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#### COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

#### .. HASKELL NATIONAL BANK..

Condensed from Reports to the Comptroller of the Currency.

JUNE 9th, 1904 Loans and Discounts, .... #126,323.98 Deposits Available Cash 34,950,59

\$135,586,60 110,208.83 42,469,97

The increase in deposits of \$21,000.00 shows a healthy growth of the country and the Bank. We ask a continuation of the confidence

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Every farmer who has much feed needs one of these mills. You can save time and expense by using one of them at home. Call on us for particulars,

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Flour made by the new PIONEER MILL Stamford, cannot be excelled and we are very an lous to have your patronage. Try us,

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Local Exchanges at Haskell, Asperment and Munday, Telegraph messages received and transmitted, J. F. POSEY, Manager, Haskell, Texas.

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## HASKELL MARKET and RESTAURANT MARSH & BROOKS, Proprietors.

#### FRESH MEATS OF ALL KINDS AT REASONABLE PRICES.

Special attention will be given to those who patronize the Restaurant. The choicest of things to eat will be

## GLAD GAMBLING STOPPED trembling ,even though her husband trembling ,even though her husband

#### Tell Sheriff that Since Temptation is Removed they Are Doing Much Better.

Persons who have been reading the papers know that since the last election the new city and county officers at Fort Worth have been making strenuous efforts to drive gambling out of that city, and it is claimed that they have practically succeeded.

Sheriff Honea speaking of the matter the other day to a Fort Worth Record reporter made statements which ought to have great weight with every one who has ever had any doubts on the practicability or desirability of controlling or eradicating gambling and its kindred evils. It is unquestionable that similar and greater good would follow the eradication of its companion evil, the retail Poor victim to require her to go to the liquor business, with which goes the treating custom, for the reason that hundreds indulge in drinking and treating where one contracts the gambling habit, and thousands are the judgement of white women at the uselessly squandered on it that should South, the vital question is not How be spent in the homes of misguided shall lynching be stopped, but how

#### Sheriff Honea said:

in Fort Worth at least twenty-five men have come to me with stories of success," said Sheriff John Honea.

"I think it is safe to say that since gambling has been stopped in this city that many a dollar that would to the blacks themselves, destroying have gone into the coffers of the man the influence of their former masters who takes all bets, has been taken home and used for better purposes. Any number of men have told me that since this temptation has been removed they are getting along nicely and are out of debt.

"The real benefit that has come from stopping gambling has come to the little tots at home. The dollars that were risked on the roulette wheel now go to buy shoes for children, who would otherwise feel their need. Gambling circulates money, but it does not bring any of it into a town.

"I believe it is safe to say that there is no regular gambling house running in Fort Worth today. Of course, tuets are scattering games of chance, which we are continually after, but we are thinning them out. I know that I hauls from those who like to risk their dollors on a chance. We will continue to get them as long as they

"If there is any gambling going on To THE FREE PRESS: in this city, I do not know of it, and f some good citizen who does know of it and can give me a clew to work on will tell me of it I will promise him that it will be stopped."

## Cause of Insomnia.

Indigestion nearly always disturbs the sleep more or less and is often the cause of insomnia. Many cases have been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver tablets. For sale at Terrell's Drug Store.

## THE NECRO PROBLEM.

## Not Sectional, but Concerns the Whole White Race.

Touching the negro question in the South, Harper's Weekly is one of the most reasonable and conservative a mong the Northern journals of influ-

Appropose of the recent Wanamaker-Washington incident, which has provoked a good deal of vigorous criticism and comment, an article published by Harper's some time ago is as pertinent now as then. We quote a

part of it as follows: One of the most interesting contributitions to a study of the negro questions was made the other day by s Southern white citizen in a letter to the New York Sun. Referring to the prediction uttered by Justice Brewer in his Milwaukee address that there would be a popular uprising against lynchings and a remedy applied to them, the writer prayed Heaven to speed the day when such a remedy might be found. He suggested, however, that Justice Brewer had missed the crux of the question, so far as the South is concerned; for, however deplorable lynchings are, the conditions which cause them in the South ars so serious that punishment by lynching is insignificant in comparison. What are those conditios? They are these: no white woman in the negro belt dare traverse the public highway alone; while, on theother hand any negro woman can go from the Potomac to Texas alone, on foot, unmolested, in absolute safety. The white farmer's wife sits at home in fear and

#### may be working in a neighboring field. This insecurity has had a disastrous effect on agricultural prosperity; because of it thousands and thousands of farmers have left the rural districts for the towns and cities. The writer in the sun declares that if Justice Brewer and bis "popular uprising" will find a remedy to stop the assaults upon white women, so that they can have the freedom of the highway, or enjoy peace and safety in their homes, thousands upon thousands of families

will go back instanter to the old farms, and the waste places of the black belt will once more blossom as the rose, It is offering no remedy to say that, if the negro assailant of a white woman is caught, he can be punished by

As general Fitzhugh Lee once pointed out, it is asking too much of the courthouse, and there, before a curious crowd, go into details of her sufferings and humiliation. To a modest woman suicide were preferable. In shall white women be protected? It is a question, moreover, which the North is bound to help the South in "Since gambling has been stopped solving. As the North took the negros from their white owners after the civil war, and organized them into socalled "loyal leagues," and started them along lines adverse primarily to the Southern whites, and indirectly and teaching the negros to look to the North for teaching and guidance, it now behooves the North to undo its work, if it can, and to make the negros understand that white women shall not be assaulted, and that, if negro teachers, and preachers, and negro colleges fail to stop the atrockous crime, the North will withdraw its countenance from them, or co-operate in a movement to coerce negros

## Cured of Lame Back After 15 Years of Suffering,

into a repression of their brutal in-

I had been troubled with lame back for fifteen years and I found a complete recovery in the use of Chamberhave been to a hundred places where lain's Pain Balm," says John G. Bishthe surmise was rife that gambling er, Gillam, Ind. This linament is was going on and have found noth- also without an equal for sprains and ing. This week we have gotten two bruises. It is for sale at Terrell's Drug Store.

## SACERTON-FAIRVIEW ITEMS.

stincts.

The boll worms are gone, cotton is blooming again and rain is in sightwho knows but that we will yet make some cottin?

The Sagerton gin is ready for business and the hotel building is being pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

There is some sickness in this part of the country now.

Cotton picking has begun and our gin received its first bale Tuesday.

Milo maize is turning out two wagon loads of heads per acre—and that's good.

Land buyers keep coming; the Orient railroad keeps coming nearer and land keeps going higher all the time.

The G. W. Tanner land deal mentioned in my last should have been see us. \$19 instead of \$9 per acre.

We are all pleased to learn that Haskell is to get a railroad soon. That will build up our county seat and make land more valuable all over the county.

Hurran for the West, anyway.

#### ... Got Off Cheap.

He may well think he has got off heap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at Terrell's drug store, guar-

Mr. R. P. Marchbanks has returned from a visit to Waxahachie and his old county-Ellis. He says that crops are poor there this year, that wheat was practically a failure, making only from 3 to 7 bushels per acre and the corn crop is much shorter than usual. These results are attributed to the excessive rains of the spring and early

See W. H. Parsons for watches, clocks and jewelry. Repairing

## TERRELLS Drug Store

--- IS ALL RIGHT---

Our prescription department is the hub of our store, around it centers the life of our business. It contains every thing that experience, diligence and money can supply to assist us in doing accurate and

#### Scientific Prescription Compounding.

"There isn't anything in West Texas, anywhere, that can touch this" said a Doctor, who was inspecting our Prescription Department, not long ago and he was right. Doctors know when things are right around a drug store. They won't always tell you what they houestly think about it, but they know Ask your Doctor about us. If he don't say that we are all right, there is evidently something wrong with him, and it might be a good idea for you to look around and find another Doctor, anyhow, come and see for yourself, don't wait for the Doctor or anyone else to tell you about Doctor or anyone else to teli you about

TERRELLS STORE.

# Western Lumber Co.,

Successor to Smith-Sons & Robertson

#### - - Texas. Stamford,

We solicit the lumber trade of the people of the town of Haskell and of Haskell and adjoining counties. In all

## LUMBER, SHINGLES, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, ETC.,

our assortment is very full and complete.

We can fill your bill of material for a barn or a mansion

Liberal treatment will be extended to all our customers.

Whether you want to build just now or not call and talk over your probable lumber wants and let us make you estimates-we want to extend our acquaintence any wayand we may help you to decide on your plans. Thanking all for their liberal patronage hitherto, Yours truly,

# **Western Lumber Company**

STAMFORD. - - TEXAS.

D. R. STEWART, Mgr.



We are offering some good bargains SANDERS & WILSON,

## NOTICE TO BANKERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Haskell county will meet at the court house of said county at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 15th day of September, A. D., 1905, to receive sealed proposals from Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It any banking incorporation, association, or individual banker of said aids expectoration, opens the secrecounty, as the depository of the funds tions and aids nature in restoring the of said Haskell county. All such bids system to a healthy condition. Sold or proposals shall be accompanied by at Terrell's Drug Store. a certified check for not less than onehalf of one per cent. of the county's revenue for the year 1904, which was about \$20,000.00, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder and that if his bid shall be accepted he will enter into a bond as provided by law. The depository so selected from the part of the Standard man was pretty bine in his feelings yesterday morning. He always feels that way just before something happened. He saw a surrey coming down the road. It was loaded with meions. Great, big, striped beauties. The surrey stopped in half of one per cent. of the county's by law. The depository so selected, front of the Standard office. The ediif any, shall be the depository of said tor didn't feel blue any more. Sam county's funds until the February Cox presented him a big Cuban Queen term 1907 of the Commissioners' court melon weighing about thirty pounds. of said county.

The Commissioners' court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Given under my hand officially, this 22nd day of August, 1905.

OSCAR E. OATES, County Judge, Haskell Co., Texas. | the largest one eighty-four pounds.

YOU CAN AFFORD IT.

\$40 pays for either a complete unlimited course of bookkeeping and business training, shorthand and typewriting, or telegraphy; \$70 for any two of these courses; three to four months is required to finish a course; five to six months for any two courses: board and lodging from \$10 to \$12 per mouth, in the Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, the great commercial school of the South. 959 students enrolled the past year from 20 different states-more than double the number enrolled in any other commercial for homes or investment, to buyers of school in the State. Hundreds of real estate, on easy terms. We want graduates placed in the very best posome small farms for quick sales. We sitions free of charge. The only busican sell your land for cash. Come and ness plan of "learn to do by doing" from start to finish. Students not only learn bookkeeping in a thorough manner by this method, but learn to transact business carefully and accurately. Write for large illustrated catalogue free.

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The Standard man was pretty blue

-Tulia Standard. Great, big, striped beauties! Thirty pounds! The Standard man ought to come to Haskell and see a watermelon. Why, we saw a wagon load of 'em come in the other day in which the least one weighed sixty pound and

POOLE & MARTIN, Puss

#### HASKELL, - - TEXAS

#### EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Fire at Wewoka, I. T., practically destroyed the warehouse of O. B. Varnum. Loss about \$1,000.

Abraham Lincoln's birthplace in Kentucky which was purchased at

County, Ok., claims the distinction of from the Emperor personally. price of \$60 per ten-

ing. The two upper floors will be used for lodge purposes and the first floor

wife in his restaurant at Thirty-second | East. and Benron streets in Chicago, The

public exporates Dr. Salmon, chief of permanent peace, the bureau in that department, from | It can be said that the President has

Mrs. Emma Lyons was killed and Sigmund Gieseler faually injured by Fort Warne, Ind., into St. Mary's river, It is believed they were leaning against a rotten rail which broke.

for is planning greater and more systilaries was due, it was surmised, to the is buing largely to the influence of incorporated into a treaty, without the his sen, John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

union cotton yard. They will have their yard open for business by Sep. of the treaty. The cablegram to tomber I. Ninety per cent of the farm. President Roosevelt yesterday followers are unlen men and it is believed | 6d in natural course, this yard will do nearly all the cotton

for the year were 2,874,836 so the per- in interest and will pass into history centage as compared with the Texas as the treaty of Portsmouth. crop marketed at Galveston was 100.01 The percentage of the Texas and Terrivery crops combined marketed at Galveston was 78.5.

from Suliana and Palena, simultan, tire county to be held on September 23. county with the eruption of Vennyius lazes fled to the country. Two persons are reported killed and more than a hundred wounded.

Ark, coased to exist, having been ab- local option going into effect. sorbed by the McAlester Fuel Company of South McAlester, I. T. The

Captain J. H. Bukins stad at his home in McKinney Friday, at the age of 74 years. He was a native of Illinois, but had resided in Texas sixtythree years, and in McKinney fifty-two tonio, Texas, Saturday purposely leapyears. He had practiced law there for ed into a caldron of boiling tar. While forty-seven years.

Fort Gibson, I. T., aspires to the capital of the proposed State of Sequoyah. Fort Gibson is one of the Territory's most flourishing towns. and is situated on the Frisco and Missourl Pacific rallways and Grand river.

Advices have been received stating that the engineer's report on the proposed interurban line from Tyler to is on account of the sparelty of popultion along part of the route.

Samuel A. MacLean, Jr., president of the National Packing Company, gied suddenly in Chicago. He was stricken during the night with acute indigestion, coupled with heart trou-

Work upon Taylor's new city hall building, now in course of construction, is retarded by a scarcity of laborers, the tempting price of 70 cents per 100 pounds being paid paid for cotton of laborers to the cotton fields.

Mount Vesuvius, says a late dispatch, is in full eruption and is throwing out an enormous mass of lava. Deep rumbling are heard in the interfor of the crater and lava is flowing down the right side of the cone.

## HASKELL FREE PRESS The Mikado Congratulates And Thanks Roosevelt

The Treaty Bears Evidence of Penmanence.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 4-Presi dent Roosevelt yesterday received A Louisiana Refugee Transmits the from the Smittor of Ma an warm thanks for his 'Cistinguistal' and un-

The concluding sentence of the cathe agricultural department just made concluded at Portsmouth will be for a Pauls Valley.

any wrongful acts in the conduct of expressed no anxiety at the delay of the cablegram no anxiety at the delay Japan. It was known here that the terms finally concluded at Portsmouth falling from the Slinto street bridge, were dictated by the Japanese Emperor himself himself, and that they could him and his advisors. The delay in tematic giving than ever heretofore, desire of the emperor to be assured The change in Mr. Rockefeller's plans that the terms agreed upon would be les. probability of a serious hitch. The as-The union cotton farmers around surance, it was said, was conveyed to Ardmore, L. T., have established a the Japanese Emperor last night upon the practical conclusion of the draft

Information reaching the President the treaty would be concluded formally Edward L. Lewis, the defaulting and signed early this week, probably real estate broker of Wheaton, Ill., today or tomorrow. The substance of who by duplicate morgages swindled the treaty is being reduced to engrosswildows and other poor persons to the ed form, in two texts, English and extent of \$100,000 was taken to the French. As soon as this formality Jellet penitentiary to serve an inder shall have been completed the conventerminate sentence. Lewis has secret tion so important not only to the two belligerant powers, but to the civilized The Texas cotton cron for 1604.5 is world, will be signed by the plening. tentiarles of the Government directly

## Campaign Opens in Bowie.

Texarkana: The Bowle county commissioners' court at New Boston order. A violent earthquake is reported ed a local option election for the en-The order was made on the petition and Stromboll. Many houses fell, of 850 voters of the county, which since the opening Cheyenne Indians church steeples tottered and there was petition was prestned to the court by are to be let out as cotton pickers. a general panic. The population of the Chairman Fulbright of the County Lo. Agent Seger is separating the young cal Option Association. The vote of Indians into parties of twenty-five Effective September 1 the Midland but the Federal Court granted the others, is slovenly and is making ob-Valley Coal Company of Fort Smith, antis an injunction which prevented jections to this new procedure, but

The attorney general has written an general offices of the Midland Valley opinion to the effect that the new law an aggregate capital of \$2,875,000 were company will be moved to South Me- does not require toilet rooms at flag organized during August. The total Alester and merged into the McAlester stations. The railroads will not aband number of national banks is 5807, with don the flag stations as threatened

> Terrible Death of Supposed Texan. Oak Lawn, Cal : William D. Ferdihand, supposed to be from San Ansinking below the surface of the deadly fluid he shouted: "I die as I should, deaths in Cooke County during the I have nothing to live for, my folks are all in the grave." Ferdinand was seen to rush for the edge of huge pot, building of Midland County's new but before before any one came to his assistance, he had leaped ahead.

## High Tribute to the President.

St. Petersburg: The Grashdania Dallay is unfavorable and therefore the saig: With the advent of peace as the proposed road will not be built. This result of the conference at Portsmouth European diplomacy steps back to give place to the practical, sound, common type of man as Mr. Roosevelt. The for State treasurer. latter understood the plenipotentiary | The Aquilla State Bank, located at and came to his assistance, but the Aquilla, on the Texas Central Raildue to the President.

Yellowstone National Park this sum- with great formality. mer than ever before, according to M. H. Albin, manager of the Midia and reiss of Sweetwater, seven miles from pickers by farmers causing a begirs Yellowstone Park Stage Line. Fully Comanche was burned. There was 20,000 persons have visited the park about \$3,500 insurance. since the season opened.

mous hotels on Long Island, which has the clerical press and cut off an imnumbered among its patrons George mense amount of gratituities and Washington and Theodore Roosevelt, grafts. The Vatican is instituting a has been sol dto a syndicate which policy of strict economy in all depart will erect on the site a modern hotel. | ments.

#### ONE CASE IN TERRITORY.

Disease.

Gainesville, Tex., Sept. 4.-State remitting efforts in the interests of Health Officer J. I. Enlson, stationed perce and humanity," and an express at Gainesville, went to Maysville, L clop of the Japanese emperor's "grate- T., Saturday to investigate the cause public auction by Robert J. Collier of fel appreciation of the distinguished of a report by citizens of that town to New York is to be restored and pre part" the President has taken in the the Marine Hospital Service at Washes ablishment of peace in the Far ington of a case of yellow fever. On The town of Carnegie, in Caide Bast, The cablegram was received reaching Mayaville Dr. Ellison went to the home of H. P. Inglish, who he suppling the first car of this year's. The cablegram from the tapanese found confined to his bed with a bad broom corn, receiving therefor the Emperor puts an end to the rumors case of yellow fever. Mr. Inglish had that the Emperor was discatts field with been working with a thrashing gang the terms finally concluded by his plen- in Oklahoma and contracted the disis planning to erect a three-story build. Inctentiaries with those of the shaper- case from a refugee direct from Louisor of Russia. He also is President jana. Dr. Ellison received word that Reesevelt full credit for the part he Mr. Inglish died Sunday morning at took in bringing about peace "upon his home in Maysville. Dr. Tabor, who principles essential to the permanent was notified of this case of fever, has Wm. Van Varbers was killed by his we fare and tranquitry of the Far wired Dr. Ellison to apply quarantine against Maysville.

Mayaville, I. T. Is on the Santa Fe two were quarreling and Mrs. Van Vo bleggim is especially significant. It Lindsay branch, which runs from Pauls hees fired three shets at her husband. g.ident', voices the held of the Ja- Valley to Lindsay, a distance of twenty The report of Solicitor McCabe of panese emperor that the treaty to be miles. Maysville is twelve miles from

#### New York-Chicago Trolley.

Chicago: Continuous trolley rides from Chicago to New York over two of the cablegram from the Emperor of routes and back to Chicago and Cincinnati are among the transportation probabilities of the near future. William S Read, a builder of railroads. has organized a syndicate which has not be otherwise than satisfactory to purchased the Chicago Electric Traction Company and organized two oth-It is stated that John D. Rockefelt responding to the Japanese plenipotenter er companies, which will complete the gaps which now bar a continuous ride on electric roads between the two cit

#### Bomb Worker in Spain.

Barcelona: A bomb exploded with terrific force Sunday afternoon on the Marine Parade, which was thronged with holiday-makers. A panic ensued and the air was rent with the shricks and groans of the victims who numberalso from Portsmouth indicated that ed probably sixty, including one woman killed and five persons mortally wounded. The bomb was conical in shape and covered with cement. The pepetrator of the outrage is unknown.

#### Brakeman Meets Horrible Death.

Pauls Valley, I. T.: A. B. Chapman, a brakeman on the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe fell in front of a detached section of a freight train on which he was working and was instantly killed. one accident was caused by the train becoming uncoupled, thus setting the brakes and throwing the unfortunate man in front of the car on which he was sitting. The top of his his head was cut off also one leg and one arm.

Lawton, Ok.: For the first time Twenty-five months ago a similar elec- each to earn provisions and clothes tion was held and resulted in the coun- during the fall and winter by picking ty going dry by eighty four majority, cotton. This tribe of Indians, like all the motto is "Work or strave."

a capital of \$808,571,075.

Z. T. Smith, constable in Lone Oak precinct, Hunt County, has resigned and J. W. Craddock was appointed in his place.

The report shows 68 births and 18 month of August

The commissioners' court has let the court house to Wm. Morton of Comanche for \$26,000.

The acting mayor of Dallas, Howard Ardrey, has vetoed the building tax ordinance, an ordinance that sought to collect a special tax upon all buildings for which permits were granted.

Sam Sparks of Bell County, formerly sheriff of the county and president d sense diplomacy exemplified by Presi. the Texas Sheriffs' Association, has andent Roosevelt. M. Witte is the same nounced that he will be a candidate

success of the conference was entirely road, has been chartered as a State

The Shah visited Czar Nicholas at More Americans have visited the Peteroff Saturday and was received

The large new gin of Walter Clog-

A Rome special cable says the Pope Petit's Hotel,, Jamacai, one of the fa- has withdrawn financial support from

#### FEVER STILL DECLINING. SCIENCE MASTERS SITUATION

#### Yellow Jack at Week's Be ginning.

New Orleans, Sept. 5 .- Official report to 6 p. m., Monday: New cases ......

reported yesterday is due in large part now believed that two more ships were to more physicians filing reports of lost with the entire crews. fever cases. The arrest of Dr. Berge, It is definitely learned that the sunkon a charge of failing to report cases is en schooner near Outer Island was the believed to have had its effect on oth- Pretoria, the largest sailing ship on ers who were only reporting severe fresh water. Five of her crew of ter cases, with the result that not only all were drowned by the capsizing of the cases of yellow fever were reported, yawl, in which the crew took refuge but many cases which were distinctly when the boat began to founder. The not yellow fever were put on the sus- five surviviors were rescued by the hepicious list.

town and the deceased was the only tants. native on the list.

the State Board, reported that many est new steel vessels were forced to country physicians were not reporting run for shelter in a more or less batter- title them to glowing oblinaries selmild cases of yellow fever.

Following are the reports. on Waveland plantation. Lake Providence-Three cases; one

St. Bernard Parish-One case nea slaughter house.

Jefferson Parish-Kenner, three

cases; two deaths. Hanson City-Four cases. McDonoughville-Three cases. Clark Chenire-Two deaths. Terre Bonne Parish-Moise settle-

ment, five cases. Belle Grove-Four cases. Ardoyne-One case. Crescent Farm-Four cases. Bayou Terre Bonne-One case, St. Charles Parish-St. Rose, seven

cases. Pecan Grove-Two cases. Prospect Plantation-One case. La Place-St. John, seven new cases

since last report. Amelia--Eight new cases. Boeuf-Two new cases. Gulfport-Five cases. Mississippi City-Two new cases. Vicksburg-Two cases.

#### The Way of the Transgressor.

Galveston: W. F. Witchow, a distributing clerk at the postoffice, was arrested Sunday midnight by Postoffice Inspector C. B. Anderson of Houston, charged with secreting and embezzling letters containing money and articles of value. For several months letters have been missing and the an thorities have had several inspectors son mailed three decoy letters from Houston, two of which contained montributed and delivered but the other

Suspicion rested on Witchow and bale, amounting to \$8 per bale. when arrested the two letters were found in his possession. There are 132 counts against him and the officers are still working on the case.

der a New Jersey charter, has been of the ill-fated ship. Of those for organized and is preparing to utilize whom they gave their lives, four are send electrical power into this city, open boat. estimated at 90,000 horse power. It is expected part of the new plant will be in operation this year.

## Prominent Hunt Countian Dead. Greenville: Mr. John D. Spurlock died Friday night at his home .n Jaco-

army during the entire war, and has homestead at Jacobia.

## Getting Ready for Business.

Tulsa, I. T.: St. Louis brewing interests, in anticipation of early statehood, are making their first steps in a campaign for business in Indian Territory, a company headed by two of the leading brewers of the Missouri town having purchased ground and machinery for a monster ice plant here. Work on the plant will commense this week and in three months it will be in operation. The capacity will be fifty tons a day.

## Youngest Professional Organist.

The youngest professional organist in the world is Kathleen Mills, who presides over the great organ in the Catholic church at Ongar, Essex, England. The regular organist falling ill, little Miss Mills took her place and skill on the instrument that all the found that a child of 11 years was

#### TERRIFIC STORM ON SUPERIOR.

#### Many Craft Driven to Destruction and Many Drowned.

Duluth, Minn.: Eighteen or twenty lives were lost and property valued at half a million dollars wes destroyed Deaths ..... 5 The gale was the most destructive to Kidney Pills. Total deaths ...... 292 lake shipping that has been experienc-New foci ...... 16 ed in many years. Besides the wreck Cases under treatment ....... 321 of the steetl steamer Sevonia, which The increased number of new cases en of the crew losing their lives; it is

role efforts of John Irvine, keeper of Of the deaths only one was up the Outer Island light, and his assis-

The storm reached the proportions ... Brady, the medical inspector of of a hurricane at times and the stanched condition. The new steel steamer Stackhouse arrived at the Soo on her Patterson-Nine cases; one death first trip with her hatch cover so bad ly spring that water poured continually into hold. One of the crew was washed overboard.

## LAST CHICKASAW LEGISLATURE

#### Indians Getting Ready for Tribal Dissolution.

Ardmore, I. T.: The Chickasaw Legday for the last time before the dissolution of the tribal government. The legislature organized by electing Martin Cheadle president of the Senate and W. T. Ward of Tishomingo, clerk. Former Speaker of the House C. H. Brown was elected to the same position. The governor's message will probably he read Tuesday. It is stated that he recommends the abolishment of the tribal tax and the removal of restrictions on the allenated lands of the Nation. The deed controversy with the Interior Department will also be reviewed by Governor Johnston.

It is unlikely that the financial affairs of the Nation will be investigated or the conduct of indicted ofexpress the utmost confidence and believe them getting of wrongdoing.

#### Money in Hay Crops.

Hillsboro: J. B. Payne, a progressive farmer, living about seven miles from houses are a troop of pygmies who here, has presented by his experience have a curious custom of shaving their an excellent object lesson on the pro eyelashes. After making their usual fits of raising hay in this county. From protest against being compelled to working on the case. Inspector Ander- a meadow of twelve acres he has cut bathe in warm water the pygmies, inthis season 1,000 bales of hay, worth at stead of shaving the stubble of beard least 30c per bale, amounting to \$25 from their faces as white men do, cut ey. The one without money was disper acre. He also cut 1,000 bales of off their eyelashes with the razor-like Hurrah grass hay from twenty-five edges of their tiny arrows. two failed to reach their destination. acres of oat stubble, worth 20c per

## Died for Others.

Bayfield, Wis.: Eleven of the crew City of Mexico: The Mexican-Ameri- night. Eleven others were rescued, incan Power Company, a Philadelphia cluding four women. Seven of the stock of \$10,000,000 gold, operating un- for the rest of the twenty on board er's wares. the water power of three rivers in the dead. The rest reached the shore af. er will be happiness and glory .- M. F. State of Mexico, near Toluca, and will ter a night of buffeting by waves in an Tupper.

> Distance oft lends enchantment to a man's view of his wife's mother. .

## Woman Accidentally Killed.

Huntsville: An unfortunate accidental shooting took place last Sunday bia, north of here. He was one of the afternoon, in which Mrs. Nancy Bean oldest and most prominent men in lost her life. She and her brother-in-Hunt County, coming from Tennessee law, Phil Bean, were near their home in 1860. He was in the Confederate shooting at squirrels when the gun was accidentally discharged taking effect been a leading citizen ever since. The in the woman's head, blowing off the funeral was had Saturday afternoon, whole top and causing instant death. and burial in the family lot on the At a preliminary trial Phil Bean was discharged.

> Panic sricken at the flash of flames when a lighted match was thrown into some gasoline on the bottom of the launch Ben-Hur Saturday night at the St. Clair Flats, Detroit, a number of passengers jumped overboard. Four of them were drowned.

> The number of persons injured by the bomb explosion on the marine parade at Barcelona, Spain, Sunday afternoon is now fixed at sixty. Only two women were killed. The police have failed to locate the culprits.

Reports from the Japanese army through Chinese sources report the soldiers as being gratified that peace has been arranged, but many of the higher officials, including the staff, express a desire to continue the war.

Phil Barrett, a well known character played for several Sundays with such of Ardmore died Sunday at South Mo-Alester. Deceased was addicted to the people were astonished when they drug habit which led to his death. He was at one time considered the fastest stenographer in the Southwest.

#### SENATOR SULLIVAN

#### Says He Has Found Doan's Kidney Pills Invaluable in Treating Sick

Kidneys. Hon. Timothy D. Sullivan of New York, Member of Congress from the Eighth New York District, and one of in the furious storm which swept over the Democratic leaders of New York Total to date ....... 2,082 Lake Superior Saturday and Sunday. State, strongly recommends Doan's



van writes:

"It is a pleasure to endorse a remedy like Doan's Kidney Pills, having found them of greatest value in eliminating the distress caused by sick

kidneys, and in

restoring those organs to a condition of health. My experience with your valuable remedy was equally as gratifying as that of several of my friends. Yours truly, (Signed) TIMOTHY D. SULLIVAN.

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price, 50 cents per box. The men who lives lives that en-

dom attract enough attention to get the obituary. YELLOW CRUST ON BABY

#### Would Crack Open and Scab Causing Terrible Itching-Cured by Cuticura

"Our baby had a yellow crust on his. head which I could not keep away. When I thought I had succeeded in getting his head clear, it would start islature convened at Tishomingo Mon- again by the crown of his head, crack and scale, and cause terrible itching. I then got Cuticura Soap and Ointment, washing the scalp with the soap and then applying the Ointment. A few treatments made a complete cure. I have advised a number of mothers to use Cuticura, when I have been asked about the same allment of their bables. Mrs. John Boyce, Pine Bush, N. Y.

#### Sedan Chair Still Used.

The good old Sedan chair is still in use in certain corners of the world. It is about the same kind of furniture that royalty used in Queen Elizabeth's days. Recently, during the Passion week, King Alfonso, of Spain, was carried around in a sedan chair just ficials inquired into. Leading members as the fine ladies were when all the world saw high society at Tunbridge Wells and Bath.

#### Habits of the Pygmles.

In one of the London amusement

## A Famous Picture.

Vienna is angry because Count Schoenbrun has sold Rembrandt's "Samof the Sevonia were drowned by the wreck of the steel steamer on Sand Isthe count's predecessors, who saw it being used in the market place as the concern, with an authorized capital dead offered their lives as a sacrifice canvas awning for a petty stall hold-

Duty is a prickly shrub, but its flow-

## OUST THE DEMON.

## A Tussle with Coffee.

There is something fairly demoniacal in the way coffee sometimes wreaks its flendish malice on those who use it.

A lady writing from Calif. says:-"My husband and I, both lovers of collee, suffered for some time from a very annoying form of nervousness, accompanied by most frightful head aches. In my own case there was eventually developed some sort of affection of the nerves leading from the spine to the head.

"I was unable to hold my head up straight, the tension of the nerves drew it to one side, causing me the most intense pain. We got no relief from medicine, and were puzzled as to what caused the trouble, until a friend suggested that possibly the coffee we drank had something to with it, and advised that we quit it

and try Postum Coffee. "We followed his advice, and from the day that we began to use Postum we both began to improve, and in a very short time both of us were entirely relieved. The nerves became steady once more, the headacher ceased, the muscles in the back of my neck relaxed, my head straightened up and the dreadful pain that had so punished me while I used the old kind

of coffee vanished. "We have never resumed the use of the old coffee, but relish our Postum every day as well as we did the beverage. And we are delighted to find that we can give it freely to our children also, something we never dared to do with the old kind of coffee." Name given by Pos-

tum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Postum Coffee contains absolutely no drugs of any kind, but relieves the coffee drinker from the old drug

## Star Gazing During September Month-Uranus and the Cluster of Twinklers

pear from view entirely, except in the

its moons will alone remain visible, as

The September Stars.

9 o'clock on any of the evenings of

September. If the observer will watch

the heavens for a few moments only

he will see that the groups toward the

west, or on the right side of the map,

are slowly setting while those on the

left are mounting higher and higher

in the sky and new groups, not shown

on the map, are rising in the east to

take their places. A watch of only

ten or fifteen minutes will make this

motion very evident. By 10 o'clock

the group Aries will be well up from

the ground in the east, while below

this, in the position occupied by Aries

in figure 1, will be seen the constella-

tion Taurus, with the beautiful Pleia-

des and Hyades. Between these two

groups a most striking star will at

spicuous object in the heavens.

A View of Uranus.

but also lecause it is in a very rich

region of the sky and is surrounded by

many beautiful objects which will well

repay examination. To make this

easier a part of figure 1 is shown on a

much larger scale in figure 2. This

figure is a map of the stars inclosed

within the square at the bottom of

figure 1. These may be very readily

for 1d on the sky by noticing that the

stars A, B, C. E, F and K are the same

on both maps. Below and to the right

of A. figure 2, will be seen a fourth

magnitude star DH; to the left of this

tude stars of which the middle one is

The observer will probably have no

difficulty in finding Uranus with the

help of figures 1 and 2, but when found

its appearance will probably disap-

point him. Its apparent diameter is

only four seconds-that is, it only ap-

pears to be about one-tenth as large

in diameter as Jupiter and therefore

in a small telescope it looks almost ex-

actly like a rather small greenish star.

Yet if the observer will compare the

planet with the other stars near it he

will soon notice a difference in the

character of its light or luster, while

if he has access to a telescope of four

or five inches aperture the little round

Has Dense Atmosphere.

the telescope only because it is so

enormously far away. Actually it is a

great world 32,000 miles in diameter,

but so great is its distance from us

that its light occupies two hours and

forty-seven minutes in making its long

journey to the earth, although light

travels more than 186,000 miles in one

second of time. The planet is sur-

rounded by a very dense atmosphere,

and indeed is very probably wholly

vaporized and at a high temperature.

Its density is still very low; a cubic

foot of Uranus would only weigh one-

fourth as much as a cubic foot of our

earth, and apparently many ages must

pass away as it shrinks together and

cools off before it can support any

form of life which we can conceive of.

Four Small Moons.

Uranus is attended by four small alty."

The planet is so inconspicuous in

disk will be very distinctly visible.

shown in figure 7.

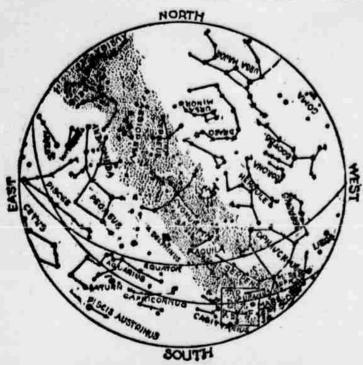


Fig. 1-The constellations at 9 p. m., Sept. 1.

It is the purely autumn constella- , them exactly edgewise they will disaptions which may be seen covering the face of the sky during the evenings of September. A last glimpse of the striking summer group Scorpio may still be had, but this constellation is rapidly sinking low down in the southwest and will soon disappear for another year. At the close of the month the Pleiades and the Hyades, the first of the winter stars, may be seen just above the ground in the east, telling us that summer is indeed over and that winter is at hand. Meanwhile it is the less striking but no less beautiful faint autumn groups which are

Directly overhead will be seen the brilliant Vega with the Northern Cross

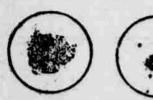


Fig. 2-The square in Fig. 1, cnlarged, showing the position of Uranus and Surrounding Stars.

on the east and the dencate little oval figure known as the Northern Crown to the west. Below the Northern Cross is the bright group Aquilla, or the Eag.e, while further south, at the point where the milky way meets the ground, is the large faint group Sagittarius, or the Archer. Arcturus, the largest star of the group Bootes, may still be seen driving the Great Bear in ceaseless flight before him in the northwest, while directly opposite him in the extreme southeast there is appearing for the first time this year magnificent Royal Star, Formal. there is a row of three sixth magni-

Mars Will Disappear.

The planet Mars is still conspicuous in the southwest, but it would disappear during the month were it not that it has already begun its very rapid eastward motion among the stars. It





Star clusters as they appear in a small telescope.

is now just above Antares, the flery red star which will be seen sitting in the extreme southwest, but during the nth it will move entirely out of the constellation Scorpio and well into the milky way. As will be seen from figure 1 it will by this time almost have overtaken the planet Uranus, which is itself moving very slowly toward the but it will not pass this body until Oct. 8 at 3 o'clock in the after

The beautiful planet Saturn, with its rings, is each evening being brought into more and more favorable position for observation. It is now in the southeast in the constellation Aquarius. It my be easily located on the brightest of the heavens,

h the single exception of Fomal-at, a reddish star which is much lower down near the ground. The earth is well above the plane of the rings, so that we now look down upon them and see them well opened out. The rings will continue to widen until Oct. 27, after which they will apparently begin slowly to grow narrower Their appearance will thus gradually change from that shown in figure 5 to a very narrow line, as shown in figure 6, and finally when we arrive in such a position that we view around the planet in only two and one half days, while the outer one requires only thirteen and one-half days in which to make the circuit. It will be remembered that our own moon goes around the earth in twenty-eight days. While a month on Uranus, reckoning by its nearest moon, is but two and one-half days long, the year, on the contrary, is eighty-four times as long as ours, for Uranus occupies eightyfour years in passing around the sun. Only an inhabitant who lived to be a good old age would therefore be privileged to see the four seasons, spring, summer, antumn and winter, on this planet.

On figure 2 there are shown a few of the interesting objects in this part of the sky. Each round dot of this figure represents a star, the size of the dots showing the comparative bright ness of the stars, while each triangular dot shows the position of a star cluster or nebula. Each double star is marked D, each triple star T, each red star R. and each variable star V. Star Clusters.

The clusters will well repay examination. Those at L, S and 2 are rather loose clusters, but are fine objects in a small telescope. Those at W, O and Q are densely crowded clusters of faint stars, the first being surrounded by a superb field of brighter stars. The two dots marked P are remarkable largest telescopes, and the planet with nebulas. The lower is an enormously extended nebulous cloud which is divided by black lanes into three parts and mixed up with a cluster of stars; Figure 1 shows all of the brighter the upper is the horseshoe nebula stars just as they appear in the sky at whose appearance in a large telescope is as shown in figure 3. In figure 4 are several star clusters as they appear in a small telescope; the first of these is the cluster at Q. figure 2.

The little dot marked X shows the point at which in 1604 a magnificent new star appeared and grew so rapidly in brightness that it soon far outshone every other star in the sky. It could even be easily seen in full daylight. It remained visible for two years, but it has now long since entirely disappeared.

Astor's "Stately Pleasure Dome." The London Mirror tells of the activities of our former fellow-citizen. Mr. W. W. Astor, in making a new home for himself in England. It seems that he has bought a property de-



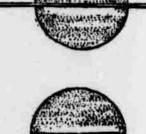


Fig. 5-Saturn as it appears now. Fig. 6-Saturn as it appears when the rings are seen nearly edgewise. Fig. 7-Saturn when the rings are turned edgewise toward us.

scribed as "the historic Hever estat in Kent," and is improving it.

It includes 2,000 acres of land and moated castle, nearly six hundred years old, where at one time Henry VIII maintained Anne of Cleves. On this estate Mr. Astor has put to work about one thousand men, with due ap paratus, and is making changes rated as improvements which the calculating natives estimate will cost him a million and a quarter pounds.

He is building a lake, a model village, roads, bridges and gardens, and is doubtless having a good deal of the sort of fun that Mr. Kipling in a recent story has suggested as a suitable recreation for tired Americans.

Turkish Title for American. The sultan of Turkey has conferred on Prof. Herman V. Hilprecht of Philadelphia, the Order of the Golden Laikkat. The order was founded by Abdul Hamid in 1890, and the degree is usually conferred upon victorious Turkish generals for "valor and loy-

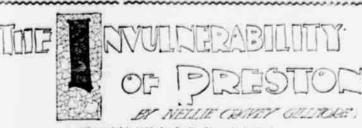
The Western Wife ······

She walked behind the lagging mules. That drew the breaker through the soil; Hers were the early rising toles. Hera were the eyes of wifely toll.

The smitten prairie blessoms fair, The sod-home fashed from the scene; Pirm gables met the whisp-ring air. Deep porches lent repose screne.

But with ring brow and snowy tress Bespenk the early days of srife; And there's the deeper wrought impress-The untold pathos of the wife.

O western mother! In thy praise No attist beints, for jost sings. But from the towary of days God's angels shape immortal wings! -Will Chamberlain in National Weekly,



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fe that nothing in the world could make you jealous about me. Don't you ibly shake his faith in her, he be love me enough?" she added wisted, conscientiously, that it was the fully That not the slightest thing ever happened, either before their ringe or after it, to interfere with conviction, may have had a great to do with its firmness. ton's opinion seemed, to himself, e based upon his own fine fidelity s wife's integrity; upon a concepthat was too liberal to descend to

On this same subject, Mrs. Preston ertained her own separate viewsunmixed with considerable doubt. the doubt rankled. Finally, it as ed such proportions, that she set at evolving a means of experiment reby she could ascertain a soluthat would be entirely satisfac-In doing this, there were a great by things she failed to consider at as offset by the one passion to cover whether her husband was lly so invulnerable as he imagined

One morning, she went into her dy with a determined plan in view. tore up half a dozen sheets of er before she finally managed a er to her satisfaction. It ran as fol-

Mr. J. H. Preston, New York City, car Sir:-Heed a friend's disintered and well-meant advice and keep sharp eye on your wife. A great any more things than this might be ald, but a word to the wise, etc." "Observer."

She made a careful type copy of the bove, sealed and clicked off the adress to her husband's postoffice box. Then she locked her desk, pinned on her hat and went hurriedly out into the street, walking with a sort of guilty, nervous haste till she reached a mail box. Dropping it in quickly, she reversed her steps with mo leisure and returned at once to her sittingroom and study.

When Preston came in, half an hour later, his wife was industriously engaged upon her correspondence.

"Care about going out to the races this afternoon?" he asked after a little, idly fingering the pages of a maga-

Mrs Preston hesitated a moment, It took a good deal of will power to re-sist, but she made up her mind and must play the part she had set her-

"I am very sorry," she replied, studfedly, "but some friends have invited me to go automobiling, and-" she

paused. "Some friends?" "Yes; the Kelbys, you know."

"I know, of course. But-

"Well?" "Well, it seems that you aiways

have something else on hand when a ask you to go anywhere." "Purely a coincidence. Experience

should teach you that I'd far rather go with you. "Then break this engagement and

come with me," he pleaded. "Impossible. It would spoil the party, and I couldn't take such a responsibility on my shoulders." Preston colored, crossing his knees



With a sort of nervous, guilty haste with a sudden gesture of petulance. His wife watched him closely for several seconds, through contracted lashes. "Looking at you now," she remarked laughingly, "one would actually suppose you to be jealous."
"That is utter nonsense."

"Being jealous?" she hazarded.

"Certainly. After an instant's reflection, Mrs. Preston rose, and coming over to went through them.

Yes, the anonymeus letter was there; it had been opened and read, then—and ignored!

"Jack," she began in a queer little All at once the door opened and

When Jack Preston once said to his | tone, "isn't there anything that could

"I love you too much, that is it," he responded swiftly.

"Of course we've argued all this before-and always with the self-same

"That possibly you had grown more

-human. "I hope I have not grown more nar-

"Suppose," she ventured, tentative



"Jack!"

ly, after a pause, "that you-that some one were to tell you-that you were just to find out-

"Ridiculous!" he brusquely interposed. "Do you suppose that I am capable of allowing any one to tails

"Oh, no. Only-these things sometimes happen without our being exactly able to prevent them."

Preston reached up suddenly and drew her down to his knee. "My dear little woman," he deprecated gravely. 'my ears were made to hear only your praises. My eyes, for your virtues alone."

"Jack! How gallant you are. And what a silly you must think I am.' Dinner was announced at this juncand at the conclusion

meal. Preston returned to his office. When he had disappeared down the wide avenue, Mrs. Preston ran upstairs as fast as she could and threw herself, face-down, on a sofa in her bedroom and burst into a storm of sobs. What a little fool she had been, to be sure, to tamper with her husband's faith in so ignominious a manner. But it was too late to draw back now. Confession would only serve to brand her as a simpleton, and somehow, the idea of turning the whole thing into a joke, appeared aimost ghastly in its farcical aspect. There was but one thing left to do.

-James Conner Roach in her focks.

If go an' slug him in de jaw, but it wouldn't be just square.

He'd make a heef, an' call a cop, if I jist mussed his nit.

He ain't bred right; he wouldn't fight; he solly list a slob.

Me mader sez when he just square.

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stick it out she did. The next morning at breakfast Preston greeted her as usual. There were no constrained silences; no forced gayety to h'de any inward emotion. At dinner it was just the same. At the transfer of authority were marred by opera that night, and again in the

and that was to stick it out. So.

Mrs. Preston had begun to hope and the campus in honor of the event. thank heaven in the hope that her husband had never received that letter. She did as she pleased, went where she pleased and remained away as long as she felt disposed to, and all without question or explanation. Her husband was always the same.

But the strain had commenced to tell upon her. On more than one occasion she was on the point of blurting out the whole thing, but prudence held her back. And so the days

One morning Preston announced his ntention of going duck hunting. Mrs. Preston watched him feverishly, as he made a few hasty preparations, exchanging his coat for a shooting jacket, and the soft gray Alpine for a riding cap.

When the last echo of the horse's hoofs had died away, she went back to the Sunday morning service at his her husband's dressing room with a beating heart. It was the work of a minute to empty the pockets of his coat. There were several letters, some memoranda and a box of matches.

Mrs. Preston examined letter after letter with eager eyes, her fingers trembling beyond resistance as she

All at once the door opened and was speaking to God."

closed and Preston himself came quickly into the room

I forgot my ammunition-the most important thing-" he began, then stopped short in the middle of the

"Jack!" He answered her with a surprised look, taking in the situation at a

"I found this letter," she said, cold-

ly. "What do you think of it?" he asked, "What do I think of it?" he asked, coming closer. "Why-I haven't really thought much about it." He smiled. 'Then you care so little-"

"Things of that sort have a way of not worrying me much, Kitty." He took the letter from her hand as he spoke, and held it up so that the light could shine through. "Did you exam-ing the water mark on this?" he asked, giving her cheek a playful pinch

Mrs. Presson felt her heart lurch and tears of versition erowd, amorting o her eyes. "We haven't a corner on cationery, have we, Jack " she asked with a lame attempt at indignation. But Preston shook his head and

And Mrs. Preston is still at sea.

#### QUESTION HE OBJECTED TO.

Victim of Cyclone Would Answer All but One.

"Yes," replied the man from Arkan-sas when asked if he had ever ex-But I had commenced to perienced any cyclones in his locality, Eve been through a cyclone or two, and I don't hanker after any more."

"Can you give us any particulars about them?" was asked.

Why, yes, a few. When the last cyclone came along I was out in the field plowing with a four-mewl team. I started to run for cover, but I had not gone more'n four rods when the wind picked me up, and the next thing I knew I was astride of the back of one of them mewls, and we were both in a tree top, 50 feet above the ground. The handles had been twisted out of the plow and driven right through the trunk of the tree and one of the other mewls was hanging to them by his

"That was a queer thing. And so you were left in the tree top?"

"And-and-"

"That's all."

"But I want to ask you-"

"I don't care to say anything more." "But look here," said the questioner, You were blown into a tree top along with a mule and-" "Please don't press me sir."

"But can't I ask you how you got

"Oh, yes, you can ask that and welcome, and I'll answer you that some fellers came along and chopped the tree down. I thought you was going to ask me if the wind blew my hatband off and if I ever recovered it again, and that's a question I hain't going to answer for anybody."-Cleve-

land Plain Dealer.

Dey call me Bags. I spose de're right;
I ain't dressed up. Ye see
Dat guy dere wid his fine togs on, he
wouldn't play wid me.
His dad tuns a policy shop; and my dad
played his game.
An' wot he done t' my old man I tell
ys wuz a shame.
Me mudder said afore dad died he earn't
two bucks a day.
An' dat guy's cad, me mudder sez, got
most of my dad's pay.

When my pap died, me mudder sez, she
went to des guy's dad.
An' wot he said to help her troo just med
me mudder sad.
Dad's faineral root fifty bucks; now mudder scrube all day
T' git de stuff to pay his Nobs, wet tuk T git de stiff to pay his Nobs, wet tuk me dad away. When I git big chuff to shine, I'll get a shiner's box! I'll work from das light down t' dark, an' I'll give mam de rocks.

-James Conner Roach in New York Sun.

When Hadley's Reign Began, A few years ago, when Timothy Dwight was succeeded as president of Yale university by Arthur T. Hadley, the exercises attendant upon the a heavy fall of rain, which drenched

the column of people moving across

President Dwight and Prof. Hadley, the former old and bent and gray, and the latter comparatively young. erect and strong, were at the head of the column, walking arm in arm. Some one handed the couple an umbrella, and Prof. Hadley was about to open it, when the older man, who is noted for his kindly heart and witty remarks, as well as for his profound learning, took it from his hands and said, as he unfolded it and placed it over their heads:

"Let me carry it, professor. Your reign will begin to-morrow."

Whom Dr. Reed Was Addressing. The late Thomas B. Reed told the writer the following story:

Dr. Reed of Indianapolis, who was in Congress at one time, was opening church with the usual prayer. While he was in the midst of the prayer a stranger entered the church and took a seat far back.

Dr. Reed was praying in a low voice, and the man in the rear, after straining his ears for a while, called out: "Pray louder, Dr. Reed; I can't hear

Dr. Reed pauseo, opened his eyes, and turned them around till they restsaid: "I was not addressing you; I

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from the east.

The hammer and saw are making every respect.

some ristons demonstrations in Japan institution in which the people of this when the news of the peace terms community will have reason to feel with Phasels remained the people, proud.-Knox County News. However, when the officials explains It is understood that Mr. J. L. Jones ed to them that Japan and gotten will be the president of the bank. motediminate contended for at the beginning of the war and that as a civilized country size could not afford. to continue the war and sacrifice many lives merely to force Hossia to pay a What or peased.

#### Making the Platform

properties to the when the pear dillon of the cotton crop by states? Depreciatic profession is made it will be made to be observed. The people. Starewill moles it and they win then ascer- Texas. its indirections. If it common is the Alabama..... employment of allocationin convicts on Mississippi purfection the public routs by arrant Arkinsis... of the Leg-Stature. If it denomices Louisiana....... diagnosting practice. If it enjoins off. Indian territory ..... 80 Legislature will pass a law against Oklahoma.... public servants. For the matters Missouri....... mands being ignored heretomre. And so the agitation of which organs complain will iso have been in vain.- Finding health is like finding mon-

people. If they want certain policies, throat or chest irritation, better act tograph by differences in degree of carried out in state affairs, or certain promptly like W. C. Barner, of Sandy laws enacted, they can have them by be chest trouble, caused by smoke instructing men delegates from the and coal dust on my lungs; but after precinct primaries on up to the state finding no relief in other remedies, I convention as to what they want in was cured by Dr. King's New Discovsuch policies and for legislators to rell's Drug Store; 50c and \$1.00; guarenact the laws desired by them see anteed. Trial bottle free, that they, the people, are taking such direct personal interest in the matters of state government they, the officers Texas Organization Fixes Minimum and legislators, will not dare to ignore or temporize with their instructions:

earnestness and sincerity of the demands of the people, as expressed in He informs the Record correspondent their platform, and decide to pursue that the committee has recommended their own inclinations or interests, let to the farmers a minimum price of H the people keep tract of them to the cents for this season's colton crop, end that they may set them aside when another election comes around cooperation in maintaining this price. and put others in their places. A very The union states that it reserves the few such lessons as this with the ser- right to revise this recommendation tainty that the people are attending to as the gathering of the crop proceeds their business and watching them will work a most beneficial change. probably be increased. It is also the only way for the people to get what they want, regardless of what party may be in power, for no To THE FREE PRESS: matter how correct and beneficent the principles of any party may be, there will always be found self serving men pushing themselves to the front in it-as there are in the churches, lodges or organizations of whatsoeverkind, and eternal vigilance one time and it looked like it was goand prompt rebuke alone will hold ing to be almost a total failure, but them in check

What the News suggests in the item quoted from it is an adaptation or application to state affairs of Mr. Bryan's plan now being carried out for the organization of the Democratic party for the fermation of the next national platform and for the conduct of the campaign. If the people raily to this plan in state and nation they will win and they will have good and honest government.

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BANK ORGANIZATION.

Mr. Josse L. Jones came over from Haskell Monday and met a large number of those who had subscribed stock to the Knex City bank. An and these named in it are Jesse L. country Entered at the Post Office at Haskell, Texas as Jones, R. W. Warren, J. A. Wood, second—class—sall—serres R. L. Jahnson, M. A. Cliffon and Jun. R. L. Johnson, M. A. Clifton and Juo. half-visited in Jones county last week W. Smith, which has been to warded and returned home Sunday. to the Comptroller of the Currency at Washington.

A pard of directors was also selected, consisting of the following well-J. W. D. Davis, W. M. Sandlier, C. A. nesday Benedict, R. D. troree, W. A. Bettis Dollars planted in Huskell county and R. R. Travis-

directors that the bank will be placed in safe hamis. They are all men who

in course of erection and others being days to go through the regular forms week. We hope he will have no furrequired by the Government before than trouble. the bank can be opened for business. There was more dissafisme from and But when it does open, it will be an erell, a boy.

#### GOVERNMENT COTTON ESTIMATE.

money indemnity, they were some cotton report of the department of first steam wagon into the town. Lay agriculture issued at noon to day is as on McDuff!

The crop estimating board of the Demogratic convention meets and of agriculture finds from the reports brother Mr. Frank Goff of this place. solemnly builds a platform they will of the correspondents and agents of have to put loss of grease on it if they | the bureau that the average condition get the people to swallow it. The of cotion on Aug. 25 was 72.1, as compossible are given as some embars pared with 74.9 July 25, 1905; 84.1 ten-year average of 78

The hope is, and it may be said the. The following table shows the con-

### Like Finding Money.

ey-so fullik those who are sick. That is it exactly. It rests with the When you have a cough, cold, sore of color, which are seen in the pho-Colds " Greatest sale of any cough or cold medicine in the world. At Ter-

### FARMERS' UNION ACTS.

Price of Stable at Il Cents.

Paris, Texas, Sept. 5-(Special.)-But should some of them doubt the President E. A. Calvin of th Farmers' union has returned from a meeting of the executive committee at Greenville. Circulars have been sent to all organizations in other states asking their and if the present poor conditions continue the minimum price will

### CARNEY CLIPPINGS.

Feed is about all saved in this section and corn will soon be dry enough

Cotton is improving some and with favorable weather from now on we think a fair crop will be mabe. The hot winds almost ruined the crop; at the weather has been favorable for some days and an improvement is quite noticeable, which it is hoped will continue.

The new gin is almost completed.

Rock is being hauled to build the furnace and if there is no hindrance it will be running on full time soon, which fact will be appreciated by the farmers in this neighborhood.

Mr. R. E. Yarborough and family who have been visiting on the plains have returned home and R. E. Reports fine crops out there this year.

Mr. K. J. Wright and wife visited

in the Pinkerton neighborhood Saturday and Sunday last.

A Mr. Barker and wife of Comanche county, old time friends of Mr. J. F and wife, paid them a short visit last applies on for a charter was prepared week on their return from the plains

Mr. John Jackson and his better

Enler H. S. Hatchitt and son Boyce made a business trip to Munday last

known citizens; Jesse L. Jones, M. A. A number of our people attended t Brong, M. A. Lowery, R. L. Johnson, the barbeone at Benjamin last Wed-

The Lake Creek Raptist association will meet at Knox City on Thursday, It will be seen from the above list of Sept. 7, and continue until Sunday.

Little Tommie Mancill who has been oslines thes week it is for a road have made their own business a suc- confined in Stamford some four weeks cess and are conservative and sare in on account of a dislocated hip, has so far recovered that he will probably be It will probably require about 40 brought home the latter part of this

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Pick-

The health of this community is

Haskell has been going after a railroad for ten years or more and at last seems to have the railroad builders aroused to an extent that it appears probable there will be a race between Washington, Sept. 5.-The monthly | two of them as to which shall run the

Mrs. M. L. McCabe and daughter Bronson Bulletin: When the next bureau of statistics of the department of Throckmorton, are visiting her

Miss Gladys des Landes of Throckmorton is visiting" Misses Eula and Alice Poole. She was accomusated over on Tuesday by Mrs. Doss Tharp rassing questions about what became Aug. 25, 1964; 81.2 Aug. 25, 1968, and a and Miss Edna Mills who returned home the next day.

#### ... SPECTRUM OF LIGHTNING.

1905. Average Photographs Successfully Obtained Show ing the Divisions of Colors. Prof. E. C. Pickering, the director or

the Harvard Observatory, announces

what are said to be the first successful

experiments in photographing the spectrum of lightning, that is, the divisions of colors which combine to produce the white glare of the lightning flash and which offer the physteist his opportunity to analyze the elements that compose it. The photographs, three in number were obtained by J. H. Freeze of Harvard at the observatory last summer, with the same apparatus that is used in photographing the spectra of the stars. This apparatus consists of an eight-inch or eleven-inch telescope with a camera at one end and a prism at the other, the atter being placed in front of the objective lens so as to break up the object photographed into parallel bands black and white. The scientific value of these spectra arises from the fact that the various elements of the atmosphere, as well as the various elements of solid bodies under the influ- ciaries of our deceased members ty all stars, produces a sories of well- Texas in 1904 was 31 cents per marked lines quite different from those made by the element of iron, for example, found in some, but not in all, stellar spectra. The photograph of a 750 men and women agree to star spectrum is not so much the photograph of the star as of the luminous vapor immediately surrounding it. from which it is possible to deduce the constitution of the burning mass of the star itself. The hydrogen lines of the lightning spectra obtained are to you, we entrent every one to found to be very much like those shown by the spectra of "new" stars, except, of course, that they indicate no son shows that the hydrogen lines of a lightning flash that illuminated the whole heavens correspond exactly with flash of lightning produced artificially in a tube or in the con arr.-Western Electrician.

The Origin of the Aquiline Nose. Dr. Louis Robinson has developed an ingenious hypothesis to account for the evolution of the aquiline nose, which, considering the organ entirely from its relation to the voice, he regards as its highest type. He contends that while primitive man was strug-gling towards civilization that by voice he could alone exercise influence and that as a consequence a sonorous voice became of great importance to the aspiring and ambitious, who, by reason of this superiority in the struggle for existence, were able to maintain themselves and eventually prothe North American Indians, the Maoris and the Zuius as being large-nosed, warlike and oratorical people, and further remarks that in the skulls in the British Museum the hollow sounding chamber in the upper jawbone, known as the antrum, is always of greater capacity in the skulls of short-nosed people than in these where tais organ is of large dimensions. supplies in a measure the resonance afforded by the passages of a large nose, and that with the increase of the former there is a decrease of latter, and vice versa, but that oratorical purposes a nose voice is better than a cheek voice.—Philadelbetter than a check voi



Organized to pretect families in case of death. The Haskell County Home Circle Society of Texas, No. 121, was organized June 29th, 1905, at Haskell, Texas, by S. G. Castles of Anson, Texas, with 25 signers to charter list, the following officers were duly elected: R. E. Sherrill, président: R. C. Montgomery, vice-president: J. W. Meadors, secretary; W. E. Sherrill, Treasurer. Trustees, Jno. B. Baker, D. B. English and W. L. Hills. The Home Circle is a fraternal insurance society, with a cash fund in a home bank, created for immediate relief among our home people in case of death, a Texas institution chartered by the State of Texas, the 10th of July 1900. for fifty years. Each council is limited to 750 members, male and female, and the insurance not to exceed \$750.00. Death claims can be paid in two hours: one was paid in Cuero, Texas, in 20 minutes. Age limit 18 to 60 years, but applicant must be 18 to 60 years, and applicant must e in good health. It costs \$3.25 o join the Home Circle, which mount includes the first death ssessment of \$1.00, and then o more until there is a death in our council. The annual dues innot exceed 85 cents per year; ies will be collected with first ath each year, but if no death mes to a council during any lendar year, no dues will be lected that year. The Secrery, Treasurer, Organizer and scal Solicitors are under good ands and the beneficiary money on deposit in the Farmers National Bank of Haskell, Texas.

The Home Circle of Texas has made a record of which we are proud, it is nearly five years old and has 121 councils, with 25,-000 members in Texas. We had only 201 deaths during the year of 1904 and paid to the benefifound in the spectra of near- average cost to each member in month or \$3.72 per year. In the Home Circle we help each other: stand by each other's families in death, to help the grief-stricken and bereft to the amount of \$1.00 each. Reader, this applies join the Haskell County Circle at once and thus help to build up solid body. An interesting compari- an institution in your midst beneficial to the community by those of a small quarter-of-an-inch and giving immediate relief in case of death, at the time most needed. Rerder, sickness and death is in the land, your loved ones are looking to you for protection; now is the time to join and induce your friends to do likewise; give your application now, tomorrow may be too late, procrastination is the thief of

> time. Husbands, give your wife's apolication and make the protection mutual. I hope to be able to fill this Circle to 750 members in the next 90 days. The followthorized solicitors: Jno. Baker, J. W. Meadors and S. R. Ramsey. Fraternally.

S. G. CASTLES, State Organizer.



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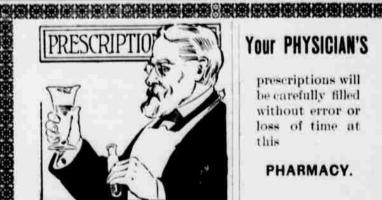
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Fresh barrell pickles at Williams'.

Mrs. J. L. Jones was expected home last night from Abilene.

Sow turnips.

Master Pres Baldwin left Tuesday for Waco, Where he will spend another term at the Texas Christian University.

Master Chess Neathery left la Sunday to attend Arlington College. For promptness of delivery of goods,

If you want a good suit of clothing the Racket Store ad this week will interest you.

remember 'phone No. 9 leads.

Dr. C. E. Terrell made a business trip to Stamford this week.

Mr. H. Warnock was trading in town Tuesday.

School books at Colliers, for cash For sorghum and millet seed see

W. W. Fields & Bro. Mr. J. E. Garren, one of the most successful farmers of the southwest part of the county, was doing business

in town Tuesday. Mr. John Thomason left Wednesday on a trip to Brownwood.

Messrs. S. W. Scott and G. R. Couch, cashier of the Haskell National bank, made a business trip in the Panhandle this week.

Mr. J. W. McCarty, late of Floydada, is clerking at Dr. Terrell's drug

Prof. C. M. Porter left Friday for Orange, Texas, where he has accepted the position of principal of the public

Dr. J. E. Lindsey of Abileue came in Thursday, His many Haskell friends are always pleased to see him.

Keep your eye on Williams-always something new.

Get a cooked roast for dinner at the Marsh & Brooks market.

Sheriff D. C. Burks of Bell county was in Haskell Monday.

Mr. J. E. Carter, one of the staunch citizens of the southwest part of the county, was doing business in the county capital Monday.

Mr. W. M. Sager, a prominent citizen of Sager, one of the towns to be

I have purchased an intesest in the Keister Grocery Co. and I take this rain. method of inviting my friends to call on us for anything in the grocery or feed line. We will appreciate your E. V.Griffin.

Well seasoned, juicy roasts, hot and ready for dinner, at Marsh & Brook's.

Inspector W. P. Clark of Munday had business in Haskell Wednesday.

Mr. Alva Couch and sister, Misresume their studies at Baylor University.

Mr. S. S. Cummings went to St. Louis the latter part of last week with a shipment of cattle, starting from Seymour.

When in need of groceries remember phone No. 9-always fresh.

Mr. Henry Alexauder returned Wednesday night from a visit to his wife at Galesberg, Illinois, who is visiting her parents.

Messrs. Mallow of Vernon and Higler are here buying cattle.

Mrs. W. L. Hills and children are visiting relatives at Eliasville.

Three new residences are going up in Haskell. Mr. Jno. E. Robertson is thilding on the west side; Mr. Mo van in the northeast part of town and Mr. Jno. B. Baker on the east side, just across the street from Mr. Rupe's place.

Mr. M. A. Clifton of the northern part of the county, and who is prominent in the county Farmers Union, returned Monday from Gainesville where he attended a meeting of the state executive committee of the Union.

Mr. J. O. Miller of Fulibright, Red River county, who was here last winter looking at the country, is here again this week visiting the new and prospective towns in the county with a view to making a permanent locasion.

The friends of Mr. N. C. Smith and family will regret to learn of the death of Mr. Dan Warren, which ocin the hope of recovering his health, being a sufferer from consumption. His wife, formerly Miss Lila Smith, and his sister, Miss Irene Warren were with him. A child was born to Mrs. Warren on the day that her hus-

Mrs. W. G. Williams returned hursday evening from Mineral

Full-blood, single comb Brown Leghorn chickens for sale. Call at J. B. Hash's store Sept. 15. E. I. Chatwell.

Mr. F. C. Wilfong has had a gang of road workers out several days this week clearing some of the streets of brush and other obstructions. We hope to see the grading machine, which we understand has been purchased, put to work on some of them. as it is badly needed, especially in wet weather

Rev. C. A. Mangum requests us to announce that he will preach at Rule on the third Saturday and Sunday in this month, at 11 a. m. and at night on both dates.

FARM FOR SALE: Good, black, sandy land farm on the Orient railroad grade, east of Marcy. 120 acres in cultivation, 80 acres in grass; a three room house, 14 foot dugout, cribs and lots, good well of water and windmill. Price \$20 per acre, onehalf cash and balance in one and two A. M. CAROTHERS, Marcy, Texas.

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Mr. G. W. Pilley of the west side was in town Thursday and said that cotton in his neigeborhood was suffering for rain and would be benefited by it. It got it in good shape that night.

Miss Pearl Grissom and Miss Mills, who has been visiting her, left Sunday to attend the Texas Christian Unyersity at Waco.

Barrel pickies, both sour and sweet, 1905 pack, at Williams'.

Rains fell in different parts of the county several days this week until Thursday night, when a general rain set in and continued for several hours. At town the precipitation measured 1.27 inches, which under existing conditions and at this time of year, was sufficient to put a pretty thorough season in the ground. It will furnish sufficient moisture to finish up the late feed crops and produce a good growth of grass on the ranges. Experience in this section also teaches that there is yet time for cotton to put on and mature from one-third to one-half bale per acre, and as the worms have disappeared there seems no reason why we should not expect such a crop. Late Friday evening on the Orient, was in Haskell Monday. there is heavy thunder, thickening clouds and every indication of more

> Governor Lanham has tendered to Judge H. G. McCennell of this place an appointment as a delegate from Texas to the farmers' national congress to be held at Richmond, Va., beginning Sept. 12th.

An interesting and instructive article on the position of the planets and stella constellations during this month Mr. A. T. Crews recently returned will be found on our third page this from a visit to his old home in Ten-pressee. It is written so as to be intel-pressee.

Mr. Rube Bowman of Wild Horse Florence, left Monday for Waco to prairie was in town yesterday and told the reporter that the late or young cotton was doing all right in his section of the county.

Miss Dulin Fields returned Thursday from Munday, where she has been visiting friends for a week or so.

## SCHOOL TO BEGIN.

School will begin in the new school building on Monday, Sept. 18. There will be a private term of six weeks at the beginning and at the close of the private term the public term will begin.

It is urged that all the parents send their children at the beginning of the rivate term so that no time will be ost and no pupil will have to be placed in a lower grade at the beginning of the public term. If it isn't convenient for you to pay now, you can pay the tuition of the private term later during the school year. Let no parent keep the child from the private term because at the present time he is unable to pay.

We have also to state that an extra grade has been added to the course of study and the work when completed in the eleventh grade will prepare the pupil for the Freshman Class in any college or university in the state.

The board and teachers ask for the hearty cooperation of all the parents in this year's work and, having their support, there is no reason why this school year shouldn't be the pride of all Haskell. F. L. MORROW,

## THE RAILROAD.

The Haskell committee received a phone message Wednesday evening from Major Beardsley's private secradeath of Mr. Dan Warren, which oc-curred at Colorado City, Colorado, on ry at Abilene stating that a telegram had been received from Major Beardsley saying that he had completed his financial arrangements for building the road to Haskell and that he would arrive at Abliene Thursday night and take up the work at once, and the secretary was instructed to so notify the Haskell committee.

## OUR 15th ANNUAL ANNOUNCEMENT

With a good, liberal trade in view for the fall season, we have secured the largest and most desirable stock of general merchandise ever brought to Haskell, our aim being to meet every demand of the increasing trade of this section, and we invite you to an inspection of it with full confidence that we can supply the wishes of all with goods that will meet their approval as to

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# C. M. HUNT & CO.

Always to the front and up with the times, Alexander Mercautile Co. are making another important extension of their Haskell business. They their store on the east, which is 24x60 Wyman's residence and Mrs. Wyman feet, and will move their stock of groceries into it from the extension in the rear of their main building and add to it so as to make it the largest and most complete stock of groceries in the town. This also means an enlargement of their aiready large stock of dry goods and general mer-chandise, as the space now occupied with groceries will be filled with dry

During a thunder storm about seven o'clock Wednesday evening Claudis Walden was severely shocked by a bolt of lightning and was in a serious condition for several hours. He was have leased the building adjoining sitting near an open window at Mr. was sitting near him when the flash of lightening occured, but she was only alightly affected by it.

> Sheriff, J. W. Collins left yesterday morning with Tom Turner, who was adjudged insane some time ago, and who he will deliver to the asylum at

> Mr. W. O. Orr of Carney was here yesterday on his return from a trip to Baird.

Mr. D. W. Fields of the Marcy country was in town yesterday and said his neighborhood was full of prospectors and land buyers.

If you are going to have to buy feed in any quantity, be sure to see us before buying. We will carry a full line of feed stuffs and make you very close prices. W. W. Fields &

Miss Lucretia Dickenson visited friends in town several days this

Miss Frankie Terrell left Wednesday to enter the Texas Christian University at Waco.

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may, by little application, and by taking advantage of the chances to inform himself, soon become a good scholar or improve in his trade.

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## Manx Laws Seem Strange

Man Every Woman Entitled unled from the waist apward.

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three two hours, and to be whipped

to Note at Elections for Members of the House of Keys.

Many deemsters—the high court induces—are still sworn, as they have been for hurdreds of years, by the fol-Deputies to least is the code of laws lowing curious cath: By this book at the last of Man. The laws of Eng. and the contents thereof, and by the has see sever prevalled there and wonderful works that God hath mirupon once of forfeiture of their goods friendship, loss or gain, consanguinity of lumber monthly. and bodies to prison." Another enact for affinity, envy or malice, execute the working he communded furth of this and party as indifferently as the heran may be (1501). The first of these of the fish. So help me God and the

raids on the Main const by a Galloway. Every woman, widow or spinster in if desired may be edged with ribbons waver wanted MacCullock. It is said the Isle of Man, whether she be owner. of the same color, but many simply put what a was at this period that the complex or even lodger, enjoys the a drawing string through the bottom Mark spatch originated of "enting the franchise for the Manx House of Keys ment when they supped the bruth, elections. Every widow enjoys half and tie about the neck, the veil usuallest then should be deprived of the of her husband's personal estate and ly being fastened over a large hat. more anotherial part by the appear- has a life interest in his real estate, gree at their doors of this Secondarian and she cannot be deprived of this by and his tree. About this time the will. Her written consent must be obmarried cherks more ordered to stand tained to all transfers and deeds af-Size and while and beat all the doggs," the other hand, no married woman Duetry the apportments sentury a law lean legally own in her own right nate that "absorption shall be either money or property in the Isle

#### Prime Causes of Suicide bey Pills cured her.

in Shaping Conduct of Those frequently blameworthy, Who Are Tired of Life.

But nothing it cores than that work as other individuals do. is the primal condition of health and . Our civilization, economically, is the love of life. It is the condition, largely a device of the cunning and and the minerables. The attitude of stors -American Medicine,

Avoidance of Physical Labor, It is the fushionable doctors who minister Declared, is a Large Factor to this unspeakable class is not inoften encouraged by our rest cures. our flatteries and attentions.

Throughout the literature of suicide. The effort to escape from drudgery one will find that the attitude toward is as old as civilization and as ancient. The framework to dive the dread of study the problem of putting the natheirs forced to work after a period of tive African negroes to useful work Science, the man desire to get money finds that they simply will not work. by triangly and marking desires, the Those among the Canadian Doukhoaccorn with wards, manual labor is bors who would work found that the personal by He "successful," is em- instituters and lastes were about half, phasing in the dates of the newly and they preferred to live out of the rich less the collectly poor, and who common treasury supplied by the then defin evenue into the enuners morkers-uptil the latter determined and like on pendery and police begins abolish the common treasury and to receive and spend their own wages

the fastletable the "patient" the the lary to establish a common treaswoman frond from measuring and any. The failure of democracy" is duties, that are the consummentary largely the failure to outwit the trick-

## Young Doctor's Bad Break

Imitation of the Manners and Most Serious Trouble.

Mary A. Livermore was fond of Seiling the following story:

the medical profession were not so three times daily." mumerous as now, there fived in one Both doctors then left, and the of the suburbs near Boston a physi- younger man was the next day alone cian who isd a large practice. Dr. X. when a call came for Dr. X. The Stually bired a younger and less ex-young man responded. He went into periomened man to help him and look the sick room and took the pulse of out for the less strious cases. The the patient, a man, younger man was still a student, and was the companion of Dr. X.

One day the elder of the two turned no his subordinate and said: "Henry, horse!" you had better come with me to-morrow. I've got to visit old Mrs. Mar- "what do you mean?" shall, and if you get a call from her Safer in the week you'll know what to You'd better change your diet."

So together they visited the patient, man in a rage. "I sent for a doctor, togs? a sufferer from intestinal trouble.

Very sick lady, I should say," said Methods of His More Expert. Dr X, catching her wrist. What have enced Friend Got Youth Into You been eating lately-lobster, ch!" that how in the world could you know?" naked the lady in surprise.

"Why, by the shells at the bedside, Stop all food of that description, and Years ago, when the members of change the diet. Take this medicine

Very sick, indeed," said Dr. Henry, with a professional air. "What have you been eating? Ah! too much

"Horse! Horse!" cried the patient;

"I saw the harness on the floor! "Get out of my house!" cried the old

not a foo!!"

Hunt's Cure.

FEVER'S AFTER EFFECTS

Did Not Disappear Until the Blood Was Renewed by Dr. Williams'

Typhoid fever is sometimes called ner yous fever. During the course of the fever the nerves are always profoundly disturbed, and when it is over they are left so sensitive that the patient has to be guarded against all excitement. In the tonic treatment then demanded, regard must be paid not only to building up flesh but also to strengthening the nerves. A remedy that will do both, make sound repair waste and give new vigor to feeble nerves, is the most convenient last of the fugitive stegomyla. Conand economical. Such a remedy is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

One proof of this is the experience of Mr. Charles Worth, of East Vassalboro, Maine. He says: "I had a severe at-tack of typhoid fever late in the full which left me very weak and debilitated.

My heart pulpitated, my breathing beame difficult after the least exertion and there was numbress in both hands. suffered in that way for fully six months As I did not grow out of it, did not in fact see the slightest improvement as time passed, I decided to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as I knew of some cures they had effected in cases like mine

"Almost as soon as I began taking them I could see decided improvement and after keeping on with several weeks I was completely well. consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a mos valuable remedy, and I am in the habit of recommending them to others afflicted

as I was. When the nerves ache and tremble it means that they are starving. The only way to feed them is through the Pink Pills. They are absolutely guaranteed to be free from opiates or other harmful drugs. They are sold by all drug-gists, or may be obtained directly from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schencetady, N. Y.

Passing of the Paris Black Cat.

Soon the Chat Noir will disappear from the memories of Paris; at least. in its old associations. As a hotel it has ceased to exist. Many managers have tried to make it pay without depriving it entirely of its traditions, but since Salis nobody has been able to hit the public fancy in such measure as to command success. The palace is now being entirely transformed and will next appeal to the public as an old curiosity shop.-London Globe,

#### Woman Lumber Dealer.

Miss W. S. Pratt, of Atlanta, Ga., is said to be the only woman south of Chicago in the lumber trade. When the firm by whom she was employed

Outing Mosquito Veils.

Mosquito veils for outings in the woods are made of common mosquite netting in pink or blue preferably, and

### Sure Cure at Last.

Monticello, Miss., Sept. 4 (Special) -Lawrence County is almost unily in receipt of fresh evidence that a sure last been found, and that cure is sciousness. Dodd's Kidney Pills.

and their upon the wooden tate unless specially provided before bless the Great American Kidney Rem-Among those who have reason to edy is Mrs. L. E. Baggett of this place. Mrs. Baggett had dropsy. Dodd's Kid-

> "I was troubled with my kidneys " Mrs. Baggett says in recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to her friends, "my urine would hardly pass. The taken Dodd's Kidney Pills as directed and am now a well woman."

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Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as S cough cure.—J. W. O'BRIEN, 322 Third Ava M. Minneapolis, Minn. Jan. J. 1900

If a married man goes wrong his conscience is apt to trouble him much tess than his wife's tongue.

When you buy bluing, insist on getting Red Cross Hag lilue. Don't take a cheap imitation. Your grocer sells it.

There is no telling what a day may oring forth. A man may be happyy to-day and married to-morrow.

### "It Knocks the Itch."

It may not cure all your ills, but it does cure one of the worst. It cures any form of itch ever knownno matter what it's called, where the sensation is "itch," it knocks it. Eczema, ringworms are cured by one box. It's guaranteed, and it's name is

Ever notice how much walking around is done by a man in riding

WORST SEEMS OVER. FROST NOT NECESSARY

To Stop the Devastaing March of Yellow Fever.

New Orleans, Sept. 2-The fever rec ord yesterday bore out the hopeful view of Dr. White and his yellow-fever fighters, that the worst is over and that if the citizens of New Orleans are watchful and continue to give the authorities the same co-operation they have in the past few weeks, the miracle will be wrought of stamping out the fever before frost comes to lay low the trary to all expectations, the fever is assuming a milder form at the period when it was expected to grow most explained that while his government deadly and deaths have grown insigdifficant in numbers.

This is true not only of New Orans, but of the various points in Mis- of the treaty. The discussion lasted sissippi where the discuse has appear- for half an hour, the Russian position ed. In that state there has been about being that Japan's contention was with seventy cases to date and only one out precedent and that if the armistice death. Wherever there has been a was not to take effect until the signheavy death rate, as at Leeville, and ing of the treaty was practically unon some of the plantations around New | necessary. Orleans, it has been because the vicims were Italians who either did not have or refused to accept medical at entered into providing for an armistice tendance. In 1878, when the Italians were few in number and the fever appeared indiscriminately among the na. plaining Japan's insistence that the artianalities, the record for September mistice shall not go into effect until was 260 cases and 88 deaths.

Two doctors of the marine hospital corps were reported ill yesterday. Past Assistant Surgeon General Cur. commanders of ships shall be notified, low fever, but with appendicitis. He agreement." diagnosis.

A deed was filed at San Antonio Friday morning transferring the Ala- A dealer in trunks and traveling

Increase in Postal Receipts.

ostoffice. The receipts amounted to have of trunk borrowers, especially in \$33,581.80, a gain of 161/2 per cent over vacation time." hose of August, 1904, which amounted o \$28,841.91. The largest month's eccipts, previous to this, was March of the present year, which were \$33,- terested in books realize how large a 509.16.

Died on His Mother's Grave.

H. L. Hoffman, who recently arrived Mr. Morgan is credited with the owning two hours later in the hospital. years. Many rushed to the grave across which Hoffman lay. He was sent to the hoscure for all Kidney Troubles has at pital but died without regaining con-

Death in a Runaway.

minent citizen of Dexter, was killed used as an initial more often than any Friday in a runaway. The wagon other letter except two. No fewer tongue crashed in to his abdomen and than 4931 words now begin with "Pe." he was dragged a considerable dis. and of these only three are old Engtance. He bled internally for eleven lish words.-London Express. hours. His wife witnessed the acci-Doctors said I had Dropsy. I have dent and is now frantic with grief. He Gus Hurley, a prominent chizen of leaves a wife and three small daugh. Kaufman county and who lives at Tigters, also relatives at Bloomingfield, er, had his arm and leg broken while Texas.

### Tankerly Hung.

Georgetown: Preston Tankersley, newife to death.

### Cotton Beit Agent Resigns.

passenger agent of the Cotton Belt 120 years old, rested in the matron's Railway in Texas has tendered his department of police headquarters at resignation to the company, effective Omaha last Friday, before resuming at once. Mr. Flanagan has accepted her trip from Virginia to San Frana more lucrative position with the cisco, where she says she is to be mar-Panama Canal Commission and will ried for the seventh time. no doubt leave for his new post of duty B. E. Towns of Fort Worth was shot in a short time. Before coming with in the leg by W. H. Barnes, his fatherthe cotton Belt he was general agent in-law, and in turn struck Barnes in of the Southern Pacific boat line at the forehead with a knife, crushing in Havana.

Just Like American Roads.

Wiltham, Eng.: As the express from London to Cromer, on the Great Eastthe station, who was sitting in his room on the platform. Two ticket selution was a buried in the wreckage.

[Among those kined was the buried in his Great Britain stands at \$22.82, Germany at \$39.98 and the United States at \$37.38. airs were buried in the wreckage.

PAPERS MUST BE SIGNED BEFORE JAPAN MAKES MOVE

Wants Time to Pass the Word Down the Line.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 2 .- Japan has refused to consent to the cessation of hostlities until the treaty of peace has been signed. The Russian plenipotentiaries, accompanied by their secretarles, called on Baron Komura and Mr. Takabira shortly afternoon yesterday and were in conference with them for half an hour. Japan, however having indicated through Baron Komura, her willingness for an armistice, M. Witte supposed that he would find them ready to sign. Baron Komura was ready to consent to an armistice, his instructions were that this should not take effect until after the signing

However, the Japanese were insistant and an agreement was accordingly which shall take effect the moment the treaty is signed. Mr. Sato, in exthe treaty is signed, said:

"It is necessary that not only the commanders in the field, but all the tis, however, is not suffering from yel. thus insuring the maintenance of the

is expected to be back at work again It is pointed out in Japanese circles in a day or two. Past Assistant Sur- that an armistice has practically been geon W. C. Rucker went into the hospi- in effect since the conference began, tal as a suspicious case, not sufficinet and it is believed that there is no time having elapsed to complete the ground for anxiety of a clash before the signing of the treaty.

#### Renting Trunks.

mo property by Clara Driscoll to the bags tells of an odd business which he State of Texas. Consideration \$65,000, does in summer. The vacation goer Thomas Fitchie, ex-commissioner of who has no trunk or vallse hires one. mmigration of the port and the "orig- New trunks, of course, cannot be had inal McKinley man" of Kings county, on lease. Only the second-hand ones is dead at his home in Brooklyn. He are let out. "You see," said the dealwas 72 years of age and retired some or, "there are a good many young peotime ago from active politics, owing to ple-clerks, salesmen, stenographers, male and female-that want a vacation of only a week or so, and they don't care about going to the expense Dallas: The postal receipts for the of buying a valise or a trunk. Borrow? conth of August show this to be the Oh, yes, they could borrow, I suppose; anner month in the history of the but you know what opinion people

Morgan's Costly Books.

Few book collectors and those inpercentage of the most costly books in the world are owned by J. Pierpont Morgan. In a list recently printed of Chicago: Kneeling at the side of his 100 books which have brought from mother's grave in Rose Hill Cemetery, \$2500 to \$25,000 at auction since 1812 in Chicago from St. Louis, Friday af- ership of sixteen, or one-sixth of the ternoon shot himself in the temple, dy- highest priced books of the last 100

while the letter "P" was the letter least frequently used as an initial in Roswell, N. M.: James Noble, a pro- the oldest English dictionary it is now

trying to stop a runaway team.

## Supposed Murderers Caught.

Seattle, Wash.: Charged with the gro, was hanged Friday for the mur- murder of Phillip Ross and wife and der of his wife, Lou Tankerly, in July, the burning of their saloon at Kerry-1904. Tankerly stated that he regret- town to conceal the evidence of crime. ted killing his wife and that he had Adam Moore, a negro, and John Dallost his temper. The evidence showed las, who came from Louisiana in the that he came home and believed her same gang to work in the Kerryston unfaithful and beat her with a scant- sawmill, several months ago, have ling. He went in search of her para- been arrested by officers of the city mour, but not finding him, shot his and county. Moore was caught at Cleelum in Kittitas county.

Without a tooth in her head and scarcely a hair on her head, Susan Fort Worth: J. W. Pianagan, general Johnson, a negress, who says she is

the skull. Barnes died Friday night.

### Lead in Savings Deposits.

Ih savings bank deposits this counern Rallway, was entering Witham try leads the world. Our deposits station Friday, several passenger cars amounted at the beginning of this left the track and crashed into the sta- year to \$3,060,176,611. That sum outtion building causing the death of ran German savings by \$786,000,000. ten persons, six of whom were women, and the German savings outran anyand seriously injuring twenty persons. thing in Europe by \$1,300,000. But in Among those killed was the porter of the amount of savings per inhabitant

Discarding Heathen Custom.

Mrs. Wu Ting-fang, wife of the former Chinese minister, had her feet enlarged to the normal size by means of an operation. Chinse women were very much excited over the occurence, but it is said that it will become fashionable to have the operation performed, many Chinese women already desiring to follow her example.

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 other Cold Water Starches are put up in %-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injur.ous chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12 oz. package it is because he has 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.

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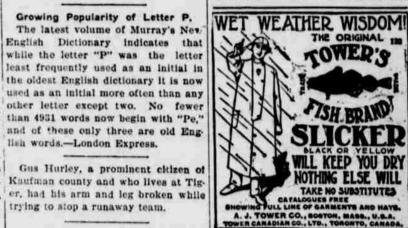
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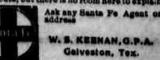
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What a disappointment, then, to see the fair young wife's beauty fading away before a year passes over her head! A sickly, half-dead-and-alive woman, especially when she is the mother of a family,

the mother of a family, is a damper to all joyous ness in the home, and a drag upon her husband.

The cost of a wife's constant illness is a serious drain upon the funds of a household, and too often all the doctoring does no good.

toring does no good.

If a woman finds her energies are flagging, and that everything tires her, dark shadows appear under her eyes her sleep is disturbed by horrible dreams; if she has backache, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness, whites, irregularities, or despondency, she should take means to build her system up at once by a tonic with specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Mrs. Bessie Ainsley

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman, and I feel so grate-ful that I am glad to write and tell you of my marvelous recovery. It brought me health, new life and vitality."

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Many who formerly smoked 10c cigars, now smoke Lewis' "Single Binder" straight Sc cigar, The best combination of the best tobaccos. Lewis Factory, Peoria III.

London's Empty "Villas."

A suburban building boom in London has collapsed and thousands of "villas" stand empty in the outer circle of the metropolis. Builders overestimated the effect of new street car

No Kissing in Japan.

Japanese mothers and children nevor kiss one another, and it is said the fact that the women of Japan use cosmetics to such a degree is probably partly responsible for the fact that there is no kissing.

Duped Prince Regent.

The Prince Regent of Bavaria has been duped by an enterprising Munich painter (the brother of a well known actress), who induced him to sit for his portrait by telling him that the Russian navy department had asked him to paint it for the cruiser Munchen. When it was finished it proved to be so poor that thirty-one local artists petitioned the prince regent not to allow it to be forwarded. Investigation of the maater proved that the artist had never received a commission from Prussia.

Miss Anthony Wore Bloomers.

Once upon a time, as far back as the '50s, Susan B. Anthong wore bloomers but she declared it "mental crucifixion" and gave it up. She is very fond of pretty clothes, but only buys one new dress annually and never wears flannels or furs. Her silk petticoats are marvels of prettiness and she is most dainty in all her dress accessor-

Talanted Captain Graham.

It is not perhaps generally known that Captain Henry Graham, whose engagement to Miss Ethel Barrymore author of the amusing and well known "Baby's Baedeker," "Ruthless Rhymes and "Perverted Proverbs," written under the nom de plume of Colonel D. Streamer. Captain Graham, who is an Englishman, is a member of the Coldstream Guards, from which his pseudo nym is derived. Many of Captain Graham's proverbs, such as "Uneasy lies the tooth that wears a crown," and "Still daughters run cheap," have long ago become common property.

Japs in San Francisco.

Statistics gathered in San Francisco in regard to the Japanese engaged business show that they have entered into lively competition with American in a large number of occupations. which the Chinese do not invad-There are eighty-five Japanese hotels in San Franciso, sixty restaurants, sixteen entilligence offices, nine shooting galleries, eleven billiard rooms and seventy-five house cleaning offices These are all licensed and there is large number of unlicensed cobblers butchers, janitors, porters and dometic servants.

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keeps pace with his wife's yearning is that it takes so much time to tell what you are going to plant.

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A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callons. Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Some women are unable to play on

Storekeepers report that the extra quantity, together with the superior quality of Defiance Starch makes it next to impossible to sell any other brand.

Faint heart ne'er won fair lady— Unless the fair lady happened to be a

He Smiled Twice.

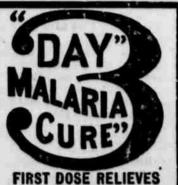
There is a man living in the Brazos Bottoms of whom it is said he only smiled twice in his life-one, when his mother-in-law died, the other when Cheatham's Chill Tonic cured his ague.

It will cure any one's ague, or any other form of malaria. One bottle guaranteed to do it.

When you see a man gazing soulfully at the grass, instead of com-posing a poem about it he may be try-ing to think where he can borrow a lawn mower.. The trouble about making garden

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Instantly destroys all fever germs inocaated by mosquitoes. First dose stops aching bones and hot and chilly sensations, cures
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# Physicians Recommend Castoria

CASTORIA has met with pronounced favor on the part of physicians, pharmaceutical societies and medical authorities. It is used by physicians with results most gratifying. The extended use of Castoria is unquestionably the result of three facts: First-The indisputable evidence that it is harmless: Second-That it not only allays stomach pains and quiets the nerves, but assimilates the food: Third-It is an agreeable and perfect substitute for Castor Oil-It is absolutely safe. It does not contain any Opium, Morphine, or other narcotic and does not stupefy. It is unlike Soothing Syrups, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, etc. This is a good deal for a Medical Journal to say. Our duty, however, is to expose danger and record the means of advancing health. The day for poisoning innocent children through greed or ignorance ought to end. To our knowledge, Castoria is a remedy which produces composure and health, by regulating the system-not by stupefying it-and our readers are entitled to the information .- Hall's Journal of Health.

## Letters from Prominent Physicians Addressed to Charles H. Fletcher. Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ills., says: "I have prescribed your Castlestee often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. Theorems is excellent."

Dr. Wm. L. Bosserman, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I am pleased to speak a goods word for your Casteria. I think so highly of it that I not only recommend it to others, but have used it in my own family."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I amount that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get. Fletcher's." Dr. Wm. I. McCann. of Omaha. Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children. I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my owns family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pn., says: "The name that your Castorias has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes bleased by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartly endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. Channing H. Cook, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have used your Casteria for several years past in my own family and have always found it thoroughly efficient and never objected to by children, which is a great consideration in view of the face that most medicines of this character are obsortious and therefore difficult of administration. As a laxative, I consider it the peer of anything that I ever prescribed."

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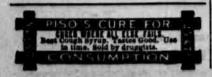
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Should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

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Remember the name-Doan's-and

#### ... BANKING AUTHORITY.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

Washington, D. C., July 7, 1905. WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence | consideration \$1620. presented to the undersigned, it has C.M. Owen to Sid Post, conveys 240 ers National Bank of Haskell," in the tion \$960, Haskeil and State of Texas, has coms acres of I. P. Wallace Sur., considerapiled with all the provisions of the tion \$1364. than shall be authorized to commence and T. C. Ry. Co., consideration \$1.

Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller | C. Ry, Co., consideration \$3,284. the county of Haskell and State of thousa. Texas, sauthorized to commence the T. A. Pinkerton to J. F. Pinkerton, mile of progress westward carried us me of the Revised Statutes of the eration \$2000, Hauned States.

T. F. KANE,

Deputy and Adding Comptroller of the Carrency: 128+116

#### ENTERTAINING IN MANY FORMS.

Many and varied are the forms of modern entertainments, according to the New Idea Woman's Magazine for October, which tells, among other less attractive domestic matters, how to hold a "Good Luck party." "A Halowe en Oracle Party," and "A Western Halowe'en." It also gives suggestions for "Club and Church Entertainments," for "New Entertainments for children" and for "Decorations for Masculine functions." Amongst the receipts are found some for "Sand-Dinners," giving a number of simple of the consideration \$5,200. menus with the details of their preparation. In the main body of the magazone is to be found a breezy resume of the plays and players of the season. with photographs and scenes, and this is in close proximity to a racy comedy sultable to be put on by a home company in any private parlor. It is entitled "The Trained Nurse," is from the pen of Miss Jean Forsyth and turns on the nursing of a smashed football hero by a young and pretty nospital graduate. The dialogue is decidedly humorous and the action unflagging.

## A Remedy Without a Peer.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klote, of Edina, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, billiousness or constipation, these tablets are without a peer. For sale at Terrell's Drug Store.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following is a list of the deeds conveying real estate filed in the county clerk's office since our last report.

T. C. Anderson and wife to L. D. Morgan, conveys lot 4 blk: 23 in Haskell: consideration \$1,500.

Lucy G. Brown to J. E. Stenson, conveys E. ; of out lot 2 in B. and R. add. to Haskell; consideration \$50.

Lucy G. Brown et al to Joe Bevers, conveys 200 acres, being out lots 87 and 90 of I. Ramos Sur., consideration \$1,000.

1476 acres in S. C. Robertson Sur. by quit claim deed; consideration \$1, etc. S. T. Collier to T. W. Collier, conveys E. & of W. & of Sur. 165 blk. 45, H. and T. C. Ry. Co., consideration \$1. Ed Whitaker et al to W. G. Whita-

ker et al, conveys 320 acres of H. Tidwell Sur., consideration \$1,110. Haskell National Bank to B. F. King

conveys 320 acres, W. | of Sur. 64, blk 1 H. and T. C. Ry. Co., consideration

W. L. Curd to L. L. Brown, conveys 144 4-12 acres, N. End of Sur. 63, H.

and T. C. Ry. Co., consideration \$2635.

H. M. Rike to W. E. Leake, conveys N. 1 of Sur. 100 B. B. B. and C. R. R. Co., (320 acres), consideration \$1,112.50, S. R. Rike to W. E. Leake, conveys S. 1 of Sur. 100 B. B. B. and C. R. R.

Co., (320 acres), con.; \$1,112.50, Jefferson Johnon, Exer. N. S. Walton dec'd to H. R. Jones, conveys lot 7 blk 19, in Haskell, consideration

David Jameson to H. M. Twiner, conveys 5 acres of Subdiv. 15 of Wise Co. School land, consideration \$1,000. P. W. Twiner to J. W. Barbee for Farmers' Union Gin Co. No.1, conveys 5 acres of sub. 15 W. Co. S. land, consonsideration \$100.

W. G. Bedford to Dovie M. Bedford, conveys 1 undiveded interest in 588 acres in Chas. Irwin Sur., considera-

J. M. Patton and wife to L. G. Brown For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 conveys 160 acres, part of Sur. 17, blk. Sew York, sole agents for the United 2100

W. G. McConnell and wife to J. L. Holman, conveys 320 acres, W. 1 Sur. 101, blk 45 H, and T, C, Ry, Co., con-

A. G. Neathery and wife to S. L. Johnson, conveys 507 2-7 acres of Sur. 62 of Coryell Co. School land, consideration

T. H. Hickman and wite to Sid Post, conveys 255 acres of I. P. Wallace Sur.

been made to appear that "The Farm- acres of I. P. Wallace sur., consideratown of Haskell, in the county of N. L. Owen to Sid Post, conveys 341

Statutes of the United States, required T. W. Collier to S. T. Collier conveys to be compiled with before an associa- 100 acres W, part Sur. 163 blk. 45 H.

A. J. Norman to R. H. Eanes, conveys Now THERESCORE, I. Thomas P | 300 acres of sur. 36, blk. 1, H. and T.

of the Currency, do hereby certify E. G. Bennett to T. A. Pinkerton, Haskell," in the town of Haskell, in or Coryell Co. school land, considera-

trasiness of Banking as provided in conveys 101 acres, S. end of Sub. 7 section fitty one hundred and sixty- Coryell Co. school league 72, consid-

The Orient Land Co. to U. S. and is Theristony Wittingor, witness Mex. Trust Co., in three deeds conveys of the heroic. Pike's Peak could be my hand and seal at office, large number of lots in towns of Sager, clearly seen, though a hundred miles

> T. G. Carney to Joe Walker, conveys 14x140 in town of Carney, consideration \$200.

H. B. Miller to Burwell Cox, conveys undivided | of lots 1 and 2 bik. Z, Mil- dad is the center of large coal, coke, ler's add, to Haskell, consideration

S. H. Johnson to Burwell Cox, conveys undivided | of lots 1 and 2, blk. Z. Miller's add., consideration \$100.

conveys lot 6 blk 19 in Haskell, consideration \$500.

J. W. Meadors to C. D. Long and R. D. C. Stephens, conveys lot 6 blk. 19 in Haskell, consideration 8850.

W. M. Walton to C. D. Long and R. D. C. Stephens, csuveys blocks 126

C. D. Long and R. D. C. Stephens to H. G. McConnell, conveys & undivided interest in blocks 126 and 127 in Peter Allen Sur., coesideration \$1,

J. S. Klester to G. W. Hazlewood, conveys lots 7 and 8 blk. 24 in Haskell. onsaderation \$240.

Max Paul et al to T. P. Walker, ouveys, 320 acres of Wm. Walker Sur., onsideration \$2,240.

H. G. McConnell et al to M. S. Pierson, et als' being a power of attorney by a large number of citizens of Haskell authorizing committee to contract for building of railroad to Haskellcontract executed with J. D. Beardsley of Louisiana.

Martha Canup to P. D. Sanders, onveys lot 4 and undivided is of lot blk 5 in Haskell, con. \$75.

J. L. Baldwin and wife to R. H. Eans, conveys 200 acres of sur, 36 blk H. & T. C. Ry. Co., con. \$3000. L. D. Morgan and wife to A. B. Neal, conveys lot 4 blk 23 in Haskell, consideration, \$1500.

U. E. Baker and wife to Herman in early days. Weinert et al, conveys 400 acres, part of Andrew Jones sur., con.; \$4400.

Mary E. Hulsman et al to Jno. B. Haskell, consideration \$150.

## WISDOM'S GOAL.

By Mutsubido, Emperor of Japan The water placed in gobiet, bowl or

Changes its form to its receptacle; And so our plastic souls take various F. W. Plant to J. K. Jones, conveys

> And characters of good or ill, to fit The good or evil in the friends we

> Therefore be ever careful in your choice of friends. And let your special love be given to

> Whose strength of character may prove the whip,

That drives you ever to fair Wisdom's -Translated by Aathur Lloyd.

MY TRIP TO SAN FRANCISCO. CALIFORNIA.

My first article led us out of Texas through Oklahoma Territory and Kansas to Colorado. From this point onward the scenic features and other points of interest were so great as to completely overwhelm me and I have just now recovered sufficiently to write these articles. In this article I wish to speak of Colorado.

Colorado first appears as a plateau, elevated 4,000 feet above the sea, railway and river continuing as close neighbors through the gently ascending plains.

The alfalfa fields, melon patches, neres of sugar beets and thrifty towns in the Arkansas Valley are proof that prigation pays. The centers of this irrigated district are Hally, Lamar, Las Aminas, La Junta and Rocky Ford, a bit of pastorial prosperity in pleasing contrast with the grim and forbidding mountains soon to be approached. A factory has been built at Rocky Ford for the production of sugar from beets. It was erected by the Oxnard Syndicate at a cost of \$1,000,000, and its daily capacity is ,000 tons of beets, This has stimulated the raising of sugar beets in great abundance throughout the entire valley.

Just over the Colorado line and four miles west of Hally is the little colony established by the Salvation Army seven years ago under the name of Fort Amity. As a measure of practical benefit to certain elements in the crowded quarters of the great cities, the Salvation Army obtained 1,800 acres of land here and settled upon it 250 colonists. This colony is in a prosperous condition.

In the good old days of the long ago, Kit Carson made Bent's his headquarters, the Arapahoes, Klowas and Cheyennes wintered at Big Timbers and Fort William (later known as Fort Lyon) and afforded security that The Farmers National Bank of conveys I acre of Sub. 7 league Sur. 72 for the frontiersman in times of unusual danger.

After leaving Las Aminas every

into a higher altitude as we approached the junction of the great plains and the foothills of the Rockies. Soon the landscape began to give hint SEAL this seventh day of July, 1965. Rule and Carney, consideration \$1 in distant, and the two beautiful Spanish Peaks hover upon the horizon. Slowly the Raton Range gathered significance directly ahead, until it became a towering wall, at whose foot hes the city of Trinidad. Triniiron and wool industries. Here, going west, is the first appearence of adobe architecture and Mexican settlements. Here also begins the final ascent to the first of many lofty moun-W. M. Walton to J. W. Meadors, tain gateways, the Raton Pass. The grade up this Pass is remarkably steep and two powerful engines were required to haul our train at a pace hardly faster than a walk. The vicis situdes of the pass are such that the road winds tortuously in curves so tinued series of mountain views, for the ascent was no mere matter of a moment. There are level side canyons perpendicular gray or brown faces, conical coke ovens, with their ghostly smoke wreaths and breaks through which one may look far out across the lower levels to other ranges.

A short distance from the summit stands what is left of the old toilhouse, an abandoned and dismantled adobe dwelling, where for many years the veteran Dick Wooten collected toll from those who used the wagon road through the pass. Both ruin and trail are of interest as belonging to the ante-railroad period of thrilling adventure, for by that road and past the site of the dilapidated dwelling journeyed every overland stage, every caravan, every prairie schooner, every emigrant and every soldier cavalcade bound to the southwestern country

Beyond this is a wide-sweeping curve from whose farther side, looking backward down the pass, an in-Baker, conveys lots 5 and 6 blk 6 in spiring picture is unfolded to view for a passing instant—a farewell glimpse of the poetic Spanish Peaks at the end of a long vista past a ragged foreground of gigantic measure. There the bills crowd and shut off the outside World. There is a deep sandstone cut, its faces seamed with layers of coal, a boundary post having marked upon one side Colorado and upon the other New Mexico, and instantly fol-J. H. SHEPARD.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## Attacked By A Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at Terrell's Drug



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Mr. G. W. Fowler of Hightower, a., relates an experience he had hile serving on a petit jury in a murr case at Edwardsville, county seat sys: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some souse meat and it gave me cholera morbus in a very sever rm. I was never sicker in my life ad sent to the drug store for a cerain cholera mixture, but the druggist sent me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colstead, saying that he had what I sent for, but that this medicine was so to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner and one small bottle cured all three of us." For sale at Terrell's Drug Store.

## Women And the Public Schools

The New Idea Woman's Magazine \$4.00, in 5 payments. for October has an inspired article on 40 acres up to any quantity desired out of James strain. From the rear vestibule we had an endlessly varied and long con"Women in Professions" by Miss Scott league and labor survey, 1% miles N.E. Scott league and labor survey, 1% miles N.E. Scott league and labor survey, 1% miles N.E. of Hankell. Price \$5 to \$15 and terms to suit. W, at \$5. cash. Westwood runs over the field of those 424 acres G. G. Alford survey, 15 miles N. W. professions into which women enter, 44, Abst. 6, \$6, in 3 payments prettily shaded with aspen, long showing that there are now very few 522 acres, section 1, G. H. & H. Ry., 12 miles straight slopes covered with pine, in which they have not proved their tumbled waves of rock overgrown capability. Speaking of the educawith chaparral, huge bare cliffs with tional field, which is, as ever, one of those most entered by women, she 520 acres, W. P. Gaines survey, 12 miles S., at says: "Some of the most remarkable educational work is being done by Sections 1, 3 and 5, E. T. Ry. Co., 13 to 16 miles women in connection with the public schools. Miss Farrel, whose class of 640 acres, N. R. Brister survey, 7 miles S. E. unmanageable children is well known, is little short of wonderful. Boys who have proved too much for school after school, teacher after teacher, never give her the slightest trouble. Children who have been given up as hopeless idiots, learn to read under her tutelage, and take the first step toward fitting for a trade. She is an enthusiast and and optimist, declaring that she has yet to see the child too stupid to become self-supporting, or too bad to be reached by kind, firmtreatment."

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He who knows not, and knows not that he knows not is a fool; avoid him. He who knows not, and knows not that he know not, is untaught; teach

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\$3.50, in 5 payments

S. E., at \$5.00, in easy payments.

488 acres, John Campbell survey, 7 miles N. E.

at \$3.50, in S payments. 1476 acres, South 1-3 Robertson league, 8 miles

E. of Stamford on California creek, at \$10 per acre in 3 equal payments. 1476 acres, J. E. Ellis sur., 8 miles E., at \$4, in

235 acres, same survey as above, same price

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640 aeres, James Gray survey, 16 miles S. E.

1476 acres, Chas. Calliott survey 10 miles N. (East Abbott pasture) \$10.50 per acre, on easy terms. Will cut in 200 acre lots from

503 acres, S. T. Blakeley survey, 15 miles S. E. at \$5, in 3 pryment

569 acres Hays Covington sur., 15 miles E., at \$3 00 in 3 payments 520 acres, W. M. Walker survey, 5 miles N. W. of Stamford, at \$7,001-S cash, balance in S.

960 acres G. W. Brooks sur. 9 miles N. E. 84

1500 acres 8 to 12 miles north on Benjamin road The Masterson lands in 200 acre blocks at \$12 in 4 payments. No better land in West Texas Lots 15 and 14 blk 2, Kirby Ad. for \$150 in 5 Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 Block 42, Haskell, for \$100. payments.

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