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ANDY HUDSON BUYS

Andy Hudson has purchased a cattle. He exhibited on the streets Congress, are wratte in their of and it attaction a great deal of at- statute about of all of them as tention. Andy's long experience in aposite of political righteonsness spring, gave seven gallons of milk, their own districts.

BLANTON HARD BOILED AT WHOLE TEXAS DELEGATION

his colleagues "abbetted" in introducing and passing the resolution of FINE HOLSTEIN BULL after the adjournment of the present session. Mr. Blanton charges that WORK GOMMENGED TO censure, causing him to be publiciv 'insulted" on the floor. Wonder coung Holstein buil. It is full blood liftin is possible that the seventcer tock and has all the outlines other men whom the people of Tex characteristic of that line brend of as have elected to represent them Monday, Trades Day, of this week conduct, and that Tom Blanto

the cattle business gives him a For the sake of home pride the thorough knowledge of the best kind people of this district may, in a manof cattle to raise in this section, and ner, stick to Blanton, but in our he will henceforth bet his money opinion he will make a bad thing on the Holstein. The pedigreed cow worse when he puts his own record from which the this buil is an off- against that other congressmen in

> Amarillo, as usual, records the first snow storm of the South' A heavy snow storm raged there Friday of last week and the temperature drop

OHILLING REPORT FROM CROSS PLAINS OIL FIELD

FAMILY OF EIGHT KILLED IN ARKANSAS GYCLONE

Two destructive cyclones visited

The middle of this week reveals the greater portion of interest cen- Arkansas last week, killing over kett.

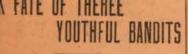
about 2,600 and has exceeded depth people and injured twenty-four of the Webb and Teston producing others. It then skipped north to wells; but nothing so far has de- Malvern, where three other persons veloped to discourage the belief that were killed and a number injured. a good producer will be brought in. They may complete it in the Gooch DARK FATE OF THEREE sand at a greater depth of incline than was expected, or may encounter the Hilburn strata.

The well on the Harlow farm, and Stone & Co.'s Webb No. 1, are drilling in good shape and reaching a depth that forecasts their early completion. The Adams was delayed in drilling in the first of this week on account of boiler troube. Four other wells are reported drilling around a depth of 700 feet each, and a number oa new rigs will be completed this week.

trizons people and a good showing count of his mature years, was held oll and gas was struck at a depth as the master mind in the commission d 3,300 feet and according to infor- of the crime and received a death nation given out at the tim , the shut sentence. The evidence showed that lown was made to await preparations Jonsen delivered the tatal blow. or handling the output. The well Todd is lighting for an appeal and was securely plugged with cement may yet escape the gallows and mud and it has required several Borest Dawson, held by the court days to clear this out, which was to be only 14 years old, a juye-

completed Sunday afternoon. It is nile, was sentenced to six years in elieved the first days of this week the State training school for boys. vill reveal the value of its production. Other reports from that part of the POSSESSION OF LIQUOR

tering upon four of the dozen or a dozen people and wounding scores more wells that are drilling in what is of others. The whole family of R. practically the Cross Plains field, E. Weems, eight members, at the Atwood, by Crabb & McNeel, Wicks, near Mena, were killed when Webb No. 1, by Stone & Co., Harlow. the Weems home collapsed during by Crabb & McNeel, and Adams, the violent storm. Eight coffins by Arizona-Texas Co., the latter be- were sent out from Mena to the one ing located on the Bayou near Bur- scene. Another cyclone the same night, striking a lumber camp near The Atwood well is drilling at Arkadelphia, killed a number of



Ninety-nine years is a long time to give a young chap in which to learn right from wrong, but that is Cecil Jensen's award for his brief career as a bandit, and should at least be a heeded lesson to other young men who are similarly inclined. The fate of Cecil is the third conviction in the court at Weatherford for the murder of the service car driver. James McNeal, committed in a manner almust baneath the nature of a brute. Jensen escaped the gallows on the plea of insenity, but in our opinion the verdict was simply the result of a natural hesitancy which any man

some good, healthy tree. Shade the plant the first year from the direct rays of the sun, and spade the soil that deep all around the tree for a distance of three teet. The tree would display in Felraining Lonunder these conditions, has no bard Nuls must be planted in fall A road way is to place a lot of choice nuts in a box of damp soil, and Recu the soil moist until the nuts begin to sprout next March. Then plant where you want your trees to be a permanency, givin the trees a distance of 70 feet each way. In three DIGANTIC TURKEY GOBBLED years those trees can be budded to some of the best types, and two years later will produce a few fine nuts Each tree you plant ought to follow the above suggestions and have your seedlings budded you will

CROSS PLAINS

not more than an inch deep from

hele with rich soil, and plant a nut TON BRYANT LEAVES SANITARIUM TUESDAY

TEXAS

The home friends of Tom Bryant will be glad to learn that he has sufficiently recovered from his retent operation to leave the Temp'e Sanitarium Tuesday of this week. A report from Mrs. Bryant, states thut be will spend a day of two st he home of his mother at Moody. and may return to Cross Plains Thursday or Friday of this week.

WINS PRIZE FOR LADY

One of the curiosities at the Brown be worth as an investment \$100 per County Poultry show is a mammoth tree when twelve years old. If you turkey gobbler placed on exhibition by Miss Lucile Moore, of May. The not sell your trees at \$100 each. gigantic gobbler is beyond doubt



Representative Tom Blanton, who ped to 30 degrees. A ten degrees by the Magnolia and Tidwell et al was recently censured by the House above zero was predicted for the on the Morris and Babington tracts for inserting objectionable language next day. It seems Amarillo is so The well on the Dibrell land is fishin the Congressional Record, has situated that every cold blizzard ing at a depth of 2554 feet and the challenged the seventeen other mem- which heads south unloads at that ing at 950 feet. mbers of the Texas congressional place.

delegation, 'singly and collectively,' to debate in nine cities of the State

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well on the Overall t act is u derream. at Austin last week, in reversing and



finally gave him a clean bill cf apparent "shortage."-Baird Star. the equipment.

IS HUIG TRIA

The pecan is one of the finest nuts The trial of Will Armstrong. charged with the killing of Grady in the world, and it is surprising Tarver, was postponed again in the that so few farmers in Erath County district court at Eastland, until the grow them, as the tree, will grow as next term, after the trial which had well on the high, upland, sandy land been started the first of this week farms, as it does on bottom lands. was in progress. The continuance Or the uplands it will make crops this time was on account of the when it tails in the low lands. As a death of the mother of one of the number of Tribune readers have ask arors, which occured after the trial of about directions for planting the seed the writer makes the tollowing. summation: If you want other meet

A solver if the divergences are to make application to the post

NO VIOLATION OF LAW

The Court of Criminal Appeals, remanding the case of William Blake, from Marion county, convicted cl unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor, and given one year, because of mittinsufficient evidence, called attention in the fact that under the acts of the Commissioners' Court convened second called session of the Thirty-

Tuesday morning in regular quarter Seventh Legislature amending the ly session and were busy all day, Dean law, the possession of intoxicar. suditing the accounts of County ing liquor is not an oftense at this Treasurer Walter Martin. They time unless for the purpose of sale. The court recently held that the health, although Commissioner Rod Dean law had also been amended so Kelton "accidently misplaced" as not to make possession of equipsome of the Treasurer's youchers, ment for making intoxicating liquor and kept the latter going round and an offense, and under that ruling the round in mental circles of despair for court has reversed and dismissed some time, which was accentuated the case of Robert McGowan, from when the court solemnly assured McLennan county, who had been him that he must make good his sentenced to one year for possessing

PLANT PEGAN SEED

WHEN AND

16 trees .- Stephenvile Tribune.

I will begin a class in sewing of 50 lbs. There are many more Monday, Nov. 28, at High School turkevs but none as large as this building. All interested, please see speciman from May, which attracted me on above date: Gladys McDer- a great deal attention .- Brownwood Bulletin.



Thrift consists not solely in saving, but in spending wisely, and the man who invests with prudence and judgment is more thrifty than the hoarders.

The miser with all his millions hid away in some remoté place can never be called a thrifty man.

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DEADLY WEAPON OF SAVAGES

African Tribes Use Poisoned Arrows Which Inflict Death That Is Instantaneous.

The most effective weapon of the Masai and Andorobo is the arrow which they poison with the Accanthera schimperi, a small tree, according to a National Geographic society bulletin. They boll the leaves and some orders about procuring some. "If hide high on the branches of trees away from children until it is needed. When an animal is shot with an arrow dipped in the polson it dies almost linmediately. The natives cut out the flesh around the wound as soon as possible and throw it away. The remainder is eaten and the blood is drunk. This love of blood as an article of food is common among many African tribes, several of them going so far as to bleed their cattle and drink the blood team, understand this." hot or mix it with their porridge.

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DISARMAMENT SCHEME ACCEPTED BY POWERS

MEN OF ALL NATIONS TO BE briefly in Japanese. CHOSEN TO WORK OUT DE-TAILS.

SOME MODIFICATIONS URGED

Four Delegations Reserve the Right to Offer Proposals to Modify Certain Sections.

Washington.—The British Empire. with its dominion all over the world, termination to a sweeping reduction and Japan, both have officially an- in her naval armament. nounced their acceptance "in principle and spirit" of the drastic naval limi- armaments as are essential to its se tations proposed by the United States. curity. Arthur J. Balfour in a speech that will go down in history as one of the with regard to the tonnage basis for greatest ever uttered by a British replacement of the various classes statesman.

Ministry of Marine,

reservations and suggested modifications of the program as originally proposed by Secretary Hughes.

which had been counted upon, follow-ed naturally when the statesmen from London and Tokio had finished addressing the conference.

Thus in the remarkably short space of three days the American Govern-ment has proposed a program of na-val destruction and future government unequaled in the history of the world. and has had it accepted as fundamen-tally sound by all the great powers of the world

After spokesmen for all the four powers-Britain, French, Italian and Japan-had spoken. See etary of State Hughes spoke this Nation's gratitude and said that their acceptance of the proposale as a basis on which to pro-coed was agreeable to the United States. Then the conference adjourn-ed at the call of the chairman.

Mr Balfour spoke feelingly about the necessity of curbing the contruction of submarines beyond the point uggested in the Hughes program He proposed the advisability of absolute-iy prohibiting the construction of giant ruiser submarines, which he' said had demonstrated beyond all possibility of a doubt that they were not "defenive weapons

Balfour's Speech In Part.

liscussion which began on Saturday priate in order to realize these hopes ast. I think it would be very unfor-tunate if we were to allow the events of Saturday to pass without some fur-ther observations on the part of those to whom you. Mr. Chairman, address-ed your speech, and, if for any rea-sons which I shall venture to explain in a moment I am the first to take unterplate these hopes. "Many conferences and congresses have already met in order to carry out this noble idea, and Mr. Balfour vas quite right when he pointed out the great danger there was in look-ing at this question through the glass of idealism. But, Mr. Secretary, you all naval questions.

"The struggle to restore the world to the condition of equilibrium, so violently interfered with by five years of war, is one that taxes and must tax the efforts of everybody. And I powers, but I may say for my pant congratulate you, if I may, Mr. Chair that I have listened with great joy to man, on the fact that you have added the very large, broad and general adbranches until the mixture becomes thick and pitch-like in appearance, and place it on sheets of bark which they bride birth - the mixture becomes of Great Britain and Japan. The same antiversary which will hance-forth be celebrated in connection with this movement toward reconstruction. It is not that France feels entirely disthe same spirit in which we wel-the anniversary celebrated have, I hope, an opportunity of saying omed which hostilities came to an end. If now-and this will be carried out lat Nov. 11 is a date imprinted on grate-ful hearts. I think Nov. 12 will also prove to be an anniversary welcomed and thought of in a grateful spirit by those who in the future shall look back upon the ardupus struggle now Hughes Speaks

opening day of this congress one of the landmarks in human civilization." Admiral Kato Speaks

After the tall Balfour had finished his somewhat lengthly speech, portray-ing the differences in which Britain found herself, Kato arose and spoke

Japan deeply appreciates the sin certy of purpose evidenced in the plan of the American Government for the limitation of armaments," he said. She is satisfied that the propose plan will materially relieve the nations of wasteful expenditures and can not fail to make for the peace of the world.

"She can not remain unmoved by the high aims which have actuated the American project. Gladly accept ing, therefore, the proposal in princ

'It will be universally admitted that a nation must be provided with such This requirement must be ful-Britain's acceptance was voiced by ly weighed in the examination of the vessels.

Japan's acceptance was spoken in Japanese by Baron Kato, head of the naval establishment equal in strength to that of either the United States or While accepting the American pro-gram "in spirit and principle," both Great Britain and Japan made certain view preparation for offensive war."

For Italy

osed by Secretary Hughes. The acceptance by France and Italy, of the Italian delegation said:

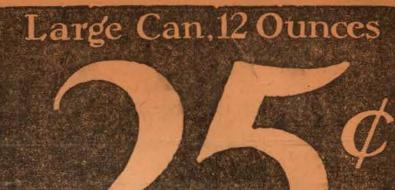
"We shall not consider the technical side of the question which con-cerns especially the great naval pow-ers. We only wish to express in the name of the Italian delegation, our great satisfaction in the proposals for general order. We hope that your proposal when accepted will be the source of the most beneficent consequences.'

Briand Speaks

Amid great applause, Premier Bri-

and arose and said in part: "I fully concur with the president of the British delegation that this conference would be one of the great landmarks in the history of the world and of civilization. I may say for my own part that when coming here I felt quite sure that a great people I'ke the United States could not have begun such a momentous initiative without having some definite, clear-cut purpose. I think, gentlemen, that we have no longer the right in those questions of peace and war, when we undertake to promise to the world that there shall be no more war, that there shall be everlasting peace after the painful struggle from which we have just emerged we have no right to let the people of the world hope for a final peace until we have made "Mr. Chairman-You have invited up our minds to prepare to decide those who desired it to continue the upon the means that are most appro-

in a moment, I am the first to take up the challenge, it is because of all of the powers here assembled, the coun-tion of groping for a way out of the try which I represent is, as everybody difficulty; you have struck out boldknows, most intimately interested in ly the opportunity for us, setting the example. I may say that we are back



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Important Omission.

"Your collection doesn't seem comhistory rooms. "What do you mean, sir?"

of all insects, the one that brings dis-appointment, spoils pleasure, causes ered and tons of the tea are being divorce, deceives the credulous, trus- picked and dried for winter use, trates hope and leaves the fondest expectations unfulfilled-I refer to the

fly in the ointment."

Profiteering.

Tea Grown in Pennsylvania It is not generally known that Pennplete," said the visitor to the natural sylvania has a tea crop indigenous to the Blue mountain region, and which largely surplants the use of the Ori-"I don't see here that most baleful ental tea in several counties of that

Women in Pulpit.

Numbered among the preachers of the Disciples of Christ (the Christian "I suppose you marry a lot of elop- en. The first woman minister of this average of two women a year has with eight.



Avoid extremes-a man can go crazy even on religion.

DYED HER DRAPERIES. SKIRT AND A SWEATER

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" con-tains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint faded, shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stock-ings, hangings, draperies, everything like new. Buy "Diamond Dyes"-no other kind-then parfect home dyeing is guaran-teed, even if you have never dyed before. Tell your druggist whether the maternit you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Dia-mond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run. So easy to use.-advertiscment.

Went a Little Farther

Eight-year-old Jack was invited to a party, but his ten-year-old brother Joe was not. Yet Joe desired some of the refreshments, so he gave Jack

And when Jack came home he was well laden with cakes. The bosom of his blouse fairly bulged with them, "Oh, you did take some every time they offered you any," said Joe.

"Yes," admitted Jack, "and some when they didn't offer me any either."

Football.

"Well, coach?"

"No hugging in clinches."-Louis-Man's hest counsel is a faithful wife, ville Courier-Journal.

The Block Signals Are Working_

In some respects, human experience is like railroading.

Every moment of the business and social day the block signals are giving right of way to keenness and alertness -while the slow and the heavy must wait on the sidetrack for their chance to move forward.

'The ability to "go through" and to "get there" depends much on the poise of body, brain and nerves that comes with correct diet and proper nourishment.

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> "There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts

back upon the ardupus struggle now being made by the civilized nations of the world, not merely to restore pre-war conditions, but to see that war conditions shull never avain evist conditions shall never again exist.

'I count myself among the fortunate memorable, indeed.

"It takes hold of the dreams which reformers, poets, publicists, even po-tentates, as we heard the other day. have from time to time put before mankind as the goal to which human endeavor should aspire.

"What makes this scheme a land-mark is that combined with the prothat war is horrible, but there is a way by which wars can be readily diminished, by which the burdens of peace, almost as intolerable as the burdens of war, can be really lighted for the populations of the world. And in doing that, in doing it in the man-ner which they have done it in strik-ing the imagination, not merely of the audience they were addressing, not merely of the great people to whom they belonged, but of the whole civilized world; in doing that they have, believe me, made the first and

foreign spokesmen: "We have listened, not only with

of the earth in that I was present and to that extent had a share in the pro-ceedings of last Saturday. They are posal that has been made on behalf memorable, indeed. "There is something which goes to the root, which is concerned with the highest international morality. This scheme, after all—what does it do? It makes idealism a practical proposipurpose.

endeavor should aspire. "A narrative of all the attempts made, of all the schemes advanced for diminishing the horrors of war, is a melancholy one. Some fragments of it were lead before you by our chair-man on Saturday. They were not ex-hiliarating. They showed how easy it is to make professions, and how diffi-cult it is to carry those professions into effect. "What makes this scheme a landby that Government with the sugges

"But while the time is now opportune for the consideration of these details, the great first step has been mark is that combined with the pro-fession is the practice; that in addi-details, the great first step has been tion to the expression the eloquent taken in this notable expression of expression, of good intentions, in which the speeches of men of all na-suggested by the American Governtions have been rich, that a way has ment. And do I go too far in saying been found in which, in the most that we may commit this matter to striking fashion, in a manner which must touch the imagination of everybody, which must come home to the be gratifying to the hearts of our peo-dullest brain and the hardest heart, ple, that there will come out of this dullest orain and the hardest heart. De, that there whit come out of this the Government of the United States has shown its intention not merely to say that peace is a very good thing, that war is horrible, but there is a end that offensive naval warfare will

ing couples, squire. Quite a source of sect was ordained 47 years ago and an Income, ch?" "Yes; I git \$5 for marryin' each been added to its ministry since then.

couple an' they come in such darned Illinois boasts 15 women preachers, haste I allus fine 'em \$10 more for while Kansas is second on the list speedin',"-Boston Transcript.

Good-By Five Bucks.

Jones-I just lent that buddle of yours \$5. Do you think he's straight? Hquor in his boot?" Jones-Straight! Say, if that bird up a corekserew.

Literally Speaking.

"Does a bootlegger actually carry

"I dunno," answered Uncle Bill Botswallowed a ten-penny nail he'd cough tletop. "Though I must admit that, some of the stuff does taste that way."

The Key to Success Is Work-There Is no Substitute for It!

In order to do your best work, you must be healthy. You must sleep soundly at night, your nerves must be strong, steady and under perfect control.

If you are accustomed to drinking tea or coffee with your meals or between meals, you may be loading yourself with a very great handicap. Your nervous system may be stimulated beyond what is natural for you.

For tea and coffee contain thein and caffeine. These are drugs as any doctor can tell you. They are known to irritate the nervous system by their action and to cause restlessness and insomnia, which prevent the proper recuperation of the vital forces.

If you want to be at your best, capable of doing the very best work that lies in you, why not stop drinking tea and coffee? Drink Postum, the rich, satisfying beverage made from scientifically roasted cereals.

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The Baptist denomination at De-

T. M. Kerbow, secretary of the

The Retail Merchants' Association

Coleman was selected as the next place of meeting by the annual con-

vention of the West Texas Baptist Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. organi-

zation which met at Abilene last

The first gathering at large of Elks'

officials in Dallas since the grand

lodge meeting in 1908 will be held

when the district deputy grand exalted rulers and exalted rulers and secre-

taries of Texas meet in Dallas Dec. 6.

financial success than the committee

anticipated, President W. I. Shotwell

A permanent school fund of \$100,-

000 is being established by the State

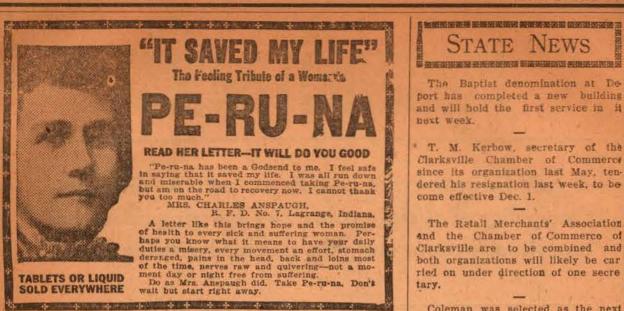
Teachers' Association, the interest

from which will be used to advance

the work of that organization. Each

The Houston Fair was more of a

week.



Treatment of Children's Colds

The fact that the child is taking cold or has developed one is in itself cause for alarm. It is proof that the organs of the human body are not functioning.

First a purgative; castor oil or a laxative advised by the doctor. Put the child to bed and use Nash's Salve as for croup. Carefully apply wet, hot towels for possibly five minutes to throat and chest to open the pores. Then follow with Nash's Salve thickly. Cover this with warm white fiannel and arrange bed clothes in a sort of a tunnel around neck to allow vapors to be breathed freely. Don't forget to apply a little of the salve up each nostril.

Morning will find the cold completely broken and the child in usual spirits. Convalescense will follow quickly and naturally.

The same treatment is equally effective for adults.

SCIENCE SAYS **SNEEZE NATURE'S** DANGER SIGNAL

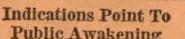
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Strong Constitution Tries to Throw Off the Oncoming Cold.

Heed the Warning, Mother

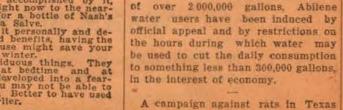
It is a common thing to hear a man by after a violent sneeze, "I have from cold." taken cold." This is not so. He is taking cold. The sneeze is his system's effort to shake it off and to warn him to use

reventive, o, mother, when your child sneezes, i and get the bottle of Nash's up-Pneumonia Salve. Heed Na-e's warning. Apply a little with ger way up in the little nose; have child close mouth and breathe ply; repeat at intervals until cold s discouraged and withdraws its teks.



May Save Your Child's Life This Winter

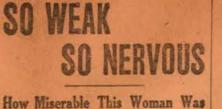
a preventive. So, mother, when your child sneezes, in and get the bottle of Nash's Croup-Pneumonia Salve. Heed Na-ture's warning. Apply a little with finger way up in the little mose; have the child close mouth and breathe deeply: repeat at intervals until cold gets discouraged and withdraws its attacks. Children like the Nash treatment: it is pleasant and does not moke them sick. Doctors like it, too, because it does not interfere with their pre-scriptions, in fact, many physicians and hospitals use the same treaement in cases of pneumonia. Considering the very slight cost, the great good accomplished by it, tous food the state of the state of the source for a bottle of Nash's Croup-Pneumonia Salve. Besides using it personally and de-riving uncounted benefits, having the salve in the house might save your childs are insiduous things. They appear trifilng at bedtime and at midnight have developed into a fear-some thing. You may not be able to reach the doctor. Better to have used Nash's Salve earlier.



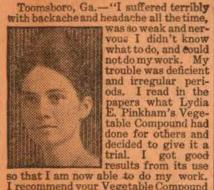
was opened in Houston last week at a meeting of the Texas Rodent Control Association at the chamber of Commerce. It is proposed to form a permanent organization which will operate to rid the entire State of its rodent population.

Four advance Registry of Merit Holstein cows with individual records as high as 15,000 pounds of milk and 500 pounds of butter a year are included in the carload of Dallas County Holstein cattle that left Dallas last week. The car will form a part of the State Fair of Texas eleven-car train of pure-bred live stock due for a thirty-day stay in the Republic of Mexico.

Even a sick child loves the The losses caused by the destruc. "fruity" taste of "California Fig The Remedy With a Record of Fiftyflood of Sept. 8-9 are being materially or if your child is listless, cross, feverameliorated by the bountiful pecan prop which is being harvested through almost all that section of Milam County, the season having been idea. for yourself how thoroughly it works for full maturity of the nuts and for all the constipation poison, sour bile large size.



Until She Took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



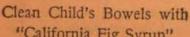
I recommend your Vegetable Compound to my friends who have troubles similar to mine and you may use these facts as a testimonial."-Mrs. C.F. PHILLIPS, Toomsboro, Ga.

Weak, nervous women make unhappy Weak, nervous women make unhappy homes, their condition irritates both husband and children. It has, been said that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," irritability and backache arise from some displacement or derange-ment of a woman's system. Mrs. Phil-line" letter alegebra there are the lips' letter clearly shows that no other remedy is so successful in overcoming this condition as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

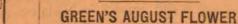


Caney Valley Syrup Co., Wharton. One of the least understood thing!





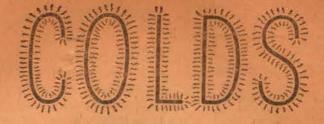




reat preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

The greatest tattle tale in the world

is a woman's age when it once begins



"Pape's Cold Compound" is Quickest Relief Known

If you have discovered something

GIRLS! GROW THICK

LONG, HEAVY HAIR

WITH "DANDERINE"

worth while-pass it on,

Buy a 35-cent bottle

of "Danderine." One

application ends all

dandruff, stops itching

and falling hair, and, in

have doubled the beauty

of your hair. It will ap-

pear a mass, so soft,

lustrous, and easy to

please you most will be

after a few weeks use.

-fine and downy at

competency?

do up. But what will

when you see new hair

first—yes—but really new hair grow-ing all over the scalp. "Danderine" is to the hair what fresh showers of

rain and sunshine are to vegetation.

It goes right to the roots, invigorates

and strengthens them. This delight-

ful, stimulating tonic helps thin, life-

less, faded hair to grow long, thick,

heavy and luxuriant .- Advertisement.

If one is incompetent, can he learn

few moments, you

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing | nose running ; relieves headache, dulland snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold ness, feverishness, sneezing.

Compound" taken every two hours un-"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only til three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery. a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Con-The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops tains no quinine. Insist upon Papes.

Of No Use to Him.

Hewitt-"Why don't you get his goat?" Jewett-"What for? I am a vegetarian."

The man who looks straight ahead misses a lot on the side.

A COATED TONGUE? What It Means

A bad breath, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, languor and debility, are usually signs that the liver is out of order. usually signs that the liver is out of order. At such times one should take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of May-apple, leaves of aloe and put into ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. San Antonio, Texas—"It gives me pleasure to recommend Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets as doing what they are advertised to do. I have used them in my family for nearly fifty years, with never-failing success."—Rev. John C. Groth, 827 Denver Blvd.



MAN'S BEST AGE

A man is as old as his organs; he can be as vigorous and healthy at 70 as at 35 if he aids his organs in performing their functions. Keep your vital organs healthy with



The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles sin 1696; corrects disorders; stimulates vital organs. All druggists, three sizes.

Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation



Soap 25c, Ointment 25 and 50c, Talcum 25c.

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Restores Color and ty to Gray and Faded Hal

You get fresh drugs full strength -not diluted to cheapen cost-

That mothers and fathers, school and health authorities are awakening to the seriousness of colds is reflected by the sale of Nash's Salve in our local drug stores. People are buying the salve "in or-der to have it in the house if needed." This is the spirit intended to be de-veloped by these articles. The mor-tality among children can be reduced by close attention to indications of an approaching cold. Many families, however, are not reached by the printed appeal. Teach-ers should urge school children to tell their parents the dangers of a com-mon cold and how to relieve it.

teacher of the association is to pay fund

announces. The association about broke even, he said, and a plant is on hand which is worth between \$50,000 and \$60,000. **Public Awakening**

Attacked by a woman as she walked along Paso Hondo street in San Antonio last week, a young girl, 16 years old, was thrown into an auto-

mobile containing three men, taken a long way north of town, assaulted and then brought back to the city.

a sum of \$4 as his or her part of the PURE RIBBON SUGAR CANE SYRUP, best, From a normal daily consumption in the world is money.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands "California Fig Syrup" to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly be-cause its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound. Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medi-um and large

to tell on her.



and the quality is the best. Don't take chances on unknown brands, "V.V." is backed by our reputation and the confidence of millions. There is a "V.V." medicine for every ordinary ailment, besides a complete line of accessories. Ask at any drug store or general store.

Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug Co., South's Largest Wholesale Druggists. Memphis, Tenn.

The Shield That Protects You

Take"VV"Medicines

Do right, and you help others.

Red Cross Ball Blue should be used history, John?" inquired Miss Cross snow and never injures the fabric. All good grocers .- Advertisement.

Don't strain the eye seeking fault.

Infallible Signs. "How far have you studied English

In every home. It makes clothes white the new governess, as she and John and sundry sisters settled down to their first lesson together.

"Just as far as my history book in dirty, Miss Cross," said John.



Never say "Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."

WARNING! Unless you see name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians over 21 years and proved safe by millions for

	Colds	Headache	Rheumatism	
*	Toothache	Neuralgia	Neuritis	
	Earache	Lumbago	Pain, Pain	

"Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proper directions.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets-Bottles of 24 and 100-All druggists.

A fire starting at Mount Pleasant again. last week burned three business houses and the Federal postoffice, and resulted in a loss of about \$25,000,

Clifford Holland, of Ennis, fell from a freight train north of that city lass week and the car wheels passed ove: his leg, crushing it above the knee He was brought to Ennis, where the leg was amputated.

Dallas Scottish Rite Masons had at their guests for the opening of the fall reunion last week Raoul V. Pa lermi, 33 degree, sovereign grant commander of the Italian jurisdiction of Scottish Rite Masons; Judge George Fleming Moore, 33 degree past garnd commander of the South ern jurisdiction of the United States

Dallas doctors have agreed to take more than 70 per cent of the office space allotted to them to secure con struction of the proposed eighteen story Medical Arts building.

Dallas County's bill for labor on roads for the month of October was \$149.044.70. Of this amount \$131,216. 25 was spent in connection with the construction of the five improved roads being built from the proceeds of the first series of the \$6,500,000 bond issue voted in 1919.

The new track of the Texas Midland railroad between Greenville and Com merce was opened for business last week, and trains operating betweer Paris and Ennis are now handled over the new line.

Weatherford will be the next meet ing place for the annual Central Tex. as Methodist conference, it was de cided at the session in Cisco last week. The invitation was accepted over the bid of Graham in Youns County.

little tongue is coated. ish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup. Advertisement.

Most of work's wear and tear on a man comes from his going to it all frazzled out by his play.

Upset Stomach. Gas, Indigestion

"Pape's Diapepsin" gives **Relief in Five Minutes**

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for Indigestion, Gases, Flatulence. Heartburn, Sourness, Fermentation or Stomach Distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief and shortly the stomach is corrected so you can eat favorite foods without fear. Large case costs only few cents at drug store. Millions helped annually .- Advertisement.

There is nothing slow about some fellows until you want them to pay back a loan.



Five Years of Surpassing Excellence.

All who suffer with nervous dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver, dizziness, headaches, coming up of food, wind on stomach, palpitation and other indications of digestive disorder, will find Green's August Flower an effective and most efficient remedy. For fiftyfive years this medicine has been successfully used in millions of households all over the civilized world. Be cause of its remarkable merit and widespread popularity Green's August Flower can be found today wherever medicines are sold .- Advertisement.

Solomon couldn't have had 700 wives if his subjects hadn't thought that was all right.

For your daughter's sake, use Red Cross Ball Blue in the laundry. She will then have that dainty, well-groomed appearance that girls admire .--- Advertisement.

Don't believe the man who vows he likes you, or the girl who says she doesn't.



The nicest cathartic-laxative to tonight will empty your bowels comphysic your bowels when you have

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Ieadache	Billiousness
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Dizziness	Sour Stoma

pletely by morning and you will feel splendid. "They work while you sleep." Cascarets never stir you up or gripe like Salts, Pills, Calomel, or Oil, and they cost only ten cents e or two a box. Children love Cascarets too.



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FOLKS WHO LIVE THE LONGEST.

that longevity belongs to no certain class nor results from following set rules. He says that certenarians may be found both amid squalor and sanitation, and that many are illiterate. But the men and women discussed here have all come of good families; all have had good basic education; have lived much of their lives out doors; were temperate in habits, and have kept themselves occupied. They are neither very wealthy nor very poor. None of these centenarians wants an injection of monkey glads to become youthful again. They oppose artificial stimulant. "It isn't how long we live," they chorus. "Extending our lives 20 or 300 years might slow us down to the life of a turtle. We prefer to live while we live.'

From all of which it would seem at the age of 85. that the human being who is likely thought and action; who lives for the joy of living and has the freest indulgence of his or her own philosophy of human existence, nourished by faith in God and fellow man, and an abundance of human kindness. For love is life, saith the preacher. In all events, it seems that great mental activity of the right sort tends and the prophets and the preachers and the philosophers usually are rewarded with long life.

BROWN CO. WELL COMES

STEAM DRYING EQUIPMENT

A drying room with steam pipe Mrs. W. C. Wilkinson was the smaller drying compartment especially arranged for that purpose. Settle has spared no expense in DG GASER BRUGT IN preparing to properly handle the work, and certainly deserves a good

equipment was added to the Settle lucky winner, holding No. 7, in the Tailor Shop last week, which now contest for the fancy velvet quilt, makes that plant one of the most conducted by Mrs. L. J. Harder. complete in the country. In addition Mrs. Harder wishes to express her to this improvement the ship was apprecition of good help extended already equipped with two modern by the ladies, which enabled her to steam presses and a pleating and dispose of this quilt. It was a fine accordion machine, the products piece of work, which required a long from the latter machine are dried in and tedious labor to complete.

MRS. W. C. WILKINSON

AWARDED FANGY OUTLT

NEAR CLYDE LAST WEEK

The Clyde Callahan Oil Co's. woody No. 1, 22 miles northeast of Ciyde, came in a big gasser late Wednesday afternoon. One of the workmen smelled gas and struck a match and threw it in the hole, the gas exploding and knocking the driller off his stool.

It is impossible to estimate the amount of gas as it is a 15 icch hole with several big caves. It is believed that if the gas were confined in small casing that there would be heavy pressure.

There are also splendid' indications for oil. The well is about 1100 feet deep with nearly 1000 feet open hole. Drilling was continued Thursday morning .- Clyde Enterprise.

To Whom It May Concern.

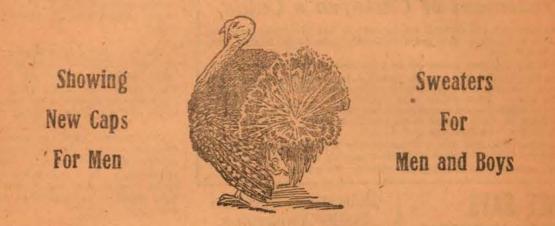
The law now requires every person or firm doing business under an assumed Lame, to file with the county clerk an affidavit setting out the name or names of each individual concerped or interested in said firm or Co. An assumed name is any name other than the real name or names of the owners of the concern, such as John Doe & Co., or Bros. Etc.

There is now on the statues a law requiring hotels, resturants, cafes, dairys, bakery or any public eating houses to have all employes examined and given a health certficate. If this concerns you please attend to it at your earliest convenionce-L. W. Green Count Atty, Callahan Co., Texas.

After attending the Confederate Reunion in Chattanooga, L. D. Boyd and H. W. Kingsbery made visits to their boyhood homes, the former's terests, right, title, claim and ad- being in South Carolina, and the vantages of and in said orange, to- latter,s in Georgia. One coincidence gether with all its rind, juice, pulp of the trip may be of interest to Mr. and pits, and all rights and advantages Boyd's friends; after an absence of

HIGGINBOTHAMS

A good business earns friends as well as dividends. Our policy of raising quality and lowering prices has brought us patrons and does much advertising for us.



THANKS

Wearing Aparel That Will Meet the Requirements of Thanksgiving-

WARM BLANKETS

Are doubly interesting these days, as gifts and for use in your own home, Wonderful assortment of colors. Prices appealing.

LADIES' SUITS AND DRESSES

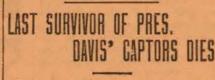
That have those snappy effects for Thanksgiving, consisting of tricotine and serge. Prices reasonable.

When the Winter Winds Blow-

It's time for that overcoat. Prices ranking from \$17.50 to \$32.50. An early selection is advisable.

\$350,000 OFFER FOR HALF OF \$10,000 LEASE

L. C. Turman and Roy Jenkins have been offered \$350,000 for a half interest in their 53-acre lease, An expert on longevity declares in the Mexia field, by the Texas Company. They have a well drilling at a depth of about 1200 feet on this lease. Turman & Jenkins bought this lease six weeks ago for \$10,000. The completion of the Coyle et al Carter well as a big gusher and the Humphreys' Hester Ross as a big producer last week makes this property more valuable, as it is now considered within the proven zone of big production.



Chas. T. Hudson, the last survivor who aided in the capture of Jeff Davis, Presideut of the Southern Confederacy, June 2, 1865, died last week at his home in Brooklyn,

Hudson was promoted to a lieuteto live the longest is the one who nant colonel for the part he took in has the greatest amount of common the capture of the Confederate sense; who is the most normal in leader. He was born in Chenango county, N. Y.

Circumlocution.

If a man were to give another an orange he would simply say. "I gave you this orange;" but when the transaction is intrusted to a lawyer to put in writing he adopts this form: toward longevity. The great poets "I hereby give and convey to you, all and singular. my estate and in-

IN 300 TO 400 BARRELS

The Cox well, situated on the County field, was given a 30 quart shot Tuesday night of last week, following which it is claimed the hole filled with oil to a depth of 1000 feet in one hour. It is pronounced by experts as the best well struck in that fleld so fa: and the flow, estimated at 300 to 400 barrels per day.

It is reported from Brownwood that Hoena and Evans'and associates have secured a large tract of acreage in the north part of the county, which they intend to develop immediately.



therein, with tull power to bite, cut, fifty years he found himself in the suck and otherwise eat the same, room where he was born seventy-six or give the same away with or withyears ago that day. The home was out the rind; skin, juice, pulp or pits, built one hundred and sixteen years anything hereinbefore or hereinafter ago, and is still in good state of Copeland tract in the North Brown or in any other deed, or deeds, in- preservation, being occupied at

nature or kind soever to the contrary

strument or instruments of whatever present,-Santa Anna News, The Exact Place

> Judge-Did you strike this man in an excessiof irascribility? Sambo-No, suh. I done hit him in de stummick.

> To move a ton of corn over one railroad line from Ft. Worth to Dallas now costs more than it did seven years ago to move the same com. modity from Amarillo to Beaumont over two or more lines .- Farm and R nch.

> "Fame is a bubble," quoted the wise Guy. "That generally comes from blowing your own horn, added the Simple Mug.

There comes a time in the life of every man when he wishes somebody would steal his car and get safely away with it.

"Why do they call it her cominout party?" "Because her poor old dad is wondering how he will come out after all the bills are paid."

Alaska has millions of mosquitoes, but not one single house tly. This is the informatin that is brought back from that territory by Dr. J. M. Aldrich of the United States National Museum who made an insect survey there this summer.

WEAR A SWEATER

You'll find that good advice when you take out the car, go hiking, hunting or for any other out-of-door pleasures. Ranging from \$4.50 to \$7.50.

Goed heavy, fleece-lined Gaunklet Gloves. Just the thing for cold weather driving.

- Men's Suits for Thanksgiving

Throughout this department you'll find suits of the very latest styles, and newest of patterns. Suits for the elder gentleman. as well as the young, at prices that are worth considering.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Call on our grocery department for anything that's necessary for that turkey or any other dinner. Free delivery to any part of the city

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have it.

Notice We are pleased to announce that we have The Garner-Alvis Co., Gorman, Texas, and the Dependable To the Public-I have severed my taken the agency for the Nash Automobile. connection with the W. R. Pickering Store, DeLeon, Texas, will bring to Cross Plains for two days In this iine we have body designs, and some Lumber Co., and am no longer only, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 25 and 26, a complete line of are built in four and six cylinders, see us their representative. Ladies' Ready-Tu-Wear, consisting of a wonderful assortment of W. D. Baldwin. when in the market for a car. 1 the very newest creations in Suits. Dresses, Coats, Blouses, Pet-We can also make immediate delivery on "Have much rain in your section ticoats, Bloomers, in fact a complete line. during the summer?" "Not much. one Dodge Touring and one Dodge Roadster Also the prettiest, snappiest line of Men's Clothing you have Just enough to spoil the picnics withthe above are both 1922 models. cut doing the farmers any good." ever had the pleasure of looking through, the very best standard Lee Tires and Tubes lines being shown. Willie-"Ma, what do they mean R. C. Chandler and Geo. McLain, Mechanics by a 'measured tread'?" Mama-FOR THE OIL MEN-Many of our best numbers in Corduroy For example, your father's tread and Leather Vests; also complete line of Sweaters. Don't miss when he came home last night ORRELL & CARTER this opportunity. measured about two quarts." Two Days Only, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 25-26 Card of Thanks. GEO. H. WHEEL To those who so kindly assited us Experienced Sales Ladies and Salesmen to Show You Through either by word or deed expressing sympathy and love during our re-LOCATION cent experience of grief, upon the death of our husband and father, we ATOMOTIVE New Masonic Building, Just North of the Postoffce desire to express our heartfelt thanks and to assure you of our appreciation ELECTRIC WORKS of the many tokens of tenderness THE and sympathy, and pray that God may bless you all. Automobile Repair Shop STOR ABLE Mrs. Georee Koenig and family. ALL STORES GLOSED Service Station Willard Batteries INKSGIVING DAV The Dependable Store Garner-Alvis Co. All Classes of Battery Work, Battery Accessories DeLeon, Texas Gormon, Texas In view of it being a national Starting, Lighting, Ignition and Generator Work holiday, both banks were closed on Thursday of this week, and by **Electrical Accessories** agreement all the stores and many VERY REASONABLE other places of business were closed P. O. Box 343 CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS for the day.

SUPERINTENDENT KING CHINA IS SEEKING **ELEVEN IN FUNERAL** TENDERS RESIGNATION CORTEGE ARE KILLED

TWO INJURED ALSO AS FLYER STRIKES AUTO IN THICK FOG AND SNOW

BODIES ARE BADLY MANGLED

Victims and Small Pieces of Car Found Scattered Along Track for Some Distance

Chicago, Ill .- A fast Atcheson, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad express train, plowing through a thick fog and flurrying snow Saturday crashed into the second of two automobiles forming the funeral procession of 2year-old Emily Ziemanin at a crossing near Summit, Ill., killed 11 persons, injured two and so demolished the car that not a piece of it bigger than in man's arm could be found.

The car was crowded with funeral attendants, the casket being in a car ahead.

The bodies of eight of the victims were terribly mangled and carried along the tracks for some distance.

The train, pulled by two engines, traveled nearly a mile before it could be brought to a stop. Richard Bartlett and George Tincher, the engimeers, and John Hauck, one of the firemen, are from For Madison, Iowa. The other fireman, Albert Swanson, lives in Chicago.

The scene of the accident is 14 miles west of Chicago.

Parts of the victims' bodies and fragments of the machine were strewn along the track for nearly a mile. The accident occurred at a bend in the road and it is thought the driver was unable to see the approaching train on account of a driving snowstorm.

Not even the license plate could be found in the wreckage to identify the car. The largest piece of the wrecked automobile measured no more than four feet long.

FUNDS TO BE ASKED FOR HELIUM PLANT

For Worth Making Efforts to Keep Place Running and Save Loss

Fort Worth, Texas .- The entire city of Fort Worth is aroused over news from Washington telling of the exhausting of funds available for operating the Government helium plant at Fort Worth and the proposed closing of the plant Nov. 30. Every effort will be made to keep the plant in operation so that what has already been accomplished will not be lost, Roscoe Ady, industrial commissioner of the Chamber of Commerce, declared.

A hurried conference of business men, city officials and officials of the Chamber of Commerce was called for Saturday and plans for immediate action necessary for the retention of the plant were worked out behind closed doors. Following the meeting it was announced that pressure would be brought to bear on certain Washington navy officials in an attempt to keep the plant in operation during the winter months.

GIVES REASONS IN LENGTHY LETTER TO COWELL COVER-ING MANY PHASES.

Gatesville, Texas .- Superintendent C. E. King of State Juvenile Training School Friday tendered his resignation to become effective in sixty days, in a letter to S. B. Cowell, chairman of the State Board of Control.

"Hon. S. B. Cowell, chairman, State Board of Control, Austin, Texas, esteemed sir:

"This letter conveys to you my resignation as superintendent of the State Juvenile Training School, effective at the end of the sixty-day period from the date hereof which the law contemplates that I should have while making arrangements to server my connection, and that you should have within which to perfect your plans in regard to my successor. "I do not intend to discuss now

the false charges of excesses and cruelties by which the institution and its management have been assalled. As the men in this State best qualified and best informed you have vindicated the institution and myself.

"My second reason proceeds from considerations for your welfare. I am unwilling that on my account you shall be required to pay the price of your own peace of mind or, possibly, be required to enter a vexatious and expensive contest to maintain your position. I do not desire to embarrass you.

"Until the 24th day of September. 1921, for nearly even years, praise of the institution and its work was widespread and general. Many familiar with the institution did little less than marvel at its success.

"Operating amidst, if not under, the influences above mentioned, the Governor entered in. He commissioned one who has been much heralded as the Governor's personal representative to take active part in the whole affair. This representative was and had been for many years politically opposed to me; he was active in the early days of the investigation. He fell and naturally resconded to the public excitement which attended the mere announcement of such an act as the killing of a boy by a man while the boy was helpless in his power." "Concede, if it is desired, that this

representative of the Governor tried and industrial opportunity for all Na ence of storms does not prove that we to cast aside all prejudice and to resist all influences toward passion, it would be but natural if he did not succeed. At any rate, his role through- NEFF NAMES CURETON out was that of a prosecutor, along with Mr. Johnson of the board, who shared all his labors with him, and this representative finally announced that he was a prosecutor. This is the man who prepared the report upon which Governor Neff hame up his conclusion, or fortified those already held, and if he has read the record, which I doubt, it was in this frame of mind and from this point of view."

ANTI-BEER BILL NOW **GOES TO PRESIDENT**

Washington .- Congressional action on legislation to prohibit the medical you the position of Chief Justice of prescription of beer and other malt the Supreme Court of Texas made liquors was completed Friday through vacant by the resignation of Judge revealed it unto him. There is no adoption by the Senate, 56 to 22, of Nelson Phillips."

PLAN WOULD ADOPT OPEN DOOR POLICY AND BAN ALL SECRET PACTS.

Washington .- The Washington conference has turned to consideration of Far Eastern questions with almost the same momentum with which it tackled the question of naval armaments.

The Chinese delegates led the way this time. In the committee of nine at which all Nations participating were represented, they produced a basis of discussion which represents their views.

The open sympathy of the United States with their position was at once manifest. The British supported it in many respects. The positions of the others were not so clearly defined, although members of the Japanese delegation have given expression of approval, in part at least, of

China's "bill of rights." In brief, China wants guarantees for territorial integrity and political and administrative independence; she friends, Aristarchus and Luke, ure proposes the open door for all in all parts of the country; she wants all spheres of influence relinquished; she (v. 7). wants no treaties made affecting her

The full extent of China's proposition is much broader than that, but these are the essentials. The last the Anglo-Japanese alliance, although the British take an opposite view.

United States for many years as the they bound great cables around the backbone of a real settlement of Oris ship to strengthen it for the storm; ental problems, Saturday was indors- they lightened the ship by bringing ed by the nine powers represented down from the masts and rigging evin the conference on arms limitation erything that was superfluous; and

voiced in the committee on Far East- this seemed to be of no avail, so that ern questions, which is in reality the all hope of being saved was removed. entire arms conference.

tives of the powers-Japan, Great gium and Holland-arose and indors; ed the "open door." The United the "open door"-equal commercial tions-should be strictly observed.

AS CHIEF JUSTICE

Austin, Texas .- Governor Neff has appointed Attorney General C. M. Cuerton as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas to succeed to General Cureton, who is in Washington appearing before the United States Supreme Court on a case involving the State of Texas. The text of the message is as follows:

"As a tribute to your sterling worth as a man and in recognition of your splendid services as Attorney General of Texas, I hereby tender to



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LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 27

PAUL'S VOYAGE AND SHIPWRECK

LESSON TEXT-Acts 27:1-44. GOLDEN TEXT-I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.-II Tim. 1:12. REFERENCE MATERIAL - II Cor. II.23-28: Phil. 4:12, 18. PRIMARY TOPIC-The Story of a Ship-

Wreck. JUNIOR TOPIC-Paul in a Shipwreck. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC -Storm and Shipwreck. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC -Paul's Power Over Men.

I. A Stormy Voyage (vv. 1-20).

1. The ship. Λ ship of Alexandria sailing from Myra to Italy. 2. The company. Two of Paul's permitted to go with him. Besides these three there were 273 in the ship

3. The storm. The ship made little without being consulted about them? headway on account of unfavorable winds. Paul advised that they winter in Fair Havens (vv. 9-12), but his advice was unheeded. The gentle south feature may be construed as affecting wind deceived them, so they loosed from Crete, only to be soon overtaken by the tempestuous wind, called Eu-

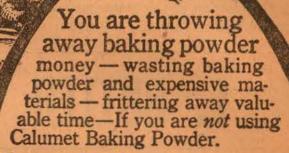
roclydon. They did everything pos-Washington .- The "open door" in sible to save the ship. They took up China, consistently advocated by the the boat which was towed behind; and Far Eastern questions. The approval of this principle was ship itself were thrown overboard. All It seemed that wicked men and ma-One after another, according to an terial forces were combined to preofficial communique, the representa- vent the great apostle from reaching Rome, However, this is only appar-Britain, France, Italy, Portugal, Bei- ent, for these very experiences were overruled by God to bring good cheer and salvation to many on the way. States and China, in previous meet- We should remember that tempestuings, had reiterated, their belief that ous winds, as well as the soft breezes, swait God's faithful ones. The presare going the wrong way. 11. Paul's Secene Faith (vv. 21-26).

To a man who did not know God, the failure of the sun and stars to shine for many days, the fading of all hope, was natural; but to the man of faith, hope still burns brightly. God Is just as near to His own in the midst of a stormy sea as in their quiet homes. Note Paul's behavior:

1. His rebuke for their failure to Judge Nelson Phillips, resigned. The heed his advice at Fair Havens (v. appointment was made in a telegram 21). This was not a mere taunt, but a reference to the wisdom of his former advice urging them to give him a more respectable hearing.

2. Bids them he of good cheer (v. 22). He inspired them with hope. 3. He promises them safety (v. 22). Though the ship would go to pieces.

every man's life would be saved. 4. The source of his information (vv. 23, 24). The angel of God had darkness of storm that can shut out he angels. God's ministering se



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Jugglers Amused Monarchs. In the Sixteenth century the king of England had his own private juggler, known in India, and would be a scanjust as he had his "whipping boy" and dal to the sect. The sagacity, activity his jester. 'The king's juggler in the and commercial enterprise of the Partime of Henry VIII, which was the sees are proverbial in the East, and first half of the Sixteenth century, got their credit as merchants is almost six shillings and eightpence a year for unlimited. Because of intermarriage his efforts to amuse the king and his the race has dwindled down to 75,000, court, the same as the king's bear- and for some time there has been a ward received. In the reign of serious difference among the Parsees James I, half a century after Henry on the question of proselytism. A VIII, there was a famous juggler in Parsee married a French woman, who London who combined tight-rope walk- took the necessary steps to adopt the This was exactly as the Lord had ing with jugglery. He performed on a rope stretched between the steeple decreed by the high court of India of St. Giles' church and the Cross. Shakespeare's plays contain several theoretically admitted proselytes, references to juggling, which show that he was familiar with the tricks with the practice of the Parsees in of the performers.

Parsee Race Dying Out.

RIOTERS IN BOMBAY KILL SIX PERSONS

Prince of Wales' Visit is Occasion for General Disturbance There

Bombay.-Six more deaths and scores of wounded have resulted from renewed fierce rioting here, the initial outbreak of which featured the arrival of the Prince of Wales for his tour of India.

The fighting, which was controlled only after troops were compelled to fire many shots, was of a very determined nature and took on the character of a protest against Europeans.

The military has been in control of the disaffected districts ever since sanguinary disturbances occurred simultaneously with the arrival of the British throng heir.

Tweive Killed By Storms.

Little Rock, Ark .- Twelve persons were killed, thirty or more injured and considerable property damage done by two tornadoes which struck in widely separted parts of this state Thursday night. One storm near Mena, in the extreme western part of the State, wiped out a family of eight persons. Another storm striking lumber camp near Arkadelphia killed one person, injured twenty-four others and then skipped north to a point near Malvern, where three more persons were killed and a number injured.

Rain Falls In Several Places.

Dallas-Reports from various places in Texas Thursday Indicated that the long drouth has been broken by copious local rains. Several sections reported heavy rainfall,

Shoemakers to Take Wage Cut

Lynn. Mass .- Conferences have becun between shoe workers here and their employers who are trying to put through a wage reduction without which they claim they can not make shoes at prives low enough to meet Western competition. The unions, as their plans to meet the situation, have agreed to accept the proposed wage cut which takes off a bonus of 121/2 to 20 per cent being paid under the present wage agreement, for two months.

the conference report. The legislation, which would also

put additional "teeth" in the national prohibition enforcement code, now goes to the President, the House having acted last August.

The bill will set aside the ruling by former Attorney General Palmer who, two days before he retired, advised the prohibition enforcement officials that there was nothing in the Volstead act to prohibit the prescription of beer and light wines for medicinal purposes.

The bill limits physicians to 100 prescriptions for vinous and spirituous liquor each three months and specifies that not more than a quart of spirituous or vinous liquors containing in the aggregate not more than one-half pint of alcohol may be prescribed for one person in ten days.

WISE COUNTY MAN **IS STATE TREASURER**

Decatur, Texas .- Former State Senator C. B. Terrell of Wise County left for Austin Friday morning in response to a summons from Governor Neff tendering him the appointment of State Treasurer. It is understood that State Treasurer G. N. Holton has tendered his resignation and that the Governor has asked Senator Terrell to take the position. Announcement of the appointment has not been made officially from Austin.

Mr. Holton, the retiring State Treasurer, it is understood, will accept a position in teh fire prevention division of the State Fire Insurance Commission.

Texas Has 3,500 Dependent Children.

Corsicana, Texas .- O. Minatra. superintendent of the State Orphans' Home in Corsicana, recently sent out a questionnaire to orphanage heads over the State from which the following facts were deducted: That 3,500 dependent children are now in the orphanages of various kinds in Texas and that 1,500 were denied admission lat year, making a total of 5,000 helpless children in Texas. More than \$4,000,000 is invested in orphan. age property in Texas

Attorney General only since 1919. He was appointed First Assistant in 1913 under B. F. Looney, then Attorney General, and served in that capacity until elected to his present office in 1919.

KEELING ADVANCED TO ATTORNEY GENERALSHIP

Austin, Texas .- Attorney General C. M. Cureton has accepted the position as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas and Governor Neff has named First Assistant Attorney General Walter A. Keeling to be the Attorney General of the State. Judge Keeling did not announce his successor as first ed presently, and at once took steps assistant, but it will be either E. F. Smith of Snyder, Scurry County, or W. P. Dumas of Terrell, both assistants in the department at this time. The preference may be given Mr Smith because he has been engaged is the all-powerful incentive to human in the general practice for the department and is familiar with the details the means for their accomplishment. of outstanding litigation while Mr. Dumas has made an enviable record as dition of the people was not the most assistant in charge of bond matters favorable for the physical struggle for the last several years and devot ing himself exclusively to that work.

Labor Dispute Is Settled

tor. Both sides pledged themselves good of the town.

Plan To Divide Milam County.

Thorndale, Texas,-That Milam County should be divided and a separate county formed of that part of the county south of Little River seems to be the concensus of opinion of large as well as small taxpayors of this section following the action of the County Judge and Commissioners' Court at Cameron recently in refusing a petition of 300 residents of this making it grow in faith. Then dost section for the appropriation of \$15. 000 toward a bridge across the Brazos River near Gause.

partment since 1913, but has been ants, from those who believe and obey. 5. The reason of Paul's calm faith (v. 23), "Whose I am and whom I serve."

III. The Ship's Crew All Safe on Land (vv. 27-44).

said. We can rest assured that all God has spoken shall come to pass, even though there he a broken ship, brutal soldiers and a perfidious crew. Aside from the fulfillment of God's promise, the most important part of this section is the splendid sanity which characterizes Paul's action on the way. Two things especially mark his sanctified common sense.

1. His vigilance had detected that the sailors had planned to escape. ' He knew how much they would be needto prevent their escape. He went straight to the man in charge and said, "Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved." He practiced the truth that genuine reliance upon God action. God's decrees always include 2. He knew that the famishing conwhich was soon to be undergone by them when they must struggle through the water to the shore. So he gets them to take a substantial breakfast. Palestine, Texas .- The two years He had the good sense to look after or more of ill feeling between organ. that which was necessary. It was no ized labor and the open shop organi- time to talk to these men about their zation was settled Friday before Dis. souls, for their bodies needed the main trict Judge Bishop, acting as arbitra. attention. His prayer for that meal had more effect upon the people than to wipe out all unjust discriminations his preaching would have had. Let and to pull together for the common us learn from this the divine method of administration, namely, God overruling while man trusts Him and acts. A vigorous faith manifests itself in reasonable action.

> What is this bread, O my God1 ft is not merely the support which Thy providence supplies for the necessities of life; it is also the nour ishment of truth which Thou givest each day to the soul. It is the bread of eternal life, giving it vigor, and renew it every day

Sea Otter Always Eagerly Sought

The sea otter's story is dark with strife, tragedy and adventure. Fiercely whole northwestern ocean seems to on one's fingers. As the quest of the clove spurred the merchant adventurers of Venice and of London to the conquest of the East, so it was the pursuit of the sea otter rather than geographies that led old Vitus Bering into the North, out upon the sea which bears his name, and at last to a lonely had the unhappy faculty of kindling avarice. All who heard mariners' tales of sea otter hunting longed to go and a single skin would bring.

According to Rule.

The Guest-I notice that hat boy always brushes my clothes before handing me my hat.

The Head Walter-Certainly, sir! How else would he find out if you had any change left?

The Care of Jewels.

It is stated by good authority that a belt, made for the purpose, around fortable. The worst possible way is that she belongs to the ten per cent. to put them in a jewel case. The business of duplicating strings of pearls is at present a profitable industry of the Riviera towns. The imitations are worn and the genuine checkers so's he can be sociable withare kept in the safe.

religion of her husband. But it was that, though the creed of Zoroaster their admission was not consistent, Indla.

Work of an Earthquake,

An earthquake that shook India not so long ago was remarkable for the hunted prizes, they are gone today curiously distorting effects it profrom the shores of California, and the duced upon standing objects. Similar effects have been noticed from other hold no more than could be counted earthquakes, but seldom to so striking an extent. In an official report in the matter it is described how this earthquake twisted a lofty monument at Chatak. The monument was an obelisk of brick, coated with plaster, a longing to correct the world's more than sixty feet tail and twelve feet square at the base. About sixty feet of the top were broken off and thrown to the south, and nine feet neath on a desert island. The creature more were thrown to the east. Then a piece 20 feet in height was separated, 23 feet above the ground, and twisted in a direction opposite to the seek themselves the riches which even motion of the hands of a watch, but without falling.

A Painless Extraction.

Dr. Yankum, the Dentist-Yes, I generally prescribe a stimulant for a patient who has a tooth extracted. Mr. Wetmore-You'll find eight teeth on this plate. Gimme eight prescriptions,

Not Guilty.

A Chicago professor is authority for the safest way to carry jewels is in the statement that 90 per cent of the women in the United States are homethe waist. This is not exposed and ly. Well, what about it? We defy is secure, if reasonable care is taken any person to find one woman in this in adjusting it, and it is not uncom- country who does not secretly believa

Jud Tunkins,

Jud Tunkins says the postmaster in his town has to play an awful lot of out talking politics.

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REAL MONEY.

Synopsis, - Captain Phineas P Scraggs has grown up around the docks of San Francisco, and from mess boy on a river steamer, risen to the ownership of the steamer to the ownership of the steamer Maggie. Since each annual in-spection promised to be the last of the old weatherbeaten vessel. Scraggs naturally has some diffi-Scraggs naturally has some diffi-culty in securing a crew. When, the story opens, Adelbert P. Gib-ney, likable, but erratic, a man whom nobody but Scraggs would hire, is the skipper, Neils Haivor-sen, a solemn Swede, constitutes the forecastle hands, and Bart Mc-Guffey, a wastrel of the Gibney type, reigns in the engine room. With this motiey crew and his an-clent vessel. Captain Scraggs is engaged in freighting garden engaged in freighting garden truck from Balfmoon bay to San Francisco. The inevitable happens: he Maggie goes ashore in a fog assing vessel halling the wreck Mr. Gibney gets word to a towing company in San Francisco that the ship ashore is the Yankee Prince. with promise of a rich salvage. Two tugs succeed in pulling the Maggie into deep water, and she slips her tow lines and gets away in the fog. Furious at the decep-tion practiced on them. Captains Hicks and Flaherty. commanding the two tugboats, ascertain the identity of the "Yankee Prince" and, fearing ridicule should the and, facts become known along the wa-ter front, determine on personal vengeance. Their hostile visit to vengeance. Their nostlie visit to the Maggle results in Caplain Scraggs promising to get a new boiler and make needed repairs to the steamer. Scraggs refuses to fulfill his promises and Gibney and McGuffey "strike." With marvel-McGuffey "strike." With marvel-ous luck, Scraggs ships a fresh crew. At the end of a few days of wild conviviality Gibney and McGuffey are stranded and seek their old positions on the Maggie. They are hostillely received, but re-main On their way to San Fran-They are hostilely received, but re-main. On their way to San Fran-cisco they sight a derellot and Gib-ney and McGuffey swim to it. The derellot proves to be the Chesa-peake, richly laden, its entire crew stricken with scurvy. Scraggs at-tempts to tow her in, but the Mag-gie is unequal to the task and Gib-ney and McGuffey aldne, underney and McGuffey, alone, under-take to sail the ship to San Fran-

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CHAPTER VI .- Continued.

The ship lay in the wind, shivering. Mr. Gibney was here, there, everywhere, One minute he was dashing along the deck with a leading line, the next he was laying out aloft. He ordered himself to do a thing and then, with the pent-up energy of a thousand devils, he did it. The years of degra--dation as navigating officer of the Maggie fell away from him, as he sprang, agile and half-naked, into the shrouds a great, hairy demigod or sea-goblin he lay out along the yards and sprang from place to place with the old exultant thrill of youth and joy in his work. A word, a gesture, from Mr. -Gibney, and McGuffey would pounce on a rope like a bull-dog. With the nut it hard over. There being no after sail set the bark swung off readily on to her course, slipping through the water at a nice eight-knot speed. Ten miles off the coast, Mr. Gibney hung her up in the wind again, braced his vards with the aid of the winch and McGuffey, came about and headed north. At three o'clock she -cleared the lightship and wore around to come in over the bar, steering east by south, half-south, for Point Bonita She drew the full advantage of the wind now and over the bar she came, ramping full through the Gata with her yards squared, on the last of the flood tide.

hawsepipe. "Snub her gently, Mac, snub her geptly, an' give her the thirty-fathom shackle to the water's edge,' he warned McGuffey.

The bark swung until her bows were straightened to the ebb tide and with a wild, triumphant yell Mr. Gibney clasped the honest McGuffey to his perspiring bosom. The deed was done ! It was dark, however, before they

had all the sails snugged up shipshape. although in the meantime the quarantine launch had hove alongside, investigated, and removed those of the crew who still lived. Shortly thereafter the coroner came and removed the dead, after which Gibney and Mc-Guffey hosed down the deck, located some hard tack and coffee, supped and turned in in the officers' quarters. In the morning, Scab Johnny arrived in a launch with their other clothes (Mr. Gibney having thoughtfully sent him ten dollars on account of their old board bill, together with a request for the clothes), and when the agents of the Chesapeake sent a watchman to relieve them they went ashere and had breakfast. After breakfast, they called at the office of the agents, where they were complimented on their daring seamanship and received a check for one thousand dollars each. "Well, now," McGuffey declared, af-

ter they had cashed their checks, "Seein' as how I've become independently wealthy by following your lead, Adelbert, all I got to say is that I'm a-goin' to stick to you like a limper to What'll we do with our a rock. money?"

For the first time in his checkered career Mr. Gibney had a sane, sensible, and serious thought. "Has it ever occurred to you, Mac, how much nicer it is to have a few dollars in the bank, good clothes on your back, an' a credit with your friends? Me, all my life been a come-easy, go-easy, come-Sunday,-God'll-send-Monday sort o' feller, until in my forty-second year I'm little better'n a beachcomber. So now, when you ask me what I'm goin' to do with my money, I'll tell you. I'm going to save it, after first payin' up about seventy-five bucks I owe here an' there along the Front. I'm through drinkin' an' raisin' h-ll. Me for a savings bank, Bart,"

CHAPTER VII.

When Captain Scraggs, after abandoning all hope of salving the bark Chesapeake, returned to the Maggie, the little craft reminded him of nothing so much as the ward for the incorrigible of an insane asylum. Due to Captain Scraggs' stupidity and the general inefficiency of the Maggie, the new navigating officer was of the opinion that he had been swindled out of his share of the salvage, while the new engineer, furious at having been engaged to baby such a ruin as the Magfore-royal set. Mr. Gibney ran back to gie's boiler turned out to be, blamed narsimony for the loss of his share of the salvage. Therefore, both men aired with the utmost frankness their opinion of their employer. One word borrowed another until diplomatc relations were severed and, in the language of the classic, they "mixed it." They were fairly well matched, and, to the credit of Captain Scraggs be it said, whenever he believed himself to have a fighting chance Scraggs would fight and fight well, under the Tom-cat rules of fisticuffs. Following a bloody battle in the pilot house, he subdued the mate; following his victory he was still war mad, so he went to the engine-room hatch and abused the engineer. As a result of the day's events, both men quit when the Maggie was tied up at Jackson street wharf and once more Captain Scraggs was helpless. In his extremity, he wished he hadn't been so hard on Mr. Gibney and McGuffey, for he realized he could never hope to get them back until their salvage money should be spent. Godless and wholly irreclaimable as Mr. Gibney and Mr. McGuffey might sale, have been and doubtless were, each possessed in bounteous measure the sweetest of human attributes, to-wit a soft, kind heart and a forgiving spir it. Creatures of impulse both, they found it absolutely impossible to nour ish a grudge against Captain Scraggs, when, upon returning to Scab Johnny's boarding house, their host handed them a grubby note from their enemy. It was short and sweet and sounded quite sincere; Mr. Gibney read it aloud:

"If you can forgive him, I can, Gib." the rusty chain, singing through the "Well, he's certainly cleaned himself handsome, Bart. Telephone for a messenger boy," and Mr. Gibney sat down and wrote:

- Author of ----

WEBSTER-MAN'S

MAN,"

"THE VALLEY

of the

GIANTS,"

Etc.

"Scraggsy, old fanciful, we're square. Forget It and come to breakfast with us at seven tomorrow at the Marigold cafe. I'll order deviled lam kitneys. for three. It's alright with Bart also. "Yours, "Gfb."

This note, delivered to Captain Scraggs by the messenger boy, lifted the gloom from the latter's miserable soul and sent him bome with a light heart to Mrs. Scraggs. At the Marigold cafe next morning he was almost touched to observe that both Gibney and McGuffey showed up arrayed in dungarees, wherefore Scrazgs knew his late enemies purposed proceeding to the Maggie immediately after breakfast and working in the engine room all day Sunday. Such action, when he knew both gentlemen to be the possessors of wealth far beyond the dreams of avarice, bordered so close ly on the miraculous that Scraggs made a mental resolve to play fair in the future-at least as fair as the limits of his cross-grained nature would per-He was so cheerful and happy mit. that McGuffey, taking advantage of the situation, argued him into some minor repairs to the engine.

About nine o'clock, as Mr. Gibney was on his way to the Marigold Cafe for breakfast, he was mildly interested, while passing the Embarcadere warehouse, to note the presence of fully a dozen seedy-looking gentlemen of undoubted Hebraic antecedents, congregated in a circle just outside the warehouse door. There was an air of suppressed excitement about this group of Jews that aroused Mr. Gibney's curlosity; so he decided to cross over and investigate, being of the opinlon that possibly one of their number had fallen in a fit. He had once had an epileptic shipmate and was peculiarly expert in the handling of such cases

Now, if the greater portion of Mr. Gibney's eventful career had not been spent at sea, he would have known, by the red flag that floated over the door,



you get them?"

"Twenty-five cents up," was the answer. "You go it blind at an old horse sale, as a rule. Perhaps you get something that's worthless, and then again you may get something that has heaps of value, and perhaps you only pay half a dollar for it. It all depends on the bidding. I once sold an old horse to a chap and he took it home and opened it up, and what d'ye suppose he found inside?"

"Bots," replied Mr. Gibney, who a veterinarian, having spent a few months of his youth around a fivery stable.

greenbacks," replied the auctioneer. 'Of course they didn't have any value, but just suppose they'd been U. S.?'

"That's right," agreed Mr. Gibney 'I suppose the swab that owned the horse starved it until the poor animal figgered that all's grass that's green. As the feller says. 'Truth is sometimes stranger than fiction.' If you throw in a saddle and bridle cheap, I might he induced to invest in one of your old horses, shipmate."

The auctioneer glanced quickly at Mr. Gibney, but noticing that worthy's face free from guile, he burst out laughing.

"My sea-faring friend," he said presently, "when we use the term 'old horse,' we use it figuratively. See all this freight stored here? Well, that's never been called for by the consignees, and after it's in the warehouse a year and isn't called for, we have an old horse sale and auction it off to the highest bidder. Savey?"

Mr. Gibney took refuge in a lie. "Of course, I do. I was just kiddin' you. my hearty." 'Here Mr. Gibney's slance rested on two long heavy sugarine boxes, or phyping cases. Their joints at all four corners were cunsingly dove-tailed and wire-strapped.) "I was a bit interested in them two oxes, an' seein' as this is a free country, I thought I'd just step in an' make bid on them." and with the words, Mr. Gibney walked over and busied ttimself in an inspection of the two

crates in question. The fact of the matter was that so embarrassed was Mr. Gibney at the exposition of his ignorance that he lesired to hide the confusion evident n his sun-tanned face. So he stooped over the crates and pretended to be Exceedingly interested in them, hauling and pushing them about and reading the address of the consignee who and failed to call for his goods. The trates were both consigned to the Gin Sting company, 714 Dupont street, San Francisco. There were several Chinese characters scrawled on the top of each crate, together with the words, in English: "Oriental Goods."

As he ceased from his fake inspecion of the two boxes, the King of the Forty Thieves approached and surveyed the sailor with an even greater . emount of distrust and suspicion than ever. Mr. Gibney was annoyed. He' disliked being stared at, so he said: "Hello, Blumenthal, my bully boy. What's aggravatin' you?'

Blumenthal (since Mr. Gibney, in the sheer rlot of his imagination elected to christen him Blumenthal, the name will probably sult him as well as any other) came close to Mr. (iibney and drew him aside. In a hoarse whisper he desired to know if Mr. Gibney attended the auction with the expectation of bidding on any of rae packages offered for sale. Seeking to justify his presence, Mr. Gibney

"And are mey worth a whoop after Fair crazy to get 'en. Now, don't it stand to reason that them feliers knows what's in them boxes, or they wouldn't give me fifty dollars to haul ship? Of course, it does, However, in order to earn that fifty dollars, I got to back water. It wouldn't be playle fap if I didn't. But that don't prevent me from puttin' two dear triends o' mine (here Mr Gibney encircled Scraggs and McGuffey with an arm each) next to the secret which I discovers, an' if there's money in it for old Hooky that buys me off, it prided himself on being something of stands to reason that there's money in it for us three. What's to prevent you an' McGuffey from goin' up to this old horse sale an' biddin' in them "A million dollars in Confederate | two boxes for the use and benefit of Gibney, Scraggs an' McGuffey, all share an' share alike? You can bid as high as a hundred dollars, if necessary. an' still come out a thousand dollars to the good. I'm tellin' you

> two boxes." McGuffey was staring fascinated at Mr. Glbney. Captain Scraggs clutched his mate's arm in a frenzied clasp,

> this because I know what's in them

"What?" they both interrogated. "You two boys," continued Mr. Gibney with aggravating deliberation, 'ain't what nobody would call dummies. You're smart men. But the rouble with both o' you boys is you ain't got no imagination. Without imagination nobody gets nowhere, uness it's out th' small end o' th' horn. Maybe you boys ain't noticed it, but my imagination is all that keeps me from goin' to jail. Now, if you two had read the address on them two boxes, it wouldn't 'a' meant nothin' to Absolutely nothin'. But with me vou. it's different. I'm blessed with imagination enough to see right through them Chinaman tricks. Them two boxes is marked 'Oriental Goods' an' consigned (here Mr. Gibney raised a grimy forefinger, and Scraggs and Mc-Guffey eyed it very much as if they expected it to go off at any moment)them two boxes is consigned to the Gin Seng company, 714 Dupont street, San Francisco."

"Well, that's up in Chinatown, all right," admitted Captain Scraggs, "but how about what's inside the two crates?"

"Oriental goods, of course," said Mc-Guffey. "They are consigned to a Chinaman, an' besides, that's what It says on the cases, don't it, Gib? Orlental goods, Scraggs, is silks an' sating, rice, chop suey, punk, an' idols an' fan tan lavouts."

"If there ain't Swiss cheese move ments in that head block of yours. Mac, you and Scraggsy can divide my share o' these two boxes o' ginseng root between you. Do you get it, you chuckleheaded son of a Irish potato? Gin Seng, 714 Dupont street Ginseng -a root or a herb that medicine is made out of. The dictionary says it's a Chinese panacea for exhaustion, an' I happen to know that it's worth five dollars a pound an' that them two crates weighs a hundred and fifty pounds each if they weighs an ounce." His auditors stared at Mr. Gibney much as might a pair of baseball fans at the hero of a home run with two

strikes and the bases full. "Gawd !" muttered McGuffey. "Great grief, Gib! Can this be pos-

sible?" gasped Captain Scraggs. For answer Mr. Gibney took out his fifty-dollar bill and handed it to-to McGuffey. He never trusted Captain Scraggs with anything more valuable than a pipeful of tobacco.

"Scraggsy," he said solemnly, "I'm willin' to back my imagination with givised that it was his intention to my cash. You an' McGuffey hurry b'd on everything in sight; whereupon right over to the warehouse an' butt Flumenthal proceeded to explain to in on the sale when they come to them two boxes. The sale is just about startin' now. Go as high as you this: you can in order to get the ginseng at a profitable figger, an' pay the auctioneer fifty dollars down to hold the sale; that will give you boys time to rush around to dig up the balance o' the money. Tack right along now, lads, while I go down the street an' get me some breakfast. I don't want Blumenthal to see me around that sale, He might get suspicious. After I ent. I'll meet you here aboard th' Maggie, an' we'll divide the loot.' With a fervent handshake all around, the three shipmates parted. After disposing of a hearty breakfast of devilled lamb's kidneys and coffee. Mr. Gibney invested in a tencent Sailor's Delight and strolled down to the Maggie. Neils Halvorsen, the ione deckhand, was aboard, and the moment Mr. Gibney trod the Maggie's deck once more as mate, he exercised his prerogative to order Neils ashore for the remainder of the day, Since Halvorsen was not in on the ginseng deal, Mr. Gibney concluded that it would be just as well to have him out of the way should Scraggs and McGuffey appear unexpectedly with the two cases of ginseng.

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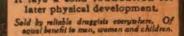
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As they passed Lime point, Mr. Gibney prepared to shorten sail and like a clarion blast his voice rang through the ship.

"Clew up them royals." He lashed the wheel and they brought the clewlines again to the winch head. The ship was falling off a little before the fore-royal was clewed up, so Mr. Gibney ran back to the wheel and put her on her course again while McGuffey brought the main-royal clewlines to the winch. Again Gibney made the wheel fast and helped McGuffey clew up the main-royal; again he set her on her course while McGuffey, following instructions, made ready to clew up the fore-to'-gallan'-s'l. They were abreast Black Point before this latter sail was clewed up, and then they smothered the lower top-s'ls; the bark was slipping lazily through the water and McGuffey took the wheel,

"Starboard a little! Steady-y-y! Keep her as she heads," Gibney warned and cast off the jib halyards. The libs slid down the stavs, hanging as they fell. They were well up toward Meiggs wharf now and it devolved upon Mr. Gibney to bring his prize in on the quarantine ground and let go his port anchor. Fortunately, the anchor was already cock-billed. Mr. Gibney sprang to the fore-top-sail halyards and let them go and the fore-top-sail came down by the vun.

"Hard-a-starboard : Make her fast, Bart, an' come up here an' help me with the anchor. Let go the main-topsail halyards as you come by an' stand by the compressor on the windlass." The Chesapeake swung slowly, broadside to the first of the ebb and with the wind on her port beam, Mr. Gibney knocked out the stopper with his trusty hammer and away went | son for sace."

"On Board the Maggie, Saturday night. Dear Friends:

I am sorry. You hurt me awful with your kidden when you took the Chesaneake away from me. To er is human but to forgive is devine. After what I done I don't expect you two to come back to work ever but for God's sake don't give me the dead face when we meat agin. Remember we been shipmates once.

"P. P. Scraggs."

"Why, the pore ol' son of a horse thief." Mr. Gibney murmured, much moved at this profound abasement. Of course we forgive him. It ain't manly to hold a grouch after the culprit has paid his fair price for his sins. By an' large, I got a hunch, Bart, that old Scraggsy's had his les-

"Hard-a-Starboard! Make Her Fast, Bart."

that a public auction was about to take place, and that the group of Hebrew gentlemen constituted an organization known as the Forty Thieves. whose business It was to dominate the bidding at all auctions, frighten off, or buy off, or outbid all competitors, and eventually gather unto themselves, at their own figures, all goods offered for

In the center of the group Mr. Gibney noticed a tall, lanky individual, evidently the leader, who was issuing instructions in a low voice to his henchmen. This Individual, though Mr. Glbney did not know it, was the King of the Forty Thieves. As Mr. Gibney luffed into view the king eyed him with suspicion. Observing this, Mr. Gibney threw out his magnificent chest, scowled at the king, and stepped into the warehouse for all the world as if he owned it.

An oldish man with giasces-the auctioneer-was seated on a box making figures in a netebook. Him Mr. Gibney addressed.

"What's all this here?" he inquired, erking his thumb over his shoulder at the group.

"It's an old horse sale," replied the auctioneer, without looking ap. Mr. Gibney brightened. He gianced

around for the stock in trade, but observing none concluded that the old horses would be led in, one at a time through a small door in the rear of the warehouse. Like most sailors, Mr. Gibney had a passion for horseback riding, and in a spirit of adventure he resolved to accuaint himself with the ins and outs of an old horse sale. "How much might a man have to give for one of the critters?" he asked. an' his gang wants them two boxes. spolis News,

Mr. Gibney how impossible it would tor him, arrayed against the Forty Thieves, to buy any article at a reasonable price. Further: Blumenthal desired to inform Mr. Gibney that his (Air. Gibney's) efforts to buy in the "old horses" would merely result in his running the prices up, for no beneficent purpose, since it was ever the practice of the Forty Thieves to pernrit no man to outbid them. Perhaps Mr. Gibney would be satisfied with a fa'r day's profit without troubling himself to hamper the Forty Thieves and interfere with their combination, and with the words, the king surreptitiously slipped Mr. Gibney a fifty-dollar greenback.

Mr. Gibney's great fist closed over the treasure, he having first, by a coy glance, satisfied himself that it was really fifty dollars. He shook hands withithe king. He said:

"Blumenthal, you're a smart man. I am quite content with this fifty to keep off your course and give you a wide berth to starboard. I'm sensible enough to know when I'm licked. an' a fight without profit ain't in my line. I didn't make my money that way, Blumenthal. I'll cast off my lines and haul away from the dock," and suiting the action to the figure, Mr. Gibney departed.

He went first to the Seaboard drug store, where he quizzed the druggist for five minutes, after which he continued his cruise. Upon reaching the Maggie, he proceeded to relate in detail, and with additional details supplied by his own imagination, the story of Lig morning adventure.

"Gib," said McGuffey enviously, "you're a fool for luck." "Luck." said Mr. Gibney, beginning

to expand, "is what the feller calls a relative proposition-"

"You're wrong, Gib," interposed Captain Scraggs. "Relatives is unlucky an' expensive. Take, fr Instance, Mrs. Scraggs' mother-"

"I mean, you lunkhead," said Mr. Gibney, "that luck is found where brains grow. No brain, no luck. No luck, no brains. Lemme illustraff. A thievin' land shark makes me a present o' fifty dollars not to butt in on them two boxes I'm tellin' you about. Him

"We'll open her up and inspect the swag."

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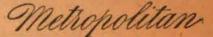
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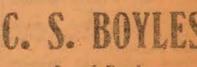
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