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## BIG SNOW

#### SIX TO TEN INC-HES IN PAST TEN DAYS

SLEIGH RIDING IN LUMAS

BEST SEASON IN YEARS THIS EARLY TIME OF YEAR.

Moore County is visited this week by a fine SNOW.

week. A season that will make Conference. wheat so wing not only posaible but advisebly profitable, and we hope that every farwer in Moore County will take advantage of an oppertunity not always found.

We know of several who are READY to sow, now. Are YOU one of them?

attle are in excellent condition and it is anticipated that feeding will be necessary at this time, the some are feed ng a lit. County has been here this week tlewhile the snow is on the grou to receive some mules. e nd. That is not a bad idea.

J. H. Lamb's Audtion Sale was not held as Adv errised, on account of bad Weather. See Date.

LOCALS

Dr. Vanlaw died in Dalhart last week. His ranah in the Northwest part of this county is one of the best small ranches in the Panhandle. He has been at Dalhart several weeks under the stock which is now on the Road, treatment of the best doctors, for an affection of the kidneys.

Dr. Vawter, Bob Powell date. and B. Dore went down on the Blue hunting Tuesday and were caught in the snowstorm.

Melvin Anthony rolled us wheel on sub. this week.

Eckert & Fife came to to wn yesterday in a sleigh.

Judge Phillips and Henry Perhaps, ten inches has fall- and Rev. J. T. Howell a re at Plai en since we went to press last nview in attendance on Annual

> L. B, Watkins and Sheriff Burnett made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Howell went to Fort Worth to visit relatives Monday.

Lee Bivins a promineut stockman of Amarillo was in Du mas this week.

O. C. Dowdy of Haosford

this week and visited his father for cattle. Postmaster Lamb.

L. Lemberger took chars of the mail line this week.

Morton & Waiker have new safe

Physicians Advise

stomach and bowels, and is of the greatest positive efficate in constipation, indigestion

Do You Want Some Good Flour?

Go to your Grocer, add for anyone of the following rands and if it does not give you entire satisfaction, he give you back your money .-

Hard Wheat Flour Our Home

Royal XXX D auto.

Soft Wheat Flour White Lilac Panhandle

Old Dominion We sell feed of all kinds and Cotton seed cake. We are in the market for all Panhandle Grains.

Ama illo Mill & Elevator Company

Amarillo, Texas.

LOCALS.

One day next week we will give away, free, all our last year HOLIDAY GOODS, to make room for our BIG NEW

One Present to each one who calls at our store that day - Our new teacher to inspire and refine us; bulletin board will tell you the a new friend to be by our side al-Dumas Drug Co.

Seed Wheat

for sale. Tests 60 pounds. C. A. Lane

Read the sale Ad. of J. H. Lamb in this issue.

Mules for Sale

I have 15 head of good work mules for Sale CHEAP for cash. the friend even of one good book

The wind blew J. H. Wrlk er's Windmill down last week. This is the third time for him The beauty of a friend is that we this year

Sheep for Sale

Channing or Dumas

W. F. P. Bishop & Son

For Sale or exchange. I mare and colt, I four yr. old horse, I two yr. old horse, Mose Lamb was in town three yr. old mare. Will trade Frank Roberson

> A nice line of Furnishing few days on which we can save by a city block. These jokers you money. Our latest gingham and outing, we will sell at 10 120 invariably applaed the boy who e sats, other goods to proportion. Sweeps up the jig sand and carries REMEMBER our goods are not . spoil-word like some merchant's ceedingly monotonous and dat to goods - and wellEAD in LOW umpires and stage hands. - Detroit factories should be the slogan of PAICES. Dumas Drug Co.

Read

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ANTWATCH

HER GROW

UNCERTAIN DESTINATION.

Who is it that said, 'Be sure

're right and then go ahead?"

I don't know," replied Mr. Chug-

gins. "But he doesn't belong to the

FOR ALL TIME.

Maud-Are you engaged to Jack

Maud-It looks so. I don't think he'll ever be in a position to marry

me .-- Boston Transcript-

chauffeur's union in our town."

or good?

Finding Them for Yourself Is Large Part of Their Charm, Says Henry Drummond.

DISCOVER THE GOOD BOOKS

To fall in love with a good book is one of the greatest events that continued in effect until lebnary befall us. It is to have a new influence pouring itself into our life; a ways, who, when life grows narrow and weary, will take us into his wider and calmer and higher world. Whether it is biography, introdu-I have good clean seed whea | cing us to some humble life made

great by duty done; or history, open- n the fied in the plimary electi ing vistas into the movements and on on October 24, to elect candid destinies of nations that have passed ates to municipal office. away; or poetry, making music of all the common things around us tage with eternal meanings; whether it be these or story books or religious | pipe line in the state. books or science, no one can become T. F. Burks, Dumas, Texas without being wiser and better.

Do not think that I am going to recommend any such book to you. Show, discover him, and we must each taste the books that are accessible to ened at, first if you like none of tate dealers of the Panhandle. mem. That is possibly their fault. Any kind desired, feeders rot yours; but search and search unrummond.

BAD HUMOR.

Our idea of bum humorists in des those baseball fans who imagthey are doing something clever incessive at the umpire by yelling ton. r be!" every time a proceptibly d ball is pitched and "Sate!"

r on a par with the thestergoers out the preceding performers' props. his sort of humar must become ex-

when you allow any of your stock or poultry to remain sick

LOSE

They give you less results in beef, pork, work, or eggs, wheathey are not in perfect health. Take a little interest in your own pocket book and doctor them up with

Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicina

It will pay you to do this. It has paid thousands of other accessful farmers and stock and oultry raisers.

This famous remedy is not a food, but a genuine, scientific medicine prepared from medicinal herbs and roots, acting on the liver, kidneys, bowels and digestive organs. Sold by all druggists, price 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. per can.

Texas Industrial Notes

All of the socailed tap line al lowances give along the lumber carrying railroad in the southwest which were to have been cancelled November 1 will be 1, 1912. The interstat ecomporate commission announced toda that it had reoched no frial concl.

The Woman's Welfa & Leag , a non-parti-san organ zation. has decided to put its own ticket

There is a \$100,000,000 inand filling the fields, and the skies vested in the oil adustry in Texand the work of the city and the cot- as and there are 1250 miles of

> Randall County is represented by four cars of fine cattle at the Kansas City Fat Stock

The Amarillo Real Estate Exchange is a new organization us for ourselves. Do not be disheart- composed of the leading real es The development of that sectio. or breeders. See us or write us, [1] you find what you like. Henry of the state is the aim of the Exchange.

> During the gast thirty yrs 29,942,000,000 feet of timber ware cut in Texas.

Texas has 120,000,000 acres d original when they show their of land uitable for growing cot-

cotton crop was \$261,840,389.

From June 7 to Sept. 1911, eighteen State Banks

More, bigger and bester

Every mud hole is a tea de killer.

Each man should patron Pioneer. ize home industry.

Your Name Is

Worth Money

If you are a customer of this bank, deposit your money here, and transact your financial business here, vou build up a credit for yourself and your name becomes worth money. Your credit is good for

ready cash. That is what it means in the way of helping you to prosperity. You know how much more you can make if you can command ready money at the right time to carry out plans which will make money for

That is why you should establish a credit with us. Build up your credit-Then when opportunity comes, you are ready to cash in on it.

First State Bank of Dumas

Write Or Call

Jutchinson, Ha ford and Hartley County. Lands Especially.

W. J. Morion

farm and nothing survives.

D. MAN. - - -

Write a letter home each week by sending the

## Auction Sale

Saturday, Nov. 4th, 1911

Having decided to break up house keeping, will offer at Public Auction my entire

household and kitchen furuiture and some farm implements.

Terms; \$5.00 and under is cash. Over \$5.00 nine months time

with eight per cent interest.

Sale will begin at 12,30 P. M., sharp, at my place one half mile Northwest of Court

> Dumas, Texas. J. H. Lamb

House,

J. D. Burnett, auctioneer

DUMAS. TEXAS We can stand for female aviator.

but not for aviatress. This is the identical cold wave you

were wishing for last July. This is a beautiful world to live in.

Some mistakes can be corrected, but eating toadstools is not one of

that the successive months have an R and her hatpin they do everything in them!

weather cannot be put into a cell to society supper. She anointeth my sober up.

poet who can eat a secret plate of ping. boiled cubbago

sonts help avell the gar receipts. Women would do well to let aviation alone until men have made a

greater success of it. paragrapher asks: "What is project wine?" The only answer we

can give is: "How old is Ann?" Flying f.om New York to San Fran-

from San Francisco to New York. An Tilinois judge has decided that Reno div ces are not good in Illinois. Have your divorce papers made trans-

ferable. A New Jersey man became fourth husband of his third wife the other day. Birds of a feather to flock

fu this country you are sure to find about six weeks before we tried the for others.

together.

No. brother, the anti-pistol toting law in New York was not passed for them, and a great deal more." the purpose of stopping the hold-ups in Wall street.

A baby's cry saved six people from being asphyxiated. Let us learn to be patient with crying babies. They may come in handy.

Mr. Malcolin McDowell puts the hobo's cost of living it four cents a day. But he faile to the hobo

The knights of old had bne advancould go through the deer season with- with him. out being punctured.

When we stop to consider the number of isms that exist the great wonder is that more people do not get Into the violent wards.

Platinum is now worth two and one-half times as much as gold, and | Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria gold is worth about its weight in potatoes and other luxuries.

The undertakers having decided to ail themselves "morticians" we pre-From tant nod-carriers of the future wi' e ku en as "mortarians."

Brook met is said to be composed of in minating gas and cyanogen, but the care manufacturers cannot frighten us after the Halley hoax.

A Cleveland judge granted six divorces in ten minutes each. At the normal rate of arithmetical progression, if he could do that well in Ohio, what a home-breaking record he could establish in Nevada!

A Greek couple in Connecticut waited 24 hours at a church for a priest to come from Boston to marry them, so evidently they had made up their minds.

A New York woman has just received \$200,000 from the husband have. she ran away from to join a younger man. Which shows how grateful he was.

A Pittsburgh scientist says that Andrew Carnegie looks like the eardrum of a whale. That man need not waste his time performing any heroic

A western man has asked the Philadelphia police to find him a nice wife. Great goodness, does he think the police have anything to do with take, now and then, a desertspoon-"nice" people?

A Stamford, Conn., woman who died recently had read the Bible through of Figs and Elixir of Senna. It is sixty times. We presume after the well known throughout the world third of fourth time she ceased to skip to the last chapter to see how it was going to end.

A Massachusetts woman mistook her husband for a burglar and shot him as he was crawling in the back window shout midnight. She still insists, however, that he got what was coming to him, even if he was innocent of the charge of burglary.

Chicago has a preacher who says he will go to the theater whenever he feels that way, and that it's none of the congregation's business. As far as we are concerned, he is at liberty to take in even the moving picture

Adaptation That Aims to Set Forth the Trials and Tribulations That Beset Life.

1. My wife is my boss, I shall not deny.

2. She maketh me lie down behind the bed when the swell company comes, and she leadeth me behind her up Main street.

3. She restoreth my pocketbook after she has spent all its con ents on when one's liver is working all right. hobble skirts and theater tickets, and she leadeth me up the main aisle of church for her new hat's sake.

4. Yea, though I walk more than half the night through dark rooms How fortunate for oyster lovers for she is behind me; her broomstick else but comfort me.

5. She prepareth a cold snack for ly. My arms runneth over with bun-Our idea of a ver atile man is a dles before she is half done her shop-

6. Surely her dressmaker's and ra not being mad sro 's that acci- house of my wife forever.-Exchange.

#### BABY'S TERRIBLE SUFFERING

"When my baby was six months old, his body was completely covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger cisco is just as dangerous as flying nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great scabs come off when I removed his wou'

We tried a great many remedies, bu nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and in six weeks' time he Whenever there is a great / aster | was entirely cured. He had suffered heroes who gave or risked their lives Cuticura Soap and Ointment, although we had tried several other things, and doctors, too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tubman, Dodson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 18 K Bostop.

A Bad Sign.

She-It I were you, dear, I would n t send for that nlumber again who came today. He's Too inexperienced. He-Didn't he do the work right? She-Yes, he did the work all right, tage over their descendants. They but he brought all the tools he needed

> Important to Mothers Examine carefully every bottle of Castoria, a safe and sure remedy for another. When specially bad year

Bears the Signature of Chat Hillitchers.
In Use For Over 30 Years. Bears the

"I wonder how Tantalus felt," said

the student of the classics. "Probably." replied Colonel Stilwell, to the elect on returns."

He that is taught to live upon little owes more to his father's wisdom than he that has a great deal left him does to his father's care.-Penn.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children

cause they vait too long to make sure they are right.

We are 1 ore apt to regret the things we haven't done than those we

#### ARE YOU FREE -FROM-

Headaches, Colds, Indigestion, Pains, Con tipation, Sour Stomach, Dizziness? If you are not, the most effective, prompt and pleasant method of getting rid of them is to ful of the ever refreshing and truly beneficial Lixative remedy—Syrup as the best of family laxative remedies, because it acts so gently and strengthens naturally without irri-

lating the system in any way. To get its beneficial effects it is dways necessary to buy the genune, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., bearing the name of the Company, plainly printed on the front of every package.



Many Farmers Now Raise Their Own Home Supplies.

Business Interests of Cotton States Now Realize Need as Well as Advantage of Better Methods and Diversified Croos.

(By W. B. MERCIÉR.) Because the south's leading cropotton- has been bringing fancy prices or the past several years, it must not be taken for granted that all those who with a crying baby, I will get no rest, grow it have been piling up bank accounts. Some men have grown wealthy growing cotton, but the same may be aid of corn growers, wheat growers 'ruit growers or, in fact, men follow Unfortunately war py, maudlin me, then mareth a bee-line for an aid ing any special line of work. Shrewd business sense and natural talents for head with the rolling pin occasional- good management will make a few men eminently successful at anythins they may do. But let us get down to the rank and file of the cotton farm ers, the little fellow who grows from millinery bills shall follow me all the two to twenty bales on his own or Posibly one reason my proplates days of my life and I will dwell in the rented land. By way of parenthesis we will say that this class grows by car the larger portion of the great cotton crop each year. How do you find things with him? The old cus tom, as all know, has been to raise cotton and buy everything else used food and clothing. The majority ever depend on the furnishing merchant to let them have supplies to start the new crop in the spring. These mer-

THE MOORE COUNTY PIONEER WAIL OF MODERN BENEDICT IMPROVING IN SOUTH thing the farmer has to buy has adity upon which he depends to pay for all, so what has the farmer gained

who has followed in the old ruts? When the lands were more fertile and there were fewer Insect pests to ravage the growing crops, and the seasons were apparently more propitious, there was not so much necessity for the adaptation of better metheds. The old cotton system, together with careless, or it might be said, criminal, treatment of the soils has forced upon the farmer a burdensome tax in the way of fertilizers to be used in growing the crop. In one state last season there was a fertilizer bill of \$17 against every bale of cotton grown in the state. Add to this rent and other fixed expenses and see what an enormous sum is involved before one cent can be used to furnish the house, supply the place, or pay for the land.

The business interests of the cotton states have at last realized the needs as well as the advantages of the better methods. The merchants and bankers are fast requiring their customers to grow diversified crops enough to supply the home needs at least. This change will, of course, reduce the volume of business, but it will put things on a solid basis. And it is a poor business man who will not take a moderate profit as a surety rather than to look to the exorbitant rates surrounded with so many uncertainties, as has heretofore been the rule in the cotton sections. The farm- ability of putting a chandelier into the er himself has begun to recognize the schoolroom. Every one seemed in advantages of the change, and is now favor of the idea. chants are not out for their health, o' bending every effort to put into oper-



Scene at a Soul ern Cotton Gin.

course, so the poor fellow placit ration the new methods in cotton tant prices for the bare necessities life, and at the end of the season pay | with the state departments of agriculup his supply bill for the year, if ) ture and state experiment stations, is particularly fortunate, and perhaps have joined forces to aid the farmers has a few dollars left over which are in a general readjustment of soon spent too frequently not wise y present system of cotton raising. The infants and children, and see that it come a little more restrictions are pu on by the merchant and a little more deprivations and hardships tion of home supplies, and an almost for the poor fellow's family. He never seems to realize that with half the energy he could grow around him a better living than he is getting, unmistakable signs of the progressive and at the same time raise just as much cotton, which could be consid- ing wave on the financial, social, and ered a surplus crop. Some are happily seeing the light and others will follow favored section of the country will be like a thirsty Maine man listening when the great mass of southern farmers raise their own home supplies. work stock for home use and have Thousands of country people know the value of Hanlins Wizard Oil, the best family medicine in case of accident or sudden illness. For the safety of your family buy a bottle now.

Work stock for home use and have some to spare. When this transformation comes about we can truly call the attention of the outside world to the "New South." the "New South."

Speaking of high prices for cotton, let us see how much there is to it. While cotton has advanced 100 per cent, or more from its lowest price, from \$200 to \$300, and nearly every-

ment of agriculture, in co-operation effects of the combined efforts are already noticeable in the marked increased yields of all the staple crops, the awakened interest in the producuniversal desire for better stock and farm implements. The farm house, its conveniences and surroundings, show spirit. The final result of this uplifteducational future of this naturally watched by the outsider and the home leaders with more than a passing in-

The chief lines for improvement are: (1) A systematic method of preserving the soil; (2) better plowing and preparation before planting; (3) use of better seeds; (4) more frequent and shallow cultivation; (5) special study of commercial fertilizers and the importance of home manures; (6) map we must remember that food stuff and out a crop rotation; (7) raise more clothing have advanced from 100 per and better stock; (8) study manner cent, to 250 per cent, in the same time. of preparing crops for market and teething, softens the gums, reduces inflamms—cent. to 250 per cent. in the same time. of preparing crops—for market—and tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle—Mules—that could be—bought fifteen—where—to sell—to best—advantage. Some people never go ahead be years ago for \$100, are now bringing These headings may be broken up

#### into many others.



M. W. B. Hardman of Commerce, Ga, in a letter to the Farm Home ily managed, gentle and kindly disgives the following reasons for his posed with an aristocratic bearing not preference for the Berkshire breed of found in any other breed of swine. swine

style and finish. 2. The Berkshire is the most attractive breed of swine in color, mark-

ings and general appearance. 3. The Berkshire is the most profitable meat producer, and the meat is

quality. 4. The Berkshire sow leads in the youngsters, production of large, healthy litters of Overcrowding should be avoided

5. The Berkshire is intelligent, eas-The Berkshire is the acme of perfec-1. The Berkshire excels in form, tion in hogdom not only for beauty, utility, but as a sure money maker.

#### Overcrowded Coops.

A coop that is big enough for 50 not approached in flavor and fine chicks when they are a week old soon secomes too small for the growing

strong and vigorous pigs that can be and extra coops and roosting places profitably fitted for market at any should be provided before the young sters come out.

Youngster's Scheme Was All Right, But Economical Father Was a

Match for Him.

The proprietor of the most prominent hotel in the town of S-, Ky, is a man of a very economical nature, in fact he is an extremist in this feature. He has a six-year-old, red-headed son that didn't inherit his father's economical disposition. Recently the son was very much in need of a five-cent piece for soda water purposes. He went into the diningrom, where he was free from observation, and removed his shoe strings and placed them in his hip pocket for future reference. Returning to the office he approached his father and

"Pa, give me a nickel to get me a

pair of shoe strings." His father glanced down at his son's shoes, then turning around approached the office safe and opened it in silence. He took out the cash box and raising the lid extracted a pair of new shoe strings, which he handed to his son without a word. The youngster took the strings with a crestfallen air and then to the amusement of the onlookers exclaimed:

"Stung again, by granny." Musician Wanted.

In a parish in Wales where very little English was spoken a general meeting was held to consider the desir-

"Do you think we ought to have one, Mr. Davis?" said the schoolmaster to

a venerable parishioner. "I agree to it," was the reply; "but there is one thing I wish to know. If

we has a-a-" "Chandelier," said the schoolmaster, helping him out.

"If we have a chandelier," the old man continued, "who is going to play

Silence. Ball-What is silence? Hall-The college yell of the school of experience.-Harper's Bazar.



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#### Chest Pains and Sprains Sloan's Liniment is an ex-

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#### Here's Proof

I have used Sloan's Liniment for rs and can testify to its wonderful ciency. I have used it for sore throat, up, lame back and rheumatism and REBECCA JANE ISAACS, Lucy, Kentuck

is excellent for sprains and bruises. It stops the pain at once and reduces swelling very quickly.

Sold by all dealers. Price, 25c., 50c., \$1.00





### Ordinary Mattrosses Breed Disease

If you knew some of the materials You wouldn't let your dog sleep on them-much less sleep on them your-

Mill waste-shoddy-cheap grades of cotton-and foul linters from the ton-veritable disease breedersgo into ordinary mattresses.

In my mattresses only the highest grade of clean, new, unused materials are used.

And all

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Don't take my word alone see my mattresses for yourself. Priced from \$2.50 to \$20. Send for Free Book And hear all about the sanitary way I make nattresses. Write today.

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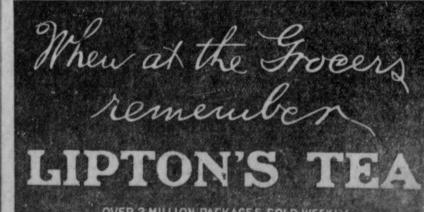
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#### Major Garrett wins Prize age 11

Major Garrett of Middle Well, a boy only 11 years old, is the winner of the Prize offered PIONEER.

His solution is as follows: If a cost and shoes cost \$9 and a hat and shoes cost \$8, we iind that the ceat costs \$1 more than the hat, So by this we find that the cost of the hat is \$5 and the cost of the coat is \$6. If the coat and shoes cost \$9 then the shoes cost \$3. Therefore the bat folks know, when they see a sane cost \$5, the coat \$5 and the shoes man who has imbibed a little of

If Master Major will car insane, that it is dad at this office in person he will be rewar ed.

CHRISTMAS PRIZE to be offered usx WEEK

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Do you know what the records show in regard to your home? It is IMPORTANT that you know. Might be something wrong. We can FIX

If your house or barn should burn would you be able to rebuild. A small amount of money will make a burn a pleasure.

Your crops of wheat and oats are practically made. Put them in the granary with a HAil policy in the ST. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance

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of this part of the State.

See or write

Since Jun. 1st my Charges Will 1

#### whiskay Trust Ex posed

Whiskey dealer says cost is 12

cents per gallon

M. Marcel, a whiskey man ufacturer of Kansas City, says 'Preachers say whiskey is bad How do they know?" He says all whiskey is bad but the kind they

Preachers as well ss other the stuff going about perfectly

It's strange that a whiskey maker will expose the business

The story of the deal between United States senator Lori ner d emocrats' whereby Lorimer sup ported Adhi Stevenson for gove Watch for the rnor against Charles S De 1903 was a feature of the Lori mer investigation today. State R epresentative Thomas Tippett, w ho told the story, said that he re gia S. Brennan, political lieut ana nt of Rogue C. Sullivan, Democr atic,, boss" of Illinois. Tippitt, ho Wever did not say the United St a'es senatorship was the price o ffered Lorimer for his aid



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W. W. Daugherty, J. H. Phillips,

M.W.A .-- Comp No. 13,784 meets every Toesday night in hall in Phillips building. Visiting neighbors welcome

W. A. Phillips, V.C.

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wuz too busy a-laughin'.

#### Toasting the Teachers.

There was a meeting of the new teachers and the old. It was a sort of love feast, reception or whatever you call it. Anyhow, all the teachers got together and pretended they didn't have a care in the world. After the eats were et the symposiarch proposed

"Long Live Our Teachers!" It was drank enthusiastically. One of the new teachers was called on to respond. He modestly accepted. His answer was:

The Bishop and the Boy

fond of children. and it was always a joy to us youngsters when he care for his visit to my father's parish. His anecdotes and stories enlivened the whole household. Once when he was staying with us he

told the following story: One Sunday morning, just after cles breakfast. I repaired to the rector a study, where I was soon followed by his little four-year-old son, who climbed up on my knee and began to talk. nig. Suddenly the little fellow looked up used. into my face and said: 'Bissop, do before, 'ting away.

'oo want to see my piggy book?' slid down and started to get the book. older ones will not refuse it: When half-way across the room a sudrunning back and putting one hand on in anoth my knee, he looked up in my face and the seed shook his little forefinger at me, whis- straining pering: 'Bissop, it's Sunday. We must skins nee do z. on ze sly!"-Harper's Maga- them tend

#### TEA PENALTY. A Store Ma's Experience.

Writing from a usy railroad town the wife of an em oye of one of the great roads says

"My busband is a railroad man who has been so much refited by the use of Postum that he vishes me to express his thanks to ou for the good done him. his waking hours ten up with his work, and he is to lime to write imself.

s been a g t tea drinker e and has vays liked it

has, of late year, acted on e morphine doe pon most At first it sooth him, but an hope or so, the it began ffect his nerves to such an extent could not sleep at right, and he we de go to his work in the morning wretched and mis rable from the loss of rest. Inis conditton grew constantly worse, until his riends persuaded him, some four me the ago to

rst he used Postum only for orcalisch, but as he liked the taste of it, and it somehow seemed to do him good, he added it to his evening meal. w better, he began to a Roon meal, and now at table.

quit tea and use Postum.

"His con the is so wonderfully imup rosum and go back to tea. relable once inc. and his sleep is easy, dataral and effecting.

He away salaral and effecting.

He owes all this to Postum, for he has taken no medicine and made no other change in his diet.

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inside out. View those shreds and arth things look but odd, ing out some scheme

What now m random strokes, will there alse what here we shall be turned.

SOUPS FOR COOL EVENINGS.

When the main mal is taken at noon there is no dish at night that "goes to the spot" like a nice hot dish of soup. Cream soups we appropriate for this meal and they are legion, so that all tastes may be gratified.

Cocoanut Soup .- This is one that is so perfectly delicious that the trouble of preparation will be swalloved with the first taste. Cook two pounds of veal bones in two quarts of water put over them cold. When reduced to one quart add the grated meat (or meat put through a meat chopper) of one cocoanut and cook a half hour; strain and add the milk of the nut and a pint of cream. Reheat and thicken The dyspeptic, the debi with a tablespoonful each of flour and page butter cooked together. Season with salt, pepper and a little onion juice and, just as ready to serve, pour over the ever offered the suffering invalid. two slightly beaten eggs

Queen Victoria's Favorite Soup .--Remove the fat from one quart of water in which a fowl has been cook- always has a new story to tell. ed. Season with salt, pepper, onion juice and celery salt. Mash the yolks of three hard-cooked eggs, mix with half a cup of bread crumbs soaked in a little milk until soft. Chop the white attracted to the bronze figure of an meat of the chicken until fine as meal ape standing upright in the window of and stir it into the egg and bread paste. Add a pint of hot cream slowly, then added to the chicken liquor. Boil five minutes, add more salt and, if too thick, more cream; if too thin, add

A fine soup may be made of the wing a gorilla. ness,' returned the second cop. 'That's tips and bones of a turkey left from fore? the histories. he answered. 'My, what

The tough ends of steak, with a few bones, will make another good-flavored



-Hugh Black.

IDEAS THAT HELP.

The silver mesh bags, fan chains, afterward he carefully guided the con lorgnette and watch chains may be versation into literary channels, Tit tle alcohol and then rubbing with dry

ever allow silver to stand over without washing after being Wash in soapsuds and rub dry

Here is a dainty little dessert that Yes, indeed, said I. So the child will delight the small people and the

Grape Tarts .- Remove the pulp 1 om den idea seemed to strike him, and, well-washed grapes and put the skins dish. Cook the pulp until can be easily removed by brough a colander. The longer cooking to make Put all together and cook with little sugar to sweeten. s with the mixture and Fill tart she serve cold w. whipped cream.

Many like those filled with the uncooked grapes removing the seeds. When draw ng threads for hemhe goods where the stitching rub be drawn with a piece threads are t thread will slip out of soap. Th much easier.

delicious salad: Have A dainty an muskmelons a d fill with the fruit cut in small cube garnish with green grapes or che ries and serve with French dressi

Cheese Egg —Grate a quarter of a pound of chees into a saucepan, set it on the stove, season with a little chopped parsley, butter, pepper and salt, then add a half dozen eggs slightly beaten. Stir constantly until creamy

and serve at once. Broiled Chopped Steak.—Take a piece of the upper part of the round, put it through the meat chopper, season with salt, pepper, onion juice, and put it on a dir ner plate; flatten out until about an inch thick, then turn onto a greased brofler and cook over coals or under the gas flame. Steak cooked in this way is entirely beyond the fried

article in fia or and digestibility. White Mountain Soup .- To a tea spoonful of ooked rice add three ta-biespoonfuls of grated cheese and a cupful of vegetable stock (liquor remaining from cooked peas or cabbage). Ad a pint and a half of milk, salt and pepper to taste. When hot pour over the white of an egg that has been beaten until stiff. This egg

#### Nellie Maxwell.

"Buy a flower for your wife, sir." "Haven't one." "For your sweetheart."

"Haven't one." "For your best girl, then."

"Haven't one." "Since you're so lucky, then at least one for yourself,"-Fliegende THERE WITH A REPUTATION

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supposed to be?' asked one of the

" You surprise me with your thick-

'Sure, and I read about them in

a lot of dama to they did during the

Literary Criticism.

They were discussing a certa

The mild young man in the col

made a mental note of the sally for

ture use, and at another party shor

Bits informs its readers. Fortunately

some one mentioned the desired name

and he triumphantly cried out: "W.

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"The ocean? Why so far? Why

A Cross-Reference.

Mistress-Have you a reference?

Bridget-Folne; Oi held the poker

not go to Wall street?"

ust as I was ready.

feel good."

Stretchy, Drowsy,

nated that type of husband who treats his wife like a child, refusing to take her into his confidence. I once heard Mr. Wister tell a story about a Germantown man of that sort "The man came back from a busi-

ness meeting wherein the future welfare of himself and his family was vitally involved, but he declined to tell his wife what had been the meeting's outcome. 'Oh, no,' he sneered, 'I can't tell

you anything. You'd repeat it if I did. You, being a woman, are constitutionally unable to keep a secret.' "But the wife, with a quiet smile, retorted: 'George, did I ever tell the secret of how you were led astray that summer the church conference met in Chicago and got arrested in a sa on for biting off the bartender's

Synonyms.

he French Canadian always has le with the aspirate "th." At ing club in the Province of Qu nembers were required to dra from a hat and debate up ubject they received. A you

ryman arose. lave drew the word 'bat.' I you dere is two, tree diff of bat. Dere is de bat wo e baseball wit, de bat wot at night and also de bat ke de swim."-Success

A Change of Opinion "Talk is cheap," chuckled the politician with the telephone frank in his

After talking \$20 worth, he pulled out his frank and found it had ex-"By heck!" he muttered ruefully, "that guy was right when he said that 'Silence is golden.' "-Judge.

Luck.

Braggs-Bah! Luck is but the product of care and diligence.

Waggs-Yes. An old friend of mine had a swamp which he couldn't get rid of, and, by a great deal of care and diligence, a railroad was run right through the middle of it and now my friend is a rich man .- Life.

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