught of sadness, Thy heart is ever decked in green, Thy heart overflows with gladness.

Thou wilt return; though autumn winds Bid us in sorrow sever, But I, when once I leave the glen, Must leave the glen forever. "O could I fly, I'd fly with thee."

Our joyous journey winging; To sing of May the living day, And keep the echoes ringing.

Cuckoo! Cuckoo! Cuckoo!

Millions Too Much for Him.

"A case with which I was connected a few years ago," said Frederick Trevor Hill, "involved some large corporate mortgages and frequent references were made by the lawyers on both sides to the 'ten-million-dollar mortgage' and the 'twenty-million-dollar bond issue.' Finally one of the jurors, a little German barber, couldn't stand it any longer and raised his hand. 'Mr. Judge,' he expostulated, 'if der lawyers will please say voa dollar ven dey means a million dollars, dot would makes me understands besser. Dose millions! Ach, dey confuses me!'"

It is noted in San Francisco that many passengers from Australia and New Zealand now prefer the American route "home" to that of the isthmus.

ME TOO

The "Tail Enders" That Follow Genuine Articles.

It is sometimes interesting to watch the curves imitators make to get the public to buy imitations of genuine goods.

Every now and then some one will think there is a splendid opening to fix up something like Postum Coffee and advertise the same way and take some of the business.

An imitator is naturally ignorant of food values and how to skillfully make a cereal coffee, on scientific lines.

Such men first think of preparing something that looks and tastes like the original, with no knowledge of how the grains should be treated to prepare them so that the starchy part is transformed properly and the valuable nourishing elements made digestible.

Such imitations may be foisted on the public for a short time, but the people are critical and soon detect the attempt, then the imitators go out of business.

Something like 400 of these little factories have been started in various parts of this country in the past 9 years, and practically all of them have gone the "long journey." Just lately a new one has come to life and evidently hopes to insert itself in public favor by copying the style of the Postum advertising in the papers.

This is a free country and every man who makes an honest product and honestly labels it has reason for some recognition, but the public has the right to know the facts.

Postum is the one original and genuine Cereal Coffee, made skillfully and for a definite purpose. It has stood through all the wars of the imitators, has won the approval of the Physicians and the people.

People who really seek to free themselves from the coffee habit and at the same time to rebuild the soft gray matter in the nerve centers, and thus reconstruct the nervous system, broken down by coffee, can rely on Postum.

There's a reason.

ALL OVER TEXAS.

The Independent packing company has been chartered at Sherman with \$100,000 capital stock.

The Baptists of Howe have just commenced the erection of a church building to cost about \$3,000.

Tobe Gunnels, living seven miles north of Tenaha, shot and killed himself Friday morning with a rifle.

The Cisco board of trade is planning for a great celebration September 1 in honor of the opening up of the coal mines in that place.

Col. R. M. Wynne of Fort Worth has accepted an invitation to speak at the big picnic and reunion in McKinney August 16, 17 and 18.

A subscription is also being raised in Parker county to induce the Rock Island Railway to extend its line from Bridgeport to Weatherford.

In trying to break into a rack door at Houston, a negro awakened three householders, the heads of which all turned loose batteries on the intruder. He was riddled.

Around Denison a great many peaches are rotting on trees in consequence of prolonged wet weather. Young orchards will lose 50 per cent of the crop.

The quantity of oats being marketed in Temple this year is wonderful and far in excess of any previous year. Endless strings of wagons line the roads leading to town.

The Scott & Hassell lumber mill at Palestine was burned, entailing a loss of \$7000 to \$10,000, entirely uninsured. An inefficient fire department failed to control the fire in its incipency.

The fifth annual encampment of the Waxahatchie Chautauqua came to a close Friday night. In spite of the few days of unfavorable weather, the encampment was a marked success in every respect.

Amused by the barking of dogs and the cries of the baby, Jack Jorman of Hutchins got up Thursday night and found a baby tucked in a basket in the middle of the street near his home the child being a girl, five or six days old.

At Caro, a small town north of Nacogdoches, William Chaucey was shot and killed at the residence of H. A. Poulan, his son-in-law. Poulan went to Nacogdoches and surrendered and his bond was fixed at \$500, which he gave.

The jury in the case of Bob Johnson at Stephenville, returned a verdict of death on the death penalty the second time. The first time the Court of Criminal Appeals reversed the case. He is charged with the murder of Alfred Berry at Dublin last year.

Manager Henry Fabian of the Waco base ball team seems inclined to believe there will not be further molestation as to Sunday games and that it will be possible to play out the season without interruption again.

There is talk of an oil refinery for the South Bosque oil, and it will probably be erected within the next five or six months. Oil is being pumped regularly from two or three wells, while another is going down and two others have just been contracted for.

An enterprising cotton man at Austin is solving the cotton storage problem by arranging to build a storehouse with a capacity of 100,000 bales, in which all farmers may store cotton free of charge, so long as they may desire to hold it.

A company has been organized in Dallas to be known as the New Century Gate company, with a capital stock of \$25,000. The purpose of the company is to manufacture a patent iron gate and wire fencing.

At an election held in Crowell Independent School District to determine whether or not bonds shall be issued to the amount of \$2,000 to enlarge the school building, the result was as follows: Against the bonds, 15; for the bonds, 53.

High waters around Marshall have badly interfered with railway traffic. The Texas and Pacific has had several wrecks and derailments, while the Southern has been entirely out of business with all trains tied up.

Ella May Yancy, the 4-year old daughter of A. G. Yancey, fell from a tree at the home of her parents in Oak Cliff, and was instantly killed. Her neck was broken in the fall. She had been playing in the tree for some time and lost her balance.

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Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Rests Upon the Fact that it Really Does Make Sick Women Well

Thousands upon thousands of American women have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Their letters are on file in Mrs. Pinkham's office, and prove this statement to be a fact and not a mere boast.

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Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished its widespread results for good?

Why has it lived and thrived and done its glorious work for a quarter of a century?

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The wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over the diseases of womankind is not because it is a stimulant—not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is the most wonderful tonic and reconstructer ever discovered to act directly upon the uterine system, positively curing disease and displacements and restoring health and vigor.

Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures, and physicians who have recognized the virtue in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give credit where it is due. If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience that it will effect a cure.

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhoea, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration, or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences and be restored to health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Anyway, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice. It's free and always helpful.

Crude petroleum applied to out-buildings will make them last a great deal longer. This kind of oil can't be heated with safety, but it is so penetrating that no heat is necessary to drive it into the pores of the wood.

The fool doesn't know a good thing when he sees it, the lazy man doesn't seize a good thing when he knows it.—Philadelphia Record.

It would take a novel excuse to excuse some of the novels that are published.

NO MORE HEADACHE

GENERAL WEAKNESS AND FEVER DISAPPEAR TOO.

How a Woman Was Freed from Troubles That Had Made Life Wretched for Many Years.

The immediate causes of headaches vary, but most of them come from poor or poisoned blood. In anemia the blood is scanty or thin; the nerves are imperfectly nourished and pain is the way in which they express their weakness. In colds the blood absorbs poison from the mucous surfaces, and the poison irritates the nerves and produces pain. In rheumatism, malaria and the grip, the poison in the blood produces like discomfort. In indigestion the gases from the impure matter kept in the system affect the blood in the same way.

The ordinary headache-cures at best give only temporary relief. They deaden the pain but do not drive the poison out of the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the contrary thoroughly renew the blood and the pain disappears permanently. Women in particular have found these pills an unfailing relief in headaches caused by anemia.

Miss Stella Blocker recently said: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did me a great deal of good. I had headache nearly all the time. After I had taken three boxes of these pills I became entirely well."

"How long had you suffered?" she was asked.

"For several years. I can't tell the exact date when my illness began for it came on by slow degrees. I had been going down hill for many years."

"Did you have any other ailments?"

"I was very weak and sometimes I had fever. My liver and kidneys were affected as well as my head."

"How did you come to take the remedy that cured you?"

"I saw in a southern newspaper a statement of some person who was cured of a like trouble by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My physician hadn't done me any good, so I bought a box of these pills. After I had taken one box I felt so much better that I kept on until I became entirely well."

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ABOUT DREAMS.

The study of dreams appears to lead to the following opinions:

That there is no such thing as a dreamless sleep.

That the will finds its rest and refreshment in sleep.

That thinking, when awake, is always to some extent under control of the will.

That the will's inhibiting and directing work brings fatigue and a demand for rest.

That thinking never ceases during life, and is essential to the continuance of life.

That thinking is involuntary—to the extent, at least, that we cannot cease to think under any order of the will.

That there are different qualities of thinking, depending on the original constitution, or the existing state of health of each individual.

That the frequent occurrence of a state of disordered mind occurring in sleep does not do us harm, but, on the contrary, does us good.

"The dear old friend," said the dear old per the exercise of a good minister and good sleep. Sunday the man visited his church. And for the first time in the church's history there were the other was for the benefit of a struggling church away down in Marshall, N. C.

on a gas fate with a big F, but the one paid up like the little mar The is.—Brooklyn Eagle.

and color: Both Were Satisfied. less J. Neer, a prominent railroad in dhad to spend an hour recently of meditation waiting for a train. Op of dis him sat a stranger whom he ever seen before. Each had a r fascination for the other and in was careful to avoid being de In in the scrutinizing exchange.

own one looked up the other drop is gaze. Others in the waiting. Th noticed the curious mutual by- thread and wondered what it meant. fortu observed that both scrutinizers

The last named variety predominates. He buys on credit and sells the same way. Not belonging to the financial "400" and therefore being morally responsible, he is ground between the upper and nether millstones of uncollectable accounts and unpayable bills.

The business man belonging to the unfortunate class starts out on borrowed capital or an inheritance.

Success reaches out an alluring hand which he never quite succeeds in grasping.

He skirts along the precipice of failure until he topples over its brink and joins the throng of brethren at the bottom who are all in.

The unfortunate business man is a reproach to the eternal fitness of things.

If he is not ruined by a combination of untoward circumstances, his prosperity is exploded by a ruthless combination of kerosene and other standard things.

FROM THE PENCIL'S POINT.

Art is the mirror in which Dame Nature beholds her faults.

It is always easier to do a big thing than a little one.

It is easy to be patient with the man in the mirror.

The perfume of life comes from the flowers of affection.

It takes more than a white tie to cover a black heart.

Every time conceit is punctured character is strengthened.

Present virtues may do more for a people than past victories.

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Let us continue to hope for the best, and, some of these days, we may find a little time to work for it.

The best operatic music is as nothing to the song of the man who whistles on the highway to good times.

The only reason lightning never strikes twice in the same place is—because it does its work pretty well the first time.—Atlanta Constitution.

BUBBLES.

Evening trains—in the ballroom.

Time naturally flies in fly-time.

Even dark lawyers may be legal lights.

All in good time—well regulated watches.

The careless printer has a finger in many a pl.

The only way to count your fish is to line them up.

Actors never get beyond liking the game of "spat out."

A new umbrella is all the more useful when it is used up.

Performers in the limelight have no excuse for being slack.

It's a matter of much moment—a woman's "Wait just a minute."

# QUARANTINE ON.

TEXAS AGAIN CLOSED HER DOORS AGAINST LOUISIANA.

## NO MORE PASSENGERS TO COME

Not Improbable That All Passenger Trains Will Be Discontinued East of Sabine.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 1.—At 11 o'clock last night the State of Texas inaugurated another quarantine against the State of Louisiana, with the prospect that this time it will be of much longer duration than was the state quarantine of last week.

State Health Officer Tabor last night telegraphed all of the inspectors on the Texas-Louisiana border, giving notice that the quarantine against infected points had been enlarged to include the entire state of Louisiana. This, explained Dr. Tabor, is because of the spread of cases that occurred in Louisiana yesterday.

Dr. Tabor stated that he has also prohibited persons coming through New Orleans from points beyond without first being detained for six days on the border. He says that he proposes to make the quarantine just as tight as possible, in order to prevent, if possible, an invasion of the Texas border.

The railroads from Texas having entrance into New Orleans have already considerably curtailed their train service, and it is not improbable that this recent development will result in a complete withdrawal of passenger service east of the Sabine river.

### New Orleans Situation.

New Orleans, Aug. 1.—The official report on the yellow fever situation is as follows:

New cases up to 6 p. m.	21
Cases to date	302
Deaths to 6 p. m.	5
Total deaths to date	62
New foci	5
Total foci	46

Of the five deaths reported above, three occurred in the emergency, and all five bore Italian names. Another new case was discovered outside the city, being that of an Italian who left here a week ago with several others and took up his residence in Morgan City. On their arrival there they were quarantined and one of them was taken sick four days ago. Yesterday Dr. Tarleton, president of the St. Mary parish Board of Health, Dr. Goldberg of the Marine Hospital and two Morgan City physicians diagnosed the case as yellow fever, and it was announced. Nothing has been heard from Dr. Brady, who has gone to Lake Providence, opposite Vicksburg, to investigate reports of two suspicious cases there.

### Austin Labor Day Picnic.

Austin, Texas: The local labor unions have decided to hold their picnic and barbecue on Labor Day at Hyde Park, in this city, instead of going to some park out of the city on a railroad, several having been in the field. A big time is being arranged for.

### Birds Ruined Flaggpole.

Austin, Texas: Adj. Gen. Hulien has discovered that the fine, tall flagpole at Camp Mabry must be replaced, as it has been completely honeycombed by woodpeckers boring holes in it. A new pole will be placed in position before camp opens.

### Colorado on a Rise.

Austin, Texas: The Colorado River is on a rise of about six feet, the water having come down suddenly and without any sign of rain in this country. It is supposed that heavy rains fell above Kingsland.

Cameron, Texas: On account of the long drouth, the cotton is beginning to open, and, without rain in a short time, there will be a great deal of cotton picked in August in this county. In some places it is opening fast.

### Fell Off the Roof.

San Antonio, Texas: Joaquin Blesi, a painter living at 101 Garden street, fell from the roof of a house in the rear of his home and was badly hurt. He was bruised about the head and body and also sustained two fractured ribs.

### Sawmill at Benford.

Groveton, Texas: The sawmill of the West Lumber Company burned at Benford, Texas, yesterday. Loss over \$5,000; covered by insurance.

## STOP CANAL WORK.

Panama Canal Commission About to Suspend Operations.

Panama, Aug. 1.—The executive committee of the Isthmian Canal Commission has about decided to suspend any attempt at digging the canal until they are better prepared than at present.

The half-hearted sanitation will be replaced by vigorous work.

Chief Engineer Stevens will live at Culebra or Ancon.

By paying labor on regular days, the present disorganization will be overcome.

Shonts, Magoon, Stevens and Gorgas are in almost constant executive session reorganizing the system. No changes in personnel is expected.

### Mrs. Longstreet Injured.

Gainesville, Ga.: Mrs. Ida Longstreet, widow of the Confederate General, was thrown from her horse while out riding yesterday afternoon, her foot hung in the stirrup and she was dragged for some distance before she brought the animal to a stand. Mrs. Longstreet's right arm was broken and her body badly bruised. She was mounted on a very spirited horse, and lost her seat when the horse violently shied at a passing automobile. For fifty yards the horse plunged forward, Mrs. Longstreet being dragged along the ground. J. Henry Campbell, who was riding with Mrs. Longstreet, spurred his horse into a run, overtaking the lady's frightened animal and bringing it to a standstill.

### Operation on Miss Lanham.

Fort Worth, Texas: Miss Grace Lanham, daughter of Governor Lanham, was operated on at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday for appendicitis. The operation is said to have been a successful one, and the Governor and his wife, who were present, were assured that the young lady would improve rapidly. The Governor will probably remain here for two or three days.

### A Father Arrested.

Kaufman, Texas: John Young, a white man, about 40 years old, who lives about fifteen miles southeast of Kaufman, has been jailed here on a charge of having committed criminal assault upon his own daughter, a girl 15 years of age. The complaint was sworn to by his wife and daughter.

### Victoria Cleaning Up.

Victoria, Texas: Cleaning up and putting all premises in good sanitary condition is the order of the day here now as a result of Mayor Schneider's proclamation demanding observance and enforcement of the sanitary ordinance. Kerosene oil and screening are coming in for their share.

### Residence at Shreveport.

Shreveport, La.: The residence of A. D. Chadwick, commercial agent of the Katy road, together with the greater portion of the contents, was almost destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is upward of \$4,000, partially covered by insurance.

### Ground Glass in Gumbo.

Austin, Texas: A sick negress was fed gumbo in which ground glass was found, and, after work by the doctors, her life was saved. Two negroes are under arrest, charged with intent to murder. One cooked the gumbo and the other served it to the woman.

### Paris Sugar Houses Full.

Paris, Texas: Owing to the failure of a big speculator to meet engagements, said to amount to \$3,000,000, two of the leading sugar houses have suspended payments.

### Mary Harrison's Slayer.

Giddings, Texas: Joe Williams, colored, arrested on a charge of murdering Mary Harrison on Saturday, has made a statement. He, however, claims self-defense, saying she shot at him three times.

### Peters-Jordan.

New Orleans, La.: A strong statement is made by Peters of Texas, taking issue with Jordan, declaring the cotton association is not asking for Wilson's resignation.

### Taken to Pennsylvania.

Roswell, N. M.: James H. Pope, the former agent of the Adams Express Company at New Salem, Pa., who is alleged to have stolen \$5,000 from the company there March 10, 1904, was taken to New Salem last night by a Pennsylvania officer.

### Shot and Killed by Prisoners.

Laredo, Texas: The Chief of Police of the city of Moncloca and one of his assistants was treacherously shot and killed by two prisoners he was taking to jail last Saturday.

## The Deeper Note.

The hurrying throngs drift idly past, and hear, and yet hear not, the notes tuned to their ear. Where, by the curb life's street musicians play—And still earth's restless thousands go their way!

Yet see, where through the summer night, unknown, Beneath some window dark, one sings alone: One, gloom-enwrapped, pleads some proud heart to take Love in at last for all his passion's sake!

The world waits with him at his window there: The world aways with his song and his despair; But what to him is all their phantom throng Since one voice sleeps and answers not his song? —Arthur Stringer, "Everybody's."

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all the other Cold Water Starches are put up in 3-4 pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then, again, because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Many a man has made a fortune by gratifying other men's curiosity.

Marriage is always a serious step—or a more serious misstep.

## THE BLUNDER OF ECONOMY.

Frequently There is Wisdom in Keeping Up Appearances.

Women have a good many sins laid to their charge, and extravagance in dress is one of them. But there are some instances in which this not wholly feminine failing is commendable. It was recently stated that in times of financial depression men invariably curtail their expenditure in dress, whereas women go on arraying themselves just as if nothing had happened. This certainly counts one to them. It may look like foolishness and heedless extravagance on the face of it, whereas it really goes a long way toward saving a situation. Economy is a mistake at such times. To begin with, appearances must be kept up. To advertise financial depression is disastrous. It is always distinctly encouraging to have seeming evidences of prosperity before the eyes. Again, if everybody began cutting down expenses, as men invariably do directly stocks fall, there would soon be little or no money in circulation. Clearly women are in the right—are they not invariably so?—and men wholly in the wrong in this matter. Tailors and outfitters answer emphatically in the affirmative. They troop and pine white drapers and modistes flourish.—London World

The whole coast of the Gulf of California abounds in pearls, and last year \$350,000 worth was harvested in Lower California.

At the age of forty the average man has his conscience chloroformed.

## EVER TREAT YOU SO?

Coffee Acts the Jonah and Will Come Up.

A clergyman who pursues his robe calling in a country parish in Iowa, tells of his coffee experience:

"My wife and I used coffee regularly for breakfast, frequently for dinner and occasionally for supper—always the very best quality—package coffee never could find a place on our table.

"In the spring of 1896 my wife was taken with violent vomiting which we had great difficulty in stopping.

"It seemed to come from coffee drinking but we could not decide.

"In the following July, however, she was attacked a second time by the vomiting. I was away from home filling an appointment, at the time, and on my return I found her very low; she had literally vomited herself almost to death, and it took some days to quiet the trouble and restore her stomach.

"I had also experienced the same trouble, but not so violently, and had relieved it, each time, by a resort to medicine.

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2. **WITH COLD WATER.** Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.
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An English diplomat at Bombay, a singer and her song, make material for an excellent short story in the August Lippincott's Magazine, by Prince Valdimar Venistasky, under the rather strong title, "The Madness of Sari."

### STRANGE, ISN'T IT?

A woman sees a hat or bonnet in a milliner's window. It is in the latest style, so she determines to have that hat—or one just like it.

No use to try to dissuade her—she wants that kind of a hat! No other will suit her.

There she displays her will power, and probably does the same with everything she buys for herself or her family. She makes, as it were, a feminine "declaration of independence."

Is it not surprising, therefore, to find some few women who still allow their grocers to choose for them in important matters like foodstuffs?

In spite of the fact that grocers as a rule have long ago realized the necessity of catering to their customers' rather than their own desires, there are still a few of the other kind left, who show a marked inclination to persuade customers to take what they do not ask for, or desire.

Take Lion Coffee, for instance, the leader of all package coffees, an established favorite for over twenty-five years in millions of homes, on account of its absolutely pure and uniform quality.

Wouldn't you think it impossible that a single grocer can still exist who would oppose such an invincible argument of merit, by trying to persuade a customer to buy some coffee in preference to Lion Coffee?

Loose coffee has no standard quality—nobody can guarantee that it is even clean.

Of course, really independent and intelligent women know this, and so do up-to-date grocers, but if women were as particular about coffee as about hats, no kind of grocer could be without Lion Coffee.

### Extraordinary Coiffure.

Not long before the French revolution, certain members of the Russian royal family were in Paris. Mrs. Grant says that a party at Versailles one of the great ladies wore a coiffure devised by M. Leonard, chief of the great hairdressers of that time. "Round this lady's head was placed a number of small flat bottles, each filled with water, in which were the stems of natural flowers wreathed in her hair. They used to declare that the effect of spring among the powdered locks were ravishing."

With the September issue, Leslie's Monthly will change its name to American Illustrated Magazine. This periodical was established in 1875 as Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly. But in recent years, under the present management, it has developed a character of policy entirely out of keeping with the ideas of popular journalism associated with the name of Leslie. Its sane and hopeful Americanism makes the new name peculiarly fitting.

The best way to prevent growing old is, according to my experience, to keep up steady and regular work, have as much open air and physical exercise as possible, and think as little as may be about the advance of years.—Justin McCarthy.

### Voice from Arkansas.

Cleveland, Ark., July 31st.—(Special)—Nearly every newspaper tells of some wonderful cure of some form of Kidney Disease by the Great American Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills, and this part of Arkansas is not without its share of evidence that no case is too deeply rooted for Dodd's Kidney Pills to cure.

Mr. A. E. Carlile, well known and highly respected here, tells of his cure after nearly a quarter of a century's suffering. Mr. Carlile says: "I want to let the public know what I think of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I think they are the best remedy for sick kidneys ever made."

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A good memory is a great help to happiness. A good memory, by the way, is one that forgets all the unpleasant experiences of life that it doesn't do you any good to remember.

Avoid fraudulent imitations. Use the genuine Red Cross Bag Blue and preserve your clothes. Your grocer sells it.

A ceremonial drink called assine of the American aborigines was prepared by the women in stone vessels, and boiled by means of heated stones.

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Mr. Boarder—How do you know I always do?  
Some men's idea of dignity is not to be called by their first names.

### SANDALS NOW THE FAD.

#### Result of Idea in Fertile Mind of Yankee Drummer

The footwear of antiquity has become the fashionable footwear of the present year of the twentieth century. The large stores all over the country not only show sandals for children, but also display them for adults. More than a million sandals were made in Lynn, Mass., shops for this summer's trade and thousands of pairs were manufactured in other New England towns. They have been scattered broadcast from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

While some persons think that the sandal fad grew out of the health culture fad, especially the Kneipp cure, yet, for a fact, it was developed in the fertile mind of a Yankee drummer. This salesman, returning from a European trip, noted that two children who were playing on the steamer deck had pieces of sole leather bound to their feet instead of shoes. They appeared to enjoy their crude footwear. The salesman caught the idea, and he didn't rest easy until he got back to his Lynn factory and had some samples made up and shown to his customers. These first sandals were for children only, and they proved popular.

Now sandals are worn by men, women and children.

### FATE READY FOR HIM.

#### Not Written That He Should Escape Double Collection.

A very dear old person, who has no regular church home, but who wanders abroad and takes in the cream of pulpit oratory, was complaining the other day about his hard luck.

"It's mighty queer," he said, "but it would almost seem to me as if it was a put up job. It must be fate, though. Every time I go to church nowadays they bring a double collection on me. I don't mind the usual plate a bit, but this matter of slipping in extra demands for gold jars me. It is driving me from the church habit altogether."

"Never mind," said the dear old person's dearest friend. "Come to our church and you'll be treated squarely. We've got a good minister and good habits."

Last Sunday the man visited his friend's church. And for the first time in the church's history there were two collections. One was the regular and the other was for the benefit of a little struggling church away down South in Marshall, N. C.

It was fate with a big F, but the dear one paid up like the little man that he is.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Both Were Satisfied.

N. J. Neer, a prominent railroad man, had to spend an hour recently in a station waiting for a train. Opposite him sat a stranger whom he had never seen before. Each had a peculiar fascination for the other and each was careful to avoid being detected in the scrutinizing exchange. When one looked up the other dropped his gaze. Others in the waiting-room noticed the curious mutual play and wondered what it meant. They observed that both scrutinizers worked industriously with pencil and paper. Then the principals of the little drama took up to the fact that something unusual was taking place and each gazed. Mr. Neer stepped over to the side of the stranger, smiled guiltily and said:

"Beg your pardon, I want to congratulate you on being the man I've been looking for these many years. I promised my wife that if ever I met or saw a man who is homelier than I, I would draw a picture of him and take it home to her. Here's the picture," and he exhibited his pad.

"Well, by jinks, that's a funny coincidence, ain't it? I promised my wife the same thing. Think that does you justice?" And another pad was produced as exhibit 2.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Pins That Are Hard to Get.

A new chapter is about to be added to the history of pins. The young man who looks after his own wardrobe is going to write it. It will treat of the very small pins used to fasten ribbon and other things that come put up in bolts.

"I want some of those pins the worst way," said the young man, "but I cannot find any. I have been in every big store in town and half the little ones looking for them." "It has been a hopeless quest. They are not in the market. Where can I get them? I ask the clerk in desperation. They cannot tell.

"But there are such things," I insist. "Somebody makes them. I have seen them."

"So have I," the clerk admits, "but only in ribbon and skirt binding."

"According to that I will have to buy about twenty bolts of baby ribbon to get as many small pins as I need. That will make a pretty stiff price to pay for them, so, if anybody with a little regard for a lone man's pocket-book will volunteer some information on the subject I shall be eternally obliged."



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Write Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio, for free medical advice. All correspondence is held strictly confidential.

In giving evidence at Newport, England, recently, George Barris, an iron-works puddler, belonging to South Wales, mentioned that he had walked over 2,000 miles in the last winter looking for work.

You never hear any one complain about "Defiance Starch." There is none to equal it in quality and quantity, 14 ounces, 10 cents. Try it now and save your money.

Lovers of good fiction should be interested in the August number of Smith's Magazine. There are stories by Charles Garvice, Vincent Harper, Sir William Maginn, Cyrus Townsend Brady and a number of other well-known authors. The magazine is remarkably well illustrated, and opens with a series of art studies of well-known actresses. The article on insurance, under the title of "Safeguarding the Home," will prove of service to a good many people who want to know just what chance their money has in an insurance company, and the big fashion department should win a great many women readers to the magazine.

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### The August Smart Set.

Mrs. Burton Harrison's name has always been identified with particularly entertaining fiction, and for many years she has not given us so capital a piece of work as "The Carlyles," the long novel which opens the August number of The Smart Set. It is by far her most important story, and is a distinct departure from her former novels. The scenes are laid in and around Richmond during the stirring days of 1865, and the introduction of several historical events adds greatly to the interest of a splendid dramatic love story. No novelist dealing with the Civil War period has succeeded in creating a more realistic atmosphere or characters more convincing.

Don't spoil your clothes. Use Red Cross Bag Blue and keep them white as snow. Your grocer sells it.

In countries where divorce laws are in force German shows 165; France, 180; Roumania, 204; Switzerland, 432, and the United States, 612 divorces for every 10,000 marriages.

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B. F. Chamberlain has returned from Houston.

Leave your laundry at Murchison's drug store.

Tod Robinson of Point Blanc is visiting his sister here.

H. L. Beasley will call for your laundry. Phone 47.

Blum Wootters is again at home from school at Waco.

The New Store is the place to buy your groceries.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

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Miss Hattie May Romaine is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Complete line of fishing tackle. MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

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Dr. P. R. Denman of Lufkin was a visitor to Crockett Sunday.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

Take all your beeswax to the Big Store—you can get more for it.

Prescription work a specialty at Crysups' Drug Store. "Treat you right."

Miss Elsie McConnell of Haskell is the guest of Mrs. R. E. McConnell.

The Big Store pays you more for your produce and sells you goods for less.

Take your prescriptions to Crysups' Drug Store—purest drugs, lowest prices.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Matthews and daughter, Louise, were visitors to Houston last week.

The Big Store has just received a big line of fine ribbons from New York—see them.

E. B. Arnold of Arbor was a pleasant caller at the COURIER office Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Monday and daughter, Verne, of Lovelady will leave this week for points in Colorado.

Leave your laundry at Murchison's drug store.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's  
Leave your laundry at Murchison's drug store.

Buy a Crockett cigar and get your money's worth.

Send the COURIER briefly the news of your community.

Fine stationery.  
MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

H. L. Beasley will call for your laundry. Phone 47.

J. I. Coon's house, southeast of town, was burned last week.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

Sold at all drug stores and at a good many other places are Crockett cigars.

Fruit Jars.  
You can buy 'em cheaper at the Big Store.

As good as the best—better than most—good all the time—Crockett cigar.

As cool as you please—that ice cream and soda water at Crysups' drug store.

If you are smoking other brands, change and try a Crockett cigar once in a while.

J. R. Foster is in Marlin as a delegate to the Knights of Honor convention.

No flavoring extracts—no dope—pure, clean, select tobacco are Crockett cigars.

The COURIER has a scholarship in the Wheeler Business College at Houston for sale.

Five cents spent for a Crockett cigar helps some Houston county man. Where do you live?

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

Ice cream soda—pure cow's milk used in cream, pure fruit flavors. You know the place—Crysups.

Miss Ella Goodwin left Tuesday for Tyler, where she will take a course in the Tyler Commercial college.

The north bound train Tuesday was delayed three hours on account of an accident to the engine at Willis.

E. J. Deupree of Oakhurst was here Tuesday to see his wife, who is sick. His brother, Roy, is also sick.

Miss Gertrude Hathaway of Palestine is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard at the Pickwick hotel.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

Mrs. Walker King returned Sunday night from Hot Springs, improved in health, which we are glad to note.

Just Received  
A new full line of glass and queensware at the Big Store, and it's cheap.

Delicious! Refreshing! The soda water drawn from the 20th Century fountain at  
SMITH & FRENCH DRUG CO'S.

Jonathan Harrison of Kennard and S. W. Satterwhite of Whitesville were among those calling at this office since last issue.

R. H. Wootters was called to Virginia by the serious illness of his wife, and not for pleasure as the COURIER said last week.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

The COURIER has a scholarship in the Wheeler Business College at Houston which it will sell at a reduction. Call or write this office for particulars.

Coll Stokes, Joe Adams, Chas. Newton, Will Shivers, and Bob Aldrich comprised a fishing and hunting party leaving for the Devil's river country Tuesday afternoon.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's  
Miss Frances Wootters will return to Galveston Saturday to re-enter John Sealey hospital for further treatment.

We have noticed horses deprecating on the south side of the court house yard and lawn. That hitching chain should be put back to keep them off.

Miss Nannie Smith did not leave for Galveston on Friday evening as stated last week, but left Sunday night to resume her studies in John Sealey hospital.

Spana Cuba cigar at Murchison's

First floor of the two story building formerly occupied by R. L. Aldrich as furniture store for rent from Sept. 1st.

S. L. MURCHISON.

I. J. Hart of Lovelady was in Crockett Tuesday and paid the COURIER office a pleasant visit. He has been a subscriber of the COURIER since its first issue.

The COURIER would like to have a correspondent at every postoffice in the county. This is a chance for those who feel that much interest and pride in their respective communities.

The county commissioners were in called session Monday to pass on the assessor's rolls. They found that the taxable valuations of the county as rendered had decreased nearly a half million.

The Texas and Louisiana Lumber company will put in a large saw mill at or near Waverly. That may account for the Eastern Texas railroad seeking a connection with the I. & G. N. south of Crockett.

The last of the tobacco crop is now being harvested and the results are encouraging. The Crockett Cigar company has bought much of the crop and a part of it is going to Tausig & Co. of Chicago under contract.

Will Dow, a yellow negro, was arrested Saturday by Constable Hale for burglarizing the house of another negro and placed in jail. The jail now contains four prisoners, one of whom is an insane negro woman.

The cleaning the Crockett gun club gave the district court room last week for its dance is of inestimable value to the town and county from a sanitary standpoint. Eight tubs of dirt and filth were taken from the floor.

The district court room is cleaner now than it has been at any time since the building was constructed. The Crockett gun club had it thoroughly cleaned for its ball Wednesday night and it required three men two and a half days to do the job.

Marriage licenses have been issued since last week to the following couples: Arthur Lockett and Coaksey McLemore; John Smith and Mattie Gibbs; Lemmie Corde and Garner McCarty; Joe Elam and Gracie Lemon; Leon H. Pender and Birdie L. Wright.

At the Methodist Church.  
Sunday services—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M. by the pastor, C. E. W. Smith; Sunday school 9:30 A. M.; Junior League 3:30 P. M.; Senior League 7:30 P. M.

They Appeal to Our Sympathies.  
The bilious and dyspeptic are constant sufferers and appeal to our sympathies. There is not one of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. They also regulate the bowels. For sale by S. L. Murchison.

## Money to Loan.

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WARFIELD BROTHERS,

Office Over J. E. Monk's Store

There was a slight change of train schedule Sunday. No. 4, the north bound night train, now comes at 8:10 instead of 8:07, and No. 5, the south bound night train, now comes at 8:40 instead of 10:27. It will be noted that the south bound night train is nearly two hours earlier than formerly.

A farmer complained to the Crockett last week that he had brought four bales of cotton to town and could not sell them. On investigation we found that the buyers were all out at the gun club shoot that day. Crockett has ample buyers to bid on all the cotton that is brought here, although they may be a little slow about buying damaged cotton on a declining market.

### Convicts Escape.

Burl Hudson, who was serving a term on the county road for violating the local option law, escaped from the convict gang last week. Hudson is a white man and it is not believed that he will again easily submit to arrest. The officers have had trouble with him before. Mart Brooks, a negro, also serving a term for local option violation, escaped last week.

Report comes from the eastern part of the county that the Eastern Texas railroad will be within five miles of Crockett within forty days. How true the report is, we do not know, but, however much we may wish that it were true, we are afraid that it is somewhat exaggerated. Crockett is anxious for the road and has a standing committee ready to confer with the management whenever the management shows a readiness to be conferred with.

Miss Anna Mortimer, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mortimer, died Saturday afternoon of catarrh of the stomach. The funeral occurred Sunday afternoon in Glenwood cemetery and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church. Miss Anna had just about attained the age of a young lady, which makes her demise all the more sad and keenly felt by friends and relatives. A large concourse followed the remains to their last resting place.

### Letter to Mayor Hail,

Crockett, Texas.

Dear Sir: You are interested in the prosperity of your town. You can contribute to it materially, and give it a far more prosperous look at the same time.

Perhaps the public property needs a good coat of paint.

Devoe will supply that coat with two-thirds of the number of gallons required of any other. Devoe will last twice as long as any other. Devoe is all paint and full measure. Devoe is the strongest paint known. Devoe will take care of the property, in the long run, for half the money required by any other.

The reason is stated above: Devoe is all paint and full-measure: the strongest paint known.

E. D. Jewell, Corry, Pa., painted his house 5 years ago with a mixed paint; took 14 gallons. Last spring he repainted with Devoe; bought 14 gallons and had 4 left. Saved \$15 to \$20, for painting costs two or three times as much as the paint.

Yours truly  
F. W. DEVOE & Co.,  
New York.  
S. L. Murchison sells our paints.

### The Tournament Hop.

The dance given by the Crockett gun club at the court house Wednesday evening of last week was a success in every particular. The ball room was thronged with handsome women beautifully gowned, and the men were gallant and at their best. With good music and a fine floor, the evening was enjoyably spent. Visitors added much to the pleasures, the room being graced with the following young ladies from Palestine: Misses Bess Ferguson, Mary Stedman, Dimple Duguy, Carrie Gardner, Edna Wright and Gertrude Hathaway. Miss Addie Handley of Lufkin was also among the fair visitors. The dance continued until after midnight, and the participants were then loth to leave.

### Still Among the Living.

Report reached Crockett last week that Tom Smith and Chas. Long, Jr., had lost their lives in the Humble oil fire. Jim and Albert Smith, brothers of Tom, immediately took the train for Humble and, after a thorough investigation, decided that the boys, while they could not be found, had left Humble and were safe. They returned to Crockett, and on Friday Chas. Long's father received a letter from him at Houston, saying that he was at Humble during the fire, but had left immediately afterward for Houston. On Saturday a message was received from Tom Smith at El Campo by his brothers, saying that he was there with his team. Both boys left Crockett with a team of mules belonging to Tom Smith with the intention of working in the Humble oil field, and their disappearance from Humble led to the apprehension that they had been burned to death with other teamsters. In fact a message was received here that a young man named Smith was among the dead and it was thought that he was from Crockett. The friends of the boys here are glad that the report was an error and that the boys are still among the living.

## Sea-Side Excursion

TO  
GALVESTON  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 6.

The I. & G. N. R. R. will have popular low excursion rates in effect from all points to Galveston, for trains arriving there Saturday evening, August 5th and Sunday morning, August 6th. All tickets good to return until Monday, August 7th. See the great sea-wall city, the great grade raising process, the finest beach in the world, enjoy the bathing, boating, fishing, sailing. Ask agents for further particulars, or write,

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# THE COURIER

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor

## Publisher's Notice.

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The Crockett Development association.

What has become of it?

A clean town makes a healthy town.

Crockett needs the Eastern Texas in its business and needs it badly.

A generous use of lime is a thing now needed—should be used unsparingly.

Clay and gravel are two things that have been found to make good streets in Crockett. Let's have a spreading of more clay and gravel.

Crockett can not afford to let the Eastern Texas railroad cross the I. & G. N. at some point south of us. The COURIER is informed a survey has been run for that purpose.

All persons should put their premises in first-class sanitary condition immediately. There is enough stench emanating from certain quarters in Crockett to give our people the yellow fever.

At this time last year much street work was being done in Crockett in the way of claying and graveling streets. We would like to see that work resumed and more gravel put on the streets that were thinly coated last year. It is better to have one finished street than two half finished.

The state health officer advises an anti-mosquito campaign in all towns and communities. It is known that mosquitoes are conveyors of yellow fever and a vigorous war is being made on them in Houston, Galveston, Beaumont and other places. Crockett should get in line in the anti-mosquito and anti-filth crusade. Crockett should, at least, clean up.

We are informed that the Eastern Texas railroad company has been making a survey to cross the I. & G. N. south of Crockett. Crockett does not want to lose this road whenever it is built, and the Crockett Development association should keep in touch with the situation and be ready to act. The association has a committee authorized to negotiate with the railroad company.

What has become of the Crockett Development association? It started out under very favorable auspices in the spring, but enthusiasm seems to be on the wane. It did some good work in the beginning which should be kept up with and not lost sight of. One of the matters it took up was the railroad from Kennard, a proposition the association should keep in close touch with and be ready to act at the proper time.

Those streets that were gravelled last year could be put in fine shape now with the use of more gravel. Enough was not put on last year, and it was said at the time that more would be put on this year. They could easily be put into good shape now for the coming winter, and at much less expense than it can be done next year after the hard rains of another winter on the present thin coat of gravel.

The sanitary condition of Crockett is not good. In fact, it is about as bad as we ever saw. Should yellow fever reach this state from New Orleans, Crockett will be in line for the contagion. The United States government demonstrated in Cuba that filth was the prime factor and mosquitoes the prime disseminator of the disease, and Crockett has plenty of both filth and mosquitoes to do the work.

Crockett is by no means a clean town. The truth of the business is, however much we may regret to say it, Crockett is a dirty town. We would not call attention to that fact but for the fact that yellow fever has broken out at New Orleans and people are dying daily from it. For this reason we feel compelled to remind the people that Crockett is a very filthy place and an inviting place for yellow fever.

There is no better standard of measurement for a man than the way in which he meets his obligations. The man who is prompt to pay his debts is the best citizen. There is no better recommendation than to have it said that a man is prompt in keeping his engagements, meeting his obligations, paying his debts. The curse of this country is that some men put no stress on either. The man who pays is the man for us.

Crockett-made cigars are now being sold at the drug stores, hotels and cigar stands. Local smokers should call for the Crockett cigar in preference to other brands. The Crockett cigar factory will consume much of the tobacco crop of this section and money spent for Crockett cigars will go into the pockets of the farmers who grow the tobacco. The tobacco crop this year has proven a profitable one under adverse conditions.

Next year is election year and men will be offering for office. Then it will be worth your time to consider the man from every view point. The man who is a failure in private life will be a failure in public service. Before voting for a man find out whether he is fair and just in his dealings, whether he is prompt to meet his obligations—how he pays his debts. Vote for no man through sympathy, but vote for the best man in the race.

We saw honest and just bills presented on the first to men who turned them off with ridicule. We do not understand how honest men can do this. It is not a matter to be treated in such a light vein. If a man is unfortunate and can not pay his debts, he should see his creditors and make satisfactory arrangements with them to take up his accounts at a later date and not have his creditors presenting bills from time to time without any assurance of ever getting a cent.

### In a Deplorable Condition.

In a personal letter to the editor from a friend at Monroe, La., he says:

"This country has suffered from too much rain and crops are in a most deplorable condition. It is estimated in North Louisiana and South Arkansas the condition is about 50 per cent of a normal crop. I think about the highest estimate would be placed at about 60 per cent."

Many persons in this community are suffering from kidney complaint who could avoid fatal results by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

## RESULT OF GUN CLUB SHOOT.

### Some of the Highest Scores Made by Those Participating.

Out of a possible 200 the following are the highest scores made Wednesday at the gun club tournament:

Faurote	195
Mrs. Topperwein	177
Wade	193
Sens	194
Prather	153
Cook	171
Ratteree	180
Allen	183
Satterwhite	176
Deupree	175
Mills	181
Nunn	173
Parker	173

The following are the highest scores made Thursday, out of a possible 200:

Faurote	192
Mrs. Topperwein	185
Wade	192
Sens	191
Nunn	165
Allen	179
Mills	186
Wiley	166
Deupree	179
Prather	169
Cook	178
McLean	160

Mr. and Mrs. Ad Topperwein gave an exhibition each day of their skill with the rifle and revolver.

It is estimated that 2000 people attended the shoot, which was a success both in point of attendance and patronage.

### Letter From Daniel.

July 31, 1905.

Editor COURIER:

The farmers have all laid by their crops, and are now enjoying a rest. The boll weevils are busy eating up the cotton and if they continue the farmers will have quite a long rest, as it will take a very short time to gather their corn and potatoes.

There are some very fine hogs in our community. There is to be a car load of hogs shipped from here by the first of October. There has not been any cholera among the hogs in our neighborhood and but very little in the surrounding country.

Miss Henrietta Hall will begin her school at Concord in September. All are glad to secure her as teacher.

Our protracted meeting has been postponed on account of sickness. There has been a great deal of sickness, but none serious.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Adair are visiting their brother, George Calhoun, at Grapeland.

Miss Emmie Glen will soon go to take charge of her school at Redland. She will be sadly missed by her friends.

The boys and girls are having a good time going to parties.

Little David Adair entertained his many friends on his birthday. All went away saying they never had such a nice time and ate so much good ice cream and cake, lemonade, watermelons and peaches.

There is to be a minstrel at Daniel Aug. 12th. All are anticipating a good time. It will be free and all are invited to attend.

### SUNFLOWER.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by S. L. Murchison.

## Change in Schedule.

On account of changes in schedule, there was some delay in transportation, but I have just received a shipment of

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