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Scientific railroad men are promising the world a speed of 150 miles an hour. This is slow compared to the travel some men are making toward shoe.—Dublin Telephone.

The Telephone editor has evidently been a spectator at a democratic state convention.

The middle of the roaders last week evolved a new party.—Hall Co. News.

They did nothing of the kind, but reaffirmed the principles that all populists have advocated all along, and because they do not propose to be dictated by little bonus hunting newspapers and fusion office seekers such prevarications as the above are freely indulged in. Another false statement by this class of cattle is that Gordon, of Sherman, who recently joined a Tammany club, had been a middle of the roader. He was nothing but a fusionist, voted for Corporationist Swill, of Maine, whom the more honest democrats even gagged at, and knowing that Texas populists will set down on his class, like a hungry dog that finds nothing else more palatable for an empty stomach, returned to his vomit.

#### PANHANDLE NEWS.

Ranch Chandler was held up and robbed of some \$12 or \$15 near Childers one night last week. On his complaint W. McCracken, M. Martin and L. Sexton have been arrested.

Hall Co. News.

W. P. Hedgecocke has purchased the Memphis hotel and will take charge of it in the near future. Mr. Stokes is talking of building a hotel.

Rev. W. M. Robinson succeeded in raising \$105 last Sunday, in a very few moments, with which to paint the new Presbyterian church, and the work of painting will begin Monday.

Mrs. Jack Mann stepped on a large wire nail last Saturday. The nail penetrating clear through her foot. The wound is very serious and she has suffered intensely therefrom.

D. A. Grundy made the sale of 370 lots this week to Jno. Gist and Lee Henderson. The lots were the property of W. D. Austin of Rockwall. Consideration not stated.

From Greer Co. Sun.

Some of our settlers have raised more cotton than they could gather.

Jim Van, a boy 14 years old, got his leg broke the other day by a load wagon running over him. The boy is getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. McArthur's little child died a few days ago with the Croup.

Thomas Waldroup was thrown from a horse and his arm broken a few days ago but is recovering rapidly.

James Bonine is talking of going to Alaska in the spring.

#### The Banking Monster.

Wm. Clark in New Time.

The great banking corporations have striven, ever since the civil war, for the exclusive right to issue paper money in the United States, with the government as their security. The secretaries of the treasury have acted as attorneys for the corporations, and have presented their claims "with unfailing regularity." Congress, under the influence of a powerful lobby, has favored the banks with much legislation; but the final conspiracy to destroy the greenbacks, and let the banks issue notes on the credit of the government, and levy tribute on the people forever, has been squelched in every Congress. The contest, of course, is to be renewed. Indeed, Secretary Gage is asking more for the banks than was asked by any of his predecessors; and the scheme by which the infamy is to be accomplished is so adroitly planned and nicely worded, that the conspirators feel certain of success. The "best banking system in the world," lauded by jejune journals and dilapidated politicians, is about to be remodeled.

The following are some of the things that Wall Street is asking through Secretary Gage:

First—That an Issue and Redemption Division be established, in which shall be held a reserve fund of 125 million dollars in gold, besides the money in the regular treasury.

Second—That the bonds now outstanding and which mature in the years 1904, 1907, and 1925, be refunded with bonds that are payable in gold instead of coin.

Third—That additional gold bonds be issued to the amount of \$200 million dollars for the purpose of redeeming greenbacks, silver certificates and treasury notes; that the tax on bank circulation be reduced 50 per cent., and that the banks shall be allowed to issue notes to the full face of their bonds.

Fourth—That banks may issue additional notes to the amount of 25 per cent. of their bonds, "which said 25 per cent. may be unsecured by any direct pledge of security, but issued against the assets of the bank," a tax of 2 per cent. being levied on unsecured circulation.

All other money being made redeemable in gold, this reserve fund of 125 million dollars would be used to redeem silver or whatever might be presented. The gold would have to be replenished from time to time by issuing more bonds. The secretary urges in defense of the second recommendation that the word "coin" is ambiguous. The great financiers know that coin means gold. But according to Mr. Gage, the "simpler and more humble investors" are in doubt, "and the public credit is the weaker therefor." It is remarkable that the makers of the dictionaries have not noticed that "coin" is a word of doubtful meaning.

Knowing that there is a strong feeling among the people against retiring the greenbacks, Mr. Gage says that they are not to be destroyed or even retired, but simply redeemed and held in the treasury, and given out again for gold, if any one offers gold for them. He contends further that this is not the same as canceling them. Little reflection is necessary, however, to see that this process is exactly and absolutely the same as burning the greenbacks; for when the greenback is again given out for gold, it simply becomes a gold certificate; and had it not been given out, a certificate would have taken its place. If they are to be used as gold certificates, why not make them over, or what would be more convenient, why not burn them, and make gold certificates out of other paper? This would not deceive the public.

The recommendation to allow banks to issue notes for 25 per cent

more than their bonds caps the climax of audacity, and the tax, it will be remembered, is to be decreased. If the new bonds are used as a basis for circulation, and if no banks issue more notes than the face of their bonds, the loss in tax to the government will be \$1,900,000 a year. The banks now organized would add 20 million dollars to their circulation, if they issue to par of bonds, or 70 million dollars if they issue all they can, without adding anything to their capital.

Who will be benefited by this gigantic swindle that will add 200 million dollars to our interest-bearing debt? The banks. Not the small banks, but the great corporations. The bonds would be taken in a day by the Wall Street gamblers, and the small banker, if he wants bonds, must pay a premium of about 20 per cent.

Mr. Gage's scheme, taken as a whole, means a gift to the great bankers of 200 million dollars; or, to be more exact, it means a present of the use of this amount for an indefinite time. The bankers are to give the government 200 million dollars in paper money (greenbacks), and the government is to return to the bankers 200 million dollars in paper money (bank notes), along with 200 million dollars in interest-bearing gold bonds. This is a good thing—for the bankers. Nor is that all. If the bankers get hard up, the government will issue to them 50 million dollars additional without security. In short, the bankers pay 200 million dollars in paper money and receive from the government 450 million dollars in paper money and bonds. This is the kind of legerdemain that is supposed to strengthen the credit of the government. Notwithstanding the bankers' contention that the government ought to go out of the banking business, the government is to be in the banking business, solely and wholly for the benefit of the banks. The banks issue the money, the government indorses their notes and makes them good; and the people borrow the bankers' promises to pay at 6 per cent. interest compounded quarterly. The government pays interest on its debts; the bankers receive interest on theirs.

The great underlying reason for this proposed measure for public plunder, if we may believe Mr. Gage, is to strengthen the public credit. If we make our bonds payable in gold, and offer, with each million of bonds, \$1,250,000 in paper money, good as gold, as an inducement to buyers, our bonds would "command the markets of the world."

Uncle Sam is to "confirm" his alleged promises to pay gold, such as greenbacks and silver, and promising to pay more gold with interest, and at the same time indorsing (guaranteeing) the notes to those to whom he promises to pay more gold. Of course, the gold can never be actually paid; but is always to be paid in new promises, with interest and multiplied indorsements for the banks.

In this marvelous system, no real gold will ever be needed. Gold bonds will always be eagerly sought, because of the paper money that goes with them.

But what is to be the outcome of this Quixotic legerdemain? Simply this, the establishing of a bond-holding aristocracy, with the special privilege of issuing money on the credit of government (the people) and wringing interest from the public not only on their assets, but on their liabilities; not only on their credits, but their debts. This aristocracy will literally "live on the interest of their debts;" and paradoxical as it may seem, the greater their debts the greater their wealth; because the greater their power to take tribute.

The whole scheme is only a refined method of laying tribute, a civilized mode of conquest, an enlightened style of subjugation. It is war with the cost of powder eliminated, and human agony intensified. It is automatic robbery by labor-saving machinery. It is a system of theft by proxy, under which the pennies of the poor take flight as if enchanted.

Since funding has given the bond eternal life, this composite Banking Monster—this hybrid issue of crossed corruptions—this mongrel offspring of fraud and bribery—will reach with greedy fingers down through coming time, and take the bread from the mouths of babes as yet unborn, to enrich the beneficiaries of the money issuing franchise—to feed the bond-holding aristocracy—to gorge the rapacious maw of special privilege.

#### Monthly Report of Clarendon Graded School.

During the scholastic month ending January the 28, twenty-seven new pupils have been enrolled in Clarendon public school, making a total enrollment for the term of about 240 pupils. We give below a list of the names of those pupils who are worthy of a place on the roll of honor for the month.

ROOM NUMBER ONE.	
SECOND GRADE	Marie Hoffer
Edith Clower	Mittie Kendall
Esie Taylor	Kittie Jones
Willie Jupe	Lelia Beaty
Joe Shelton	Ivy McLean
Marshall Cline	Willie Caraway
Willie Cline	Roy Stevens
Cecilia Garcia	Willie Caldwell
THIRD GRADE	
Willie Thompson	Clarendon Hildebrand
LULU WARD, teacher.	
ROOM NUMBER TWO.	
FOURTH GRADE	Joe White
Harwood Beville	Sylvester Dubba
Sims Burton	Gary Lane
Oscar Coulter	Desso Bowles
FIFTH GRADE	
James Barrett	Emma Buntin
Walter Berger	Mattie Robinson
Eric Clower	Ethel Kendall
Wesley Hall	Nellie McKillop
DONA SAYE, teacher.	
ROOM NUMBER THREE.	
SIXTH GRADE	Fanny Hoffer
Fred Chamberlain	Burle Jack
John McLean	SEVENTH GRADE
Abram Barrett	Clyde Caldwell
Minnie Beverly	Cooper Morgan
Maude McLean	Beulah Jones
Gracie Sibert	Bridgie Sullivan
ELIZABETH QUILLIAN, teacher.	
ROOM NUMBER FOUR.	
EIGHTH GRADE	TENTH GRADE
Eva Caraway	Ella Buntin
Willie Holman	Bessie Chamberlain
Ella Hampton	Flora McKillop
Lillie Jones	Lizzie Stevens
Dena Jupe	Josie Southern
Willie Jones	Eddie Hall
Ada Graves	Roy Stocking
Mary Sullivan	John Evans
Willie Clower	Willie McNeill
Guy Sparks	James Sherman
Walter Taylor	
W. R. SILVEY, teacher.	

#### School Thoughts.

Every young life which has for its highest ends a useful influential career, should possess the element of ambition coupled with faithfulness to duty.

One of the strong forces in the successful management of a public school is a board of trustees who are alive to every interest of the school, and are willing to make personal sacrifices for the public good. Clarendon has thus far been blessed.

Our public school will turn out a class of ten or eleven graduates this year. This ought to mark an epoch in the history of our school, and furnish an incentive to other pupils to prosecute their studies until they have completed the public school course.

Parents should remember that teachers make no claims to being perfect, but that they do claim to be reasonable, and are always willing and anxious to have the cooperation of parents in the management of their children. If parents wish to know how the school is progressing, they should visit it. We are always glad to have visitors.

We believe that the work done in the public school at this place will compare favorably with that of any school of like pretensions in this section of the state. The methods of instruction used in the different departments of the school are in line with the most advanced educational thought.

The teachers are not novices in the profession of teaching, while on the other hand they have not taught long enough to be satisfied with present attainments. The spirit of progress pervades all departments of the school.

The children of the school and their individual needs are being studied by the teachers. The teachers are doing what they conceive to be the best thing possible for each child under their charge. Progress of a thorough nature is being made in nearly all studies. The teachers of the public school are keeping the school abreast of the times, and in keeping with the material development of Clarendon. Our labors are being rewarded day by day, as the large crowds of orderly boys and girls come flocking to the school building filling every room to its utmost capacity. We ask the cooperation of every citizen of Clarendon, and especially of the patrons of the public school in the upbuilding and maintaining of the public school.

W. R. SILVEY, Principal.

#### Santa Fe Extension Again.

The frequent reports sent out from Washburn and Roswell of railroad projection has become so stale that people pay but little attention to them, but the following, coming from the source it does, will interest the plains people:

New York, Feb. 1.—Arrangements have been completed for the extension of "the Pecos Valley & Northwestern Railroad" company from Roswell, N. M., to Washburn, Tex., a distance of 208 miles, where it will connect with the Atchison system. A traffic agreement already has been entered into between these two companies, and when the new line is completed to Washburn the road will be 372 miles long.

Eugene Lee, the Waxahachie wife-murderer, was given a life sentence Thursday.

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Let us add to the suggestion of Judge Northrup of Syracuse, that convicts be obliged to wear no distinctive garb, the provision that they shall appear only in dress suits in the evening.

A daughter of Sorosis advises as a relief from mental strain the reading of Mr. Howells, while another daughter suggests football. Still another daughter shrieks "Seek equilibriums!" whatever that may be. Thus the effort of this heavenly body to relieve mental strain has brought about a state of chaos that is more melancholy than the original trouble and promises large additions to the asylums.

The shooting of Ruiz, peace commissioner from Blanco to Aranguen, at first glance looks like the assassination of a bearer of the white flag; but the commissioner who has instructions to bribe is meaner than any spy, and knows, as Ruiz said of himself, that he is going to his own death. There was great villainy in Weyer as governor-general; but his admiration of duplicity may oblige him to call his successor his lord and master.

"Bad spelling," says a scientist, "is a disease." It may be an inheritance also. It is not, however, necessarily evidence of ignorance. There are people without an ear for music, and there are those who have no ear for spelling. They may be thoroughly educated in other respects, and never be able to learn to spell correctly off-hand except as to words in constant use, and they may even have to relearn them every day. Let us remember that in many cases they are the victims not of ignorance but of an infirmity.

A Boston lady says, giving advice to her too-retiring sisters, "A shrinking self-effacement can in time be overcome by throwing out the chest and carrying the head high in a regal attitude of self-confidence." Yet it is humbly. It is fraud. A regal attitude of self-confidence is utterly impossible to a shrinking self-effacement. The trouble is that somebody always comes up to it and remarks "Boo!" in a rude manner, and immediately the regal attitude closes itself against the world like a sensitive plant. No, dear lady; you can't make marble out of cream.

The war reminiscences of the late Charles A. Dana, now in course of publication in one of the magazines, establish a fact that every person to whom profanity is an offense will be glad to hear. Mr. Dana saw much of General Grant during the most perplexing period of the civil war, and he asserts that he never heard the great Union leader utter a profane word. Mr. Dana himself was for many years a tireless worker in a field in which profanity is common. Every man who enjoyed the privilege of working near him will testify that in the midst of the exciting requirements of his duties Mr. Dana was guiltless of the sin and vulgarity of profanity.

The arguments for supporting the statement that we live in a great country include one based on the statistics of rainfall. A recent official document declares that rain probably falls every day in the year at one point or another in the United States. Some of the countries whose governments make a great stir in the world might almost be wet down with a good-sized American thunder-shower. We have territory large enough for several contemporaneous performances of this sort. Measured by rain or sunshine, the weather assets of the United States at any given moment are alike magnificent and impressive. As a part of the cumulative evidence to the truth of this assertion, it may be said that there is not a waking moment, in all probability, in which an umbrella is not being borrowed within our borders, to keep off the rain or the sunshine.

An excellent illustration of Shakespeare's oft-quoted "good in everything" is afforded by the disposition of the revenue derived by the French government from the tax on betting at horse-races. The proceeds of the tax last year exceeded seven and a half million francs, or more than a million and a half dollars. Among the good objects to which this money was appropriated were: Paris charities, seventy-five thousand dollars; provincial hospitals, three hundred thousand dollars; institutions making researches into methods of curing or preventing consumption, twenty-five thousand dollars; and sixteen thousand dollars for the erection of a hall for charity meetings in Constantinople. It is a pity that betting cannot be taxed out of existence; since that is not possible, the next best thing is to make the gamblers pay for good objects as far as the money that can be squeezed out of them will go.

Twelve thousand women stenographers and typewriters are at present employed in Chicago, which force will be augmented before spring by at least a thousand graduates from commercial colleges and neighboring localities. The outlook does not seem to be bright; yet while five dollars a week is a frequent salary, many positions of from sixty to seventy-five dollars a month go begging for want of competent women to fill them. One rule holds for all places and all professions; to do fairly well is to struggle with the crowd, but for her who excels there is always room.

## ENGLAND AND RUSSIA.

Russia Placing Her Marine Forces So as to Have Naval Strength.

New York, Feb. 2.—A dispatch from London says:

There was a startling dispatch from St. Petersburg yesterday. A correspondent there has had interviews with a Russian admiral, now chief of a squadron, and with an eminent Russian diplomatist. Their declarations, therefore, if true, have semi-official weight. Practically the declarations contain a menace on the part of Russia toward England that unless England chooses to acquiesce in the policy being pursued by Russia in the far east, war is inevitable. If this dispatch is not a fake, Russia has thrown down the gage. The dispatch is as follows: "St. Petersburg, Saturday.—I have had a conversation with a Russian admiral who has been appointed to the post of chief of a squadron, concerning the situation in the far east. This officer in the course of his remarks said: 'Nearly the whole of the marine forces of Russia will be dispatched to the far east, for it is necessary for Russia to place herself in a position of naval strength in Chinese waters equal to that of Great Britain. Russia will not permit the opening of a new port either at Port Arthur or at Ta Lien Wan. We shall soon see that Germany will say the same thing with regard to Kiao Chau bay and the Bay of Samsah, while France will prevent the opening of the Siam gulf and Nankin as free ports. Russia, France and Germany will permit no European power to carry out any such attempt against their interests upon the pretext of encouraging Chinese-European trade, for under that condition power in question would become the real mistress of China, directing both her politics and her finances.'

"I also called upon a celebrated Russian diplomat, who said: 'The conditions of the loan of £12,000,000, which Great Britain has offered to the Chinese government, are directed principally against the interests of Russia and France and for this reason our ambassador at Peking will, together with his French colleague, struggle to prevent China from accepting the British overtures. By the opening of Ta Lien Wan as a free port the value of Port Arthur as a naval station would be diminished. In the spring Great Britain will no longer occupy herself with the Chinese question and will certainly not take the offensive, finding, as she will, the necessity of devoting her strength and her energy to where a revolt infinitely more serious than the Sepoy mutiny is about to break out. Then Russia will be able, without difficulty, to penetrate through Afghanistan and the Pamirs to the Indian possessions of Great Britain, to whom she will dictate terms. We have enough troops and well fortified frontiers, with outposts well connected in the rear with our reserves by railways and telegraphs, and we could in the course of a few days place upon the Afghan frontier an army of 100,000 men. You perceive that all the chances are on our side and we do not fear the threats of England.'

**THE CRUISER BROOKLYN.**  
She is to Put to Sea for the West India Islands.  
Washington, Feb. 2.—Orders have been given by Secretary Long to have the big armored cruiser Brooklyn make a cruise through the West Indies, and especially among the Windward Islands, St. Thomas and Santa Cruz. The vessel is now fitting out at the New York navy yard, and will be ready for sea in a day or two. This cruise of the Brooklyn is to be followed by others in the same line, as was the case every winter until the interposition of the veto upon such cruises brought about by fear that the presence of the United States vessels in the neighborhood of Cuba might be misunderstood. This fear now being removed, and the way being clear for the resumption of the old practice as to winter cruises, it is the intention of the secretary of the navy to allow some of the smaller gunboats to touch at points along the coast of Cuba, outside of Havana, such as Matanzas and Santiago and other ports, where the American flag has not been seen on a national vessel for several years.

**Hotel Burned.**  
Gloversville, N. Y., Feb. 2.—The Alford house, a five-story brick building, was totally destroyed by fire between 7 and 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Six persons perished in the flames and a dozen others were more or less injured in making their escape. The dead are: E. C. Kimball of Indianapolis and his wife and daughter, Benjamin F. Strickland, Henry C. Day, Charles Ruppert. Mr. Kimball was an agent for a glove factory of this city. Mr. Strickland and Mr. Day were business men. Ruppert was a bell boy in the hotel.

**Arrested on Suspicion.**  
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2.—Charles D. Etue has been arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of Miss Emma Schumacher, who was shot and killed by one of two men who robbed her store one night last December. Etue is the son of I. D. Etue, formerly publisher of a local stock paper. Four years ago he was tried for killing Anton Schuh in a quarrel over a woman. His father, who was well to do, spent his fortune fighting the case, which ended in acquittal.

**Charged With Swindling.**  
Cincinnati, O., Feb. 2.—The police have been notified to look out for Mike McGinness and "Red" Murphy, who by mere guessing gave hints to Francis McBretner and F. H. Bond of New York, whereby they won \$5000 at the races. The touts made these men believe they "fixed" the races. The four then came to Louisville and Bond went on to Little Rock and it was arranged to win a big pile on Siva Monday in the fourth race at New Orleans.

## Big Snow Storm.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 2.—A northeast snow storm which set in Monday and raged until yesterday afternoon completely paralyzed all branches of business and street car and steam railroad traffic, and for a time shut off the city from communication by wire with all places outside the limits of Boston. The storm was the most severe this city has experienced in twenty-five years, and caused the loss of several lives, besides doing a money damage of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Between noon and 5 o'clock yesterday morning a foot of heavy, wet snow settled over the city and leveled wires in all directions. The snow clung to the poles and wires, and, aided by a wind blowing at the rate of fifty miles an hour, prostrated electric light, telephone and telegraph lines in and out of the city.

In Newton broken wires falling across others started a fire in the elegant residence of Charles J. Travelli, the wealthy Pittsburg steel manufacturer, and in two hours nothing remained of the house but ashes. The family escaped in their night clothes, without saving anything. The loss amounts to \$100,000.

Late Monday night the big three-masted schooner Charles T. Briggs, of Bath, Me., coal laden, was dashed to pieces on the Nahant coast, and it is believed her crew of eight men perished. It is believed eight men were on board, and all are thought to have been drowned. The vessel is a total wreck. The vessel is believed to have been wrecked about 8 o'clock. She struck upon the ledge north of Egg Rock light and was smashed to pieces. From the moment she struck there was no possible chance for the members of the crew to save themselves, as the rough sea rendered the saving of life impossible. The body of one of the crew was found yesterday morning among the wreckage. It was frozen to a plank, and much disfigured.

In the business district it was nearly noon when many employees reached their places of employment, all suburban trolley lines having been abandoned at midnight and the steam railroads being unable to run more than two or three suburban trains during the forenoon. All through trains from New York and the west, as well as those from the east, were from four to six hours late.

Last night the few trains moving were running without a telegraphic service. Many horses were killed in the streets by stepping on the ends of telephone wires which had fallen across the trolley wires. Last night the situation assumed such a dangerous aspect that Mayor Quincy ordered that none of the electric lights be turned on except in districts where the wires are underground. It will require weeks to restore the telephone and telegraphic service. Not a single telegraph wire out of Boston was in operation all day, and the telephone wires were in almost as bad condition.

**Carter Courtmartial Trial.**  
Savannah, Ga., Feb. 2.—The court finished the examination of six or seven witnesses yesterday in the Carter courtmartial, nearly all of them testifying with regard to the Savannah river work, near Augusta, as done by Capt. A. J. Twigg and comparisons being drawn with that and the work done by the Gaynors.

The witnesses as a rule, testified that Capt. Carter required Mr. Twigg to use better materials than were used by the Atlantic Construction company and that the contractor was oppressed in his work. The defense did very little cross-examination of the witnesses, but will probably put up testimony in rebuttal.

The only incident of the day was that caused by the appearance on the stand of the negro, Madison Cobb, who was addressed as "Mr." by the judge advocate.

Mr. Charlton, for the defense, asked him if he had ever been on the chain-gang. Col. Barr appealed to the court for protection for his witness and Gen. Otis announced that it would be given. The question asked by Mr. Charlton is allowed in all courts of justice.

**An Important Decision.**  
Richmond, Va., Feb. 2.—In the United States circuit court of appeals Judge Simonton yesterday handed down an opinion in the case of the city of Richmond against the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph company. The case involved the act of congress of 1866, declaring the streets of a city are post roads of the United States. Judge Simonton holds that while the act specified only telegraph companies as entitled to its provisions, a telephone line is to all intents the same thing and therefore entitled to its privileges.

The reclaiming plant of the United States Rubber company was destroyed by fire at Naugatuck, Conn., recently.

A severe blizzard raged at Richmond, Va., the other day.

## ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

Some Requirements That Will Be Found Indispensable.

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread and biscuit, either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily.

These facts are very important for every one proposing to go to Alaska and the Yukon country to know, for should he be persuaded by some out-fitter to take one of the cheap brands of baking powder, it will cost just as much to transport it, and then when he opens it for use, after all his labor in packing it over the long and difficult route, he will find a solid caked mass or a lot of spoiled powder, with no strength and useless. Such a mistake might lead to the most serious results. Alaska is no place in which to experiment in food, or try to economize with your stomach. For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect keeping qualities. It is absurd to convey over such difficult and expensive routes an article that will deteriorate in transit, or that will be found when required for use to have lost a great part of its value.

There is no better guide to follow in these matters than the advice of those who have gone through similar experience. Mr. McQuesten, who is called "the father of Alaska," after an experience of years upon the trail, in the camp, and in the use of every kind of supply, says: "We find in Alaska that the importance of a proper kind of baking powder cannot be overestimated. A miner with a can of bad baking powder is almost helpless in Alaska. We have tried all sorts, and have been obliged to settle down to use nothing but the Royal. It is stronger and carries further at first, but above all things, it is the only powder that will endure the severe climatic changes of the arctic region."

It is for the same reasons that the United States government in its relief expeditions, and Peary, the famous arctic traveler, have carried the Royal Baking Powder exclusively.

The Royal Baking Powder will not cake nor lose its strength either on board ship or in damp climates, and is the most highly concentrated and efficient of leavening agents. Hence it is indispensable to every Alaskan outfit. It can be had of any of the trading companies in Alaska, but should the miner procure his supplies before leaving, he should resist every attempt of the outfitter to palm off upon him any of the other brands of baking powder, for they will spoil and prove the cause of great disappointment and trouble.

## PEDDLERS IN MEXICO.

Why an Old Woman Wouldn't Sell All Her Honey at One Time.

"While traveling in Mexico a few years ago I had a funny experience with a Mexican vender which goes to show what little business ability the lower classes have," said E. F. Guignon of St. Louis. "I was en route to look at some mines away up in the mountains. At the station where we left the train to take the stage I saw an old woman selling some honey. She did not have more than ten pounds of it altogether and as it looked so good I wanted to buy it all to take along with us. I asked our interpreter to buy it. Much to my surprise the old woman would sell him but two boxes, claiming that if she sold it all to him she would have nothing to sell to other people, neither would she have anything else to do during the remainder of the day!"

## FADS IN FLOWERS.

Florists' shops abroad are much different from the ones in this country. In London, for example, funeral wreaths and emblems are displayed in the windows, with their prices attached. Some are attractive, others very hideous. Lichen is fashionable there for crosses and wreaths, and from this grisly-gray background calla lilies and white roses peer.

Set pieces, the "gates ajar," broken columns and floral pillows, are always painful, for, in the first place, the natural grace and beauty of the flowers is destroyed, and in the next there is no excuse for the emblems. Flowers for the dead should be scattered in carelessly handfulls—then only are they comforters, with their graceful beauty unimpaird. The modern custom of adding to a death notice the words, "Friends will please omit flowers," may be traced to the reluctance of the survivors to be confronted with those ghastly set pieces which have raged so long.

The best artists have always recognized that flowers should be allowed to arrange themselves. Basketfuls, armfuls or great bunches of loose flowers are justifiable, but crushing their beauty into any systematized outline is unforgivable. Florists abroad have a frightful habit of "making up" bouquets for men's coats, and these bunches of three or four violets a spray of fern and a branch of forget-me-nots are seen on the lapels of the men who do not appreciate true fitness. A single gardenia tuberosa or a knot of mignonette is better than one of these horrible mixtures.

## AN INTERESTING TRIAL.

The Courtroom Crowded at Waxahachie to Hear the Lee Case.

Waxahachie, Tex., Feb. 2.—The Eugene Lee murder trial has caused the courthouse to be the center of attraction for the past two days, with a good indication for a warm interest all the week.

It took many hours' work to get a jury satisfactory to the defense and prosecution. Judge Dillard held court Monday night until after 11 o'clock, and at that time no jury had been secured. Court was called early yesterday morning, and the work of questioning members of the special venire began. At 12:20 the following jury was completed: J. B. Jackson, J. H. Gamble, J. T. Bland, J. J. Jones, T. E. Moore, S. Bishop, Onion Couch, J. C. Maloney, S. G. Eason, W. T. Mayfield, J. C. Robinson and D. R. Hull.

The crowd in the courtroom at this time numbered about 1000, only a few ladies being present. The mother of the accused sat among the lawyers, and at her side were two of Lee's children, a little boy and girl. The other child was not present.

The first witness was George B. Howell, of Ennis, a near neighbor of the Lee home in Ennis. He was the first one on the scene after the murder. He was followed by Frank Burgess, Mrs. M. E. Matthews, Dr. McCall, who probed the wound, Constable J. P. Darden, who arrested Lee, and Miss Pearl Hill.

Miss Helen Reid was then called to the witness box. Her testimony was to the effect that the accused asked her if she would marry him if his wife was out of the way. She replied no. She supposed that Lee was just talking. Later Lee handed her a piece of paper, on which was written the name of a drug store. Still supposing that Lee was merely talking, she put the paper in her pocket, and Lee left the boarding house where she was stopping. When she heard of the murder, for the first time she realized that Lee was not joking, and she hastened to destroy the paper.

The interest in the trial is intense. A cloud of witnesses will be examined.

## SURVEYING CORPS.

A New Railroad to be Built from Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 2.—Yesterday the surveying corps of the new road established their headquarters at the Union Stock Yards hotel, north of town, and took the initial steps toward commencing their survey. The party consisted of ten members, and were supplied with every appliance for making rapid progress on the work. Capt. Paddock was on the ground early, and the first steps are being taken under his direction and immediate supervision. M. O. Hall, an old-time civil engineer, is a member of the corps, and he will no doubt meet with as great success in locating this line as he has with others which he has handled.

In a day or two the general direction of the line will be known, and the pegs placed. That the road will touch at Graham and Jacksboro there is now little doubt, and it will thus penetrate a section that will make Fort Worth the direct outlet for cattle and other products that heretofore have merely passed through the town without even a transfer. The Union stock yards will be benefited greatly by the enterprise, as will the packing house here.

## Jail to Be Improved.

Corsicana, Tex., Feb. 2.—The county commissioners are in special session, and have under consideration plans for material improvements on the county jail of this county. There have been complaints of jail conveniences, and it is the purpose of the commissioners to make such improvements as are necessary. The work they have in contemplation will make the Navarro county institution one of the most convenient and secure jails in the state.

## Hung Jury.

Sherman, Tex., Feb. 2.—The argument in the case of the state of Texas vs. Jim Smith charged with criminal assault, was concluded at noon yesterday and the case given to the jury. At 6 p. m. they came into court and reported to Judge Bliss that they could not reach a verdict and that the indications were that it was a hopeless disagreement. They were sent back to their room and ordered to report again at 9 a. m. to-day.

## Clever Blind-Girl Musician.

Prof. Fancull, the leader of the Marine band, is arranging for a concert in Washington in which all the pieces played will be the work of Washington musicians. At this concert the band will play a mazourka composed by a little blind girl of Washington. She always attends the public concerts of the Marine band, and Prof. Fancull says that her composition shows great musical ability.

## Whitecaps at Manor.

Manor, Tex., Feb. 2.—Whitecaps have served notice on Mr. Thomas Zimpelman that he must rent his land on shares, that is one-fourth of the cotton and one-third of the corn, and not for money rent. It is reported by substantial farmers that the whitecaps took a party who lives four miles south of here from his house one night last week and whipped him so severely that he is still confined to his bed. He was renting land for money.

## BOATS DRAWN BY MOTORS.

Electric Power to Supersede Horses on a French Canal.

From the Philadelphia Record: With the exception of the Erie canal experiments nothing has been done in this country as regards the electric haulage of canal boats, but in France there are perhaps as many as half a dozen systems in actual operation, some of them hauling over 1,000,000 tons a year. If electric power is superior to horses for street cars, why is it not recognized as superior to animal traction for the heavier work of hauling canal boats? The system described here is now being installed on the Aire and Deule canal. The method is peculiar in that what might be termed an electric horse is used to draw a train of loaded boats, the power being derived from an overhead trolley. This electric horse is in reality a form of independent electric motor carriage which travels on ordinary paths or roads, dispensing with rails. An eight-horse-power motor is all that is required, thus being geared to the large driving wheels shown. These wheels are of iron, with alloy fiber rims, which gives the whole a certain elasticity and increases the adhesion. The electric locomotive is steered by the front wheels by the motormen in the cab, through a series of bevel gears. The electric horse weighs about two tons, and can draw a load of 387 long tons at a speed of about a mile and a half per hour. Another system by the same inventors, which is also to be used on this same canal, consists of an adjustable propeller and rudder, which may be attached to any canal boat, thus transforming it into an electrically propelled boat. The propeller consists of a motor hermetically sealed to its armature shaft, passing out through the casing and carrying at its extremity a three-blade propeller screw, which makes 300 revolutions per minute. The ordinary rudder is removed and the propeller attached in a very few minutes. By this method a speed quite equal to that attained by the electric horse is reached, but a slightly greater power consumption. The current will be supplied from power stations at each end of the line at a pressure of 500 volts at the boats. These two systems are lower in operating expenses and maintenance than any of the other electric systems. Over fifty boats a day are to be hauled, and the yearly tonnage at present is estimated at over 3,000,000. After charging off 6% per cent for depreciation, the investment will yield a fair rate of interest. So for one more service the horse is fast being displaced by electric power.

## Key Concealed in a Ring.

A Cincinnati but lately returned from England tells of a rather novel innovation in the way of locks and keys, or to speak more correctly, key. At a country place he visited he was surprised to see his host unlock the gateway of the place with a small key that in some mysterious way was produced from a large seal ring he wore. The ring was not large enough to be conspicuous by reason of its size or style. As he expressed some surprise in the matter, his host said: "This is a master key. You see, it slides under the set in the ring, and occupies no space whatever. It will unlock every lock about the place, even my dressing bag, my trunk, my bond box and wine cellar." He was asked as to the arrangement in general; whether one key, say of the butler, would unlock the front door. "Not at all," he replied. "The locks are all arranged in suites. The butler can unlock all the doors that are in his department, and the housekeeper can unlock the linen closets and other doors under her supervision, but she cannot get into the butler's domain. And in every other department about the place from end to end every one has his or her key, but I have only the master key. All of the doors open to me. My valet can open my dressing case and closets, but he cannot get a bottle of wine. Of course, the arrangement in a seal ring is novel, but it is very handy for me. In the first place, I cannot lose it, and in the second place, everything opens to me without asking a question.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## She Wanted Proof.

Tramp—"Madam, have pity on a poor man out of employment; I have not tasted food for two days." Lady—"What is your occupation?" Tramp—"I was formerly a teacher of stage dancing." Lady—"Well, take this ax and go around to the wood pile and see if you have forgotten how to do the split."

## A Wonderful Shawl.

The shawl of shawls belongs to the Duchess of Northumberland. It formerly belonged to Charles X of France, and was manufactured entirely from the fur of Persian cats. Many thousands of cats' skins were utilized, and the weaving occupied some years.

## A Practical View.

Young Widow (at party)—"They say that yellow is the emblem of jealousy. Do you believe it is true, doctor?" Dr. Gruffley—"No. Yellow is an indication of biliousness."

## Always Delicate

But Hood's Sarsaparilla Has Made Her Strong and Rugged.

"My little girl has always been very delicate, and has been using Hood's Sarsaparilla. She has taken several bottles of this medicine and is a rugged child now. We believe Hood's Sarsaparilla has done what no other medicine could do." S. S. CASE, 1216 Grand Ave., Racine, Wis.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Hood's Pills are all over the world.

**The Late-Comer.**  
He had fought a dozen duels, he had been in battle too; but he faltered, blushed and trembled when the hostess led him through the parlors, introducing him unto the people there.

**A Doubtful Compliment.**  
Author—What do you think of my new book?  
Friend—It certainly contains much food for thought.

Author—Do you really think so?  
Friend—Yes; but it seems to have been wretchedly cooked.

**A Great "Find."**  
Manager—"Have you ever appeared upon the stage?"  
Fair Applicant—"No."

Manager—"What qualifications do you think you possess for a successful career before the footlights?"  
Fair Applicant—"I have just secured an invitation to christen the next battleship; but I am quite certain that he intends to let some other girl do it."

Manager—"Good! We'll have a play written especially for you."

**A New Crazy Set in Connecticut.**  
A lot of fanaticism in the State recently immersed an old rheumatic woman bodily in the water to "bath her" as they said. She nearly died in consequence. How much better it would have been to have treated the poor old woman for her infirmity with Hester's Stomach Bitters, which not only cures rheumatism but prevents kidney complaint and remedies dyspepsia, constipation, liver trouble and nervous prostration. Give it a systematic trial.

Smokers try all new 5 cent cigars, and finally expect to find one that is good as a ten cent.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hester's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 25c. Hester's Family Pills are the best.

If a "good friend" is a pleasant acquaintance, that is about all you can reasonably expect.

Smoke Sledge Cigarettes, 20 for 5c.

Every one occasionally wonders "how any one so nice can do such a thing."

My doctor said I would die, but Pisco's Cure for Consumption cured me.—Amos Keiner, Cherry Valley, Ills., Nov. 23, '95.

Lying has become so common that people believe anything except what is told them.

**Beauty is Blood Deep.**  
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic cleans your blood and keeps it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

When a woman can sing a little, she usually becomes very disagreeable in other ways.

**To Cure Headache in 15 Minutes.**  
Take Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache. All Druggists.

What has become of the old fashioned woman who was afraid of her husband?  
**Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.**  
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever, 10c, 25c. If C.C.C. fail, druggists refund money.

Everyone has neighbors that are mighty funny.

**Mrs. Rorer's Cafe Parfait.**  
In making cafe parfait the cream may be flavored with chocolate, vanilla or strawberry, the parfait taking the name of the flavoring. Use good. Click cream, very cold; add to it half a pound of powdered sugar, and a gill of black coffee; mix thoroughly; stand the basin in a pan of cracked ice, and with a wire egg-beater beat to a froth. This will take about five minutes. Put the mixture into a mould, put on the lid, cover the joint with a piece of waxed paper; pack it in coarse salt and ice, and stand aside for two hours. Or it may be packed in the freezer and served in tumblers.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer in Ladies' Home Journal.

**A STEAMBOAT CAPTAIN.**  
**His Long Experience With Dangers Seen and Unseen.**  
The life of a steamboat captain is fraught with many dangers. Exposed to climates of all sorts, irregular and broken sleep, long and weary vigils by night and day, standing at his post of danger in storm and sunshine, cold and heat, regardless of the consequences to himself; such a one is Evan E. Twomey, of Emile...

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**RETAIL LUMBER MEN.**  
**An Association Which Has Been in Session at Kansas City Visits Galveston.**  
Galveston, Tex., Jan. 31.—The retail lumber men of Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Missouri, who have been attending a convention at Kansas City, and who came south for a few days' sight-seeing, arrived in Galveston 300 strong yesterday morning. Although according to the original itinerary, the lumber men were billed to spend Sunday here, a telegram, received by Secretary McMaster on last Thursday, spoke of Monday morning as the time of their arrival. Consequently the big party dropped in unheralded and were practically left to their own resources during the day. But the visitors struck out for the wharves and the beach, and as they are a jolly, good-natured, intelligent body of business men, who know how to ask questions, they saw much to interest them.

The general verdict was that three sight of Galveston's magnificent beach was well worth the trip to this city. The party came here direct from Port Arthur on a special train.

The party left at 11 o'clock last night en route for Beaumont, where they will breakfast in the morning, then leaving for Texarkana, where they will stop to inspect the lumber mills, thence to Kansas City and home.

**DARING ROBBERS.**  
**They Attempt to Burn the Town of Plano.**

Plano, Tex., Jan. 31.—One of the boldest attempts to burn and plunder the business portion of this town was made at 2:45 o'clock yesterday morning, when an alarm of fire was turned in.

The oil tanks containing about 100 gallons of oil, situated in the rear of the grocery stores of H. C. Jones and Dudley & Huntley, on the north side of Mechanic street, and only two stores between them, were set on fire simultaneously by incendiaries, who pried open the rear windows of both stores. Luckily the fire was discovered a few minutes after they were set. The fire department did splendid and quick work in confining the fire to the oil tanks at both stores, putting out the fire in the Jones building with the chemical engine, and a line of hose was run into Dudley & Huntley's, getting the fire under control in ten minutes after the first alarm.

Campbell & Kerr's gent's furnishing goods store, next door to Jones', was entered through the rear window and the cash drawer torn loose from its fastenings and found lying in the middle of the floor. A box of parlor matches were scattered over the ground at the foot of the window where they entered. Nothing was left in the cash drawer and no goods were missing.

At Chandler & Sandifer's dry goods store the rear window was pried open and the store ransacked for money, but they obtained none. No goods were missing.

The burglars attempted to gain an entrance in H. B. Beaty's drug store at the rear window and failed.

The damage at Dudley & Huntley's on building and stock will amount to \$200, insured in the Fire association and Merchants' Insurance company. H. C. Jones' damage to stock and building by water and smoke will hardly exceed \$125, fully insured in the Sun Mutual Insurance company of New Orleans and the Palace Insurance company of Manchester, England.

Three suspicious characters, two white men and a negro, were arrested after the fire and locked up, but the authorities not being able to secure any evidence against them, turned them loose, with orders to leave town. The citizens by subscription last week made up enough money to order a \$350 latest improved hose wagon that will carry 1000 feet of hose, and to be pulled by horses. The wagon will arrive in about thirty days.

A tank of gasoline was sitting within two feet of the burning tank of oil in Jones' store, but did not catch fire. The citizens here are terribly worked up over this attempt to burn the town, and the guilty parties, would no doubt meet with harsh treatment.

**Found Dead.**  
Brownsville, Tex., Jan. 31.—Yesterday morning at an early hour Ordinance Sergt. E. F. Wachtel, of the post here, was found dead in his room from the effects of a gun shot. About 9 p. m. Thursday a shot was heard by residents in the vicinity of the deceased's quarters, but no surprise was felt, and not until Saturday night was any inquiry made regarding the absence of the sergeant. Sunday morning parties sought admittance to his room, but received no response, forced an entrance, finding the above state of affairs.

Six men have been jailed at Burlington, Ia., charged with the murder of Mrs. Rathburn and daughter.

**Baptist Association.**  
Ledbetter, Tex., Jan. 31.—The fifth Sunday meeting of the Western Branch association convened with the Ledbetter Baptist church. The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a. m. Rev. J. R. Mobly acted as moderator. There was quite a good attendance from a distance. A number of subjects were taken up and discussed. The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p. m. yesterday until the next regular meeting, which will meet with the Giddings church.

**A BENEFACTRESS' KIND ACT.**  
*From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.*  
Mrs. John Tansey, of 130 Baker Street, Detroit, Michigan, is one of those women who always know just what to do in all trouble and sickness. One that is a mother to those in distress. To a reporter she said: "I am the mother of ten children and have raised eight of them. Several years ago we had a serious time with my daughter, which began when she was about sixteen years old. She did not have any serious illness but seemed to gradually waste away. Having never had any consumption in our family, as we come of good old Irish and Scotch stock, we did not think it was that. Our doctor called the disease by an odd name which, as I afterward learned, meant lack of blood. It is impossible to describe the feeling she had as I afterward learned, meant slowly passing away from us. We finally found, however, a medicine that seemed to

help her, and from the first we noticed a decided change for the better, and after three months' treatment her health was so greatly improved you would not have recognized her. She gained in flesh rapidly and soon was in perfect health. The medicine used was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I have always kept these pills in the house since and have recommended them to many people. I have told many mothers about them and they have effected some wonderful cures.

"Every mother in this land should keep these pills in the house, particularly those arising from impoverished or diseased blood, and weakened nerve force."

**Blind Girl's Remarkable Memory.**  
Josephine Brainerd, a colored girl, 9 years old, is an inmate of the general hospital at Allegheny, Pa., where she has astonished the attendants by memorizing whole poems, plays and stories, and even the Declaration of Independence, after having heard them read once or twice. She has been blind for several years, but has a better education than most girls twice her age.

Every man feels that he will cut a mighty poor figure as an old man.

**BETTER THAN A SILVER MINE.**  
The editor estimates that the increase in yields had by the American farmer by planting Salzer's Potatoes and new creations in Wheat, Oats, Corn, Rye, Grasses and Clovers the past year amounted in round numbers to \$50,000,000. The reason of this is Salzer's farm and vegetable seeds are bred up to big yields. Salzer is the largest grower of grasses, clovers and farm seeds in the world; 100,000 barrels of potatoes, \$1.50 a barrel and up.

Just send This Notice with 10 Cents to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and get their great catalogue and 11 packages farm seeds, positively worth \$10, to get a start with. w.n.h.

So far, the doctors have persuaded people to have everything else cut out but their tongues.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup**  
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 10c a bottle.

**"Good joke" on a man is worse than a whipping.**

**AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.**  
We are asserting in the courts our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," as our Trade Mark. J. Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the name that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of CLAS. H. FLETCHER on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. Look carefully at the wrapper and see that it is "the kind you have always bought" and has the signature of CLAS. H. FLETCHER on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Clas. H. Fletcher is President.

March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.

Some people who are only malicious, think they are witty.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

People will pay more for a quarrel than for anything else.

**No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.**  
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. \$1. All druggists.

A Christian scientist may be as sick as ever, but won't admit it.

**To Prevent Accident.**  
It has long been the custom of ships lying at the Brooklyn navy yard to discharge their powder as precaution against accident, and the regulations as to entering a man-of-war's powder magazine are of the most stringent character. It sometimes happens that a single catastrophe is responsible for extra precautions that become permanently imbedded in naval regulations, and doubtless the destruction of the frigate Fulton at the Brooklyn navy yards sixty-nine years ago was responsible for the stringency of the present rules as to discharging powder. The Fulton was a temporary receiving ship and one day while the officers were at dinner a gunner entered the magazine without proper precautions. The result was an explosion that blew up the ship and killed forty out of one hundred persons on board.—Exchange.

**Friendly Criticism.**  
Miss Reed—Oh, Mr. Wright, I am delighted with your new novel. It possesses some admirable qualities.  
Mr. Wright (pleased)—I'm glad to hear you say so. What particular quality do you admire most?  
Miss Reed—The cover: I think it's just too lovely for anything.

The Bible says it is more blessed to give than to receive.

**Star Tobacco** is the leading brand of the world, because it is the best.

If a snow ball is thrown into a crowd of boys, it always hits a sissy.

**Live Wild Animals Wanted.**  
Chas. Payne, of Wichita, Kansas, a dealer in living wild animals, would like to purchase live wild turkeys and deer, and any of our readers who have any or can get any, are advised to write to Mr. Payne at the above address.

The men never carry pocketbooks, they carry the money.

**To Cure Constipation Forever.**  
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic, 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

A man is always looking for letters, but he never answers them.

**Walter Baker & Co's**  
**Breakfast**  
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Absolutely Pure,  
Delicious,  
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Costs Less Than ONE CENT A CUP.  
Be sure that you get the Genuine Article, made at LORCHESTER, MASS. by  
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Your greatest enemy is diet. Will you allow us to tell you more about our remedy?  
**CLEAN ALL**—by letter! We should like to, send an application, and a sample free—to prove our case. For brass, bicycle enamel, silver, wood work, kitchen ware, rust on nickel and metal parts of cars, tinware, etc. it has no equal. Full size box. THE CHALENT NOVELTY CO., P. O. Box 663, Chicago, Ill.

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Our Eye-pointed discourse complete with catalogue sent to all who desire it.  
**Estey Organ Co.**  
Brattleboro, Vt.

**ALABAMA'S BRAVE WOMEN.**  
**S. J. Leslie**  
Jennifer, Ala., says: I have used Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine 20 years, and know it will cure Liver Disease, Nervousness, Bowel and Stomach Troubles. I like it better than "Black Draught" or "Zellin's" medicine.

**Parenthood.**  
Children bind husband and wife more closely than the wedding ceremony itself. One-half of married misery is due to the growing physical weakness of women, which makes child-bearing a dreaded burden and prevents those close relations between husband and wife, without which happiness cannot exist. How important then is it that the woman be brought to as perfect a condition of health, of which she is capable, so that she can give to her offspring out of her abundance of life and spirits. Dr. Simmons Squany Vine Wine will do this; it will purify her blood, tone up her nervous system and give her courage and assurance of safety to go through the ordeal of childbirth.

**W. A. Collier**  
Ashland, Ala., writes: Have used Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine 10 years for Colds, Diarrhoea, Summer Complaints with children. Its great better satisfaction than "Theodor's Black Draught" or "St. Joseph's Regulator," or anything we can get.

**Dimness of Vision.**  
In cases of weak and imperfect vision, the causes of disease should be correctly ascertained, so that they may be as far as possible obviated and guarded against. Where the trouble is functional and arises from some constitutional derangement or debility, such as torpid liver or inactive kidneys, producing a morbid condition in the organism, constitutional treatment with Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine will produce the happiest results. When caused by prolonged nursing, excessive sexual indulgence, abuse of stimulants, the excessive use of alcohol, or other circumstances which produce determination of blood to the head, Dr. Simmons Squany Vine Wine quickly cures.

**FARM SEEDS**  
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**Found Dead.**  
Brownsville, Tex., Jan. 31.—Yesterday morning at an early hour Ordinance Sergt. E. F. Wachtel, of the post here, was found dead in his room from the effects of a gun shot. About 9 p. m. Thursday a shot was heard by residents in the vicinity of the deceased's quarters, but no surprise was felt, and not until Saturday night was any inquiry made regarding the absence of the sergeant. Sunday morning parties sought admittance to his room, but received no response, forced an entrance, finding the above state of affairs.

**Baptist Association.**  
Ledbetter, Tex., Jan. 31.—The fifth Sunday meeting of the Western Branch association convened with the Ledbetter Baptist church. The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a. m. Rev. J. R. Mobly acted as moderator. There was quite a good attendance from a distance. A number of subjects were taken up and discussed. The meeting adjourned at 4:30 p. m. yesterday until the next regular meeting, which will meet with the Giddings church.

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#### RELIGIOUS EXERCISES

Baptist, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m.  
and 7:30 p. m.—Rev. L. Tomme pastor, Sunday  
school, 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday  
night. Sunbeams 4 p. m. every Sunday.  
M. E. South, services every Sunday—Rev. J.  
M. Sherman, pastor, Sunday school, 10 a. m.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Jun-  
ior Epworth League at 3 p. m. Epworth League  
at 4 p. m. every Sunday.  
M. E., every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and  
7:30 p. m.—Rev. George Evans pastor, Sun-  
day school 10 a. m. Junior Epworth League  
4 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday  
night. Epworth League every Monday night.

Christian, 1st—Elder E. D. Dubs, pastor,  
Society of Christian Endeavor every Friday  
night. Sunday school 10 a. m.

St. John the Baptist (Episcopal), Rev. Taylor  
Douglas Rector, services 1st, 2nd and 4th Sun-  
days at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. and Lay services  
3rd Sunday, 11 a. m. Sunday School 10 a. m.

Presbyterian—3rd Sunday, Rev. J. W. Smith  
pastor, Sunday school 3 p. m.

#### SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.—Clarendon Lodge No. 381, meets  
every Thursday evening in their hall over the  
Bank of Clarendon. Visiting brothers are made  
welcome. J. S. Scott, N. G.  
M. Rosenfield, Secy.  
Evensing Star Encampment No. 143 I. O. O. F.,  
meets 1st Tuesday night in each month.  
J. S. Morris, C. P.  
M. ROSENFIELD, scribe.

A. F. & A. M.—Clarendon Lodge No. 700,  
meets 2nd Saturday night in each month over  
the Bank of Clarendon. GEO. MORGAN, W. M.  
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ting.

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ply.

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variety for houses costing from  
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of that rich cheese that Anderson  
keeps. To the most fastidious he  
can supply your wants, Swiss Cheese  
and full Cream American, also Lim-  
berger, rich and ripe.

#### LOCAL ITEMS.

See the Magestic steel range at  
H. W. Taylor's.

Old Style Buckwheat flour, the  
pure stuff, at Anderson's.

Mrs. R. L. Collins is visiting her  
mother at Wichita Falls.

Dr. Morris informs us a fine boy  
was born at Joe Jones' on the 26th.

Miss Nannie Adams, of Channing,  
came down Friday morning to visit  
relatives.

Miss Frye, of Wichita Falls, came  
up Wednesday night and is visiting  
Mrs. D. J. Ryan.

Mr. Geo. Saunders, of Yoakum,  
arrived last Saturday night and is  
visiting relatives here.

Rev. Sherman has been preaching  
some able sermons at the south  
Methodist church this week.

Mrs. Walsh moved back to town a  
few days ago. The Chinese "too  
much gambies" to pay rent promp-  
tly.

When you want a stove go to An-  
derson's and see his goods. Every  
stove guaranteed to give satisfaction  
or no sale.

H. W. Taylor for paints and oil.

C. A. Burton is adding groceries  
to his other business.

Walter Hall went to Quanah this  
morning to visit relatives a few days.

Mr. Ed Tedlock, who has been in  
Fort Worth for several weeks has re-  
turned.

A new baby boy put in an appear-  
ance at Fireman John Smith's last  
Saturday.

Andy Janes, arrested on a charge  
of murdering his father in Collings-  
worth, has been liberated by Judge  
Brown.

Geo. Doshier returned Thursday  
night from a business trip to Fort  
Worth. He, like numbers of others,  
has a severe cold.

Miss Kate Jordan, who has been  
visiting friends in Clarendon for sev-  
eral weeks, returned to her home in  
Wichita Falls this morning.

Mrs. R. P. Brice died very sud-  
denly at Memphis Monday. Rev.  
Tomme went down Wednesday to  
conduct the funeral services and will  
remain to fill his regular appoint-  
ments tomorrow.

We visited Claude last Saturday  
and found the people of that quiet  
burg enjoying life and in good  
spirits. Rev. Younger, recently of  
Clarendon, has purchased a very de-  
sirable residence north of the depot.

A Mr. White and family from  
Bowie moved into the house recently  
occupied as an office by Dr. Winn  
this week. J. T. Wright's house-  
hold goods arrived also this week and  
Mrs. Wright will be on in a few days  
from Ellis county.

J. D. Jefferies left Wednesday for  
the Big Springs country. Before  
returning he will spend a month at  
Hot Springs, Ark. There is a prob-  
ability that Mr. Jefferies & Beverly  
will begin work on their brick busi-  
ness house in the spring.

Rev. B. M. Stephens, who preach-  
ed here for some four years, and  
father of Mrs. J. H. Roberts, died at  
Weatherford Monday. Rev. R. C.  
Armstrong in his funeral discourse,  
said, "Even though his death was  
not flashed by wire all over the coun-  
try, and was only mourned by friends  
in the immediate surroundings, the  
angels in heaven were assembled to-  
gether to welcome their new born."  
He spoke of his physique as being  
sound and perfect, and his manhood  
was without a blemish, his christian  
character was constant devotion; his  
fidelity was earnestness. Then he  
spoke of his ability as a preacher,  
saying it was of the highest type and  
far above mediocrity, and that his de-  
parted brother fulfilled the terms of  
his text (which was taken from chap-  
ter xxii of Numbers.) He spoke of  
his death as being peaceful, tranquil,  
and without a shadow.

F. M. Page returned from Denver  
Saturday morning and was not much  
enthusiased with the proceedings so far  
as the barbecue was concerned. He  
came home without the taste of bear,  
buffalo, elk, mountain goat, or any  
other kind of dainty flesh that a cow-  
man might hunger after. He says  
when the time come to go to the  
grounds Texans were given the post  
of honor and were to go on the first  
train, but the thousands of people in  
waiting, of all colors and conditions,  
made a break by breaking down the  
iron gates and railings at the depot  
and taking possession. They cover-  
ed the engine, tops of the cars and  
every available space. At the  
grounds troops, police, officials nor  
nothing else could keep them back,  
but to the tables they rushed until  
they were broken down. He says  
he never saw anything like it in his  
life. Quarters of buffalo were grab-  
bed up and thrown about. Saddles  
of elk were taken and torn to bits or  
trampled in the mud. Bear roasts  
and steaks and the delicious moun-  
tain sheep parts were likewise wasted.  
Bread, of which there was a pile fifty  
feet high, was trampled under foot  
in the muck.

Mr. F. C. Helbig, a prominent  
druggist of Lynchburg, Va., says:  
"One of our citizens was cured of  
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its cures of rheumatism; thousands  
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provement over the old one.

Mr. G. W. Smith has bought the  
residence where D. J. Ryan lives.

Mr. J. Jones, the F. W. & D.  
lineman has bought the Tom Irvin  
property.

Another big invoice of stationery,  
including 20,000 envelopes, received  
at this office this week. Send us  
your orders.

Mr. Geo. Jowell and Miss Addie  
Brialey were married at the Chris-  
tian church Wednesday night, Eld.  
E. Dubs officiating.

The Woodmen of the World and  
Woodmen circle are making prepara-  
tion for a big time in an entertain-  
ment and supper Feb. 22.

The entertainment given by the  
ladies of the south Methodist church  
last week was one of the best given  
during the year. The net receipts  
were about \$75.

Rev. H. A. Skinner will preach at  
the Episcopal church tomorrow at  
the usual hours. He is the new rec-  
tor for this place this year and all  
are invited out to hear him.

Mr. D. Browder this week bought  
the Jim Myers place at \$750. Last  
week W. A. Caldwell bought the  
Madden place where Mr. Browder  
lives at \$1200. The two families  
will exchange places of residence in  
a few days.

#### To Our Customers

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