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We have long valued the good people of Coke among our best Customers, hence we are not STRANGERS. Our new Store at Bronte is well prepared to take care of all our old Coke Customers and as many new ones as may come. Our Store here is no little branch establishment, it is Complete. Our line of General Merchandise is all fresh and the well known John P. Hutchinson and our E. O. Schawe will welcome you whither you buy or not. We want your produce and will pay highest Cash price for Cotton and Hides also. Call on us we will give you the glad hand.

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Pure Juices from Natural Roots.

REGULATES the Liver, Stomach and Bowels,
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CURES Malaria, Biliousness, Constipation,
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THESE GOODS WERE BOUGHT FOR CASH

In the eastern markets, Fresh up to date lines in all departments. In Clothing Shoes, Ladies dress goods and dress trinnings we have the latest. We have the largest, and best selected stock of goods in the County. Come and see us, our prices are right. Yours for best Goods at lowest prices.

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Pearce's Prescription Pharmacy
WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN THE
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In Addition to the Large Stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES,
We carry SPECTACLES, SOLID GOLD
RINGS, WALL PAPER, SCHOOL
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Then don't neglect a cough or cold, especial when only twenty-five cents will buy a bottle of Mexican Syrup. It is so soothing; and so many consumptives have been made well by its use. Read some of the testimonials on the wrapper around each bottle that prove this remedy more sure for deep seated colds, habitual coughing and even consumption, than any other remedy known to physicians, many of whom recommend and prescribe it where less efficacious remedies fail.

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D. E. Cochran.
San Angelo, - - - Texas.

Legal blanks at Rustler Office.

News From The Fort.

Fort Chadbourne, Texas, Oct. 7th, 1901.—Dear RUSTLER:—

This country has had quite a seige of the mumps, nearly every family has had them.

I wrote you a communication last week and as I did not care to sign my name, you failed to print it.

Our part of the county had a nice shower last night and if frost will hold off long enough we will raise winter feed yet.

In our last we told you about how "bigoted" Henry Walls and Henry Gary was looking; well the reason of it was they both had a fine girl baby at their house.

I told you in my last that madam rumor said that there was to be two weddings. Well, they came off.

Mr. Jim Cliff and Miss Bertie Clark were happily married on the evening of the 25th. They say the dinner was very fine, the groom looked handsome, the bride sweet. Ye scribe only saw them like Paddy saw the moon, at a distance. Mr. Cliff is from Tennessee and is quite a nice gentleman, and Miss Bertie has been almost raised in our county, and has hosts of friends here. We wish for them much happiness.

Then again on the 26th at the residence of Mr. William Cliff, Mr. Dock Moss, of San Angelo, and Miss Ines Cliff were married. We don't mind these Tom Green county people calling us "rabbit twisters," but we don't want them coming up here and taking off our best girls. We also tender our best wishes to them.

We had a musical at Rock

Springs last week and they voted on the laziest man and it was a lively race between Mr. W. F. Robinson and Ike Billingslea, but Ike got the prize Miss Nellie Robinson got the prize for being the best looking girl.

I heard that some fellow had reported a large cotton crop for Coke. Just such false reports is what keeps cotton down so low. This is one year that I believe would pay the farmers to hold their cotton, but the most of them will be compelled to sell as soon as they get it out and as usual the speculator will get the "pie." Ye scribe enjoyed a visit from R. I. Kirkland and family last Sunday. Mr. Kirkland's mother was with him; she is 84 years old and is very active both in mind and body; she made a trip to Alabama last fall alone. She was a member of the Baptist church before there was any split, when there was but one church. She is still a member of the Missionary Baptist church. It does our heart good to hear the sainted mother in Israel talk of old times, it makes us think of our dear old mother in that old state who has past her 75th year.

Well I will close for fear this will go like my other letter went. Wishing the RUSTLER success,
GRANGER.

What's Your Face worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin—all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheek, Rich Complexion. Only 25 cents at Pearce's Drug Store.

THE RUSTLER.

TOM DURHAM, Publisher.

ROBERT LEE, - - TEXAS.

FARM AND FLOCK.

Indiana has a leech farm.
Wheat sowing is in order.
Colorado beets arrive in Texas.
Cotton picking is nearing the end.
Barley for pasturage is being sown.
Collin county has a fine pecan crop.
Green worms hurt Callahan county grass.

The Pecos valley is sending out cantaloupes.

Army worms do damage in some counties.

Rice harvesting progresses nicely in Fort Bend county.

The Fruit Growers' association of Mabank has a membership of fifty.

Freestone peaches raised in the Pecos valley find ready sale at \$1 per crate.

Spanish fever is reported among cattle in some parts of the Indian Territory.

Some cattle losses from blackleg are reported in the southern part of Collin county.

A truck-growers' association was organized at Jefferson. Twenty-eight names were enrolled.

Nevill & Jackson of Alpine shipped four cars of calves and one of cows to Kansas City some days ago.

Lige Rannels shipped lately twelve cars of cattle from Mineral Wells to Allen, where they were placed on feed.

A man near Springfield, Mo., received \$5,500 for the apples from his fifty-five acre orchard, and the buyer harvests the crop.

John Alter, living near Wellington, Kan., has a forty-acre apple orchard which has paid for itself nineteen times over the past four years.

Messrs. Ligon & Brown have returned from a 300-mile trip in Mason, Gillespie, Kerr and other counties looking for pasture for 3600 head of hogs.

Cotton experts are now trying to reach a correct conclusion regarding the damage caused the crop in Mississippi by the recent spell of bad weather.

Chas. Schauer and Wm. Shattuck of Ozona sold 12,000 sheep, including mutton and stock sheep to R. C. Ferguson and Hector McKenzie at \$1.47 1/2 after shearing.

Southwestern Kansas, around Liberal, and west of there, is said to be well filled with excellent cattle. There is a good supply of Kaffir corn and other forage food.

S. P. Coleman, living twelve miles northeast of Terrell, is feeding his twenty-five head of cattle leaves of trees. He cuts the trees down gaily and allows his stock to eat one hour each day this forage.

Three cars of thoroughbred Hereford cattle and two cars of horses arrived at Rosecoe from Coleman county, for Marion Zellner, who recently purchased a five-section ranch a short distance northwest of that place.

G. M. Gentry, living just south of the city limits of Denton, has sold thus far this season \$62.50 worth of tomatoes from a piece of land 54x66 feet, and is still gathering. He has a bunch of peanuts, with 154 goobers thereon.

Col. A. G. Boyce, manager of the Syndicate ranch, has sold to Holt & Underwood of Montana 3000 head of 3-year-old steers, to be delivered as soon as it can be done. The animals are said to have sold for \$30 per head.

A Hillsboro report says that John Alexander, a truck farmer living in the sandy land near Woodbury, has had success with winter onions and cabbage. He plans his crops in the fall and has them ready for market by the first of April.

Broom corn, which at the beginning of the season sold at \$55 a ton, has reached the unprecedented price of \$140. This is attributable to the crop shortage of the two years preceding this one.

A stock company has been fully organized and an experienced man engaged to raise tomatoes near Atlanta, Tex. Twenty acres will be raised for shipping and thirty for the canning factory the company will conduct.

Australia claims to have the largest duck ranch in the world, and also the largest incubator. The incubator has a capacity of 11,440 duck eggs, or 14,800 hen eggs. The machine is constructed on the principle of a hot house.

DEED OF DARING.

Under Pretense of Having Her in a Social Way "Shine."

A WOMAN IS INDUCED TO BEDECK

Herself in Fine Raiment and Jewelry, Taken to a Lonely Spot and Robbed—Valuables Recovered and Arrests.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 7.—Charged with kidnaping a woman and holding her a prisoner for four days, robbing her of jewels worth more than \$2000 and compelling her to sign bank checks for large sums of money is the story which the police unfolded here when they announced the arrest of two newspaper men, a stenographer in another newspaper office and a barber, all of whom are charged with being implicated in the crime. The men now locked up at the central police station are Howard K. Sloan, an unemployed reporter; Henry Wallace, city editor of one of the morning papers; J. Knight Findlay of Wayne, near here, stenographer in the business office of another morning paper, and Oscar D. Dunlap, a barber employed in one of the most prominent shops in the city. The victim is Mrs. Mabel Goodrich, the proprietress of an establishment on North Tenth street.

Last Monday Mrs. Goodrich went to police headquarters and told a story of kidnaping and robbery so daring that the police at first doubted its truth. She said that for some time past a young man, who represented himself as a resident of Germantown, had been a frequent visitor at her establishment. He was well dressed and spent money freely. Last Wednesday week, he proposed a drive through Fairmount park. He asked her to dress in her best clothes, and for her to wear all her diamonds and other jewelry, because on the return from the drive he intended to take her to the finest dining room in the city and he wanted her to "shine" with the other women in the place. She accepted, and the next day she went out with him in a carriage with a pair of richly caparisoned horses and with a coachman on the box wearing stylish livery. At a lonely place in Fairmount park the carriage was stopped by a man whom she said represented himself as D. Clarence Gibbon, the secretary and attorney of the Law and Order society of this city. This man, she went on to say, told her that he had a warrant for her arrest on the charge of keeping a disorderly house, but that the matter could be fixed up. He was invited into the carriage and the next moment she was gagged and blindfolded. She was driven somewhere, she did not know, but she noticed from one corner of the handkerchief over her eyes that the men paid toll at two gates, and that they took her into a building where a fire engine and a hook and ladder truck were standing. She was kept a prisoner from Tuesday night until Friday night without anything to eat or drink and was then taken on another long drive, blindfolded, to a house where she was kept from Friday until Monday. In the latter place the men, who were masked, stripped her of the jewelry at the point of a revolver, compelled her to sign bank checks for various sums of money she had deposited in the Third National bank. The men, she said, then took her on another long drive and put her out of the carriage at Tenth and Popular streets, about a mile from her house.

Takes it Gamely.

New York, Oct. 7.—While taking his defeat gamely, Sir Thomas Lipton made no attempt to conceal the honest disappointment he felt. "I am very much disappointed," he said. "I can not hide that. I thought that within fifteen minutes of the finish we had won. When I looked around the situation had changed and we had lost. I should like to have got one race just by way of consolation. It is a very hard thing to be beaten by a breadth—by a few beats—of the pulse. Columbia's win was fair and square and honorable. There is nothing to protest if I wanted to protest."

Immense Biped.

Hillsboro, Tex., Oct. 1.—Esq. L. F. Stanley killed a crane six miles from Itasco, which is claimed to be the largest ever seen in Texas. It measured six feet two inches from tip to tip and stood five feet two inches.

THE SUNNY SOUTH.

Matters of Major and Minor Importance Just Come to Pass.

A two-headed boy was born at New Orleans.

Fordyce, Ark., will have a street fair Oct. 22-23.

Fort Smith, Ark., expects to have a \$200,000 department store.

"Aunt" Maria Gatewood died at Owensboro, Ky., at the advanced age of 109 years.

C. C. Smith, a furniture dealer, was thrown from his wagon at Jackson, Miss., and killed.

Judge Brown, twenty-five years United States judge of the Middle district of Alabama, is dead.

Twenty-five northern farmers and their families located last week in the vicinity of Lake Charles, La.

Advices at Memphis state that 30,000 yards, costing \$5000, of St. Francis river levee have been finished since Sept. 15.

In a collision on the Louisville and Nashville railway at Hubbard Springs, Ky., Engineer W. J. Seltz was crushed to death.

Miss Ellen Turner was fired on from ambush while she was preparing to retire at her home near Middlesboro, Ky., and her head riddled.

Jack Gilbert, wanted in Jackson and Clay counties, Kentucky, to answer several charges, was arrested near Richmond, that state.

While in a New Orleans restaurant Umpire Clark of the Southern Baseball league was assaulted by four players and badly beaten.

At Lexington, Ky., John White upbraided Will Rose, both colored, for voting the Democratic ticket. Rose shot and killed White.

For four days Daytona and Seabreeze, Fla., were shut off from the world by high water. Flood was heavy all through that section.

Charles E. Hoeming, a Frisco engineer, shot himself to death at Fort Smith, Ark. Despondency, attributed to ill health, was the cause.

The round bale plant of the American Cotton company at Morrilton, Ark., was totally destroyed by fire. The plant was valued at \$17,000.

Bethel Baptist church, erected on land donated by the late Jefferson Davis, was dedicated. It is at Fairview, Ky., ten miles east of Hopkinsville.

At the annual meeting of the Little Rock Baseball association a dividend of 100 per cent was declared and several thousand dollars placed in the sinking fund.

Jimbo Fields, aged 16, and Clarence Garnett, aged 18, were lynched at Shelbyville, Ky. They were swung from a railway trestle near the jail. The boys were charged with the murder of W. C. Hart, white, a printer.

Rev. W. A. Graham, 90 years old, after a pastorate of sixty-five years at Grapevine church, Mercer County, Kentucky, has retired. He never accepted a cent for his pastoral duties, making his living farming. He was never out of Kentucky, and is a stranger to liquor and tobacco.

While George Lilly, a prosperous planter, living near Jackson, Miss., was en route to that city to wed Mrs. Mattie E. Lawther, his shotgun was accidentally discharged and he was wounded in an arm and side. The lady was sent for, and propped up in bed, the bridegroom was married, the bride standing beside him.

Ohio Sons and Daughters.

Washington, Oct. 7.—The sons and daughters of the late President McKinley's native state, Ohio, who are now residents of Washington Sunday paid a last public tribute to the memory of their dead congressman, governor and president, in a largely attended meeting at Chase's opera house. The gathering was held under the auspices of the Ohio Republican association, but was not confined to Ohioans. About 3000 persons were present.

Suicided.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 7.—John Wyatt Turner of Rock Hill, Ala., assistant instructor in the carding and spinning branches of the textile department of the Georgia School of Technology, committed suicide by taking morphine. Before taking the drug Turner telephoned to one of his friends that he was about to end his life, but help arrived too late.

PLEASANT PORTER

Sends in a Message to Council of Creek Nation.

ALLOTMENTS AT A STANDSTILL.

The Chief Says There Are Difficulties in the Way of Making Selections, but Asks Conformity to Law.

Ardmore, I. T., Oct. 5.—Chief Pleasant Porter delivered his first address to the Creek council since the ratification of the Creek treaty, which allows the Creeks to dispose of their property under certain conditions. He said in part:

The Creek agreement was ratified by congress and approved by the president in March, 1901. After a full discussion of the terms of agreement said agreement was ratified on May 25, 1901, with the exception of section 36, which provided that Seminole citizens who had heretofore settled and made homes on lands belonging to the Creek nation might take for themselves and families allotments of 160 acres each.

This section was rejected, and now Creek citizens residing in the Seminole nation will have to take their allotments in the Creek nation, and Seminole citizens residing in the Creek nation will have to take their allotments in the Seminole nation. After the ratification of the agreement, council passed an act creating a commission, which commission was empowered to enter into a supplemental treaty with the Dawes commission looking into the correction of errors in the agreement above referred to, as well as to make such amendments as might seem necessary to carry out harmoniously its provisions.

Great difficulty has been experienced by some of our people in the matter of making their selections for allotments so as to embrace their homes, or such lands as they wished to select, on account of not understanding the surveyor's marks, thus subjecting them to errors in filing, and in many instances they have selected lands miles away from the lands which they expected to select. Wherever it has been possible the Dawes commission has made corrections of such selections, but in instances, on account of working hardships on other citizens, such corrections have been rendered impracticable.

Up to the present time about 12,000 of our citizens have enrolled and taken their allotments embracing about 1,700,000 acres of land.

Some of our citizens have been reluctant in the matter of taking their allotments, which has been another source of difficulty, as persons from a distance, by looking upon the map, finding that certain quarter sections were vacant, selected them, thus filling upon lands embracing the homes of this class of people, and when they afterwards appeared before the Dawes commission to make their selections of allotments they found their homes filled upon, and the only method open to them to secure their homes is to enter a contest against such persons filing upon their homes. This subjects both parties to the contest to expenses and delays the matter of completing the work of allotment.

Commutation for Czolgosz Wanted.

Boston, Oct. 5.—Although Gov. Odell of New York has stated emphatically that he will not consider any petition for the commutation of Czolgosz's death sentence to life imprisonment, the Social Alliance of this city is circulating a petition of this nature for signatures in Boston. Its secretary is Theodore W. Curtis. The petition is a long one, and includes this sentence: "The motive of the petition is no sentimental sympathy with a condemned man, much less the upholding of any form of anarchism of which he is said to have been a disciple, but the belief that the ends of justice, the vindication of the law and the higher interests of civilization will be better served by this change in the form of the penalty."

The Methodist ecumenical congress just held in London is described in the Review of Reviews for October by the Rev. J. Wesley Johnson, D. D.

An inmate of Nebraska penitentiary, thought a man, proves to be a woman.

CARRIED CHLOROFORM

With Him, but the Intruder Pays Dearly for His Nocturnal Visit.

Sherman, Tex., Oct. 5.—Adolphus Vaughn, a young farmer, and his wife live about three miles southeast of the city on a neighborhood road that opens into the main Kentuckytown road. Friday morning about 1:30 o'clock his wife woke up and saw some one sitting on the side of the bed. She thought it was her husband and said: "What is the matter, Doiph?" The man whispered back: "Hush; keep still." The voice was unfamiliar, and placing her hand on the other side of the bed, and finding her husband there, she knew it was an intruder and gave the alarm. The man sprang from the bed and tried to get out, but failing at one door forced open a screen door on the east side. Mr. Vaughn, who had been awakened and had secured his pistol, went out the south door and ran around to the east side. When Vaughn caught sight of the fleeing man he attempted to fire at him, but failed because of an empty cartridge in the cylinder. The man—and by this time in the moonlight Vaughn could see he was a negro—ran by Vaughn, who made the second attempt at shooting, and was successful. Simultaneously with the shot the man pitched forward with a bullet hole through his head.

Ed Vaughn, father of the young man who did the shooting, was notified and came to the city at the instance of his son and reported the matter at once to the officers.

The wounded man was still alive when the officers arrived, lying where he fell and was rolling and groaning continuously. He was bareheaded and barefooted, except that he wore one sock. His shoes were subsequently found near the north door on the east side of the house. His hat, a black flop article, was found in the room occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn.

Near the prostrate man the officers found a bottle which gave evidence of having recently been filled with chloroform. There was a damp piece of cloth near by also. The place where the shoes were found indicated that the intruder had to pass through the room occupied by two young men, Chester Davis and Arthur Vaughn. Young Davis was very sick when awakened and Mr. Vaughn states it was with difficulty that he got either of the young men awake at all. It is believed that he used the chloroform in their room.

Peculiar Case.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 5.—A peculiar judgment was rendered in the district court. While it had the effect of a divorce decree, the suit was brought by the father of the plaintiff as next friend to annul a marriage and have it declared void. The style of the suit was T. J. Smith, as next friend of Mattie Smith, vs. M. V. Roson. The suit grew out of the child marriage reported three or four weeks ago, the groom being 15 and the bride 13 years of age. The father of the bride, who instituted the proceeding to annul, is a blind man. The marriage was without his knowledge or consent. During the proceedings Friday the father introduced his own marriage certificate with the date of the child's birth written on it by her mother before she died, showing her to be only 13. The child wife in her testimony stated that before the person who secured the license went to get it he took one of her shoes off and cut the figure 18 in the sole with his knife so that he could make affidavit that she was "over 18." A complaint for perjury was lodged against the person making the affidavit.

Married in Tower.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 5.—A romantic wedding occurred at the court house at 5:30 o'clock Thursday evening. B. H. Parrish, a prominent young farmer of the west end of the county, and Miss Nona Brigendine of Kansas City, who has been visiting relatives at Petty, were married on top of the clock tower.

More weddings take place at the Lamar county court house than at any other court house in the state, most of them being couples from the Territory and first cousins from Arkansas, who come to Texas to evade the laws of that state against first cousins marrying. But Thursday evening's romantic wedding was the first that has ever occurred on top of the clock house.

Ex-Attorney General Crane is not a candidate for governor.

ALL TEXAS RAISED

Were the Animals, Fowls and Products Herein Noted

AND SEEN AT TEXAS STATE FAIR.

Horses, Hogs, Cattle, Poultry and Vegetation that Have No Superiors on Exhibition at the Great Show.

If a doubt exists in the mind of any individual that the Lone Star state is not in the front row when it comes to raising fine stock and farm and garden products that are in Class A, a visit to the Texas State Fair and Dallas exposition will soon dispel that opinion.

In that department of the livestock department set apart for horses we find Lomo Alto Stock farm, located in Dallas county, has half a hundred head of animals of high pedigree and handsome appearance. There are the famous Electrite stock, whose reputations on the race track need no commendation at our hands.

The Electioneer Stock farm, also in Dallas county, exhibits fourteen animals, headed by Electryon 18,961, who has a record of 2:24 1/2, and was sired by the great Electioneer.

Bluebull Stock farm of Blum has three showy and serviceable horses.

A. E. Buck of McKinney has ten horses in his stable, the chief being Reno Clipper, who has a record of 2:17 1/2.

In the cattle department there are truly numbers of beauties, among them the following:

J. F. Green & Co. of Encinal have twenty-seven shorthorns and Red Polled Durhams.

W. C. McKamy of Frankford, Collin county, exhibits eighteen Red Polled.

From the farm of Dr. W. R. Clifton of McLennan county seventeen tip-top Red Polled have been placed on exhibition. They are beauties.

Camp Clark Red Polls, who came from Martindale, six miles from San Marcos, are nine in number. A \$300 bull is a superb creature.

B. C. Rhome of Fort Worth has twenty-eight of as fine Herefords as one would expect to see.

The J. W. Burgess company of the same city exhibit seventeen shorthorn and double standard Polled, Durham, most excellent specimens of these respective breeds.

W. R. Spann shows twenty-three beautiful little Jerseys, as gentle as they are valuable.

W. B. Buckner of Dallas presents sixteen beautiful Jerseys.

U. S. Weddington, who has a ranch in Childress county, points with pardonable pride to a herd of Herefords that are well worth a visit. They are truly examples of what can be done in fine cattle raising here in this great state.

From Denton comes W. A. Ponder with sixteen superb specimens of cattle in the way of Jerseys.

J. C. Cobb of Dodd City contributes eleven head of Holstein-Friesian cattle, excellent appearing animals.

Beeville is ably represented by five shorthorns, the property of Messrs. Wangeman & Krueger.

Cedar Hill, Dallas county, has on hand twenty shorthorns, or, rather, no horns, as they are dehorned. W. P. Bryant is their owner.

J. R. Lewis brought from Sweetwater eighteen Herefords, noble animals of this species.

An exhibit of Angora goats, four in number, by J. W. Richards of Perryville, Wood county, is a pleasing feature.

When it comes to hogs the porkers shown are equal to any. Grayson county contributes 117 of the 338 on exhibition, certainly a record to be proud of.

The Highland herd of Sherman consists of twenty-six Duroc Jerseys and twenty-one Poland-Chinas.

Elam Grove farm, Grayson county, is represented by twenty-seven Berkshires.

From Seguin comes G. P. Lillard with Berkshires, thirty-four in number.

J. W. Floyd of Dallas county has thirty Poland-Chinas, known as the Richardson herd.

The Cedar Vale herd of Poland-Chinas, thirty in number, is the product of Collin county, and the swine are something to be proud of.

Cliffdale herd of Oak Cliff contributes sixteen Tecumseh and Black United States strains.

H. E. Singleton of McKinney has a splendid exhibit of Poland-Chinas.

Eleven Large Bone English Berkshires are the animals J. C. Cobb of Dodd City has on exhibition.

Twenty-six Poland-Chinas are on exhibition, the property of A. M. Prather of Dallas.

One of Grayson county's exhibits in this line is that of Messrs Stewart & Miller of Sherman, consisting of thirty-seven Poland-Chinas.

W. R. Lagow of Orphans' Home, Dallas county, has a splendid exhibit of Poland-Chinas.

The poultry and pet stock department is on a grand scale. The number on exhibition in this department is placed at something over 2100, the greatest in the history of the fair. Chickens, ducks, geese, peafowls, turkeys, etc., are elegant specimens, and thousands visit them daily. When it comes to raising poultry Texas takes a back seat to no commonwealth or country.

The Norton Poultry yards of Dallas have nearly 150 chickens on exhibition, comprising White Plymouth Rocks, Brown, Black and White Leghorns. Incubators and brooders are also exhibited.

T. J. Berry of McKinney exhibits a fine collection of Pit Games.

Star Poultry yard of Dallas has some superb White Plymouth Rocks that receive favorable comment.

Live Oak Poultry yards of Commerce are possessors of first-class Buff Leghorns, Buff Orpingtons and Partridge Cochins Bantams.

Once in a While Poultry yards of Dallas have a fine exhibit of fancy chickens.

Golden Wyandottes, raised and exhibited by Matt Bradley of Tioga, are much admired.

A fine exhibit of White Brahmas is shown by the Elhurst Poultry yards of Dallas.

J. E. R. Chilton of Dallas exhibits splendid specimens of the Black Langshan breed.

The exhibit of homing pigeons by T. L. Bell, Jr., of Dallas, are beauties.

Upstairs in the main building, on the right hand side, will be found some wondrous products of the soil of Texas. You will witness what generous returns the earth yields to those who plant and sow and cultivate industriously and intelligently.

First in order we enter the Southern Pacific Railway company's exhibit, with Prof. Attwater in charge, ably assisted by John Howard, "of and for Texas." The greatest attraction in this exhibit is rice. There are specimens of Honduras and Japanese rice, polished and parched rice, brown rice and coffee rice, malt rice and rough rice, rice stalks, and also rice planted two days before the fair opened and some the day before, growing on soil from the grounds. A 'possum with her young on her back fed on rice, while a map of Texas shows the rice belt.

Other portions of the exhibit are flax, jute, hemp, a ninety-two pound watermelon, from Angleton; a Goliath bullfrog, stalk of okra eleven feet high, eggs weighing four to the pound, from Medina county; Beaumont and Sour Lake oil, raw silk and cocoons, from Wilson county; tremendous fish, Mexican June corn that will average fifty bushels per acre, and a hat made of rice straw. The rice portion of the exhibit was contributed jointly by the Southern Pacific and citizens of Houston. This exhibit received a special premium.

Jones and Haskell counties give a joint exhibit, and Manager McMillan rejoiced greatly because it captured first premium. Here you will see, raised without irrigation, watermelons, peaches, five varieties of corn, June corn, Kafir corn, sorghum, six varieties; milo, oats, millet, wheat, pumpkins, apples, pears, peaches, two kinds of peanuts, buckwheat, preserves, tomatoes, cucumbers, okra, Irish potatoes, five kinds of sweet potatoes, three varieties of onions, native grasses, seven varieties; gold, copper and silver, building stone, etc.

Passing on, we next find Grayson, Smith, Rockwall and Denton counties have an alliance, and behold some fine products. A novelty is two watermelons joined a la Siamese twins, while a hut constructed of beans and various seeds is a curiosity. A fine variety of native wines and cordials is here found. The twin watermelons were raised in Johnson county. There are immense Japanese persimmons, Irish and sweet potatoes, flax, hemp,

tomatoes and nearly all other kinds of vegetables.

Dallas county has a nice exhibit, and W. P. Eason of South Dallas has a most excellent individual exhibit.

These county exhibits are truly object lessons, and demonstrate what Texas soil will do if man will but look after his part of the programme.

Found Dead in Bed.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 4.—Miss Della McBee, who made her home with her aged father two miles and a half southwest of Petty, was found dead in bed. She had sat up the night before with her father, who was in feeble health. Shortly after breakfast she complained of not feeling well and went in a room and lay down. When dinner was ready she was discovered cold in death and must have died soon after lying down. Congestive chill supposed cause.

Bay State Democracy.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 4.—The Democratic state convention held here Thursday placed the following ticket in nomination:

Governor—Josiah Quincy, Boston.

Lieut. Governor—John W. Coughlin, Fall River.

Secretary of State—Wellmore B. Stone, Springfield.

Treasurer—Joseph I. Chalifoux, Lowell.

Auditor—James F. Dean, Salem.

Attorney General—A. A. Putnam, Bridge.

Sought by Twelve.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Helen M. Stoddard, secretary of the commission on the location for the Girls' Industrial school, returned from Waco. She said that the following places were candidates for the institution: Fort Worth, Denton, Terrell, Jefferson, Sherman, Hillsboro, Greenville, San Antonio, Bryan, Houston, Waco and Marshall. Mrs. Stoddard said that it is probable that there will be other candidates.

Ticket Named.

New York, Oct. 4.—Richard Croker received an ovation in the Democratic city convention at the Grand Central palace Thursday night. On taking the chair George B. McClellan praised Mayor Van Wyck, and said the party had no apologies to offer. Edwin M. Sheperd was nominated for mayor.

William J. Ladd, Jr., was then made the nominee for comptroller and Judge George M. Van Horn for president of the board of aldermen.

The Alaska Mosquito.

Mosquitoes in Alaska is a subject that one wants to pay attention to. They are here by the billions, writes a gold prospector. It is impossible to go out in the evening without a head-net and a pair of gloves. They will bite through your clothing as easily as if you had nothing on at all. When they make your acquaintance they always leave you a present in the shape of a hard lump under the cuticle that is full of water. To open this you are sure to have a sore spot for several days. It seems that the sting of a mosquito here is more poisonous than that of his brother in the States. If the mosquitoes carry the germs of malarial fever I cannot understand how it is that the population of Alaska lives.

London's Only Mosque.

Probably not a hundred people other than those who frequent them are aware that there is a mosque where Mohammedan services are held in London as well as a chapel where the followers of the creed of Zoroaster can worship. Thus the Moslem and the Parsee are as much at home in the world's metropolis at the dawn of the twentieth century as they would be in their native lands, for when they are in their respective places of worship each can for the time forget that he is in a foreign country and be for the time being transported back to Asia. A brief 100 years ago and religious toleration would probably never have allowed Mohammedanism literally to build its temple in a Christian city.

Italian Girls Don't Flirt.

The girls of Italy are denied many privileges that their American sisters enjoy. Chief among these is that they do not flirt, nor are they parties to the love-making that results ultimately in their becoming wives. This applies to the upper classes. Among the lower classes the youths are freer to please themselves and there is no lack of furious love-making, seasoned with jealousy, estrangements, peacemaking tears and smiles, as Mother Nature intended it to be. But there is no flirting. Love is taken very seriously, and on the girl's side at least is inlaid in with marriage as the end in view.

In Belgium coal strike 10,000 miners are involved.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.

It Convened at Sherman With Many Delegates in Attendance.

Sherman, Tex., Oct. 3.—The officers of the Texas synod of the Presbyterian church in session in this city are: Moderator, Rev. John B. McCall, Cleburne; temporary secretary, Rev. R. M. Hall, San Antonio; reading clerk, H. P. McCurdy, Viero.

The synod was called to order Thursday morning by the moderator, and after the usual prayer and song service the body settled down to the transaction of business.

An address on Sunday schools by Rev. A. L. Phillips was made the order Thursday. His address was a full and complete review of the church in Texas.

Rev. Josephus Johnson and Rev. C. T. Caldwell were elected directors of Southwestern university. Dr. Johnson succeeds himself and Dr. Caldwell succeeds Dr. W. M. Anderson. Dr. Robert Hill was elected alternate.

The following communication was read: "The presbytery of Fort Worth hereby overtures synod to hold its next meeting with a church at Cleburne, Tex."

The time and place of next meeting was made a special order of business for 3 o'clock Friday.

At 3 o'clock a recess of a few minutes was taken, after which the report of the committee on the female seminary was taken up and considered.

There are about 135 delegates in attendance.

All the afternoon was spent in routine discussions with no particular important matters before the body. The synod went out to Austin college in a body and were royally entertained by the faculty and students.

Delayed Payments.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 4.—The tardiness in the general appropriation bill has delayed the payment of the salaries of the state employes about one week, but it has been more serious to a large number of merchants who are contracting to furnish to the various state eleemosynary institutions. The state purchasing agent awarded the contracts several weeks before Sept. 1 and supplies in large quantities were furnished during September on the strength of the general understanding that the appropriation bill would be passed at the close of the first called session, and when it failed the contractors were unwilling to forfeit their contracts, secured after hard competitive bidding, thinking that only a few days would be required to pass the bill at the second term. But such was not the case, and all except three of the thirty days were consumed, making a total of nearly sixty days.

Mr. Dodge, state purchasing agent, is auditing the unpaid accounts and the aggregate will be fully \$60,000, which will be paid as soon as the controller classifies the appropriations and draws warrants, which will require several days.

Senatorial Shoe Polish.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 4.—The contingent expense accounts of the second called session of the legislature have been rendered to the controller. The account of the senate with one Austin firm, covering a period of eighteen days of the session, shows that \$7.50 was expended for shoe polish, 25 cents for a shoe polishing cloth, \$8 for soap, \$2.50 for matches, \$12 for chlorides to be used for disinfecting purposes and \$2.10 for one-half dozen maps. The amount paid for washing the towels of the senators and lieutenant governor was \$23 during the second called session.

Whipped Him.

Corsicana, Tex., Oct. 4.—The negro, who frightened two young ladies by looking into their room the night of Sept. 30 was released from custody, no charge being preferred against him. About twenty men were near by when he was turned loose, and when the officers had gone, the negro was seized and taken to the northern edge of town and soundly thrashed. He was tied across a trough used for feeding cattle and about 200 lashes were dealt with a blacksnake whip. He left town.

Says Turkey Will Settle.

London, Oct. 4.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Times says the Porte consent to pay 9 per cent interest on the claim of M. Lorando, but disputes the amount of the capital. France demands that the porte appoint an examining committee to deal with the claim. The ultimate settlement of the claim is regarded as certain.

LONE STAR LINES.

Events of the Present Day Reduced to Plain Paragraphs.

A Tyler company will do some oil prospecting near that city.

On the 1st there were 604 producing oil wells in the Corsicana district.

Hopkins County Wool Growers' association fixed Oct. 16 for Wool Sale day.

The International and Great Northern railway is receiving 100,000 new ties.

Toby Zollicoffer, colored, fell in a well at Milford, Ellis county, and broke his neck.

Waco has the question of municipal ownership of the waterworks under consideration.

Jamts Key, 16 years old, a mail carrier, was killed at Midway by his horse falling on him.

There will, it is said, be no delay in erecting the deaf and dumb asylum addition at Austin.

The female ward of the North Texas insane asylum is pronounced unsafe and the inmates will be removed.

Ground has been broken at San Antonio for a \$20,000 annex to the Travis Street Methodist Episcopal church.

Denison is to have a \$150,000 hotel, to be known as "The Denison." It will be four stories high and modern in every respect.

A boiler maker named Hyde was caught between a locomotive and a post in the Palestine roundhouse and crushed to death.

Orley Humphries, 19 years old, died from hydrophobia at Elgin. The dog biting him has shown no symptoms of the dread disease.

Gov. Sayers appointed J. A. P. Dixon of Seymour to be judge of the Fifteenth judicial district to succeed Judge Newton, deceased.

Evangelist Sid Williams has concluded his meeting at Texarkana. There were more than 100 conversions. He is conducting a meeting at Atlanta, Ga.

One thousand feet of casing was thrown into the air by gas pressure at Beaumont and the rotary of the Guffey well disabled, entailing a \$15,000 loss.

Gen. T. N. Waul, Wm. Christian and J. T. Hill have been appointed by the governor to locate the position of the Texas troops at Vicksburg. They were in the siege.

Gov. Sayers has appointed Drs. C. C. Weaver of Itasca, T. L. Westerfield of Dallas and M. L. Merchant of Giddings members of the state board of dental examiners.

Total amount of internal revenue collections of Austin district for month of September was \$61,505, compared with \$77,124 previous month. Principal item of decrease was beer stamps.

The Texas Southern Railway company has made a proposition to Marshall citizens to locate its general principal shops at that city. The bonus asked is a \$40,000 depot, grounds and right of way to the Panoia county line.

AWFUL MISTAKE.

Thinking His Wife a Burglar, a Husband Takes Her Life.

Leander, Tex., Oct. 7.—One of the saddest accidents ever known here occurred Friday night. C. L. Jennings saw some one pass his window two or three times and thought it was a burglar. He arose and closed the door, then loaded his shotgun with buckshot. Suddenly the door was pushed open and he called, but received no reply. He fired at the person, only a few feet away, and not until then did he realize that he had shot and killed his wife.

Accidental Killing.

Midland, Tex., Oct. 7.—W. T. Sadler, formerly county attorney, accidentally shot and killed himself Friday afternoon while duck hunting on the C ranch, thirty miles north of this place. Deceased leaves a wife and child, who are now here. Mr. Sadler having recently located at Midland. The remains were shipped to Palestine for interment.

E. H. B., president of the Texas Midland railway, has gone to Bellows Falls, Vt., called there by the serious illness of his father.

Grand jury of Bowie county, Texas, has returned 109 indictments.

Lands Sold to the State or Reported Delinquent in Former Years.

NOT REDEEMED AND DELINQUENT FOR 1900 IN COKE COUNTY.

STATE OF TEXAS, } I. L. B. MURRAY, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the
COUNTY OF COKE, } within report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of said
county for the year of 1900, which have been sold to the State or reported delinquent for taxes of
former years and not redeemed, and are delinquent for the taxes of 1900, is correct, and that I am en-
titled to credit for the taxes as shown thereon.

{ SEAL } L. B. MURRAY, Tax Collector.
Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 15th day of April, 1901.
J. W. BARNETT, County Clerk of Coke County.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

STATE OF TEXAS, } IN COMMISSIONER'S COURT.
COUNTY OF COKE, } We certify that we have examined the within report of lands and town lots
assessed on the Tax Rolls of Coke County for the year 1900, which have been sold to the State or re-
ported delinquent for taxes of former years and not redeemed, and are delinquent for the taxes of 1900,
and find the same correct, and that L. B. Murray, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes as
shown thereon, as follows, to wit:

State Ad Valorem Tax.....\$179.27	County Ad Valorem Tax.....\$268.94
State School Tax.....193.62	County Special Tax.....623.19
State Poll Tax.....	County Poll Tax.....
Total State Taxes.....\$372.89	District School Tax.....165.64
	Total County Taxes.....\$1,057.77

Given in open Court this 16th day of April, 1901.

{ SEAL } GID GRAHAM, County Judge.
T C BALWIN,
B A TAYLOR,
D S CUNNINGHAM, } Commissioners.
J H CAMPBELL,

ATTEST:

NAME OF OWNER	ABST. No.	CERT. No.	SURV. No.	ORIGINAL GRANTEE.	No AC'S Ass'd.	No AC'S DEQ'T.	TOTAL TAXES	Y'R FOR WHICH SOLD
Mrs W L Hendrick	759	28-27	117	W C R R Co.	640	640	1827	
B H Humphrey	1047			B H Humphrey	160	160	242	
J M Gunnels	1841	16-35	6	J M Gunnels	320	320	685	
S O Simmons	1829		1	Maggie Austin	80	80		
Unknown	1451		1	S O Simmons	80	80	229	
W J Shackelford		42-5374	50	E L Collyns	640	640	1085	
Unknown	60	106	61	C & M Ry Co.	114	114	328	
Unknown	221	181	53	D & S E Ry Co.	640	640	1828	
Unknown	122	162	55	D & S E Ry Co.	640	640	1828	
Unknown	123	183	57	D & S E Ry Co.	640	640	1828	
Unknown	124	229	59	D & S E Ry Co.	114	114	329	
Unknown	473	4016	966	1-2 John Johnson	480	480	1370	
Unknown	1019	106	62	B M Collyns	114	114	326	
Unknown	1054	1099	971	G P Kennedy	35	35	102	
Unknown	1259	7-121	3	H T & B Ry Co.	160	160	457	
Unknown	1499		1	Chas. W. Bird	80	80	114	
Unknown	1535		4	Ella Lasswell	60	60	86	
Unknown	1558		1	A Ruthledge	102	102	285	
Unknown	1655	42-5365	32	E W Spring	320	320	632	
Mrs. M L Hendricks	1466	28-28	119	W Co. R R Co.	640	640	1827	1898
Unknown	5	1023	171	2-Jacob Armstrong	960	960	2553	1890
Unknown	15	3902-3903		C M Beason	190	190	541	1890
Unknown	54	735	18	George Bringham	1280	1280	3533	1890
Unknown	37	1-179	7	Bealy Seal & Forwood	520	520	856	1889
Unknown	47	3822-3923	231	2 Lewis Carrion	152	152	429	1891
Unknown	137	665	1	Mrs. F. Engledow	847	847	2425	1890
Unknown	192	22-193	1	W L Hunter	314	314	828	1891
Unknown	185	1348	1	J T Hanson	314	314	1141	1895
Unknown	199		3	L B Harris	107	107	739	1893
Unknown	216	5-119	1	H T & B Ry Co.	640	640	2140	1889
Unknown	523	26-22	121	2-M W Mathews	74	74	214	1890
Unknown	601	25-111	1	A W Rowlett	383	383	1091	1890
Unknown	994	39-292	1	B B & C Ry Co.	320	320	713	1893
Unknown	1027	965	2	Mrs. E. English	60	60	159	1893
Unknown	1214	119	1	B B & C Ry Co.	640	640	1828	1896
Unknown	1238	786	174	Felix Soso	61	61	172	1896
Unknown	1399	299	21	2-John Chew	357	357	1028	1898
Unknown	1444	42-5384	10	D P Ridgill	607	607	923	1898
Unknown	1475	39-4916	480	E P Woodward	640	640	846	1898
Unknown	1487	39-4988	300	W T Berry	640	640	843	1899
Unknown	1503	42-5359	20	C Collyns	640	640	843	1899
Unknown	1523		2	J B Henry	160	160	194	1899
Unknown	1527		1	W L Henry	80	80	96	1899
Unknown	1634	37-4033	80	J. F. Lane	640	640	772	1899

TOWN LOTS.

ALL IN Robert LEE:—
Mrs. M E Childress—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 8.
Unknown—lot 20, block 12
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 22 24, block 45.
Unknown—lot 68, block 48.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 58.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 54.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 56.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 57.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 58.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 59.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 60.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 61.
T. S. Dismore—lot 11, block 2. Total taxes \$1.40
J. W. Ratliff—lot 7, block 63. Total taxes 0.19
Annie Simmons—lot 23, block 15.
Unknown—lots 7 8, block 26. Total taxes \$1.08.
Unknown—lot 7, block 3. Total taxes 0.32
Unknown—lots 1 2 3, block 6. Total taxes 0.53
Unknown—lots 4 10 12, block 16. Total taxes 0.82.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 18. Total taxes 0.88.
Unknown—lot 9, block 27. Total taxes 0.19.
Unknown—lots 4 8, block 21. Total taxes 0.30.
Unknown—lots 4 6 10 14 16 18 20 22 24, block 22. Total taxes \$1.76.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 29. Total taxes 0.89.
Unknown—lots 3 5 7 9 11 13 15 17 19 20 21 22, block 48. Total taxes \$2.27.
Unknown—lot 28, block 49. Total taxes 0.17.
Unknown—lot 22, block 53. Total taxes 0.19.
Unknown—lot 6, block 55. Total taxes 0.19.
Unknown—lot 4, block 65. Total taxes 0.19.

es 0.19. Year for which sold 1898.
Unknown—lot 15, block 44. Total taxes 0.19. Year for which sold 1892.
Unknown—lot 22, block 49. Total taxes 0.19. Year for which sold 1893.
Unknown—lots 4 6 8 9 10, block 50. Total taxes 88. Year for which sold 1896.
Unknown—lots 8 10, block 52. Total Taxes 36. Year for which sold 1892.
Unknown—lots 4 8, block 35. Total taxes 0.35. Year for which sold 1892.
Unknown—lot 5, block 57. Total taxes 0.19. Year for which sold, 1898.
Unknown lot 7 9, block 62. Total taxes 0.36. Year for which sold 1893.
Unknown—lot 11, block 73. Total taxes 0.19. Year for which sold 1897.
Unknown—lots 2 4 6 8 10 12, block 79. Total taxes \$1.06. Year for which sold 1893.
Unknown—lot 2, block 8. A. N. L. & C. Co. Ad. Total taxes 0.19. Year for which sold 1896.

I. J. Good sold his place near Edith this week, to Mr. Kinnebrew of Brown county.
M. Byrd of Sanco was at Ballinger this week.
Joe Rawls of the Divide country, returned this week from a trip to Coleman county. He reports that country very dry and short on feed. He was accompanied on his return by Rolan Hudson a nephew who is looking for a ranch.

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A BACHELOR over at Kearney the other day asked one of the well-known married men, who had a most excellent wife, where he found her? The reply was "at home with her mother, and not on the streets."—Ex.

HOUSTON is to have a new daily evening paper to be known as the Houston Chronicle. Mr. Marcellus E. Foster will resign his position as managing editor of the Daily Post in order to accept the presidency of the new company.

Ed Good of Coke county bought Henry Lindley's 100-section ranch in Pecos county, ten miles below the Pontoon crossing. Mr. Lindley is now en route to New Mexico, prospecting. Mr. Good has the ranch partly stocked with 2000 head of his Liano and Coke county cattle.—Miles Messenger.

Well Bronte is daily reaching out for its present and future prosperity in addition to its ten or twelve business places is being added another hotel by Mr. Ed Walton. Ed will also engage in the land and law business under the firm name of Walton & Hudman, his associate being Squire P. W. Hudman.

What has become of the RUSTLER's old and reliable correspondents? Where are "Uncle Tom" and "Uncle Charlie" and others who made the RUSTLER glisten with their penins? They should not keep "lights hid under self's half bushel." Let us hear from the many points of the county as such are of interest and value.

The health of our people is good, winter is approaching and we will be more subject to small-pox than ever before, vaccination is recognized as a specific by all prominent medical authorities. It seems that some steps should be taken with the Bronte school in this matter, there is no use of taking a chance at small-pox.

Prof. W. T. Savage left last Sunday for Caldwell Texas where he was to be wedded on Wednesday, the 9th, to Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nelms. Prof. and Mrs. Savage will return about the 15th to Robert Lee to make this their home for awhile. Prof. Savage is well known here, having taught in our school and is at present our efficient county surveyor, therefore it is needless to try to speak of his good qualities as everyone knows him to be of sterling worth. The bride is also known here having taught in our school last term winning for herself the love and esteem of both patron and pupil. Prof. and Mrs. Savage will be gladly welcomed into our town and THE RUSTLER joins in with their many friends in extending them a hearty welcome and wishing them all the joys and success the future may have in store for them.

Dr. Martin purchased the residence and business houses of J. E. Stewart this week.

Misses Pearl Smith and Amelia Caraway two of Robert Lee and Hayrick's charming young ladies spent a few days with friends near Bronte last week.

G. W. Gideon of Milam county, is now a citizen of Coke county, as he has bought the N. C. Lucas place, he seems to be a desirable addition to the Bronte community.

J. M. Smith was at Robert Lee this week.

A. S. GANTT, Furniture, Wall paper, Paints, Oil and Glass. San Angelo, Texas.

LOCAL CHIPS.

Rain! rain! rain!
 More and better grass.
 School books at Pearce's.
 Several prospectors in town this week.
 Are you sowing wheat? Are you going to?
 I. J. Good and wife were in town Tuesday.
 See J. D. Rawls of San Angelo for Seed Wheat.
 It takes the spot cash to pay for school books.
 See J. D. Rawls of San Angelo for Bed Mattresses.
 Tom Cross has now on hand a nice line of Coffins.
 Tom Hennessey made a trip to Ballinger last week.
 Edith was well represented in Robert Lee Tuesday.
 See J. D. Rawls for Seed Wheat, Corn, Oats and Hay.
 Stop at Posey & Bell's Wagon yard when in Robert Lee.
 Lee J. Good left Saturday for a few days trip to the east.
 Our lumber yard is doing a good business these days.
 J. R. Smith was in town Tuesday attending to business.
 For a first class bed try the Oaks, when in San Angelo.
 Job Work done in first class style at the RUSTLER office.
 H. H. Pearce is agent for the San Angelo Steam Laundry.
 J. D. Rawls of San Angelo handles all kind of feed stuff.
 For grain and hay call on Posey & Bell the Wagon yard men.
 D. B. McCallum made a trip to San Angelo this week on business.
 Nice fresh clean and cheap groceries at J. E. Stewart & Co.'s
 Noah Powers' child has been ill several days—Is a little better now.
 W. A. Stepp bought Mr. Webb's place this week and moved into same.
 L. F. Scarborough is still hauling out lumber at his home near Saeco.
 Prof. N. C. Brown came back this week from a trip to Coleman county.
 89 members were present at the Baptist Sunday school last Sunday.
 G. O. Lasswell sold his residence here to J. D. Davis, consideration, \$350.
 Rev. J. B. Hooten filled his regular appointment at this place last Sunday.
 Fresh meat at the Old Reliable meat market Hooten & Higgins Proprietors.
 Send your laundry to the San Angelo Steam Laundry. H. H. Pearce agent.
 Barbecued meat at the Old Reliable meat market, Hooten & Higgins Proprietors.
 Col. H. H. Hayley, the well-known Hayrick gentlemen, was in town Tuesday.
 J. H. Warren bought 160 acres of railroad land from Louis Higgins this week.
 J. C. Newton is new contractor for temporary service, on the Edith mail line.
 Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Reed are now happily domiciled in their new residence.
 Rev. S. T. Hazel contemplates building a residence within the next few weeks.

Leonard Service left this week for Coleman county where he will spend the winter.
 John Viers and lady left Wednesday morning for Miles to visit his relatives.
 Boys if you want a nice Livery Rig try one of Posey & Bell's they keep first-class.
 D. O. Maddox has moved into the Will Lasswell house recently purchased by J. D. Davis.
 L. B. Murray, sheriff of Coke county, was here last week.—The Coming West, Snyder, Texas.
 Bill McCutchen, of Bronte, was one of the many prospectors here this week.—The Coming West.
 Coke county is so healthy that there is a threatened famine—among physicians and druggists.
 Grandma Stepp was very low one day this week, but we are glad to say that she is now better.
 Louis Tucker brought in some nice roasting ears this week which he sold at 20 cents per dozen.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis entertained in a very hospitable manner last Friday night a few of the cityites.
 Miss Cameron, daughter of our neighbor W. C. Cameron, is reported convalescent, after a spell of sickness.
 Mr. R. L. Henry purchased the residence of John West last week. Mr. West will leave with his family for the west.
 Mr. O. J. Thompson is seeking some desirable residence lots in our town. We would be glad to have him with us.
 The elegant residence of Mr. Don Green is nearing completion and promises to be one of the neatest in our city.
 Prof. H. A. Montgomery came in Sunday from his home at Crews, and began a singing school here Monday night.
 M. H. Davis traded his 400-acre place near town to J. W. Lindley this week for his house in town and will move into same.
 Sigman & Co., at Caldwell old stand pays highest prices for Hides and Pelts at all times, also Cotton Seed and Pecans.
 If you have any Cotton Seed to sell see Sigman & Co., at Caldwell old stand before selling. Phone 27, San Angelo Texas.
 J. E. Stewart & Co. have just received a nice line of fall and winter dry goods. Call and see them before going elsewhere.
 A singing at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green's last Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd of young people.
 Mrs. Jesse Mercer and little son from the K. M. Mays ranch, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Escue, this week.
 M. H. Davis sold J. W. Lindley 40 head of stock cattle this week and bought the John West house and lot on the north side of the square.
 Joe McCutchen, of Bronte, will pasture his cattle with Kearney Mays on the old Runkles pasture on North Concho.—San Angelo Standard.
 Copious showers of real rain water fell during the past week at every postoffice in the "Colorado basin" of which Robert Lee is the center.
 Rev. Hazel accompanied by Rev. N. D. Bullock made a trip to San Angelo this week and purchased lumber for a residence for Brother Hazel.

THE RUSTLER notes with satisfaction, that Robert Lee has more homes and business houses, clear of encumbrance than any town in West Texas, proportionately.
 Uncle Charlie Jones is now collecting for the San Antonio Press, in Coke county. He will give Coke and Robert Lee what they deserve, a good "write up" in that good journal.
 Mr. William Burney and two sons from Coleman county have leased the Harris ranch consisting of two sections of land with about 300 acres in cultivation and have moved on the same.
 I. C. Williams sold his interest in the firm of Lindley & Williams, land agents last week to Mr. Frank Robinson, of Fort Chadbourne. We wish for the new firm much success.
 The live stock situation has eased up considerably since the recent rains and other contingencies as evidenced by the opening of trade both in feeder and range stock.—Miles Messenger.
 The farmers should not get so busy with their cotton as to forget that wheat should be sowed. Diversification put Texas in fine condition. If it is continued the people will keep in good shape.
 All the people of Robert Lee are invited to attend the Baptist Sunday School each Sabbath morning. An interesting song service will commence as soon as practicable after the first bell rings.
 Caleb Barron and Rufe Whitesides, of Coke and Nolan counties respectfully, have returned from Crockett and Upton counties where they purchased from General McKensie his 75-section ranch. The ranch fronts eight miles on the Pecos river and contains three good wells. Messrs Barron and Whitesides will stock it with about 1500 cattle immediately.—San Angelo Standard

NOTICE.
 On Oct. 1st. all of our accounts were due. We need the money and expect it. All parties indebted to us will please come forward and settle.
 Respectfully,
 J. W. REED & Co.

NOTICE—Any one caught gathering pecans at the Pecan mot, one-half mile east of town, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
 PATERSON & CROSS.

Trespass Notice.
 Any person who shall hunt gather Pecans, Fish, haul wood, or commit any other trespass in and upon the lands owned or controlled by me will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law
 W. F. Key, Bronte, Texas.

NOTICE—We have bought the entire stock of goods of J. E. Stewart & Co. including all notes and accounts. All who are indebted to said firm will please come in and settle at once. Our books will be closed until January 1, 1901. You are invited to call and get our prices before buying elsewhere. We will make it to your interest.
 Respectfully,
 T. A. GREEN.
 G. W. Martin.

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25 yards good quality Sea Island Domestic for.....\$1 00	Window shades, full 7 feet long, 36 inches wide good grade; six colors best rollers, each.....\$ 40
20 yards unbleached Cotton Flannel..... 1 00	Best grade Men's or Ladies' Shoes ever shown at the price; guaranteed all leather and satisfactory..... \$1 50
14 yards best grade unbleached drilling..... 1 00	Extra fine grade Ladies' and Children's black Hose, per pair, usually, 12 1-2c., now..... 10c.
50 yards best brands Calico..... 1 00	25c. qualities of dress goods; various assortments of plaids, strips, mixed patterns, etc., our price, always the lowest, is 15c. per yard and..... 12 1-2c.
20 yards all colors, double faced Outing..... 1 00	
Regular \$150 and \$200 line of Ladies Oxfords; broken lots, all sizes to close out at \$1 00 per pair.	
Lace curtains that usually sell for \$1.50 per pair; close buying makes our price per pair only.....\$1 00	

We count it no trouble to show goods. No one looks through our stock without buying. Two reasons: Best Qualities and Lowest Prices. A visit from any reader of this advertisement will be sincerely appreciated.

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For good Whiskey, good Grub and good Beds.

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For good pure Whiskey call for any of the following named Brands Old Saratoga, Canadian, Mt. Vernon, New Port, Old Crow, also Fine Wines and Cigars. Call on me when in San Angelo.

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LITTLE BROWN HANDS



They drive home the cows from the pasture.
Up through the long, shady lane,
Where the quail whistle loud in the wheat fields.
That are yellow with the ripening grain.
They find in the thick waving grasses
Where the scarlet-tipped strawberry grows;
They gather the earliest snowdrops
And the first crimson buds of the rose.

They toss the hay in the meadow;
They gather the elder bloom white;
They find where the dusky grapes purple
In the soft-tinted October light.
They know where the apples hang ripest
And are sweeter than Italy's wines;
They know where the fruit hangs the thickest
On the thorny blackberry vines.

They gather the delicate seaweeds
And build tiny castles of sand;
They pick up the beautiful sea shells—
Fairy barks that have drifted to land;
They wave from the tall, rocking tree-tops
Where the oriole's hammock nest swings,
And at night time are folded in slumber
By a song that a fond mother sings.

To those who toll bravely are strongest;
The humble and poor become great;
And from these brown-handed children
Shall grow mighty rulers of state.
The pen of the author and statesman—
The noble and wife of the land—
The sword and the chisel and palette
Shall be held in the little brown hands.

Whitened Hair.

BY H. S. ROGERS.
(Copyright, 1901, by Daily Story Pub. Co.)
Conductor Shaffer of No. 5 let himself down from the rear end of his train as it came to a standstill. He cast an inspecting glance along the line of cars and at first hardly noticed the white-haired man who came creeping out from under the car near which he has standing. It was evident that the stranger had been stealing a ride, and he was dirty and begrimed; but in spite of the unattractive appearance of the man there was something unusual in his appearance that would cause anyone to look at him a second time. The skin had the pink tint and smoothness of youth, yet the hair above the face was as white as winter snow. The men looked at each other a moment and then the stranger turned quickly as if about to move away. Said Conductor Shaffer: "Joe Jordan, by thunder!" "Hoped you wouldn't know me, Shaff."

"I'd know you in the kingdom come, Joe. But, Lord, how you have changed!"

Joe appeared a bit uneasy and moved from one foot to the other restlessly. "What you doing under that train?" "Riding the rods."

"From where?" "Other end of the division."

"Where were you going?" "Didn't know and didn't care. Just got out because I was getting cramped."

"You are a regular bum, then?" "Yep, pretty much."

"Just you get right in the smoker there and after I work the train I will come in and talk to you."

After Conductor Shaffer had done



"Joe Jordan, by thunder!" his work he went forward and sat down by the side of the queer looking tramp.

"Kind of getting up in the world come, ain't you, Shaff?"

"How?"

"Kind of elevated from a freight run to this."

"Yep, made up my mind three years ago that the old man on the I. N. and W. would never give me a chance, so I took the first offer and transferred over here. Had not been here six months until I got this passenger run. You seem to be still on the slow freights in your line, Joe. What on earth has happened to your hair?"

"It's a pretty long story, Shaff, unless you have got time to listen."

"Twenty miles to the next stop."

"Well, you see, it is like this, Shaff. It's five years since I dropped out. Not one single person that I knew or that knew me in the old days has ever seen me or spoken to me since then until I ran across you this morning. There was no one dependent upon me, and no one that cared, I guess. You know that I was running pretty strong with Mary Parr then for a time, and although she is married now—"

"What's that?"

"Well, I ain't ashamed to say that I thought a lot of her and if things had gone differently may be I would have had a passenger run by this time. One evening Mary and I had a little spat—didn't amount to much, but we thought it did—and that settled it. Then I heard that she was going with Henry Weber, a machinist at the shops, and so I kind of dropped out. Left the road and worked all over for a time. Then I got to traveling about a bit, and soon I was on the bum. You don't know how easily a fellow can drop into that, especially a fellow that knows railroading as I do. I have traveled all over these United States without a cent. It's hard lines some times, but I don't know but it is as good as any other if a fellow don't care what becomes of him.

"About my white head? Did you ever hear that a man's hair could turn gray in a night. I never took much stock in that, but here before you is a sample of what can be done by fear. It was in this way. I had been wandering down through the eastern states some three years ago, and one night I landed at Lancaster, Pa. There was a young fellow hanging around the Pennsylvania road's water tank and we decided to travel together. It was warm even if it was late winter and we began nosing around the cars. The young fellow found a car door unsealed and called to me. We climbed in and found ourselves in a car loaded with bananas. It was pleasant enough and we found straw on top of the crates and made it a good place for sleeping. Before I went to sleep a brakeman came along and I heard him swearing because the banana car had not been sealed before it left New York, and then I heard him closing the door. It did not seem that I had been asleep very long when I was awakened by my companion. Said he:

"There is something in this car."

"Of course there is," said I, and about to fall asleep again.

"It's something crawling. Don't you feel them?"

"I did feel something on my hand

and shook it off. Then I dug a match out of my pocket and struck it. That's where my hair began to turn white. The place was swarming with gigantic spiders, I thought, but as the match flickered and flared I looked up at my companion. His face was deadly white and he hissed at me:

"Tarantulas."

"Then I understood in an instant. The horrible things had been brought from some southern country in the bunches of bananas. A bite from any one of the ugly creatures meant death. I could hear my companion's teeth chattering and I knew that he was in an agony of fear.

"What's to be done?" he gasped.

"Sit perfectly still," said I. "Don't move nor brush one of them off, even if it crawls on your face. Have you the nerve to do it?"

"No, no. My God, I shall be insane in a few minutes."

"I knew that he was telling the truth and felt that I also had the same to fear. Our warm bodies probably attracted the creatures, because they began to crawl over us, and to this day I have only to close my eyes and I can see and feel those hairy legs and little claws creeping on my flesh. Suddenly my companion gave a scream and began beating the air and fighting the tarantulas. We were pressed so close to the roof of the car that we could scarcely move, and as I lay there not daring to even turn a hand or foot it was fearful. The odor from the insects that he had crushed and from the ripe fruit was in itself overpowering, and it is not surprising that I soon became unconscious. And that no doubt saved my life and reason.

"It was some time the next day when I awoke, and there was daylight in the car. I looked about and there was not a tarantula in sight. I called to my companion, but there was no answer, and I was too weak to get over to him. After a time I heard people moving outside and made an outcry that attracted attention. At last the car was opened and I was released. I won't trouble you with all those details, but they found the body of my companion. It was swollen to horrible size and a fearful thing to see. I lay in a hospital three weeks and when I came out my hair was like it is now, although you know, Shaff, I am less than thirty."

"I have had some darned queer stories told me, Joe Jordan, but that takes the cake. Who told you that Mary Parr was married?"

"Nobody; just knew it was all."

"Well, you are the blindest idiot. That girl has just been sitting around



"Tarantula!"

waiting for someone, and most people think it is you. My wife was saying to me only the other day that if Mary was pining for that Joe Jordan she better look out or she would end up an old maid, because the Lord only knew whether he was in the land of the living."

"Reckon most people would think she was losing time waiting around for an old white-headed tramp, Shaff."

The queer looking tramp sat a long time watching the scenery rushing by, but it is doubtful if he saw any of it. When the conductor came along the next time he looked up and remarked:

"Say, Shaff, do you reckon I could get back on the old I. N. & W.?"

"Ain't done nothing to queer yourself, have you?"

"Not that I know of."

"Well, the old man always spoke mighty well of you, and if there is nothing doing for you on that road, I have got a pretty good pull over here myself. You drop off at home with me, and we will see about fixing you up a bit before you tackle him."

Progress in Ocean Travel.

In 1840 the Cunard steamship Britannia, built of wood, propelled by paddle wheels, maintained a sea speed of about 8½ knots. Her steam pressure was 12 pounds per inch. She was 207 feet long, about 2,000 tons displacement, her engines developed about 750-horse power, and her coal consumption was about 40 tons a day, or about five pounds of coal per indicated horse power per day. She carried a full spread of sail. In sixty years speed has been increased from 8½ knots to twenty-three knots; the time on the voyage has been reduced to about one-third of what it was in 1840.

WHY WE LEAD ENGLAND.

Illustration Afforded by Difference in Treatment of Locomotives.

Nothing perhaps better illustrates the difference between British and American methods in the present year of grace than the satisfaction of the Great Northern Railway company of England that one of their locomotives, built in 1870, has completed 4,000,000 miles. This is a record, says the company, a thing to be proud of, "because it shows that our engines are made to last and are not shoddy." But the American view is quite different. This record, says the superintendent of motive power of one of our great trunk lines, "is far beyond anything we can show, and, I may add, is ahead of anything we intend shall be shown by any of our engines. If we kept an engine in service thirty years we should think we were neglecting our duty to the public. An engine thirty years old is an antiquated machine. We expect to get as much work as possible out of our locomotives, knowing that when they are worn out progress will have produced so many improvements that it would be no economy to continue the older engine in service, even if it could be rebuilt. In England an engine is petted, and its life prolonged as much as possible." Herein explains in a sentence why England is no less than all the rest of the world is suffering from the stress of American competition. The best is none too good for us, whether it be in locomotives or the machinery to make matches; and the best is the cheapest in the end. The English are satisfied with a locomotive thirty years old—a locomotive which has been patched, and tinkered, and "petted"—which is uneconomical because it wastes fuel and is lacking in power. Thirty years ago it was, perhaps, the best machine of its class, but machinery, unlike wine, does not improve with age. The American railway manager knows that it is cheaper to build than to patch; that after an engine has lived its life it is economy to send it to the scrap heap and buy a newer, a better, and more powerful machine, which consumes less fuel and requires fewer repairs. The Englishman may know that his engine is not up to date, and grows at the bad service of his railway company, and, having growled, and probably written to the Times about it, he puts up with all the shortcomings. The American does something more than growl; he demands the highest perfection, and unless it is furnished to him he patronizes a rival. Competition in the United States is so keen that to hold the trade the best service and latest improvements are given to the public, and the British public is now getting the benefit of American methods.—The Observer, in Harper's Weekly.

MINERAL TREASURES.

Stores of Wealth Recently Discovered in Ancient Palestine.

Consular Agent Harris at Eilbenstock recently made a report to the state department in regard to the mineral treasures of Palestine, based on a communication from a German mining engineer in Palestine. "Valuable mineral treasures," says the report, "have recently been discovered in Palestine, so it is safe to say that the industrial awakening of the Holy Land is no longer a dream. It is true that the greater part of the once flourishing country is a barren desert. The lines of communication are miserable, and traffic is unsafe, aside from the one railroad from Yafa to Jerusalem. The newly discovered mineral deposits lie on both sides of the Jordan and the Dead Sea. The salt deposits of the Dead Sea could be developed into an industry. The waters hold chloremagnesium, brommagnesium and callait. Aside from this there are the bituminous chalk springs of Nebi Musa, which contain from 30 to 40 per cent asphalt. The most important of all the deposits is phosphate. As is well known, natural calkphosphate, phosphorite and coprolite are necessary for the production of superphosphates. This latter composition and sulphur form the most important ingredients in the preparation of artificial manure. At present the phosphate mines of Florida almost supply the world's demand.

"The immense fields of phosphate to the east and west of the Jordan need only better means of traffic and communication in order to insure their development. This, it would seem, is not far distant, as the Turkish government is planning a continuation of the Yafa-Jerusalem railroad, and steamboats are already plying the Dead Sea."

"Haven't I passed the examination?" inquired the would-be policyholder. "No, I am sorry to say," replied the insurance agent. "Then I can't take out that \$5,000 endowment?" "Not on your life!"—Philadelphia Press.

Askit—"I understand that the healer who treated by the laying on of hands is not so prosperous as he used to be, and has discharged most of his assistants." Tellit—"Yes, he's laying off his hands now."—Baltimore American.

Some people presumably have no soul if they are counted on as having the soul of honor.

Promotion for Bravery.

Word reaches us of a small band of soldiers who held at bay a large number of Filipinos for over two hours until assistance arrived, thereby saving an important point from capture. For their bravery they were all given promotion. To be brave it is necessary to have strong nerves and a good digestion. If your stomach is weak and you suffer from indigestion, heartburn, belching, nervousness or insomnia, you should try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It will cure you.

Some people put more in tobacco boxes than in contribution boxes.

Mrs. Winstow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Lots of men would rather lose a friend than a dollar.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
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When the time is up the timekeeper puts it down.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 6th.—The secret of the remarkable success of the Garfield Headache Powders, manufactured here by the Garfield Tea Co. lies in the fact that they are harmless as well as effective; people have confidence in them.

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Ladies Can Wear Shoes One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It makes tight or new shoes easy. Cures swollen, hot, sweating, aching feet, ingrowing nails, corns and bunions. All druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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It is easier to mend a broken head than a broken heart.

Why Don't You Eat Rice?
If you do not eat rice you ought to. It is an ideal food, easily digested, nutritious and cheap. Send ten cents in stamps to S. F. B. Morse, Passenger Traffic Manager, Houston and Texas Central R. R., Houston, Texas, for copy of Southern Pacific Rice Cook Book, containing two hundred receipts for preparing rice.

Brevity may be either the soul of wit or the poverty thereof.

Bedquills are not all the comforts of this life.

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Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 6th.—GARFIELD HEADACHE POWDERS HAVE GAINED THE RIGHT OF WAY: They are the kind people want—simple, harmless and ALWAYS effective. The Garfield Tea Co. of this city will send sample powders upon request.

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Women Rarely Fall.
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SURPRISE SPRUNG

By the Attorneys for Schley in Investigation Matter.

COAL SUPPLY NOT SUFFICIENT

For Pursuit of the Fleet of the Spanish Mad Admiral Cervera at the Time Made an Effort to Escape.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Rear Admiral Schley was justified in abandoning the Santiago blockade and returning to Key West for coal on the ground that he did not have sufficient coal to make a long chase under forced draft in pursuit of the Spanish ships if they had escaped from the harbor and started for some other port.

This is the rather surprising defense of his much criticised retrograde movement from the neighborhood of Santiago on May 26, 27 and 28, 1898, which Rear Admiral Schley will put forward.

It was disclosed before the court of inquiry Thursday by Mr. Raynor in the course of contention that the data put in evidence by the judge advocate as to the coal each vessel had on hand, the length of time each could have remained on blockade with that coal, and the distance that each would have steamed at full speed under forced draft with the same amount of coal.

Until Mr. Raynor made this disclosure it had always been supposed that Rear Admiral Schley's contention was that he could not safely remain off Santiago any longer with the amount of coal he had on hand. This supposition is based on his statement in his dispatch to the navy department announcing his start to return to Key West. In his dispatch he said: "Cannot remain off Santiago present state of squadron, coal account." In the light of Mr. Raynor's statement Thursday afternoon the rear admiral evidently did not mean he could not blockade the harbor of Santiago, but that he could not pursue the enemy in the event of their coming out and escaping, and that this justified him in leaving the harbor unblockaded and returning to Key West.

After Lieut. Doyle, formerly of Commodore Schley's flagship, the Brooklyn, had completed his testimony before the Schley court of inquiry Thursday, Capt. William C. Dawson of the marine corps was called, and was followed by Lieut. Charles W. Dyson of the bureau of steam engineering of the navy department.

Capt. Dawson was signal officer on board the battleship Indiana during the naval engagement off Santiago, and he gave an account from recollection of the behavior of the various ships of the American fleet during the battle. He said the Brooklyn had gone about 2000 yards to the southward before joining in the pursuit of Cervera's ships.

Large Sum.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 4.—In conjunction with the opening of the triennial convention of the Episcopal Church of America, a thanksgiving service was held in Grace church, at which the missionary offering of the woman's auxiliary, amounting to \$104,295, was presented. It was received with heartfelt expressions of thanks. The sessions of the convention were devoted strictly to business. After the announcement of the standing committees discussion on the proposed amendments to the constitution was begun and continued with much earnestness until evening. The result of the day's work was the adoption of the first seven articles which were proposed in the general convention of 1898. One of the changes made in the old constitution pertains to matters of church government.

Columbia Wins Again.

New York, Oct. 4.—The yachtsmen of the Shamrock II party gave nothing but praise to the Columbia Thursday evening.

"The most remarkable boat that ever spread sails," said Sir Thomas Lipton after the race. "There is no sloop in existence that could beat the Shamrock II. That boat is the Columbia."

Asked whether he had given up hope, Sir Thomas replied: "My flag is never down until the battle is ended; there is still a chance, but it is nothing more."

Confederate pension per capita this quarter is \$7.05.

COTTON CONDITION.

Monthly Statement Shows the Poorest in a Number of Years.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The monthly report of the statistician of the department of agriculture shows the average condition of cotton on Sept. 25 to have been 61.4, as compared with 71.4 on the 24th day of the preceding month, 67 on Oct. 1, 1900, 62.4 at the corresponding date in 1899, and with 70.3 the mean of the October averages of the last ten years. The report continues:

"Rarely has so general an impairment of condition been reported as the department's various crop condition agencies unite in according it this month. There is a decline of 9 points in Virginia and North Carolinian, 13 points in South Carolina, Florida and Tennessee, 8 points in Georgia and Louisiana, 10 points in Alabama and Arkansas, 22 points in Mississippi, 5 points in Texas, 11 points in Oklahoma, 15 points in Indian Territory and 14 points in Missouri. While the condition in Georgia and Louisiana is still 1 point above the ten-year averages of these states, the reports from every other cotton growing state compare unfavorably with the average October conditions for any considerable series of years. The extent which the various states fall below their respective ten-year averages is as follows: Virginia, 3 points; South Carolina, 2; North Carolina and Florida, 8; Alabama, 7; Mississippi, 4; Tennessee, 11, and Texas and Arkansas each 18.

The condition of the Indian Territory is 9 points, and in Oklahoma 16 points below the mean of the October averages for the last five years, and that in Missouri 19 points below the mean of the last eight years.

The averages for the condition in the different states are reported as follows: Virginia, 73; Louisiana, 72; North Carolina, 63; Texas 51; South Carolina 67; Arkansas, 51; Georgia, 73; Tennessee, 60; Florida, 65; Missouri, 61; Alabama, 65; Oklahoma, 57; Mississippi, 66; Indian Territory, 61.

Eight Negroes Arrested.

Seguin, Tex., Oct. 4.—Sheriff Dukes brought to this city and placed in jail eight negroes charged with assault upon Deputy Sheriff John Hall and Dan Darling, a farmer, both of whom live in the eastern part of the county. Both men are badly beaten up, and Hall is in a critical condition. The assault is alleged to have occurred at a church social on Saturday night, where "Grasshopper," a negro, was an attendant. Mr. Darling was his bondsman, and accompanied the officer to arrest the negro. Deputy Sheriff Hall was struck on the head by one of the negroes, presumably by brass knuckles. From that time a dozen or more jumped upon the officer and his assistant and both were beaten into insensibility. The arrest of the negroes resulted, and they were temporarily lodged in jail at Luling.

Failures Up to Oct. 1.

New York, Oct. 4.—Failures in the United States reported by R. G. Dun & Co. for the nine months of 1901 number \$144 with an aggregate indebtedness of \$97,856,416.

In the same months of 1900 the number was slightly smaller, 7895, but the amount of liabilities was much heavier, \$133,234,988. Subtracting the sixty-one failures of banking and other institutions with liabilities of \$17,235,554, the defaults in strictly commercial channels were 8083 in number and \$80,560,962 in amount, against 7851 in number and \$101,867,448 in amount last year.

Call for Lumber Convention.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 4.—A call has been issued by officials of various organizations of lumber men for a convention of all those interested in the lumber business in Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas to meet in New Orleans on Thursday, Oct. 17, to discuss the best methods of organizing associations in those states not having them, and devising means of enlarging the field of work of those in operation.

Fired On.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 4.—Wednesday night during a heavy rainstorm a picket at Fort Bliss fired on three white men who were attempting to rob the commissary. The robbers fled, but one of them was evidently hit, for he died profusely along the route taken by the fugitives. The wounded man was carried away in a wagon which had been left near to be loaded with provisions by the robbers. There is no clue to the identity of the men.

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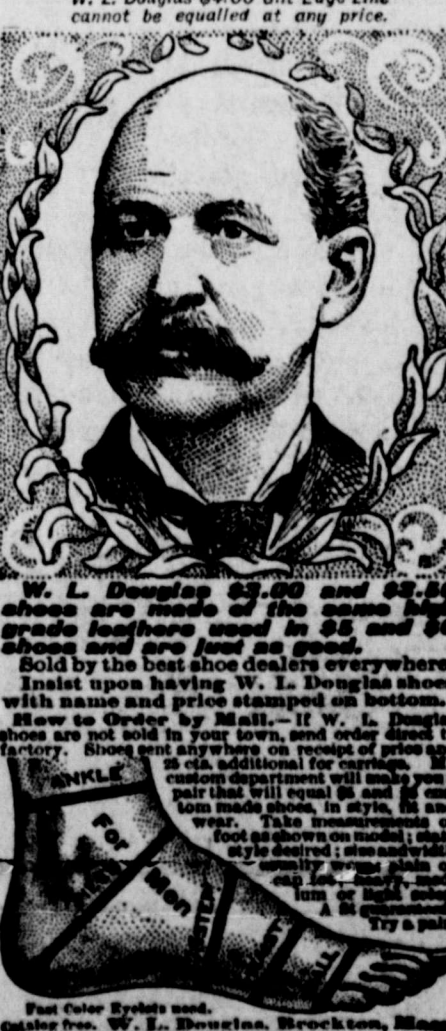
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Sweetwater News.

Sweetwater is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Perry are taking in the Dallas fair this week.

Manse Wood and little Mabel left Wednesday night to see the sights at Dallas.

One of the most social events of the week was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Manse Wood, in honor of Miss Lottie Pickett of Liberty, a cousin of Mrs. W. L. Grogan. It was a pleasant affair and greatly enjoyed by those fortunate enough to be present.

W. W. Sylvester and M. P. Paret, vice-president and chief engineer, respectively, of the K. C. M. and O. passed through here Monday, en route to Chihuahua, Mexico. They were accompanied as far as Big Springs by Messrs. Thomas Traummell, R. L. McCaully and R. A. Ragland. The visit of Messrs. Sylvester and Paret to Chihuahua is for the purpose of looking over the construction work of the Orient in that section. —Sweetwater Review.

MARRIED.

Quite a romantic wedding occurred in our little city last Saturday night while the young people of the town were enjoying a singing at home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green. It seemed that an unusual large crowd had gathered and the rooms were echoing with sweet strains of music when Mr. John Viers and Miss Lizzie Williams hid themselves away to the home of Walter Green where a preacher was found, waiting, ready to tie the nuptial knot, which made them one for now and for ever. After the ceremony the wedded pair repaired to the Tanel home where they spent the night. They returned to Robert Lee Sunday morning where they will make their future home. THE RUSTLER wishes for them much joy and happiness.

Notices.

To all parties indebted to me, that my accounts are, and always have been and always will be payable at Robert Lee.

G. W. MARTIN, M. D.

Tennyson News.

Editor RUSTLER:—

B. A. Taylor has just arrived from a ten days trip south, hunting grass and found none.

J. H. Allison, sold his ranch last week. Sold his land for \$6 per acre and his cattle for \$14 per head. He got a house and lot at Miles station in the trade. He will move to Miles to live until spring.

E. C. Good left last Monday with his last herd of cattle for the Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale are rejoicing over the arrival of a new girl at their house.

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A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Pearce's Drug Store.

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Baptist Sunday School.

The Robert Lee Baptist Sunday School had 89 members present at its session last Sunday morning. The following named teachers were present:—

Prof. T. D. Evans, Prof. W. B. Green, Mrs. G. W. Martin and Miss Ollie Green. Prof. W. T. Savage being absent, his class was taught by Bro. Tom Childress. The morning collection was \$1.30. The weather was cloudy. Great praise and much credit is due the above named faithful teachers for their uniform interest and regular attendance.

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NOTICE:—All parties indebted to me will please come forward and settle by Oct. 15th 1901. Yours Respectfully,
Dr. F. B. Moore,
Fort Chadbourne Texas

Ed Mobley returned this week from a trip to Brownwood and other points east.