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Lumber, Shingles. Sash, Doors, zed. We will take it yet Sappy. The given name of the fair visitor was

MOULDING, CEMENT, PAINT AND CEDAR POST.

RAIRD,

following dispatch was received:

DALLAS, TEX., Aug. 16, 1894. Reagan and McCall withdrawn. Culberson nominated on first ballot.

POWELL, WEBB & JACKSON.

It is also reported that Cleveland was indorsed. The Convention adopted the majority rule.

Hurrah for this!

OLD SAPPY AGAIN.

Old Sap, of Cottonwood, after resting a bit has fully recovered from the welt THE STAR gave him a few weeks ago and he squares himself up for another bout with Democracy and THE STAR.

In reply to the first article, he says THE STAR thinks it has played h-1. Don't know, Sappy. We did not intend to hit you that hard.

Now if THE STAR will let his politiadministration he can't object to the Pops condemning it if he has got any manhood about him

Certainly not, Sappy, Populist abuse of President Cleveland does not hurt him and it is a great relief to the Pops. Just go ahead, Sappy you have our permission to abuse Mr. Cleveland to your heart's content. Populist have little to comfort them anyway and not to allow them to abuse Mr. Cleveland only source of pleasure.

We are condenning him for what is right and fair and what our forefathers fought for and THE STAR knows it to be a fact but there is lots of men that can't speak their senti-

and fair. A'nt you a little off here, and our dear friend Herman S. who Sappy? Why do you condemn him has a good supply of coffins on hand, for what is right and fair? We fear took a scrutinizing survey of our the sap has soured in your brain pan noble but haggard constitution and you get things so badly mixed.

STAR will have to admit. One is he is ignorant of what Jefferson democracy is, or he don't want the common people to know what it is.

THE STAR won't do either. Now what are you going to do about it?

THE STAR is as destitute of Demoche discusses men instead of measures.

We are firmly convinced that old Sappy does not know any more about religion than he does politics, hence he is no judge of such matters. As to the charge that THE STAR discusses men and not measures the charge is not sustained by the facts. We always avoid discussing men as much as possible, but sometimes in discussing measures it is unavoidable. The same charge could more truthfully be made by Sappy against every Populist editor in the land; for they do scarcely anything else except abuse the Democrats personally, Cleveland and Mills especially.

If a man was a sinner last year and took a notion to reform this year are you just going to keep kicking him because he has done something in a passion?

No. Sappy, just come back into the ter. Democratic fold and acknowledge you made a mistake in attaching your Tom Ligon is building a chimney. It self to the tail of the Republican kite seems our young friend is preparing Instrumental solo ... to burst the solid south and all will a cosy nest for somebody but-mum be forgiven.

I want THE STAR to explain what he expects to gain by keeping the south solid and defeating the Pops.

Why keeping the government in the hands of the Democrats of course, you Sap Head.

Now you said last fall that you would take that demonetized silver dallar on subscription.

We said "despised" not "demoneti-STAR regular and you won't get mix- and appropriately. ed up so badly as you do now.

If every Pop was to come to Baird next Monday morning with a dollar note of that Fiat money you would gladly exchange your paper with them

Certainly we would do that very

thing Sappy, so long as it was as good the fiat paper money began to decrease in value, as we firmly believe it would, we would increase the price of THE STAR, just as you would the price of your farm products,

order to make up the deficency. What party are you with, a bond issuing party?

the merchant his goods and so on, in

THE STAR is with the Democratic party, the only party that promises to perpetuate a free republican form of government. If it becomes necessary to issue bonds to maintain the credit of the government, national, state, county or city we say issue them. Is this plain enough for you Sappy?

You have lost your colors, lost the procession if you ever was in it.

Sappy is bound to admit that THE STAR was in the procession two years ago, and he will have to admit it again in November, distasteful as it may be to him to do so. Paste this in cal stomach cool and reflect your hat Sappy and see if it does not back on what he has said about the come true.

God pity the people if they are as ignorant as they seem to be.

The people are not as ignorant as you take them to be, Sappy. The trouble with you is you measure others by your self. The people are not ignorant enough to vote the populist ticket to any alarming extent.

Deep Creek Dots.

Aug. 14,-Your correspondent has would be cruel indeed, and we have been delinquent for the last few weeks not the heart to refuse them their He was in the nursery business that a combination of differene other ailments. And when he came to town to perfect the arrangements. about 14 days ago everybody greeted him with the encouraging words: Condemning him for what is right Why you don't look very well Mr. B .began consolingly to tell us about the No the THE STAR don't know of a wonderful progress that has been man that is afraid to speak his honest | made lately in the art of embalming and that he was now prepaired to do There is one or two things THE some extra fine work in this line. cheerful information with his blandest way. Well never mind I got over it with the help of a painkiller, mustard plasters and other delicacies, and am cy as the devil is of religion, he is like ready to testify that a few squarethe balance of the Democratic editors yards of mustard-plaster are very efficient, although I really prefer the will pledge themselves to be in favor pure mustard in combination with a good beefsteak.

gerously sick for several weeks from it. slow fever is recovering slowly but steadily. During his illness the neighbors turned out in force and worked the cottonfield of Mrs. Beasley cut the sorghum etc. That is true neighborly little off.

Jesse Walker's health is improving and Abe Martin who is a student in count of sickness is on the way to a speedy recovery.

John Ligion is hauling the lumber for a new dwelling on his land about Recitation. 3 miles south-east from here and is going to improve the place next win-

Mr. Davis is digging a cistern and is the word.

J. B. Smith father of our fellowcitizen Clark Smith and brother-inlaw of Capt Maltby, arrived about a fortnight ago from Burnett county accompanied by his son Lawrence. They will return home to-day.

Miss Belle Matthews a charming young lady from Eastland Co. is visiting at her uncle's John M. Mathews. Send in your dollar and read THE seldom bestowed more deservingly

Louis Wendeborn who sold his place to Chas. Neubauer has returned from a prospecting trip to Eastern Texas and Oklahoma Territory.

C. S. BOYLES, CULBERSON FOR GOVERNOR. all twelve months for their flat money decided about a new location. There decided about a new location. There Aug. 15 .- The bright prospects for other counties.

> Chas. Newbauer has transferred his shown in the case of the corn. contract for the Wendeborn place to The Singing Convention was highly James Matthews who already con- enjoyed by the crowd which was sometrolls the adjoining farm.

campmeeting.

eistern for Henry L. Buchen. It is a tion is to be held at Scranton in Nov. model-piece of work that speaks for At Cedar Grove, on the second Sunitself and will not fail to recommend day in Nov., there will be an Alabama the builder for further orders.

are resplendent with the finest verdure who live in reach of here. ciency in the corn crop. Cotton is on more. ed with a few rows and the increase agree. in the yield was at least 20 per cent. Albert Martin has returned home Who will try it?

The project of a second gin in this neighborhood will not materalize for this season. John M. Matthews in anticipation of the coming big crops nines of Baird and Abilene crossed has ordered and received a new suc- about three hours. The result was is he had to nurse most tenderly tion aparatus and will if neccessary a victory for the Baird nine by a score asthma, pneumonia, heart-trouble and put up a new engine to meet the emer- of 19 to 17. gency. He started Sunday to Dallas

The Baptist camp meeting opened last Saturday at the Spring Gap schoolhouse. The attendance is increasing daily, Rev. Carter, Lovorn and Lindsay are pulling on the net and may glorious success crown their

I agree most heartily with the esteemed correspondent from Cotton-Deep Creek needs bridges. The last sessments as follows: rains have demostrated it ad oculos, how desolate our public thoroughfares smile and in a strictly matter-of-fact are, and if we should have an increased rainfall regularly then certainly the Total 2,248,591.00 road question would become a burning question.

The only remedy is at the ballot box. of all needed improvements. Perhaps for 94 as compared with last year on I touch that vital question again resident and non resident rolls, Arthur Beasley, who has been dan- although I am already a little tired of

By the way Mr. Editor if you happen included in above statement. to see that fellow who said it never rains in Western Texas please give him my compliments and tell him he is a Н. В.

The Adolphian Club entertained a Prof. Yonley's high school at Cotton- party of young people at the residence domestic in the town. New calloos wood and had to return home on ac- of Mr. W. R. McDermett Tuesday at 5 cents. We also have a new line evening. The following program was of carpets on hand. In conclusion we well rendered: "The Pull Back,"

Drama. By the Club. 'The Famine,'' Miss Jamie Nelson.

..... "On Boys," Miss Bessie Foy. ."Antonio Oriboni,' Miss Edith James, 'Daisy Bell,' Vocal solo.

Miss Dollie McDermett. "Grand March," Miss Roma Foy. Miss Jamie Nelson.

"Forget me Not," Instrumental duet..."I Cannot Forget Thee,'
Misses Isabel James and Jamie Nelson.

After the program delicious refreshments were served by members of the Club. One of the most interesting features of the evening was cutting the cake, which contained a gold scarf pin, bachelor's button, and old maid's darning needle. Out of regard for the feelings of the unfortunate receivers of the needle and button, no names will be mentioned. There were about twenty-five present and after the regular program the company indulged in merry games until a late hour.

Tomato Pickles.

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are disadvantages to every locality, a good cotton crop have livened up high rents or high prices of the land every one who is depending on the Just as we were going to press the as a gold or silver dollar we would bad or inferior sanitary surroundings products of the soil for a living. The take it and be glad to get it. When etc and after all old Callahan county prospect is flatteringly good. It has needs not to be afraid to enter into a been said that Callahan can raise one most investigating comparison with to the greatest hights and then drop him to the lowest depths, as was

what smaller than T. D. expected on Henry Southerland and wife, nee account of the rains just previous. Matthews, from Cisco, are visiting There were several representatives among relatives and taking in the from both Putnam and Cottonwood. There were more than the house John Engberg of Baird finished the would accomodate. The next conven-

reunion, in the old fa, sol, la, books. Deep Creek Valley had its full share Everybody come and hear some old of the glorious rains. The pastures time singing by the many Alabamians

and we have the best prospect for an The Baptist meeting at Spring Gap abundance of grass for the winter, is now in progress. The Methodist The torage plants promise a second meeting at Cedar Grove begins Saturyield and will help to offset the defi- day night and will continue a week or

a boom; the growth since the rain is Loke desires to hear from Pickles simply wonderful and seems even to and H. B. in regard to a bridge across be too rank. What do you think Deep Creek. Pickles agrees with about topping to stop the growth in Lake in the necessity of one there, wood and foliage and insure an in- though can't say that everyone else, creased frultage. I once experiment- and especially those in authority, will

from school. T. D.

BASE BALL.

Last Wednesday afternoon the first is overhauling his whole machinery, bats at this place and played ball for

Innings-

Baird 4 2 0 0 5 5 3 -19 Abilene 0 1 1 5 3 0 4 1 2-17 Home runs-Baird: Chris. Lane, 1; Fred Lane, 1. Abilene: Taylor, 1; Miller, 1; Moore, 1.

Umpire, J. F. Claggett.

We understand that the Baird boys will go to Abilene and play on Monday, September 3.

The tax rolls for 1894 for Callahan wood that our county and especially county, so far as completed, show as-

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Applicants for school teachers' certificates are hereby notified that the next examination will be held on the 17th and 18th day of August, 1894. All applicants will meet me at the County Judge's office by 9 o'clock s. m., Friday, August 17, 1894.

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George Dean made a trip to Brown

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ALL OVER THE STATE.

Interesting Cullings on Various Subjects Taken from the Daily Press

Effie Jarret, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarret, living near Clarksville, met a horrible death recently. The child's grandmother, was sick and Mrs. Jarret was there waiting on her. Wanting some articles she sent little Effie home after them. The doors were locked and the child took a stick of wood, placed it against the side of the house and standing on it raised the window and attempted, to get through the window. The winlow fell and caught her by the neck. The stick of wood fell from under her feet and she slowly checked to death, about an hour afterward.

In the new cotton rate made by the reached. railroad commission. Houston is used; has announced the Houston rate and a dog at Fort Worth recently. cents at all points. From points 125 shot. miles distant from Houston the rate is graded down from the maximum Plano, Collin county, has for the secto Galveston. The railroad companies are to pay the compress charges where the rate is in excess of 50 cents per 100 and that is all there is to it.

A few days since an old colored man went to the clerk's office at Sherman and told him not to issue a marriage license to Bill Fust and Ophelia Jackson, his daughter. A short while. afterward George Benton, colored, swore out a marriage license for himself and Ophelia Jackson and they were married. It now develops that near Bertram, Williamson county re Bill Fust was only a nickname and that George Benton is his right name, and the old man was completely knocked out when he learned it.

Frank Valino being quite drunk rushed into a drung store at San An- heart and died immediately. tonio recently, and being well acquainted with the clerk. Charles Campbell, told him to give him morphine and lots of it, he wanted to die quick. Charley fixed him a big dose of quinine in liquid, he drank it, went into the back yard and prayed, finally came back into the store, and left for home where he sobered up and was all right.

Recently at DeKalb, Bowie county, a crowd of boys were playing base ball in a little prairie. A shower of rain came up and they all ran to a large oak. Lightning struck the tree and the following were killed out-right: John Jacobs, Walter Atchley, Boston for \$200,000. Tom Blanchard, Will Heath, John About a dozen others were badly hurt and it is thought some of them will

Cordelia, the 6-year-old daughter of C. M. Kitchen of Terrell, while playing in the yard recently was attacked by a cow, one horn entering her mouth. She was raised from the ground and thrown several feet. Her cheeks and teeth were unhurt and the palate of her mouth was the only injury sustained.

At Oakwoods, Leon county, recently pistol that he did not think was loaded, as it had not been used for several months, the pistol accidentby the name of Robert Hill through the arm just below the elbow.

The Democrats of Val Verde county adopted the following plank in the platform: "That we favor the enactment of a law prohibiting any foreign born person from voting in this state who has not taken out his final natur-

Parties standing on the bridge over the North Concho river, at San Angelo recently, observed the body of a man floating. Attempts to pull the body ashore were made, but owing to the swift current it was impossible.

Dr. Isle of Austin, who has the contract of roofing the new Stratton block at Cuero, fell from the first floor into the cellar the other morning. breaking one of his ribs and otherwise receiving injuries.

The schooner C. H. Moore, has cleared Orange for Matagorda with a cargo of lumber, cement and brick. to be used in the construction of a lighthouse on the gulf coast, near Matagorda.

A. J. Willingham, who was convicted at a recent term of the district court at Brenham, of assault to murder his father, and sent to the penitentary, has been pardoned by the governor.

The Labor Day celebration at Galveston will be a grand affair. Gov. J. S. Hogg, Judge T. L. Nugent and W. A. Shaw have accepted invitations to be present and deliver addresses.

The Democratic congressional convention of the thirteenth district, in session at Decatur, after balloting for five days adjourned to meet at Henrietta August 30, 1894.

James D. Milton, a Pullman car conductor running between El Paso and St. Louis, was recently sworn in as chief of police of El Paso, vice J. B. Payne, resigned.

A horse attached to a buggy ran. away with Miss Lucy Wilson at Gainesville the other day, throwing her out against an iron post. She was badly hurt.

John Bonnan, while returning from pienic at Bartlett to Holland, Bell ty, the other night, drove over The fall was over twenty feet.

The city council of Gainesville at a recent session passed an ordinance prohibiting children under 15 years of age from loitering on the streets after 9 o'clock at night.

The Democratic congressional convention of the third district, now in session at Mineola, after casting 2969 ballots adjourned to meet in the same hall on August 21, 1894.

In an affray at Mexia, Limestone county, the other morning, between Jim Ross, white, and William Thomas, colored, the latter was shot at, but without effect.

A few days ago Oscar Willis, 18 years old, the son of a prominent farmer of Coleman county, met death hanging himself in his father's

The Democratic convention of the Eleventh congressional district met at Rockport, nominated W. H. Crain and endorsed President Cleveland's admin-

The Oak Cliff water company has struck a fine artesian flow at somebeing dead when found by her mother, thing less than 700 feet. The boring continue until a second flow is A negro girl aged 8 years was hor-

as a basing point. The commission ribly bitten on the hands and legs by A cow owned by a farmer near

> ond time become the mother of triplets, all of which have lived and done The Wharton precinct will vote in

September to determine whether an additional 20 cents on the \$100 for school purposes shall be collected. Henry Newcomb, a well borer, discovered coal about sixty feet below the

surface, about six miles southeast of Caldwell. Some of it burned well. Tom Gillespie while out hunting cently, accidentally discharged

gun, killing himself instantly. At Lufkin, Angelina county, recently a son of Ben F. Farcher accidentally shot himself through the

Felye Alvarado and Simon Villa had a fight recently at El Paso, during nich the latter was stabbed to death

Alvarado was captured. A few nights ago burglars blew en the safe of Fritz Kenneke at Hempstead. They obtained \$9 and entirely ruined the safe.

The Democratic congressional conention of the Fourth district, after taking 4750 ballots adjourned to meet at Paris Aug. 30, 1894.

The Fort Worth Stock Yard company has filed a deed of trust in favor of the International Trust company of

J. B. Covington, a Brazos county Jackson, Chris Petty, Will Welsh. farmer, was hooked by a cow recent-The horn entered the side of the neck and ranged up.

Charles B. Castle stabbed Dick Ridlev three times in the stomach, recently, at Beaumont. It is thought Ridley will recover.

A thrashing machine caught fire, produced by friction while running. in Wilbarger county recently, and burned up.

The tax rolls of Van Zandt county show a total valuation of \$3,493,346. Cap Kiehmond was examining an old and in addition 3745 persons who pay a poli tax.

An unknown man was run over and terribly mangled near Rheinhardt, ally went off, shooting a young man Dallas county, recently, by a Santa Fe train.

There is a prospect of a ditch com-

pany being organized at Paint Rock to irrigate the Concho Valley. The Woodmen of the World have paid \$102,000 beneficiaries to mem-

bers so far in this state. A diamond rattlesnake five and a

half feet long was killed a few days ago in Upshur county. Twenty men out employment were

arrested at Houston at one time recently, tried and fined.

A Whorton man has captured a grey or "downy" owl. It is seldom

seen in that section. M. M. Matthews was bitten by a

spider at Bowie a few days ago and died from the effects.

Over 5000 persons attended the recent ex-Confederate reunion and barbecue at Bryan. Recent rains in Mitchell county as-

sure good fall range and everybody is more hopeful. I. B. Packard, assistant postmaster

at Gainesville, has resigned. There is some talk of a cotton mill

being built at Weatherford.

Huntsmen are quite successful in killing deer near Velasco. Some boll worms at Boyd, Wise

county. Plenty of rain. Terrell's fire department is to have new hook and ladder.

Del Rio, Val Verde county, has new Catholic church. Heavy and numerous showers in

rayson county. Plenty of rain in the western part f Leon county.

Shackelford county has had a magnificent rain. Greer county has just had a two-

neh rain fall. Cotton picking has begun in Fannin county

The oil mill at Cuero is running on full time. Taylor talks of a \$10,000 sewer sysALL OVER THE WORLD

HAPPENINGS OF GENERAL IN-TEREST TO ALL.

A Comprehensive Epitome of Serious and Sensational Sortings Condensed from all the Leading Dallies for the Past Week.

At a colored ball given at Mississippi City, Miss., the other night, trouble ensued on the merits of the cakewalkers. Pistols were fired, and Isom King got a ball in his arm. Sidney Johnson, shot in the thigh, Joe ullinhan shot in the thigh, Neil Boyd got a ball in the shinbone, which glanced off, and Miss Josephine Dedaux got a ball in her chin. It is said the shooting was done by two negroes, who are engaged in a turpentine still nearby.

Jules Beutril de Rhines, the eminent French explorer, has been murdered in Thibet, China. and his body thrown in the river. The French envoy to China has addressed a protest the government demanding the recovery and return of the unfortunate man's body and papers. The envoy also demands that the Chinese govgraded it up to a maximum rate of 59 owner of the dog refused to have it ernment make an apology for the occurrence and provide a proper com-pensation for the family of the mur-

The two detectives who, since the assassination of President Carnot of France, have accompanied the president on his evening drives, are now doing regular police duty. The president takes his usual drives, but relies upon Thurber, his private secretary, for protection. If the president takes along a cabinet officer the two-seated carriage is brought into use, and Thurber rides on the front seat with the colored coachman.

Four parties charged with counterfeiting have been arrested by United States deputy marshals and jailed at Oklahoma City, O. T. They are Mrs. Walker and her two sons and John Curley. In Curley's house were found a box fitted with dies and plates of dimes, quarters and half dollars. United States District Attorney Mc-Meecham thinks it the most important capture made in that territory for some time.

A disastrous head-end collision occurred on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe between Hurdland and Gibbs, Mo., at 3:30 the other morning between express train No. 5, westbound. and express No. 4, eastbound, resulting in two trainmen being killed and several passengers lnjured and the engines and combination express and baggage cars completely destroyed.

At Golden, Col., recently W. H. Copple, the world's champion 200-yard runner, was beaten in a 200-yard race by an unknown man who gave his name as Adams, but who is supposed to be Jack Gibson, ex-champion runner of England. Adams had six feet start and won by four in 191 seconds. Several thousand dollars changed hands on the result.

One night recently near Pensacola, Fla., the full-fledged Norwegian ship Catherine stranded in seven feet of water. A terrible gale was blowing. Captain Broadbent of the life saving station, with the assistance of his three daughters and one man, hauled their apparatus nearly two miles, fired the life-line and rescued the crew of the vessel.

At Pine Tucky. Ala., recently at night, Mrs. Betty Simpkins was awakened by flames. Being dazed, she ran out, but later thought of her W. M. Glover alias "Broncho Bill" baby and rushed into the burning has been jailed at Brackett. He is building. She came out with her wanted in Uvalde county on a charge child in her arms and her clothing in fiames, but fell and without uttering a word expired. The child lived an

The business portion of Gifford, Ill., was almost entirely burned the other day. Twenty-one business houses, two grain elevators, the Illinois Central depot, extensive grain cribs and 30,000 bushels of grain were destroyed. Only two business houses in the town remain. The loss will amount to \$200,000, partially insured.

Thomas Holt, janitor of the Church of Atonement at Fifth avenue and Seventeenth street, shot his wife three times the other night at their home in Brooklyn, N. Y., and then cut her throat with a razor, killing her instantly. For the past two weeks Holt has been acting strangely.

Denver lodge, A. R. U., has declared the Pullman boycott off on the Union Pacific and Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf roads. Some of the strikers have been taken back. The strike is not declared off on the Santa Fe as the receivers refused all overtures from their employes.

By the burning of the summer cottage of Charles Hollenbeck, near Rockford, Ill., recently, Miss Sadie Fallon was burned to death and Mrs. Hollenbeck's mother, Mrs. E. F. Brown, was fatally burned. The other occupants escaped with difficulty.

A mine underlying part of the western portion of Scranton, Pa., recently caved in for a distance of three blocks, affecting property to the extent of \$250,000 and causing excitement which verged on a panic among the residents of the locality. No one hurt.

At Queenstown a few days ago a number of passengers who landed from the White Star line steamer Brittannic from New York were fined for smuggling tobacco. J. Slattery, whose clothing was found to be lined with cigars, was fined £12.

By order of Attorney General Olney the great suit against the Southern Pacific Railway company, recently be-gun on his order, has been dismissed.

The outlook for a large cotton crop in the Chickasaw nation, I. T., this fall is very flattering. The acreage is about 10 per cent greater than last year. The plant is in a healthy condition and about ten days earlier than last season.

At Sapulpa, I. T., recently two more of the Cook gang of desperadoes, to some of whose members is laid the bank robbery at Chandler recently, have paid the penalty of an outlaw life, being killed in a fight with the officers.

William Nershbred, a negro charged with committing a criminal assault upon an 8-year-old girl near Rossville, Tenn., was recently taken from a deputy sheriff by S. A. Crook, the father of the child, and shot to death.

Miss Lily Gardner, a charming young lady of 18 years of New Orleans, died recently from the effects of a dose of carholic acid which she took in mistake for medicine prescribed by the attending physician.

Delegate Flynn has introduced in the house a bill authorizing the El Reno Bridge company to build a bridge across the South Canadian river between Blaine county and the Wichita Indian reservation. Mrs. Annie Kane and her paramour,

leorge Center, some 10 years her

junior, killed Fred Kane, her husband, in a most brutal way recently near St. Louis, Mo. She and Center are in jail and have confessed all. At Frostburg, Md., the consolidated,

coal company has notified all miners who remained at their posts during the late protracted strike that they will each receive nine months rent T. J. Tarsney, adjutant general of

Colorado, was fined \$50 for contempt of court by Judge Campbell, of El Paso county, for failing to appear before the grand jury. He paid his fine promptly Many members of the militia of In-

diana, ordered out to suppress the strikers, when they returned to their. former places of employment were either discharged or found their places filled. The private fortune of the new French president is variously esti-

mated at from \$15,000,000 \$25,000,-000, so that there will be no trouble in case he should miss a salary day. Secretary Smith has ordered that the employes of the interior department, formerly known as law clerks, hereafter be officially designated as

assistant attorneys. The steamer Puritan ran into the tug Richmond at Benton Harbor, Mich., a few days since and cut her in two. The Richmond's owners claim

\$2500 damages. Friends of Col. Breckinridge have polled the Ashland, Ky., district and claim he will be nominated by a vote which will equal that of his opponents combined.

Burmeister, Wayne & Co.'s ship yards at Copenhagen were burned recently. The yacht which this concern was building for the czar was dam-

The attorney general of Illinois purposes to enter suit to forfeit the charter of the Pullman Sleeping Car company for numerous violations of same.

The accomplices of Caserio the assassin of President Carnot of France. are being tried and sent to prison, from two to five years each.

Gov. Waite of Colorado, has issued a proclamation declaring quarantine against Texas, Indian Territory and New Mexico sheep. The treasury department at Wash-

ington estimates that the population of the United States on August 1 was 68,519,000 people. Bill Tequancy, an Indian, was

in the Roslyn, Wash., jail by setting fire to his bed. Russia, Great Britain, France, Italy: and the United States have all de-

burned to death recently in his cell

clared neutrality in the Chinese-Japanese trouble. Harry Gardiner, cashier of a national bank in Altoona, Pa., has disappeared, and with him \$20,000 of the

bank's funds. A negro boy pushed another negro smaller than himself into the river at Philadelphia recently and he was

drowned. Edward Kane has been sent to prison in Chicago for disturbing the meetings and services of the Salvation

Miss Lena Schultze, a 16-year-old girl of Chicago, has had her father arrested on the charge of incest.

Thirty-five buildings were burned the other day at Lakeview, Mich., entailing a loss of \$130,000.

Denver, Col., has a row on hand over a contract for some fire hose, and bribery is freely charged.

Plain black George Washington has een sent to the pen some months at New Orleans for theft.

The senate has passed the bill to subject national bank and treasury Ears of corn fifteen inches long, of this year's growth, are on exhibition

in Pratt. Kan. Chicago aldermen get \$3 weekly. but want the legislature to raise it to \$3000 yearly.

Booge, Frazier & Co., grain brokers and dealers in futures in Chicago have failed The Democrats of Wyoming have

nominated a state ticket. Austin Blair, the war governor of Michigan, is dead.

Gen. Caceras has been installed president of Peru.

The rebellion in Peru is spreading.

TABERNACLE PULPIT:

SUICIDE THE SUBJECT OF THIS WEEK'S SERMON.

In the Olden Time, Before the Dawn of Christianity, Self Murder Was Considered Honorable and a Sign of Courage-Moral Cowardice.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 12.-Rev. Dr. Talmage, who is now abroad, has selected as the subject for to-day's sermon through the press, the word "Suicide," the text being Acts xvi: 27, "He drew out his sword and would have killed himself, supposing that hyself no har.n." Here is a would-be suicide arrested

in his deadly attempt. He was a sheriff and according to the Roman law a bailiff himself must suffer the creates by the loathsome and ghastly punishment due an escaped prisoner; and if the prisoner breaking jail was sentenced to be endungeoned for three or four years, then the sheriff must be endungeoned for three or four years; and if the prisoner breaking jail was to have suffered capital punishment, then the sheriff must suffer capital What is the cause? I charge upon punishment.

The sheriff had received especial thing.

charge to keep a sharp lookout for Ah! Insidelity, stand up and take
Paul and Silas. The government had thy sentence! In the presence of God about whom there seemed to be something strange and supernatural.

Sure enough, by miraculous power, of the ages! Stand up, Satyr, fit-they are free, and the sheriff, waking thy goat, buzzard of the nations, leper out of a sound sleep, and supposing these ministers have run away, and knowing that they were to die for ther, part reptile, part dragon, stand preaching Christ, and realizing that up and take thy sentence! Thy hands he must therefore die, rather than go red with the blood in which thou hast under the executioner's ax, on the washed, thy feet crimson with the morrow and suffer public disgrace, resolves to precipitate his own de- waded, stand up and take thy sen-cease. But before the sharp, keen, tence! Down with thee to the pit and glittering dagger of the sheriff could strike his heart, one of the unloosened prisoners arrests the blade by the of knives which thou hast sharpened ommand, "Do thyself no harm.

anity had not interfered with it, suicide was considered honorable and head of Infidelity with all the crimes poisoned himself when told that Alex- on the part of those who had their ander's ambassador had demanded reason. the surrender of the Athenian orators. Isocrates killed himself rather than surrender to Phillip of Macedon. dressed tore them open and perished. Mithridates killed himself rather than from his ring, considering life unbearable. After the disaster of Moscow, Napoleon always carried with him a preparation of opium, and one night his servant heard the ex-emperor arise, put something in a glass and drink it, and soon after the groans aroused all the attendants, and it was only through utmost medical skill he was resuscitated from the stupor of

the opiate. T mes have changed, and yet the American conscience needs to be toned up on the subject of suicide. Have you seen a paper in the last month that did not announce the passage out 11, and 1 o'clock would have of life by one's own behest? De-Frustrated

A pulpit not long ago expressed orchard of the Leonine prison. ome doubt as to whether there was people apologetic for the crime which I shall lift a warning unmistakable. But in the early part of this sermon I wish to admit that some of the best of Bengal tigers. Christians that have ever lived have in dementia and not responsible. have no more doubt about their delirium of typhoid fever. While the shock of the catastrophe is very great, I charge all those who have had Christian friends under cerebral aberration step off the boundaries of this life, to have no doubt about their happiness. The dear Lord took them right out of their dazed and frenzied state into perfect safety. How Christ feels toward the insane you may known from the kind way he treated the demoniac of Gadara and the child lunatic, and the potency with which he hushed the tempests either of sea or brain.

Scotland, the land prolific of intel lectual giants, had none grander than Hugh Miller. Great for science and great for God. He came of the best Highland blood, and he was a descendant of Donald Roy, a men emipent for his piety and the rare gift of second-sight. His attainments, climbing up as he did from the quarry and the wall of the stonemasons, drew forth the astonished admiration of Buckland and Murchison, the scientists, and Dr. Chalmers, the theologian, and held universities spell bound while he told them the story of what he had seen of God in the old red sandstone. That man did more than any being that ever lived to show that the God of the hills is the God of the Bible

and he struck his tuning fork on the rocks of Cromarty until he brought geology and theology accordant in divine worship. His two books, entitled "Footprints of the Creator" and the "Testimony of the Rocks," proclaimed the bans of an everlasting marriage between genuine science and revelation. On this latter book he toiled day and night through, lov. of nature and love of God, until he could not sleep, and his brain gave way, and he was found dead with a revolver by his side, the cruel instrument having had two bullets-one for him and the other for the gunsmith who at the coroner's inquest was examining it and fell dead. Have you any doubt of the beatification of Hugh Miller, after his hot brain had ceased the prisoners had fled. But Paul throbbing that winter night in his cried with a loud voice, saying, Do study at Portobello? Among the mightiest of earth, among the mighti-

est of heaven. Notwithstanding the Bible is against this evil, and the aversion which it. spectacle of those who have hurled themselves out of life, and notwithstanding Christianity is against it, and the arguments and the useful lives and the illustrious deaths of its disciples, it is a fact alarmingly patent that suicide is on the increase. infidelity and agnosticism this whole

not had confidence in bolts and bars and angels and men, stand up, thou to keep safe these two clergymen, monster, thy lip blasted with blasphemy, thy cheek scarred with lust, thy breath foul with the corruption of the centuries! Stand up. thou monster infidelity! Part man, part panhuman gore through which thou hast sup on the sobs and groans of families. thou hast blasted, and roll on the bed for others, and let thy music be the In olden time, and where Christi- everlasting miserere of those whom thou hast damned! I brand the foresign of courage. Demosthenes of self-immolation for the last century

My friends, if ever your life through its abrasions and its molestations should seem to be unbearable, and Cato, rather than submit to Julius you are tempted to quit it by your Caesar, took his own life, and after own behest do not consider yourselves three times his wounds had been as worse than others. Christ himself was tempted to cast himself from the roof of the temple; but as he resubmit to Pompey, the conqueror, sisted, so resist ye. Christ came to Hannibal destroyed his life by poison medicine all our wounds. In your trouble prescribe life instead death. People who have had it worse than you will ever have it have gone songful on their way. Remember that God keeps the chronology of your life with as much precision as he keeps the chronology of nations, your death as well as your birth, your

grave as well as your cradle. Why was it that at midnight, just at midnight, the destroying angel struck the blow that set the Israelites free from bondage? The four hundred and thirty years were up at 12 o'clock that night. The four hundred and thirty years were not up at tardy and too late. The four hundred faulters, alarmed at the idea of ex- and thirty years were up at 12 o'clock. posure, quit life precipitately. Men and the destroying angel struck the losing large fortunes go out of the blow and Israel was free. And God world because they can not endure knows just the hour when it is time to lead you up from earthly bondage tion, domestic infelicity, dyspeptic im- By his grace make not the worst of patience, anger, remorse, envy, jeal- things, but the best of them. If you ousy. destitution, misanthropy are must take the pills do not chew them. considered sufficient causes for ab Your everlasting rewards will accord sconding from this life by Paris green, with your earthly perturbations, just by laudanum, by belladonna, by as Caius gave to Agrippa a chain of othello's dagger, by halter, by leap gold as heavy as had been his chain from the abutment of a bridge, by of iron. For your asking you may firearms. More cases of "felo de se" have the same grace that was given to in the last two years of the world's the Italian martyr, Algerius, who, existence. The evil is more and more down in the darkest of dangeons, spreading.

And remember that this brief life anything wrong about quitting this of ours is surrounded by a rim, a very life when it became disagreeable, and thin but very important rim, and there are found in respectable circles close up to that rim is a great eternity. and you had better keep out of it un-Paul in the text arrested. I shall til God breaks that rim and separates show you before I get through that this from that. To get rid of the sorsuicide is the worst of all crimes and lows of earth, do not rush into greater sorrows. To get rid of a swarm of summer insects, leap not into a jungle

There is a sorrowless world, and it committed self-destruction, but always is so radiant that the noonday sun is only the lowest doorstep and the aurora that lights up our northern eternal felicity than I have of the heavens, confounding astronomers as Christian who dies in his bed in the to what it can be, is the waving of the banners of the procession come to take the conquerors home from church militant to church triumphant, and you and I have ten thousand reasons for wanting to go there, but we will never get there either by self-immolation or impenitency. All our sins slain by the Christ who came to do that thing, we want to go in at just the time divinely arranged, and then the clang of the sepulchral gates behind us will be overpowered by the clang of the opening of the solid pearl before us. O God, whatever others may choose, give me a Christian's life, a Christian's death, a Christian's burial, a Christian's immortality!

> shells have been found in the vicinity of Boston. Some of these fossils were found in the Muddy river, on the border of Brookline; some have been found in the dredging of the Charles river near the Black bay. Some of

the oyster shells are ten inches long. Had Asked.

Dasher-Clara, dear, will you be my Clara-Have you asked mamma?

Dasher-Yes. But she won't have me. - Philadelphia Press.

TARIFF BILL PASSED.

HOUSE YIELDS BY A VOTE OF 182 TO 105.

The House Was Afraid to Risk Another Vote in the Senate, Hence it Was the "Senate Bill or no Bill"-Senators Tame and at Work.

close at 6 o'clock yesterday evening conferees from further consideration of the bill, receded from its opposition to the 634 amendments to the senate and agreed to the same. It was a complete victory for the senate. The house made an absolute surren-

The result grew directly out of sensational course of events at senate end of the capitol precipied by Senator Hill on Friday. Up that time the house conferees had stood firm against the senate amendments and especially on the three disputed schedules of coal, iron ore and sugar, and the temper and voice of the house was for war, war to the end. But the indications that the Democrats of the senate might be unable longer to hold a majority of the votes in line for even the senate bill and that the bill was in joepardy forced the house Democrats to im mediate action. The Democratic conferees of the house at last admitted that they were beaten and that another vote could not be risked in the senate; that it must either be the senate bill or no bill. The house will endeavor to pass separate bills on free sugar, iron ore and coal.

Tariff Conference.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8. - The tariff conference yesterday was entirely subordinated to the house caucus and was devoid of interesting features. The conferees held two brief sessions during the day and discussed the coal and iron questions, besides reverting to the sugar schedule. The talk, however, served no purpose except to emphasize the fact that the disagreement is still unbroken and that very little if any progress is being made The purpose of taking up of the sugar schedule again cannot be learned. It is also impossible to ascertain what reason the house conferees assigned for declining to accept the sliding scale on coal and iron ore proposed by the senate conferees. It would appear from all information that can be secured that without giving any special reason they resumed their argument for free raw material. It has come to be understood that in these meetings the house members are doing the greater part of the talking and the senators have come to be very patient listeners.

Sundry Civil Bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.-The disputed senate amendments of the sundry civil bill were settled by the house Saturday after a session of animated One was the proposition to debate. give each of the arid lands states one million acres of surveyed arid lands to be reclaimed by irrigation, the plan which the house agreed to after the irrigation questic 1 had been discussed by many western mem-The other amendment was the appropriation of \$250,000 to purchase a square owned by ex-Senator Mahone for a site for the government printing office and this house adopting a plan proposed by Chairman Bankhead of the committee on public buildings, to buy additional ground adjoining the building now in use. This action leaves still unsettled between the house and senate a question which has caused many disagreements.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14. - The following postoffices have been established Texas: Fussell, Rusk county, R. H. McNeil postmaster; Hix, Burieson county, Charles Thorpe postmaster; Silsbee, Hardin county, B. M. Kimbrell postmaster. The following postoffices have had special service discontinued: Bardwell, Ellis county. from Ennis; Avo, Jones county, from Sandersville. The following postoffices have had star service discontinued Sandersville to Anson; Bissell to Paloduro. The following postoffice has been discontinued. Fox, Hunt county; mail to Fairlee.

Senators Tame.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The seat of the tariff war having been transferred to the house, the proceedings in the senate yesterday were comparatively The report of the conferees or the sundry civil bill was agreed to with some modification and the bill was sent back to conference. A further disagreement was had with the house on the amendment proposed for the extension of the government printing office and the senate receded from its own amendment for the purchase of Mahone lot for the crection of a new printing office, thus leaving that building entirely unprovided for.

Hawaii Recognized.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 .- A letter of congratulation from President Cleveland and in the name of the United States is on the way from Washington to President Dole of the Hawaiian republic. The recognition of the new republic was finally decided upon this week and the message was framed and mailed Wednesday through the regular channels.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The Demo-cratic tariff conference had expected to be able to announce an agreement yesterday. Instead of reaching any

with the bill in quite as much uncertainty as ever before in its history The situation is in nowise improved and with the feeling between the friends of the senate and house bills intensified instead of allayed and with no one prepared to say what the outcome would be, or when the end would be reached. It was apparent at the very beginning of the conference that those who came to the conclusion at the adjournment WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The long of Wednesday's session that an agree-struggle over the tariff bill came to a ment would be arrived at yesterday ment would be arrived at yesterday had not taken sufficiently into account the tariff question, Mr. Wilson arose when the house by a vote of 182 to the possibility of a misunderstanding and corrected a statement he had 105 decided to discharge the house or a change of mind. This discovery was made when the senate conferees prepared to go on with the bill on a basis of a duty of 40 cents per ton on anticipation of the passage of the sucoal and free iron ore. Upon this the gar schedule of the senate bill. He house conferees announced their unment and stated that they would in- 448,000 tons. ... How much is that in sist on the reversal of the terms with dollars and cents?" called out a memcoal free and iron ore dutiable, if ber. "About \$25,000,000," replied either was to be, as they understood Mr. Wilson. In concluding Mr. Wilson. that they were to have a choice be-tween the two. The avowal of this ocratic enthusiasm. It was plain position produced immediate confu- Democratic necessity. Mr. Cochran marks which were not altogether in my humble judgment the measure polite. The result is that the senate which we are now asked to pass is a bill pass.

Never Will Agree. WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.-The skies of tariff legislation are bright no that have settled on them. In fact, was stolen from her home in Grand in the mouth of every person you meet is the remark: "All chance of after a fruitless search she was an agreement is dead." Senator Hill mourned as dead. Her mother died day's delay is injurious to the busi- afterward hung for killing his wife.

agree the fact of such disagreement should be reported to the two houses. when, if no understanding can be reached upon a bill congress should promptly adjourn and give the counhad ample opportunity to legislate. ter it was a most happy reunion. A senator or member who does not know exactly what he wants to do on the tariff after all this time spent in useless deliberation is unfit to repreliberated enough."

Armor Plate Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11 .- The investigation of the alleged Carnegie armor dwellings are occupied by strikers plate frauds was resumed yesterday. Captain Sampson, the chief of the ordnance bureau of the navy department, was the witness. The principal matter of interest was, in his opinion, the method of treatment of plans by piecemeal concerning which Wickes refused to say. he said that a plate hardened in one section and softened in another was not to be depended upon. Capt. Sampson said a plate could not be considered uniform if specimens from different parts varied 20,000 pounds in tensile strength. In an extreme case a difference of five or pounds might be permitted.

No Quorum.

WASHINOTON, Aug. 9. - Among the bills laid aside with favorable recommendations in committee of the whole in the house yesterday were bills appropriating \$200,000 fcr a building at Omaha, Neb., and \$100,000 for a building at Pottsville, Pa. The fight of the day came on the bill appropriating \$4,000,600 for the erection of a public building at Chicago on the present site. When on roll call, no quorum being present, the bill went

Split on Hill's Sabstitute.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 .- The conferees on the immigration bill met bad paper. The county commission-yesterday and adjourned after two ers have \$14,000 in the bank. The hours of discussion without reaching direct cause of the suspension is not any agreement The differences are given and figures are unobtainable at wide, as Senator Hill's bill, most of present. The president is M. Levy which relates to the exclusion of an- and cashier C. A. Walker. archists, bears little resemblance to the measure introduced by Representative Stone of Pennsylvania for consular inspection on immigrants abroad, for which the anti-anarchist here in regard to a dispatch from bill is a substitute.

Democrats Caucus. Wilson and his house tariff conferees evacuation of that country by China scored a victory yesterday when the and Japan and the establishment of house Democratic caucus, called with international control. It is stated a view of terminating the tariff strug- here that Russia would not permit gle by instructing or advising the this, and that she would prefer to house conferees, adjourned without taking action. The effect of this was to leave the house conferees to do as they saw best and to show conspicuthat the effort to advise them had failed.

The Ricks Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.-Representative Bailey of Texas says that the subcommittee of the judiciary committee, that is to investigate charges against Judge Ricks, will go to Cleveland, O., for that purpose. The trip will be made after congress adjourns, unless the present session is unduly prolonged, in which case the subcommittee will make the investigation before the adjournment.

To Investigate Ricks. WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Chairman Culberson of the house judiciary com-

CHAIRMAN WILSON GIVES AN ITEM OR TWO

Mr. Cochran's Opinion of the Senate Tariff Bill-A Wichita, Kan., Bank Fails-Russia Would Object-Cyclone in Spain-All Rescued.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.-Yesterday in the house, during the discussion of made in the opening to the effect that \$100,000,000 worth of raw sugar had been purchased by the sugar trust in had been mistaken he afterward willingness to assent to this arrange- learned. The trust had purchased sion and led to an exchange of re. (Dem.) said: "I desire to state that bill must virtually be accepted or no more obnoxious measure than the McKinley act, which it is designed to supplant."

Life of Adventure.

OWESSA, Mich., Aug. 13.-Eighteen longer. They are dark with clouds years ago Jennie Finch, a girl of 10, offered a resolution yesterday in and the family scattered, a brother structing the senate conferees to re- and sister moving here. She discorport disagreement, and in explana- ered her relatives here Saturday and tion he said: "My object in offering relates some thrilling experiences. the resolution was to expedite the disposition of the tariff measures. Every her was Bartley Gorman, who was ness interests of the country and the He once gave the girl a kick which bill should be disposed of at once nearly caused her death. While she one way or the other. It has was in a critical condition from the been under consideration wound the gypsy applied the lash. in conference committee for Her screams were heard by an officer, over a month, and further delay is who liberated her. She was taken to absolutely inexcusable. The conthe hospital at Quincy, Ill., to New ferces ought to know each other's York and to Cincinnati, but she has minds by this time, and if they cannot never entirely recovered from the injury. Seven years ago she left the hospital and afterward married a mason named D'Loe. They now live in Cincinnati. Last week she visited Grand Rapids in search of her relatry a rest. We have now been in tives, whom she feared were dead. session for nearly a year and have When she found her brother and sis-

To Evict Striking Tenants.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 11 .- The Pullman company has practically decided sent any constituency. We have de- to evict its striking tenants for nonpayment of rent. The vice-president (Wickes) of the company said vesterday that the new employes must have houses, and as most of the Pullman some sort of action will be taken at once. The announcement created intense excitement, as the men had believed that the cespany would not have to take radical measures. As to when the evictions will begin Mr.

Killed the Whole Family.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 9.—In a fit of jealousy "Wid" Jenkins, a Burlington baggagemaster at Charlton, Ia., yesterday morning shot Mrs. Eliza Murphy, his landlady, and her two daughters and then suicided. He was enamored of Julia, the young daughter, and jealous of the attention of another man. In words with her mother he became earaged, shot her, hunted up his sweetheart, killed her instantly, fatally shot her sister, Johanna, who was with her, and then shot himself.

A Wichita Bank Fails.

Wichita, Kan., Aug. 14. — The Wichita national bank, the oldest banking institution in the southwest, went into the hands of the comptroller of currency yesterday morning. Their last report, made in July, showed only \$26,000 in specie on hand. It is said the bank holds considerable

Russia Would Object.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 14. -- Considerable excited comment is being made London stating that it is Great Britain's intention to propose that the powers intervene in the affairs of WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Chairman Corea, with the view of obtaining the

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 10 .- Mae Hastings, said to be from Louisville, Ky., killed herself at the Great Northern hotel early yesterday with morphine. Miss Hastings was a beautiful young woman, and is said to have belonged to a prominent Louisville family. quarrel with her flance is thought to have caused her suicide.

All Rescued.

TENBY, Wales, Aug. 14.—It now appears that the twenty excursionists who were reported to have been drowned by the upsetting of the excursion steam r were all rescued by boats from Cala island. When res-cued all the excursionists were in an

Twenty-four Killed. Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 11.-The wreck on the Rock Island a few miles

definite conclusion, the day closed OF THE SUGAR TRUST, south of here Thursday night proves more disastrious than was supposed. The list of killed and injured, as furnished by the coroner swells the fatalities to twenty-four, as follows: Killed—Dr. C. H. Penny, Council and speech, the men in the shop Bluffs; J. D. Matthews, commercial wanted none of his society and felt man, Omaha; Harry Moore, Kansas City; Ike Depaut, engineer, Council Bluffs; W. O. Hambel, lawyer. Fairbury, Neb; C. H. Standard, conductor, St. Joseph; John Munger, grain dealer, Omaha; H. R. Peters, merchant, Council Bluffs; E. H. Zernik. lawyer, Lincoln, Neb. Two unknown farmers and five unknown men. Charles Unruh: Mother and son. Jansen, Neb. D. Eddie, merchant, Pawnee. Neb.; M. Beaver, merchant, Pawnee. Two unknown farmers from Jansen, with one of the machines in the Neb. Those marked as unknown are shop. There was a crash and a those passengers known to have been smash, and workmen ran about cry- about his almost miraculous recovery on the train by the brakeman and unaccounted for. The injured are: killed. They thought so at first, but Col. C. Bills, second regiment Nebraska guard, deep flesh wound in ace and put a coat under his head afflictions he has been obliged to en-Scott, express messenger, injured internally; Mrs. Fish, badly injured; O. S. Bell, traveling man, Lincoln, in-jured internally; J. E. Puetz, travel-the men whispered to each other as tempted to get up in the morning as ing man. Lincoln, Neb.; a passenger they noticed his going named Somrel, hurt about the head: the trestle was weakened, and a re- in her hand. guilty parties.

> A Fearful Wreck. bridge, leaving the coach suspended C. D. Standard, Engineer Depow. you to bring my dinner." fireman unknown; three traveling men The engineer and fireman were buried looked up at him. under the engine. The wreck caught fire soon after breaking through the trestle. The injured are: I. S. Bill. traveling man of Lincoln, and about twelve others, but their names are not phone message from the state prison in the vicinity of the wreck, a party of physicians, police and fire depart. Do you understand?" ment went to the scene and rendered "Yes, sir." all assistance possible.

Another Jap Victory.

greatest excitement prevails here, at with him. Tokio and at other large towns as a result of the Japanese of Sewang, the Big Sam entered the shop with the examese synonym for Kong Chow, and his lips quivered. forces have beer defeated in an en- that it's only your foot-only a trifle gagement with the Chinese battle- of a hurt." ships.

conflagration which almost amounted thoughtful and tender than any to a national misfortune. Just at of us. this time when China needs all the improved arms she can secure it is very unfortune that the new rifle how to keep servant girls a few days lished by the viceroy, Chang Chi Hung of Hua Kiang at Han Yang, should be destroyed by the viceroy of the way a girl's room direction as to the way a girl's room direction. should be destroyed by incendiary fire. The loss amounted to \$1,000,-000. The incendiaries are thought to be coolies who have been severely punished by the officials in charge of

Saved by a Boy.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 13 .- A special from Anderson, Ind., says: Saturday Tom Dickinson, a boy 12 years old, saved a disastrous wreck on the Big Four. The west bound express had side-tracked to let a fast freight pass. The switch nearest the freight was open and out of reach of the passenger crew when the freight was bounding around the curve at high speed. The lad saw the danger and changed the switched barely in time to avert a

Chotera in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8 .- From July 29 to Aug. 4, 313 new cases of cholera and 244 deaths were reported here. In Warsaw city from July 22 province of Warsaw during the same period there were 354 new cases of cholera reported and 218 deaths.

A Shock at Memphis

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 10 .- Three distinct shocks of earthquake were felt here at 12:19 o'clock this morn-The vibrations were from southwest to northeast and were of ten duration. Tall buildings swayed and windows rattled but no damage was done.

Portales Bill.

Roswell, N. M., Aug. 11.—Portalas Bill was shot and instantly killed by Deputy Sheriff J. B. Legg Thursday while resisting arrest. He was charged with horse stealing, and made a des-perate fight against Legg. Several shots were fired.

THEY MISJUDGED HIM.

sam Had a Tender Heart, Though The Thought Him Heartless

Coarse-grained, rough in his ways I vercome at Last by the Advance and speech, the men in the shop pity for his wife and children. He ept his place because brute strength was needed instead of skill. other workmen sang and whistled ac was silent and morose. sometimes looked into the shop, but they caught sight of Big Sam they ted in terror. A child lost and rightened and hungering would

The other day, just before the noon hour, something went wrong and walked out doors.

"That's like him-a man without

Every noon for the ward of \$1000 has been offered for the last six months she had put in I got back into bed and sent for Dr. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 10.—A special ather's dinner in the basket. Strange sis.' I could not believe it at first, from Lincoln, Neb., says: One of the that no one remembered that as the but the numbness continued to spread, worst railroad wrecks in this section whistle blew she would be at the door accompanied by a prickling sensation, for years occurred shortly after 10 -that if no one met her she would until the entire lower half of my body, o'clock last night. The north-bound walk in and see that mangled and as well as my legs, was affected. Rock Island passenger train went of bleeding object. But one man did bowels and kidneys refused to perform a high bridge, four or five miles remember it and that man was Big their functions and I was only relieved south of this city. Eight people are sam. The child approached to find by mechanical process. I was not known to be killed and several in him smiling as no man would have satisfied with Dr. Bennett's diagnosis, It was a local train, consist- believed he could smile, and when and sent for Dr. Low, of Pulaski. He ing of an engine, tender, baggage, he spoke to her she looked up in sur- only confirmed Dr. Bennett's state-

"Well, little tot, that's pop's dinin the trestle. Two passengers and a ner, ch?" he said as he reached out brakeman of the coaches were not infor the basket. "I'll hand it in to in bed, hardly, and requiring constant jured. They managed to release two him myself and you can run back others. The killed are: Conductor home! I wish I had a little girl like

"Yes, sir," she said as she stood

"Is the mamma home?"

"Yes, sir.

"Well, you run home like a good girl and tell her that your pa is coming soon. He hurt himself a lityet known. In response to a tele- tle-just a little, mind you- and the boss says he'll give him the rest of the day to smoke his pipe at home.

"Just hurt his foot, you know, and maybe we'll have to help him over. Not much of a hurt, but we'll come YOKOHAMA, Aug. 9.—An imperial over with him. Tell your ma ordinance permits Chinese to reside we'll soon be there, and she isn't to in Japan on condition that they en-gage in peaceful pursuits. The laughing over it, but we'll come over The child ran away smiling, and

Japanese synonym for Chonhon, dinner basket in his hand. Tom where the Chinese lost 500 killed and White opened his eyes and looked first in the direction of Kospiu, the from the man to the basket and back

"Don't worry, Tom," whispered The Japanese are also in possession of Yashun. Rumors, however, are Big Sam. "I was out there in time to current here that the Japanese naval catch her, and she'll tell the wife

> And when the others knew what had occurred they whispered together:

"We have wronged Big Sam and SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—The City of Peking brings news of a great thoughtful and tonder than any

She Frofited by It.

"I read an article in a paper on profit by it. It gave long directions as to the way a girl's room should be fitted up to make it pleasant for her, and I devoted two days to fixing the room just the way it described. "Then what did you do?"

"Then I decided to occupy the room myself. It was the prettiest and most expensively furnished in the house.'

Soft Snap for the Officials.

Although the population of the Hawaiian islands is less than 100,000 and the total revenues of the government only about \$3,000,000, the chief justice is paid a salary larger by \$1,-500 than is the chief justice of the United States. Each of the cabinet officers receive \$1,000 a year more than do our cabinet officers, and the other officials are so liberally paid that the salary list eats up about half of the entire revenue.

Proud of Him Now.

"Well," said Farmer Corntossel, "I was afraid our bo; Josh wasn't agoin' ter amount ter much. But to July 28 150 new cases of cholera I've got mighty good reason ter be and 82 deaths were reported. In the proud of 'im now." "What's he done?" asked Mrs

Corntossel. "Been rejected from the jury be-cause he read the newspapers."

Grateful Customer-I am glad to see you keep your hands as well as your razor scrupulously neat and

Tonsorial Artist-Yes. sir. We're obliged to. A birber never can tell when he's in danger of catching the measles or something of that kind from a customer. Shampoo, sir?

Conductor, to the lady passenger Haven't you anything smaller than this dollar, ma'am? The Lady—Why, of course. How stupid of mel Here's a \$5 gold piece.—Truth.

rie Terrors of Paralysis

of Medical Science.

The Testimony of a Man Who Was Half Dead for Four Years-To-Day as Well and Strong as Ever.

(From the Oswego N. Y. Palladium.) No citizen of this village is better known or more highly respected than Theodore J. Wheeler, who has lived have run at sight of that scowling here for nearly half a century. Five years ago he was stricken with paralysis and was in its worst form. The physicians said that he would surely! die. But Mr. Wheeler did not die, and

that a reporter called upon him. Despite his sixty-five years of age. as they washed the blood from his and the intense mental and bodily, left leg: Henry C. Foote, brakeman, for a pillow they discovered that dure for nearly five years, Mr. Whee-Council Bluffs, leg broken: Jay Mc-life was still there. One man rushed ler is still a fine looking man. He Dowell, face burned and legs cut, away for a doctor, while Big Sam answered the reporter's ring at the Fairbury: C. H. Cherry, mail clerk, soolly gazed at the injured man for door bell in person, and invited him soolly gazed at the injured man for door bell in person, and invited him Kearney, bruised and cut: F. W. a moment and then put on his coat into his cozy sitting room, where he told the following story: "It was on the morning of Nov. 27.

usual, when I found that I could not mamed Somrel, hurt about the head:
Mrs. Fritz and sister-in-law. Lincoln.
Neb., bruised. It is believed that six years of age with a dinner basket briskly with my hands for several minutes, but without result. Finally an appearance, and a score of the S. M. Bennett of this village. He inworkmen had come to know har as formed me that I had suffered what is Fom White's girl. That was her commonly called a 'stroke of paralysmoking car an coach. The engine prise that so big a man should have and combination car went over the such a kind and womanish voice. bed at the home of my niece, Mrs. attention and care. Finally I grew used to my helplessness and would crawl out of bed, and getting partially dressed would drag my body about the and two farmers, names unknown with a finger in her mouth and shyly house, using my hands like an infant when creeping, but unable to help my-seif in the least with my lower limbs. There was not the slightest feeling in the lower part of my body and a needle thrust into my afflicted parts would not produce the slightest pain. This went on until eight months ago. One day I read in the Palladium of a Canadian gentleman who suffered from paralysis and who had found relief in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In the symptoms described by the sufferer I read an almost exact counterpart of my own afflictions, and I determined to give the medicine a trial. Before I could hardly hope for results I began to feel a marked improvement in my condition. my kidneys and then my bowels began again, after a lapse of four years, to perform their natural functions. The numbness left my body and the sense of feeling returned. This continued until the numbness had left my limbs entirely. Now I can go up to the villag. with one cane and in the house I go around without any. It is with the greatest pleasure that I recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to the public. I know what they have done for me and I believe they will help others similarly afflicted

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are pared by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company of Schenectady, N. Y., and Brockville, Ontario. They contain in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia. rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complex-ion, and the tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration; all diseases resulting from vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature.

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Against the advice of his wife, Capt. Brewster of Eastport, Me., started for New York with ten tons of lobsters. She wanted him to sell them at home for \$12 a barrel, but he thought he could get \$30 in the city. He was delayed, and when he arrived an inspector sent the whole cargo to

It Was Not Worth It.

Mr. John B. Baker, of Galla Mr. John B. Baker, of Gallatin, Fenn., got a kiss from Miss Mary Hulett, of Chattanooga, some time ago, and now she wants him to pay for it at what he ccusiders an exorbitant price. He is 76 years old, paralyzed and a grandfather, and she is 22. It seems that she is visiting Gallatic, and had occasion to bring the old man a glass of water. He took the liberty of kissing her hand, he seek see

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BAIRD, FRIDAY, AUG. 17, 1894.

The non-advertising candidate, like the non-advertising merchant, usually hits the ceiling wrong end first.

The south is still solid and is liable to remain so in spite of populist and republican combinations.

pect to make a pure party out of such material?

The two-thirds rule in Texas must disgusted with it and want no more

lest the party splits wide open.

If Judge Cockrell is not the nominee his triends will name the candidate, and he will be a free silver democratic without a shadow of a doubt.

The way a pop editor and speaker talks about millions and billions of

Weaver for congress in Iowa. Pro- publicly charges the populist adminis- Exchange went to the wall and Dr. Hotels. bably this was the best they could do, tration in that state as being the most Macune went to Washington with but it is a mighty poor do to say the corrupt in the history of the state. a pocket full of money that he did not least of it.

The politicians don't want to abolish the two-thirds rule because it, to a great extent, takes away their power bitter and determined, and it seems to STAR for predicting in 1888 that the to manipulate conventions and defeat us unreasonable. The opposition Exchange was bound to "bust" wide the will of the people.

As indicated in THE STAR last week, R. D. Gage, of Ward county, was nominated for stato senator at Cisco last Friday, on the twenty-fifth

corker.-Prodigal.

nominee for senator, for a fact.

It is all right to defeat any man for office so long as it is done fairly and private affairs.

Hon. F. S. Bell, present incumbent

"Warwick of Eastland" to deprive up their cause. him of that much valued trophy.

At a convention held in Baird Aug. 1 .- Prodigal.

affair, we never heard of it until we ture. Of course this is all bluster and read the above in the Prod last week. is simply done to influence the vote

The pops are mad because they did not elect their ticket in Alabama and Tennessee. The repulicans combined with the pops in these two states and torious in both states.

congressman does not introduce a bill old Alabama have not forgotten the trustees and swear they will employ in Congress to appropriate fifteen or corrupt rule of carpetbagism and a negro teacher. The poor whites twenty million dollars to assist the they rose in their might and smashed are sorely perplexed. They have "needy poor" or for an "industrial the combine into smithereens. bowed in humiliation to the shameful army," or some other foolishness. Hurrah for the democracy of old indignity heaped upon their defense-Oh would we not have a lovely time Alabama and the entire Southland. under populist rule?

The democrats of Callahan County should be thouroughly organized and make an active canvass. We suggest that the county and precinct chairmen and candidates get together and organize for an aggressive fight. Callahan County is all right if proper efforts are made, otherwise some of in an individual way, the more he the candidates may find it all wrong. Wake up and get a move on you. The populist are thoroughly organof populist are thoroughly organical and are at work, and the demo-

through the air as Judge Cliett ripped living until they went out to teach at the pops.

that is fair and right he is entitled to money out of the pop's pockets. it. If he does not get it the will of that will be unpleasant to some of them.

The Wilson tariff bill with the senate ammendments passed the House Monday. The main fight was over sugar but the House had to yield, as Hill, of New York opposed the bill on account of the income tax If both the old parties are rotten feature, the two Louisiannian senators as the pops charge, how do they ex- and senator Allen, pop, opposed it down, so why make an exception of because sugar was put on the free the local candidates? To be consist-

go. The Democrats are thoroughly openly said before the Congressional and are corrupted by British gold, Convention met that if they had the the slaves of bondholders, the money The great Democratic pow wow is home at once. There is not a shadow brains, liver and intestines all over in session at Dallas this week, and of doubt but what they would have the adjacent landscape. According our populist friends are awful scared done so. Then if it turns out that to the pops, the Democratic party. MARTIN BARNHILL, medicine in the wind up they cannot why spare the county candidates? consistently complain.

what a glorious country this would just ask his candid opinion about Kan- built out of lumber taken from the sas and Colorado where the pops have alliance lumber yard at Alexandre money, is enough to take the breath had full sway for two years. Mrs. Lease, and was never accounted for. Dr. who got all out of the pops she could, Macune too, he with the wonderful democrats have indorsed when in the height of power, now Alliance Exchange at Dallas. The

convention and while in a hopeless ten concern went under. The brethminority they hold on regardless of eren now rarely ever mention these the bitter strife they are engender- two patriots that stood by the Alliing in the party. The minority may ance and the pops as long as they The Democratic speech of Baird several dark horses two dead to skin. had better watch some more of their on last Wednesday night was a The convention at Decatur adjourned prominent leaders as they are liable It did 'kinder cork up the Populist Aug. 30. This is a victory for the they become satisfied that they can Tonsorial Parlor result in his nomination.

inchrorably, but the people will not the editor THE STAR will have to loch the populist have not got a single tolerate unfair and unjust methods in admit that he either does not know prominent leader in their party that politics any more than they will in what Jeffersonian Democaacy is or could get anything above a county he dont want the common people to office in the democratic party. Henry know what it is. We have been McCulloch got mad because the demvoting for Jeffersonian democracy ocrats would not nominate him for was nominated for District Attorney for twenty-five years and doing all we state treasurer and quit the party. by acclamation by the Democratic could in an humble way to teach others Judge Nugent was always considered Judicial Convention at Cisco last the grand principles advocated by a good man but rather cranky-per-Friday. Alden Bell was re-elected Jefferson, Jackson, Calhoun and haps because the democrats would other statesmen of the democratic not put him any higher than district AT Hon. Jereniah Vardeman Cockrell party. Jeffersonian democracy is judge. Charley Jenkins is the ablest still wears his scalp notwithstanding not popism, Sappy, no matter how man they have got. It is said that the heroic efforts of the "Chivalric much your leaders may distort the Charley got mad at the democrats Gentleman from Bailey" and the sayings of this grand man to bolster several years ago because he could not

The Kolbites, populist, in Alabama who were defeated by about 30,000 2nd Mr. R. J. Estes was nominated majority have issued an appeal to the by the People's Party for Precint No. people, which is virtually an appeal to arms to seat Kolb and the defeated It must have been a very quiet populist candidates for the legislain other states. The people of the South will not be deceived by any such a ruse. The Pops and Republi-

> A pop knows all about the tariff and financial questions. It makes no difference whether or not he has ever shown enough financial ability to accumulate two hundred dollars worth of property he knows all about Do the white men of Texas want any the finances of the country. In fact the less financial ability he has shown knows about government finance. What would you think about a farmer, who was never able to raise a crop in his life. always telling others how to plant, sow and in September.

The political discussions last Wed- reap? Why, you would not think his The Baird Star and Judge Cliett was a hummer.— Look at Harry Tracy, Evan Jones Dr. Look at Harry Tracy, Evan Jones, Dr. Macune, "Cyclone" Davis and Stump The Humming was caused by the Ashby, Not one of them was able to, planks of the populist platform flying or at least did not make a decent them up one by one and hurled them populist doctrine, and now at least three of them are well fixed, if not Judge Cockrell lacks only a half rich. How did they get it-by the dozen votes of the necessary two-thirds sweat of tehir faces? No, by the D. majority to nominate him, and by all sweat of their tongues, that coaxed the

> it. If he does not get it the will of the majority of this district will be estly and fairly to help elect our defeated and they will remember the ticket it will never be found behind, leaders in this in coming years in a way but if their election depends upon lying, abuse and vilification of the opposing candidates it will not be in it.-Prodigal.

What is the difference between abusing a local candidate and one at night. Careful attention given all long range? The Prodigal and other populist papers never weary of vilifying and abusing every Democratic leader from President Cleveland ent, Charley, you ought just to light into them and give them fits. Say Some of the anti-Cockrell men they have sold out to the Rothschilds BAIRD, majority they would adopt the power and the gold bugs. Just sail majority rule nominate Dean and go into them and scatter hair, blood, they are given a dose of their own all above the county, is corrupt, then

The last heard of Evan Jones, the When a populist tells you about great alliance, leader he was living quietly in Erath county in that elegant be if the populist party was in power, home that Texas Farmer says he and was the biggest toad in the puddle head for business, as the head of the She ought to know as she was one of have before he went into that Exchange. The Alliance in Callahan The fight against Judge Cockrell is County threatened to boycott THE First Door South of D. W. Wristen. command enough votes to lock the open, this too, a year before that rotdefeat Judge Cockrell, but one thing could extract a dollar out of the pockcertain they have killed off Dean and ets of the rank and file. The pops last Saturday to meet at Henrietta, to give them the shake as soon as Cockrell forces and we believe will get no more by gulling the rank and

file of the Populist party. With the exception of Judge Nugent Old Sappy of Cottonwood says Charley Jenkins and Henry McCuldefeat the regular democratic nominee for county judge of Dallas county. All these are good men, just as good now as they were when they were democrats, but for all this the first two will not go to Austin this year nor the latter to Washington. They have simply butted their brains out politically against the party of which they were once honored members.

THE POOR IN KANSAS.

In bleeding Kansas poor white cans combined in that state to down children and negro children are forced the Democrats and they failed. It is to attend the same school, but a white money was spent lavishly to down a notorious fact that the national man or woman is usually employed republican executive committee fur- to teach them. At Atchison in school nished money to assist the Kolbits district No. 20, the negroes have suc-It is a dull day when some populist in their campaign. The people of ceeded in electing a majority of the less children by Republican and Populst politicians but they are hardly prepared to have a big black, ruffianly negro stand over them with a book of instruction in one hand and a rod of discipline in the other. This is to what the poor have come in Kansas. such "reforms" here?-Comanche Cheif.

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LOCAL NEWS.

BAIRD, FRIDAY, AUG. 17, 1894.

Finest grass in several years. for Dallas Tuesday.

We noticed W. B. Farmer of Cross Plains in town Tuesday.

Mode Hearn has gone to Clarendon on a business trip.

Lots of stock water all over the liable to start a fire at any time. country.

Cotton booming and the farmers are happy.

How does any man expnct business if he does not rustle for it?

T. E. Powell left Sunday for St.

Miss Mary Bowman, are visiting in

San Angelo. The rains from August 2nd to 10th were the best we have seen in this

State Convention. Mrs. Lillie Hearn, nee Bell, and little brother, Willie Bell, went to

Abilene Wednesday.

crossings, this week. of confectioneries into the lower his right hip.

story of the old Central Hotel. Greer county are visiting Mrs. High- difficulty, and at this time George

tower's grandfather, Dr. Rettig. Jackson went to Dallas, Tuesday, to shoot him. Coming to the kitchen

attend the Convention. Presbyterian church next Sunday and Bill was, but Bill was not there so Rev. McConnell will preach at the attend.

and Alden Bell went to Dallas Mon- for Bill. Some boys heard the shot good on all lines of the Texas and day, to attend the Demneratic State Convention.

H. N. Floyd, of Eagle Cove, was adjudged insane last week and was without a gun but the boys supplied carried to the asylum at Terrell Tues-

day by Deputy Sheriff Lane. Graham with Jim Hill, Commissioner "D- you, hold up your hands," Shultz C. Cummings, and other witnesses in held up and began to back off, so

the John English case. this week, Judge Solomon and the switcman, appeared with a gun and following commissioners present: Negro George turned and sent a load

Hinds, McClesky and Yost. Democratic State Convention. Judge second shot from Shultz' rifle brought Webb will be on hand to help the the negro to the dust. George died

boys hold up silver if necessary. Alex. Buckley came in last week from the bridge contract at San will soon recover. Martin to superintend the loading of eighteen cars of stone, to be shipped

to Big Springs. There will be an election of officers of Baird Chapter No. 141, O. E. S., on persons, and had commenced his of Baird Chapter No. 141, O. E. S., on persons, and had commenced his Friday, August 24, at 8 o'clock p. m. deadly work.—Big Springs Pantace cream will be served to the mem-

The dog killer got in his work in great shape this week by scattering poisned meat about town. Dr. Wilson and several others mourn the loss of valuable dogs.

Than Warren, who has been in Oklahoma for nearly a year, returned home sometime ago. This item of course is rather stale, but Than kept himself at home so close that we did 5 P. M. not learn that he was back until ten or twelve days after he returned.

> All the notice anonymous communications receive at this office is to dump them into the waste basket. Will Buy a \$1.50 Ladies' That accounts for the non appearance of several articles received lately.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lonis were called to Bluff Dale Saturday on account of the death of Mrs. Lonis' sister, Mrs. Knott, who died at that place Saturday and was buried Sun- Jeans Pants for \$1.00. Go will they receive THE STAR, unless day. Mr. Lonis returned home Wednesday, but Mrs. Lonis will remain several days with her sister's

A movement is on foot to open the Baird Public School on Sept. 3, with a public entertainment, public speaking, recitations, music, and perhaps a debts contracted by any employe of banquet, will be the main feature, of of this office, or anyone else except the program. The intention is to awaken a greater interest in the school among the people of Baird. Let us cept on written orders, otherwise than all join in and make the entertainment a grand success. It will encourage the teachers and scholars to renewed efforts the coming session.

Some miscreant made an attempt to burn down the old Central Hotel last Thursday or Friday night. A fire was started in the south-west corner of the dining room, but owing to everything being so damp from the See change in B. L. Boydstun's ad. recent rains the fire went out without Maj Stanley M. Jones and wife left doing any damage. What the object in trying to burn this building is a mistery, as there is no insurance on this or any other of the wooden building in that block, at least if there is any insurance it is very small. Keep a watch out for the fire bug, he is

Callahan county has a strong delegation at the State Convention, but so far none of them have shown up in Dallas. We heard of Judge Webb in Fort Worth where he made a speech before the Judicial Convention, nomi-Louis to buy his fall stock of goods. nating Judge Stephens for re-election. We noticed Leo Stern received a but farther than that nothing has been famous Key West cigars. good shipment of dry good Wednes- heard even from him. We have scanned the News closely for informa- always the best and you know it. 26tg Mrs. Ed. Hearn and children, and tion from the delegates, but cannot learn anything about them. We fear ceived, cheaper than ever, at Driskill our delegation has fallen outside the & Nortons's.

city was thrown into a paroxysm of Dr. R. G. Powell went to Dallas fright by the report of several shots, Tuesday to attend the Democratic and women and children running and at 3 cts each, in quantities, at Edwards screaming for their lives, shouting, & Dudley's feed store. "he's killed him, he's killed him!," Yard wide bleached and brown The citizens hurried to the scene of domestic at five cents a yard. T. E. disturbance and found George Hud- Powell. son writhing in the dust with a bullet All advertising and announcements City Marshal Welch has been having hole through his abdomen, Jno. must be in this office by 12 o'clock on some needed repairs made on street McWaters with about 50 no 5 shot Thursday if to appear in the current in his left leg, and the negro boy issue. Mr. Emmons has moved his stock Bolivia Eddins with a similar load in

It seems that Negro George and Mrs. Hightower and children of Bill Eddins had had some personal affords at all times. being half crazed with drink got a A. G. Webb and County Clerk I, N. gun and went to Bill's house to window George threatened to shoot Bill's wife if she did'nt tell where Sunday night. All are invited to she sent the boy Bolivia to tell Bill that George was after him with a gun but George stopped the boy with a line. Gen. F. W. James, J. N. Rushing load of shot and preceeded to hunt and got a gun but George ran them Pacific Railway, and save five dollars. in. In the mean time some one had notified Deputy Shultz who came one. As Shultz appeared he ordered George to hold up his has hands. Sheriff J. W. Jones left Sunday for George leveled his gun and said, George thought he was frightened off. for return to September 1. Commissioners Court is in session At this time Jno. McWaters, a of shot into him and as he did so Judge B. R. Webb left Sunday for Shultz fired but missed his mark, a soon in the afternoon. But the other wounded parties are doing well and

> On examining trial Deputy Shultz was released on the ground that he shot the negro in defense of the lives of others. It seems the negro George



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Raspberries and Blackberries.

The Cornell University agricultural experiment station has been carrying on some experiments with raspberries fabrics have been lowered from 25 to and blackberries and has arrived at 20 per cent, and in certain lines even the following conclusions:

Black raspberries can be made a gardless of proximity to markets. An seerage yield with good culture is about 75 to 80 bushels per acre.

An average yield of red raspberries is about 70 bushels per acre. An average yield of blackberries is about

BM bushels per acre. 2. A majority of growers find low summer pinching of blackberries best

for most varieties. . Growers are about equally diwided in opinion as to whether red respectives should be pinched back at to learn are uniformly prosperous, in summer. If pinched, it should se done low and early. The canes

sibuaid be made to branch low. 1. Evaporating red raspberries has met yet proved profitable.

4. There seems to be no immediate waste in stacking is reduced to the Foreigners will not have our skimmed minimum where farmers stack as they milk and "filled" cheese, and we are purposes.

3. Berry canes which made their enwinter as well or better than those

DEPARTMENT, dustries are now requiring the use of be found on the udder, on the wool, glovemakers, hatmakers, shoemakers, etc. besides clothes for men's wear, dress goods for ladies, hosiery, upholstery, etc. Some minds are sadly impressed by the stocks of the sales to Managing the term in Europe, but it does not amount Farm and Garden-Live to even 160,000 bales, while the conterm in Europe, but it does not amount sumption of the world is monthly of 00,000 bales. In favor of a rise in prices is the actual cheapness, making the use of wool attainable for many lines. Speculators will get on to it as soon as confidence is restored, and more. The actual effects of this legis lation on German trade, I am not pretable farm crop when grown for pared to state, but I know that the exaporating purposes, and gathered step is hailed with joy by the Evitish manufacturer who is Germany's only serious rival."

Hay Sheds.

The current range of prices for farm products renders it imperative that the farmer should use economies such as he has never practiced before, says Hay Trade Journal. In fact, in this enforced economy lies one of the sweetest uses of adversity. Men and nations that have been compelled to use economy before they were too old while those who have developed without such lessons usually have a rough road before them. One of the greatest wastes on the farm is that of hay after it has been cut and stacked. The waste is in many directions. The see growth after July 6 stood the barns or hay sheds impracticable. not speedily correct it we can not exwhich grew during the whole season. is built with a skill such as few are making the same mistake with Removing all young cane; from a Americans possess, raked as no Ameri- butter. The export demand is steadily

oftentimes esctcheon custom the milk veins. The of opening bodies of animals which die under suspicious circumstances is one which should not be encouraged among farmers, unless proper precautions are observed. If, however, this post mortem work is attempted on Texas fever carcasses, the color of the blood, the enlarged and vellowish liver, the enormously enlarged and congested spleen or milt will attract attention. As antrax has occurred in two sections of Delaware during the past two years, it is necessary to state that danger of confusing t with Texas fever exists. If the blood of a victim is found to be thick and black instead of thin and light red, go no further with the examination, and telegraph at once to an experiment station for assistance.

Butter and Cheese Exports.

A writer in New World says: A of cheese during the past year was so confidently expected that the increase of only 100,000 boxes is a great disappointment. The explanation is that owing to the prevailing hard times the consumption of cheese has been much smaller than in ordinary years, and certainly the Canadians have no reason for disappointment if they contrast their increase of 100,000 boxes with our decrease of nearly 450,600 during the same period. This same 450,000 decrease tells its own tale. do in the older countries, where the rapidly losing our export trade. The climate is such as to render large fault lies with ourselves, and if we do Under these circumstances the stack pect to supply foreign markets. We plantation bearing its last crop of can will take the time to rake it, and diminishing, and there is only a sale

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A SCENE IN CHINA-GATHERING OF TEA .- FROM FARMERS' REVIEW.

emparatively high temperature.

19. Under ordinary conditions, thinming the fruit of raspberries and blackberries, other than that done by the spring pruning, does not pay.

11. Cutting off the bearing canes early in spring does not induce autumn fruiting of raspberries.

12. Frequent spraying with water throughout the blossoming period did mot interfere with pollination and subsequent fruit production. The only remedy for red-rust is

te dig up and burn at once every plant found to be affected. Cut away and burn all canes affected with anthracnose pits and spray the plantation with Bordeaux mixture. Rootgails weaken the plants, causing them to appear as if suffering from poor Removing the plants and burning the roots is the only remedy.

. The dewberry of the Pacific slope Is Pubus vitifolius. This species often bears imperfect or pistillate flowers. The Skagit Chief bore pistillate Lowers with us and was therefore in-Sertile with itself.

The Future of Wool.

That the crisis in wool and sheep busbandry is conceded, and a permament progress is now developing in the exange to mutton breeds, and the adoption of the improved breeds with perroved care and management. A correspondent of the Wool and Cotton Reporter says: "The crisis actually existing on wool is not to be denied, bet it is not as real as apparent and is not to be of a long duration, shat is, prices as low as those of today are not to last much longer. In beeking at the always increasing conmmption of that material over all the world, one may easily perceive that it ie near an advance in prices. What causes of such uneasiness and depression? Pessimists will segue of large stocks and over produc-Such is not at all the case. us figure the comparative of stocks and proluction in balance with the consumption over all the world. What are the es,000 bales more from Australia and Mire: Plate of these last years? It was seeded to compensate the always liminishing quantities produced in Surope. Over all the civilized world, ye increasing are the aspirations wants for comfort and luxury; it

though it is dangerous to eous combustion. As ordinarily stacked and especially in the prairie country, the stacks suffer first from the damage by the deposit of moisture on the outside during the heated period, a damage which has been estimated by scientists of not less than 12 It suffers from insufficient per cent raking, from leaning to one side or the other on account of unskillful building, from blowing off of the tons during severe wind storms and from waste that comes from handling these stacks in the winter, many farmers having from one to five stack buttons covered with snow or wet with rain during the latter part of the winter season. The remedy for all this is the hay shed. A hay shed 26x40 will hold from 35 to 40 tons of hay, depending on the care with which it is filled. It can be made a cheap or expensive structure, as suits the taste of the builders. Whichever it may be it will insure the crop going to market in good condition instead of at a discount of several dollars per ton, caused by exposure.

Texas Fever and Anthrag. Farmers will do well to heed the advice given in a recent bulletin from the Delaware experiment station. It says

If it is customary for drovers to use the public highways, farmers should satisfy themselves at the unloading station on the railroad that strange herds have not come from territory prescribed by the secretary of agriculture. If live stock dies under suspicious circumstances, notify your experiment station, detailing symptoms. In Texas fever, all of the indications of an ordinary fever will become visible. The sick animal will leave the herd; if in milk, the flow will cease; if water is accessible, it tile are covered with the ordinary will be sought as a standing place. At times steers and cows affected with the strouble, show a tendency to charge upon men who enter the field. The animal becomes constipated, the urine in many cases is high colored, and uniformly through the adjacent almost black, but if it is voided into water its true color will be found to water, its true color will be found to be that of blood. If slight cuts are made into the skin, little blood will flow, and it will be noticeably thin, light colored and watery. Ticks will be load.—Ohio Bulletin

then thatched as no American for the finest table butter and the 5. Raspberries and blackberries can will ever thatch. Under our con- cheapest grades. The latter means quality in a p hay in barns over twenty feet high should be sent, otherwise disaster is (to the square) on account of spontan- certain. Canada, Australia and New Zealand, our competitors, not merely make good butter, but are shipping it 16,000 miles, part of the way in the tropics, yet manage to place their in London, Liverpool and Glasgow in as fresh condition as when it starts.

> Roquefort Cheese. ROQUEFORT cheese is by many considered the ne plus ultra of dairy products. Being made from sheep's milk, it presents elements that render it unique. Its manufacture was for many years confined to the plateau of Larzac-about twenty miles squaresituated in the mountainous district of Southwestern France, and having an elevation of over 900 feet. The increased demand for the cheese during the last half century has given a tremendous impulse to the industry, which now extends many miles over the surrounding mountainous district. The native sparse vegetation of the hillsides being supplemented by cultivated nutritious grasses and clovers, has increased both the quality and quantity of the cheese produced. The evening's milk is placed in tin-lined copper pots and kept warm until morning, when the cream is removed. The skimmed milk is added to the fresh morning's supply, both are heated and the rennet stirred in. When the curd forms it is cut in all directions with a wooden knife, the whey being drawn off during the cutting. The curd is then lightly squeezed and worked with the hands until no whey appears.

SUB-IRRIGATION IN HOT HOUSES. Ordinary 21/4 or 3-inch drain tile is used for irrigating. These tile are laid on a level crosswise or lengthwise the beds, the rows being about two feet apart. At the end of each row of the an opening is made in which to intro-duce the water for irrigating. The so that it will run the entire length of Land Plaster.

The value of gypsum (land plaster)

as a fertilizer is being discussed in one of our exchanges, and we notice that men of experience claim that this substance is not apparently of as great benefit upon land as it used to be in days gone by. In the early days gypsum was brought in "arks" by river from Oswego and Elmira in New York state and sold to farmers at every convenient landing place. It was in the shape of lumps just as it bad been quarried and had to be broken up with hammers, then ground by mill-stones. In spite of the trouble and expense involved farmers were anxious to get gypsum every spring. Now, it is asserted that in Pennsylvania, New York and Michigan gypsum is very little used as it seems to have lost its virtue. Either the land or gypsum has changed, at least there are no longer marked good results from a top dressing of gypsum where it was so much used before. The "land plaster," large increase in the Canadian exports as it was called, used to give very good results upon all newly broken soil and acted as a fertilizer for all the staple crops of the farm and garden. Now it is of little good unless mixed with hen dung and the latter is doubtless the active fertilizer. There is, we think, no mystery about this failure of gypsum to longer benefit land where it has been used in liberal quantities for years. The plaster is not in itself a plant food any more than is the carbonate of lime. It is not, therefore, needed by the plant which is able to get its supply of lime without trouble from any soil whether it was top dressed with lime or not. The plaster upon new, raw, rich soil acts in almost the same way as it does in a manure pile: it fixes ammonia and neutralizes acids, rendering the mass "sweet," as it were, instead of Newly broken soil is sour until it becomes duly weathered and cropworn; lime at once acts as an arbitrator in it taking the part of others and bringing harmony out of chaos. While not as powerful as quick lime in this work, gypsum had doubtless about the same effect as slacked lime, and the additional advantage of fixing ammonia, whereas lime would set it Taken for granted that gypsum is no longer profitable as a fertilizer in the states mentioned in the forgoing, the FARMERS' REVIEW desires to point out that it should still be used. and if properly used will give as good results as it used to give when land was crude and raw. In those days the soil was full of rank vegetable fertility or "humus," and capable of abundant production if sweetened by gypsum. To-day the same soil robbed of "humus" is crying out for manure and receiving half-made stuff, from which in very many cases the ammonia has departed. Were gypsum used liberally in every stable and in every dung heap it would prove just as useful to-day as it did years ago when used upon the land. The land wants dung, but wants it intact, and only by the use of gypsum can it be supplied without loss of its most valuable constituents. It is a strange thing that the very men that would go to so much trouble to procure, prepare and apply gypsum seem too lazy to make and use the necessarily large quantities of farm yard manure for the proper fertilization of the soil. Were they to make manure and fix its ingredients by the free use of gypsum they would see yet as good results from the use of gypsum in combination as they ever saw from its use alone. It is only a be successfully grown under glass, but ditions hay can be put in large oleomargarine. To make butter exfertilizer in association with other sub-portation pay, only a strictly prime stances, and fails to act where either a lack of these or a surplus of gypsum exits. It formerly enabled the farmer to sap more rapidly the fertility of his farm and so produced greater crops at the expense of earlier decay; it is yet capable of helping the farmer by fixing the valuable ingredients of the manure he must return to the soil, if he would reap as great crops as he used to do when land was rich and gypsum expensive. We think the cheap gypsum of to-day is more worth using upon every farm than ever be-

The Tomato Craze. The increased price of canned tomatoes, it is believed, will give such an impetus to this branch of the packing industry this year as to result in flooding the market, causing very low prices and perhaps loss to many canners, says the Hartford County (Md.) Intelligencer. New canneries are proposed in all parts of Kent county. Md., where contracts have already been made with farmers to grow 2,500 acres at \$6 per ton. In Talbot county, likewise, many new canneries will be built. Tomate culture in Talbot county promises to assume greater proportions this year than ever before. Farmers have contracted with canner to grow tomatoes for \$7 per ton, which is the largest amount paid by canners on the peninsula. Besides five factories in the county, four more are being built in dif-ferent districts, and large additions have been made to the old factories. Over 1,500 tons have been contracted for by two of Easton's canners, and they are still contracting. The farm ers will probably call a meeting and ndorse the action of Anne Arundal farmers in requesting the legislature to pass a law for standard measure of tomatoes. History is repeating itse.f.
One or two profitable years for tomato packers place a premium upon starting new factories. This means a mar-ket over-run with brands without established reputation and which must be sold at low prices on account of excessive competition between unknown labels. At \$7 per ton for raw material there is little chance of profit with No. 3 standards at 80 cents per dozen, f. o. b. railway station. The

BOTH ACHING FOR A FIGHT.

Two Desperate Men Kept From Bloodletting by a Lucky Occurrence. On Hastings street the other day a young colored man about twenty years of age sat on a doorstep drowsing in the sun, says the Detroit Free Press. Many passed him by, but after a time along came another young man of about the same age, carrying a cane. Of course he stopped and poked, and of course there were results. The sleeper woke and angrily demanded:

"Who dat pusson who kept techin me ail de time?"

"I s'pects yo' am lookin' right at him, sah," replied the one with the

"Julius, I'ze a mind to broke yo' in two fur dat.'

Shoo! Yo' couldn't hurt nobody. ·Couldn't, ch? I let yo' know, dat I killed a man ober in Chatham so dead he nebber breathed

"Doan yo' go fur to threaten me, Moses, kase I won't stand it. Mebbe some of yo'r friends done tole you bout de way I knocked dat man to pieces down at Toledo. Jist reached out for him, an' he died."

'Hu! Look out for me, boy. gettin mad, and when de madness comes nobody can't dun hole me. I'ze just a drove of mewls runnin away, I ar'."

"I'ze heard niggers talk afo' dis, but I didn't skeer."
"Nigger! Who yo' callin' nigger!

is nigger yo'self, an' stole

chickens. "What? Yo' say I dun stole chickens? Why, boy, I'll crack yo'r ribs in a minute. I doan' 'low no

common trash to talk dat way to me. "Shoo, nigger! If I war just to reach out my han' yo' would fall dead. I'ze sorry fur yo'r po' ole mudder, an' dat's why I doan' reach." Now, I'ze mad. I'll gin yo' just

one minit to flee fur yo'r life. "Nigger!" "Chicken thief!"

They stood facing each other. breathing hard, and were seemingly on the point of rushing at each other when a small colored boy came around driving an old ash wagon. It was a happy diversion. Both real ized it, and advancing to the curbstone together one shouted:

"Look heah, boy, doan' yo be drivin' aroun' as if yo'r fadder owned dis hull town, kase he don't. Yo' jist keep mighty quiet aroun' heah, or I'll make yo'r heels crack de atmosp'ere."

And as the boy seemed frightened and tried to make himself look as small as possible the other one ad-

"An' if yo'r fadder makes an fuss bout it. I'ze gwine to drive him right frew de airth. Yes, I ar'. Drive on, boy. We is two desperit men an' jist achin' for blood."

Caught a Glass-Shelled Crab. Bottled crab is the latest reward f patient fishing on the water front. George Hildebrand, a young fisher-man, hauled one up from the bottom of the bay, and it is now in the posession of some scientific longshoremen, who are puzzled as much over it as they are about the phantom ship Flying Dutchman. The fisherman dropped his hoopnet off the end of Meiggs' wharf. The tide carried the net down the bay as far as the short rope would allow it, and in hauling it up it dragged along the bottom. The reward of the haul was an ordinary pint flask, and the disgusted fisherman was about to something moving inside it caught Mud had settled in the his eye. bottle, and when it had been washed out he found it contained a crab about the size of an ordinary porker chip, and when its claws were stretched out it reached across the widest part of the flask. The crab had fattened and was apparently in a healthy condition. - Chicago Times

The Same Old Butter.

A friend of mine has just had a most unpleasant experience. He has married a widow, and by some coincidence took her to the same hotel where she stopped with her first spouse. At the table she said to Charles, the bridegroom: "Will you kindly pass the butter. John?" A vision of "John" his predecessor, flitted before the bridegroom, who indignantly replied: "My name is not John, it is Charles." "Excuse my mistake, Charles," she said, and then, tasting the butter, added, reflectively, "but it is the same butter." -Boston Home Journal.

Over the Wire. At Oncend--Hello, can I see Mr.

Brown at the telephone? Office Boy-I suppose so; must tell him you'll come round here? At Oneend-No, you idiot, I want

to see him at the telephone. Office Boy, plaintively-Well, how can you see him at the telephone, if you don't come round here and look at him?

The Proper Resort.

"Isn't it dreadful," she exclaimed. to see the way that elderly belle is trifling with the affectiods of young Callowby ?"

"It is, indeed," replied the other girl. "Somebody ought to report the case to the S. P. C. C."

Little Choice Left Him.

"Sir," said the indignant constitu ent, "I am compelled to say that you have acted the part of a knave." |
"Great Jonah!" replied the as-

have me be a fool?" A Wild Guess. Jupiter-Of the women of your ac quaintance who have married, which outlook is for an overproduction of are the happiest?

Juno-The dead ones.

tonished congressman, "would you

A Sad Life.

The death of Rev. Dr. John W. Teal, of Elizabeth, N. J., is ascribed to a broken heart. He had married two sisters, both dying and leaving him seven young children. The oldest daughter and one son died of consumption, and one of the children, a cripple that he had made his pet, died a few days ago. Two other children show signs of consumption, and these sorrows combined broke the heart of a strong, robust-looking man.

The Bride's Cake.

The bride's cake of to-day is a relic of a Roman custom. At a Roman marriage the bride was expected to prepare a part, at least, of the wedding feast with her own hands.

The Finest Opal.

Empress Josephine owned the finest opal of modern times. It was called "The Burning of Troy." Its fate is unknown, as it disappeared when the allies entered Paris.

There is this difference between a wise man and a fool—the one is surprised at how little, and the other at how much be knows

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LYS CREAM BALM CURES CATARRH

CE SOCERTS, ALL DI

Another marriage is reported 'cetween a white girl and a Sioux In-The girl is Miss Eva Kelley, who has been a clerk in a store at Chadron, Neb., and is said to be a handsome young woman. Her choice is an educated Sioux from the Standing Rock agency, who has been in the employ of the government as an intepreter. Battle-Ax, that is his name, went to Chadron recently, and took a place as clerk and interpreter in a store. He met Miss Kelley and in a few weeks they went before a justice of the peace and were married. They have gone to the agency, where she expects to get a place as teacher in the agency schools, and he probably expects to live off of what she can make. Several American girls have tried the experiment before, but none of them have found it to work satisfactorily.

Gave Her Life for the Queer.'s.

The Corean trouble has brought out a most affecting story of devotion and loyalty, which was displayed during the last great rebellion in Corea. One of the noblemen attached to the palace had a daughter, whose resemblance to the queen was most striking. When the rebellion was at its height. and the rebels were making way toward the queen's apartment for the purpose of taking her life, this nobleman and his daughter managed to hinder their approach long enough to give the queen time to exchange clothing with the daughter, and in this disgusie to leave the palace. The devoted girl, arrayed in the royal! robes, took her place on the queen's throne, and calmly awaited the approach of the conspirators, who soon rushed into the room, and stabbed her to death. History has few more sublime instances of heroic loyalty.

An Experiment.

Among the scientific problems to which Prof. Alexander Graham Bell, who will spend the summer in Nova Scotia, will devote the season is the transmission of light by electricity; that is, he will try to harness electricity to light as it has been harnessed to sound, so that people may be able to see a great distance. Prof. Bell firmly believes that it will be possible some day to see from Washington to New York as easily as one can convey the sound of the voice that distance. The vibrations of light are much more rapid than the vibrations of sound, but Prof. Bell is confident that he will soon be able to discover a diaphram sufficiently large to receive the vibrations of light and produce the effect necessary to convey the impression to the human

Old Bricks.

Excavations in Babylon have brought to light a number of bricks the stamps on which prove them to be at least 4000 years old. They appear to be as good now as when they were first baked.

In the Depths of Misery.

Though endowed with wealth "beyond the treams of averice," the wretched sufferer from chronic dyspepsia is plunged in the lepths of misery from which he or she seldom emerges even for a day at a stretch. There is a way to down the imp. Invoke the aid of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters and he departs. Keep using the medicine, and the relief you promptly experience finally becomes perma-nent and a thorough cure is effected. Heart-burn, flatulence, uneasiness and sinking at the pit of the stomach, nervousness, insomnia.—these are symptoms first relieved and finally rured, with their cause, by this ineffably reliable specific. Liver complaint and constipation, brother tormentors of dyspepsia, are also sent to limbo by the Bitters. So are rheumatism, malaria and kidney complaint. Use this helpful medicine systematically, not by fits and starts.

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ONLY WAITING.

Only widing till the shadows
Are a little longer grown,
Only waiting till the glimmer
Of the day's last beam is flown;
Till the night of earth is faded
From this heart once full of day.
Till the dawn of heaven is breaking,
Through the twilight, soft and gray.

Only waiting till the reapers
Have the last sheaf gathered hor
For the summer time hath faded
And the autumn wids are come.
Quickly reapers, gather quickly
The last ripe hours of my heart,
For the bloom of life is withered.
And I hasten to depart.

Only waiting till the angels Only waiting till the angels
Open wide the mystic gate.
At whose feet I long have lingered
Weary, poor and desolate
Even now I hear their footsteps
And their voices far away:
If they call me I am waiting—
Only waiting to obey.

Only waiting till the shadows
Are a little longer grown.
Only waiting till the glimmer
Of the day's last beam is flown:
Then from out the folded darkness
Holy, deathless stars shall rise.
By whose light my soul will gladly
Wing her passage to the skies.
—Frances L. Mace.

THE MERCHANT'S CRIME.

BY HORATIO ALGER, JR.

CHAPTER XV-CONTINUED. "I love her, Mr. Manton. Let her marry me," exploded Cromwell, nervously.

"Really, you surprise me," said Mr. Manton. "You wish to marry

"I should consider myself the most fortunate of men if I could win her as my wife," said Cromwell, who talked more freely than usual under the influence of the tender passion. "It is an important matter," said

Mr. Manton, slowly, "giving away the hand of an only daughter in mar-

"I will do my utmost to make her happy," said the enamored lover.

I have no doubt of it. To be sure I have not known you long; but I have formed quite a favorable opinion of you from our brief acquaint

This was hardly true, for Mr. Manton had designated James Cromwell as an awkward booby in familiar conversation with his daughter, and she had assented to the justice of

"Thank you, sir," said Cromwell: may I then hope for your consent to

"Why, you see, Mr. Cromwell," said Mr. Manton, throwing one leg over the other, "there are several things to be taken into consideration besides the personal character of the husband. For instance-1 hope you won't think me mercenary -but I want to make sure that you are able to support her in comfort, so that she need not be compelled to endure any of the privations of pov-

erty."
"I have a good business," Cromwell, "which is sure to bring me in a good income.'

"Do you own your shop and stock up clear of incumbrance? Is it all "Yes, sir."

"That is well-for a beginning. Now what property have you be-

"Why," said Cromwell, "I make about \$500 clear from my ward, Robert Raymond.

"Indeed! That is handsome. Still, he is likely to be taken from you." "I don't think he will."

"Still, it is not a certainty. It is not equal to property producing this amount of annual income."

"Hear me out. There is nothing so substantial as property invested well. A good income is a good thing, but if it comes from anything else it is not sure. Now I will tell you what my intentions have been when anyone applied to me for my daughter's hand, though I did not expect the occasion would come so I meant to say, that is, provided the party was otherwise suitable, 'Are you ready to settle \$5,000 on my daughter on her wedding day. and will you still have an equal sum left?" That is the question I meant

to ask, and I will ask it now of you.' He leaned back in his rocking chair as he spoke, and fixed a glance of inquiry on James Cromwell. He hoped that the young man would be able to answer in the affirmative, for if Clara could be well married, he would have his income entirely to himself and he had made up his mind in that case to go to Europe on a pleasure trip. This he could do without breaking in upon his principal if he went alone; but as long as Clara remained unmarried, he knew that he should be expected to take her with him, and this would involve more expense than he was

willing to incur. James Cromwell was taken aback

by this unexpected difficulty.
"I am afraid my means are not sufficient to admit of my doing this, just yet," said Cromwell, reluctantly; but just as soon as I am able I will agree to make the settlement you

propose. Mr. Manton shook his head.

"I am sorry," he said, and here he only told the truth, "that you are not in a position to comply with my conditions, for they are indispensable. You must not think me mercenary, but I don't believe in love in a cottage! As for Clara, she is a dear, unselfish girl, and she would think me mercenary. She never thinks of money, (I wish she didn't, he mentally added.) and would as soon marry a poor man as a rich man. But I want to guard her sgainst the chances of fortune. So I desire that five thousand dollars should be settled upon herself, so that if her husband should fail in business, and you know such things happen very often, she will have a fund to fall back upon. I am sure you will think I am reasonable in this."

"My business in a very safe one,

and the percentage of profit is large," pleaded Cromwell, rather downcast; and I think there would be no danger of that.

"Yes, of course, you think so. Nobody thinks he is going to fail. But disasters come to the best busi-

ness men. "Then you insist upon your condi-

tion, Mr. Manton," said James Cromwell, in a tone of disappointment.
"I must," said Mr. Manton with suavity. "Of course, I am sorry to disappoint you, but then the happiness of my daughter is the first con-

sideration with me."
"Then," said Cromwell, "I may tell you that, though I am not now worth the sum to secure your con-sent, I have a relative who has me down in his will for a legacy of ten thousand dollars. I don't think he will live long. Within a few months I may be worth the required sum."

"I hope you will, Mr. Cromwell,"

said Mr. Manton; "when that time comes, come to me again with your suit, and I will grant it, that is, unless Clara has formed another attachment during that time.

Cromwell winced at this suggestion, but he saw that he could accomplish nothing more with the father, and in rather an unsettled frame of mind he took his leave.

CHAPTER XVI.

Love and Lucre. When James Cromwell alluded to the possibility of his receiving a legacy of ten thousand dollars at no distant date, it will be understood at once that he alluded to the sum promised him by Paul Morton in the event of the death of his ward. had endeavored to compass Robert's death at Niagara Falls, but since his failure there, he had let the matter drop, partly from a timid fear of consequences, partly from the thought that even without this sum he was sure of a good income. But the unexpected condition proposed by Mr. Manton again turned his thoughts to the question of Robert's death, and its pecuniary advantage to himself, and again our young hero was menaced by a peril by no means in-significant.

But Cromwell's timid nature shrank from the audacity of the crime which suggested itself to his Besides, though he was fascinated by Clara Manton, he was not clear about settling so large a sum as five thousand dollars upon her. He would have done it if in his power, rather than lose her, but if he could obtain her on any easier terms he thought that it would be better. He decided, therefore, to see Clara herself, to communicate to her her father's answer, and prevail upon her, if possible, to marry him with-out her father's sanction.

Chance, as he thought, favored him, for only a short distance from the house he met Clara, herself. She had left the house considerately, in order to allow him an opportunity to call upon her father, and was now returning.

"Mr. Cromwell?" she said, with affected surprise. "I supposed you were in your shop. I fear you are becoming inattentive to business.' "I can't attend to my business un-

til one matter is decided" said Crom-

"What is that?" "How can you ask? Clara, I have

just called upon your father. I asked his permission to marry you. "What did he say?" inquired the young lady.

"He told me he would consent, on certain conditions." "Certain conditions!" repeated Clara, "What could innocently.

they be?" "He said that I must prove to him that I was worth ten thousand dollars, and must consent to settle half

that amount upon you.' "I hope you'don't blame papa. carries prudence to excess.

"No, I don't blame him. It is natural that he should wish to make sure of his daughter's comfort."

"And what did you say in reply?" asked Clara, considerably interested. "I told him that at present my cir-

cumstances would not permit me to comply with his conditions." "That's a pity."
"But that I was expecting a leg-

acy from a near relative that may possibly fall to me very soon, which would remove every difficulty.' "What did he say then?"
"That when I received the legacy

he would give me your hand, pro-vided you were still willing." The young lady cast her eyes upon

the ground. She did not think much of waiting for dead men's shoes, and doubted whether her lover had any such relative as he referred to In her own mind she looked upon the matter as at an end; and began to consider for whom she had better angle next.

"What do you say to that, Clara?" asked Cromwell.

"I suppose it is fair," she said.
"No; it is not fair," he said, "to
make me wait so long. I have a
good income; I am careful, and not extravagant, and I know I can support you comfortably. Do not make me wait. Tell me you will marry me at once?"

"I cannot disobey my father," said the young lady, who had all at once become very dutiful.

"But do you think he has a right to interfere with your happiness?"
"Perhaps not; but I have always been taught to obey my father. I suppose he knows better than I what

I ought to do." "Surely, you are not afraid that I should be unable to support you comfortably?" said Cromwell, re-

proachfully.

"Oh, no," answered Clara "I never think of money. My father often tells me that I ought to think more of it. As far as I am concerned, I should never think of asking

whether you were worth \$1,000 or

\$10,000. "I am sure," he pleaded, "that if we were once married your father would not object. The legacy I spoke of is sure to come to me in a year or two, for my relative is very old and in vet; poor health, and there is no fear of his changing his will.'

"I have no doubt what you say is true," said Clara, though in her own heart she had very serious doubts; ...but then it would not be very long to wait a year or two, as the money will come to you then."

"A year or two!" repeated Crom-"It seems to me like waiting

"I am afraid you have not the gift of patience, Mr. Cromwell," said Clara, smiling archly.

"No; I have not in this case, for I do not think there is any occasion. for waiting. "But my father thinks so, unfor-

If you can succeed in pertunately. suading him to the contra y you will find me ready to do as you desire.'

"Then you are determined to abide by your father's decision," said Cromwell, in accents of disappointment.

"I must," said Clara, mildly, however much my own heart suffers in consequence," and she put on the air of a victim of parental tyranny; "unless," she added, "I am able to make my father regard it in a different light.'

"Promise me that you will try. said her lover, grasping her hand "I will do what I can," she said. ·But. really, I must go now. father will not know what has be-

With a sweet smile, she left him, and returned to the house. turned, and went back slowly to his

CHAPTER XVII.

A Dark Deed. "There is no other way!" thought James Cromwell, as fresh from his interview with Clara, he returned to his shop. "The boy stands in my way. His death will bring me money and then that man will give me the hand of the woman I love. There is no other way, unless Clara prevails order, came into use July 1. The upon her father to recall his condinew orders are more like postal notes,

young lady in the evening, dissipated the new orders range from 3 to 30 any hope of this nature which he may cents. have entertained. She reported that her father was immovable on this point, and that persuasion and entreaty had alike been in vain.

"I may soon be able to comply with your father's conditions," said Cromwell. "I have received a letter to-day which informs me that the party from whom I expect a legacy is in very feeble health."

"Perhaps there may be something in his story," thought Clara, and influenced by the doubt, she smiled graciously, and said: "Let us wait, and hope that fortune may favor us.' "Promise me one thing," asked Cromwell, "that you will wait for

me, and will not admit the attentions of anyone else?" But this did not suit the plans of the astute Clara. She by no means

wished to compromise her matrimonuncertainty, and accordingly an-"I would willingly do so, Mr.

bind myself by any engagement, or rudimentary condition. make any promises. James Cromwell's countenance fell. "After all," she, added with a when laughter was ever on the lips!

smile, "is any promise necessary in our case? Do we not understand one another?"

These words and the smile that accompanied them, restored the cheerfulness of her lover. He thought he understood Clara Manton, but in this. as we know, he was egregiously mistaken.

The next morning he received the following note from Paul Morton. It was the first he had received from the merchant, and was in reply to one of his own he had written from Madison.

TO BE CONTINUED.]

House Proceedings. Mrs. Jones-John, I-Mr. Jones-I object

"Object to what, you fool?" "The deductions are not ge?

"But you haven't heard what ! was going" "Object! Object!" (Goes on read-

ing)
"John, this is important" "What in the world is the matter

with you" "Previous question! Wow-w!" "Mr. Jones, can I speak with you,

are you a regular, driveling "Let the words be taken down. I demand that the words be taken

"Mr. Jones"-"Bject! Bject prev's ques'n! Wow-o! Waagh Yee-oop! Owoof! Mr. Speaker, move djourn! Wa-a-gh!

John slammed down his paper and fled. His good wife glanced at it and found the cause of his unusual inter-

LIII Congress-house proceedings.

An Absent-Minded Guest. A young husband met an old and pre-occupied friend, whose mind is weighted with thoughts of things extraneous to family affairs, but, wishing to be agreeable, he asked after the family, and, of course, the

baby.

"Beautiful, beautiful!" was the reply, "we had the little fellow christened on Sunday."

"Indeed!" said the preoccupied one with an air of interest, and then inquired, "Was it on the arm or on the leg."—Boston Home Journal.

A Marvellous Showing.

The U. S. Government, through the Agricultural Department, has been investigating the baking powders for the purpose of informing the public which was the purest, most economical and wholesome.

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He who thinks his place below him will

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Educational.

Attention of the reader is called to the announcement of Notre Dame University in another column of this paper. This noted institution of learning enters upon its fifty-first year with the next session. Parents and guardians contemplating to send their boys and young men away from home hostology of the column of the column

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care be for the work itself. The advancement of China in western science is something phenomenal. It is reported that the medical school established at Tientsin by the viceroy, Li Hung Chang, after the most approved western models, is in active operation and has a very large attendance of students. The text books employed are all translations of American and European works on therapeutical science, and the professors are all Caucasians. On school the army and navy will henceforth depend for their supplies of medicine, as well as for the appointment of competent medical practi lioners for either service.

The Postal Note.

Jiana, before making arrangements for their squarton elsewhere. Nowhere in this broad land are there to be found between facilities for cultivating the mind and heaves than are offered at Notre Dame University. The old form of postal note has been entirely abolished. A new form of money order, superseding the Brown's Iron Bitters cures Dyspersia, Malaria, Biliousness and General Debuty. Gives strength, aids Digestion, tones the nerves—creates appetite. The best tonic for Nursing Mothers, weak women and postal note and the old form of money cupons being attached to show the But another interview with the amount they carry. The charge for

Of Marriage.

Statistics show that in 1000 marriages 332 men marry women younger than themselves, 579 marry women of their own age or near it and 89 marry women older than themselves. The most notable difference in ages was in Camden, N. J., last year, where the bridegroom was 22 and the bride 69.

Hypodermic Injection.

Hypodermic injection was discovered by Majendie. Morphia is per-haps the most familiar drug so used. But the variety of drugs is very great; and there are numerous cases in which life would certainly be lost if there was no way of medicating the patient except through the mouth.

The Hand.

The muscles of the hand reach ial chances by binding herself to an their highest perfection in man. No other animal has a true hand. The muscles of the eyes, ears and show that several groups, which in Cromwell, if papa were willing, but the lower animals are very highly dehe has expressly forbidden me to veloped, in man are in an almost

Who of us have not regretted that age

loyal nature and of noble mind.

every time he is actually hurt. Manners are not idle, but the fruit of

and virtue has sometimes drived out," when you get pills in limity wooden or pastaboard boxes. For that reason, Dr. Pierce's Pleasant that the same of the findigestion after dinner, or feel a colar coming on, they're always ready for you. They're the smallest, the pleasant to take, and the most thoroughly natural reasedy. With Sick or Bilious Headaches, Stomach, Dyspepsia, Jaundice; Dizziness, and Iderangements of the Liver, Stomach, and Bowels, they give you a lasting cure. Headache; obstruction of nose; discharges falling into throat; eyes weak; ringing in paired, and general debility—these of the symptoms of Catarrh. Catarrh Remedy has cured the the worst cases,—will cure you.





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Independent.

SHERIFF'S SALE--REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an execution No. 2. issued out of the Honorable County Court of Tarrant county, Texas, on said Baker Larkin survey, thence east the 25th day of July, 1894, by the 1667 varas, thence north 1669 varas. Clerk thereof, in the case of Biddle, thence west '667 varas to west line of Smart & Co., versus S. A. Owens & said survey, thence south 1669 varas Son, et al, No. 5042, and to me as Sher- to beginning, containing 492 acres of day, July 26, 1894, at 6:30 o'clock p. m., fy said judgment. levied upon the interest of S. A. In testimony whereof witness my quires cash in advance on subscription. Owens in the below described real signature at office in Baird, Texas, estate, and will on the 4th day of Sep- this, August 9, 1894. tember, 1894, it being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., in front of the court house door of CALL FOR REPRESENTATIVE CONVEN-Callahan county, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said S. A. Owens had on the 26th day of July, authority in me vested as Chairman m., for the purpose of electing dele-1894, or at any time thereafter of, in of the Democratic party for the 107th gates to the State Convention, to be and to the following described real Representative district of the State of held at Dallas, Texas, August 28, and terday. estate, to-wit:

han county, Texas, patented to the han. that I hereby call a convention heirs of Uriah Bass, by the State of of the Democrats of said district, to Texas, by letters patent recorded in be composed of delegates from each Deed Record C, pages 178 and 179, of said counties, to meet at Baird Calof Callaban county, Texas, described lahan County, Texas, on Saturday the as follows:

creek and Leon river, in the Upper nominating a candidate of the Demo-Cross Timbers, about eight miles north cratic party to represent said district 392 E. from east Caddo Peak, known in the House of Representatives in as abstract No. 14, survey No. 9, by the next Legislature, of the State of virtue of unconditional certificate No. Texas. The counties of said district 49, issued by the Board of Land Com- are hereby notified to hold conventions missioners of Libert; county, on the or primary elections, as may suit them 1st day of December 1849. Beginning best, prior to said time, and elect delat the south-west corner of survey egates to said convention. No. 8, a p. o. 15 inches in dia. from which a p. o. 18 in. in dia. brs. south day of June 1894. 27 1-2 degrees, W. 22 1-2 vrs. A double p. o. bre south 31 degrees west

John Barton, 759 vrs. to the south-east issued out of the Justice of the Peace corner of said Barton survey. Thence Court, Precinct No. 1, for the county west 164 yrs. with said Barton south of Dallas, state of Texas, or the 16th line to a stake. Thence south 2217 day of July, 1894, I have this day, vrs., a stone corner, a Spanish oak brs. July 18, 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., levied south 79 degrees, E. 28 vrs., another upon and seized and will on the 4th brs. N. 60 degrees, E. 18 vrs. A b. j. day of September, it being the first brs N. 76 degrees, W. 25 vrs. Thence Tuesday of said month, between the east 1256 vrs., a stake from which a p. hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock o. 13 in. in dia. brs. south 8 degrees, E p. m., in front of the court house door 8 yrs. Another 16 in. in dia. brs. of Callahan county, sell to the highest

5 1-2 vrs. Thence south with east line

marked 2 blazes and 3 hacks.

costs of executing this writ.

Witness my signature at office in Baird, Texas, July 26, 1894.

J. W. JONES, Sheriff Callahan County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE--REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an alias order of sale issued out of the District Court of Callahan county, Texas, on Aug. 9, 1894, in cause No. 365, wherein Otto W. Steffens, administrator of the estate of A. E. Harris, deceased, plaintiff, and W. J. Maltby, Mary F. Maltby, wife of said W. J. Maltby, and K. K. Legett, defendants, commanding me to seize and sell as under execution the property hereafter described, to satisfy a judgment rendered on April 10, 1894, in said cause, in favor of said administrator, for the sum of \$1,300, together with interest from the date of said judgment, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and all cost of suit, against W. J. Maltby, and whereas, said judgment is a forecloseure against all of said defendants, describing the sale of said hereafter described property to satisfy said judgment, and whereas on the 9th day of Aug., 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., I as sheriff of said county did levy upon and seize said property THIS SHOULD INTEREST YOU. as by said writ commanded. Now the first Tuesday in September, 1894, good food. between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. scribed real estate, to-wit .

492 acres of land situated in Calla-492 acres set apart to Chandler & Tured as follows:

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J. W. Jones, Sheriff Callahan county, Texas.

TION.

Texas, comprised of the counties of for such other business as may come 640 acres of land situated in Calla- Taylor, Jones, Shackelford and Calla- bafore the convention, 1st day of September 1894 at 1 o'clock On the head waters of Hubbard p. m. of said day for the purpose of

Given under my hand this 23rd

T. W. DAUGHERTY, Democratic Chr. of 107 Rep. Dist.

SHERIFF'S SALE--REAL ESTATE.

of survey Ne .---, in the name of By virtue of an alias execution south 77 degrees, E. 11 1-2 vrs. bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, Thence north 2976 vrs., a stake, a post title and interest which R. T. Baker oak 12 in. in dia. brs. S. 42 degrees, E. had on the 18th day of July, 1894, or 13 1-2 vrs., a double p. o. brs. N. 35 at any time thereafter of, in and to the degrees, E. 3 1-2 vrs. Thence west following described property, lying 1092 vrs. to the beginning. Bearings and being situated in the county of Callahan, state of Texas, to-wit:

The above described property is All of that certain piece or parcel levied upon and will be sold to satisfy of land known and described one a judgment rendered in the Honorable hundred acres of land out of the Able County Court of Tarrant county, L. Eaves survey No. 757, abstract No. Texas, on the 27th day of June, 1893, 156, in Callahan county, Texas, beginin case No. 5042, in favor of Biddle, ning 12 2-3 varas north of the N. E. Take "The St. Louis Limited, Smart & Co. against S. A. Owens & corner of Robert Hines' 100 acre tract, Son, for the sum of Five Hundred and stake for corner, on center line of ts Five Dollars and Fifty Nine Cents, said Eaves survey, running north and with interest thereon at the rate of 10 south. Thence west 892 varas, stake per cent per annum from the 27th for corner 12 2-3 varas north of N. W. day of June, 1893, until paid, and the corner of said Hines 100 acre tract further sum of Fifteen and 40-100 and N. E. of S. W. Cox 100 acre tract. Dollars costs of suit and the further Thence north 632 8-10 varas, stake for corner. Thence east 892 varas, stake Mexico, New Mexico, Arizofor corner on center line of said Eaves survey, running north and south. Thence south 632 8-10 varas to place

The above described land conveyed by Randolph Robertson and his wife, Ida J. Robertson, to the said R. T. Baker by deed dated 22nd day of September, A. D. 1891, and recorded in record book M., page 367, of the

records of Callahan county, Texas. The above property is levied upon rendered in the Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, for the county of Dallas, on the 26th day of June, 1893, cause No. 150, in favor of John V. Hughs and against the said R. T. Baker, for the sum of \$174 75, less a credit of Twenty-five Dollars, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 26th day of June, 1893, until paid, and the further sum of Six and 65-100 Dollars costs of suit, and all costs accruing by virtue of this writ.

Witness my signature at office in Baird, Texas, this, July 18, 1894. J. W. JONES, 36 4t

Sheriff Callahan county, Texas.

therefore this is to give notice that on get good reading matter as it is to get

We have just made arrangements and 4 o'clock p. m. I will sell, at the which may be of interest to you, dear court house door of said Callahan sir, who are glancing down this colcounty, Texas, in the town of Baird, at umn of type. The arrangement is this: at public vendue, the following de- We will give you the greatest of all Democratic papers, the New York Weekly World, and this paper, both han county, Texas, being 1-3 of the for one year each, for \$1.65, or we Baker Larkin survey in said county, will send you this paper for one year patent No. 92, Vol. 17, and being the and The Weekly World for six months with good reading matter at a low for the regular yearly price of this ner in the decree of partition rendered paper alone. The campaign now be-August 30, 1880, in the district court gun is going to be a very important of said county, and is specially bound- one. Here is the opportunity to get your own local paper and the leading metropolitan journal of the country at

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ATTENTION REPUBLICANS. A Republican convention is hereby called to assemble at the court house Notice is hereby given, that by the on Tuesday, August 21, at 8 o'clock p.

WM. MCMANIS, Secretary Republican Co. Com. LOST.

One dark brown horse, one or two white feet, snip on nose, 10 years old. branded I O A on left thigh. Also one iron gray, half Norman mare, 8 and thigh. Address information to A. A. Callahan, Baird, Texas, or G. F. Howell, Scranton, Texas.

DEATHS.

Mrs. F. E. Jacobs, mother of Mrs. Herman Schwartz, who has been suf-fering for the last four years with Baird 1st 2nd 4th Sundays in each month at 11 clock and night. Dut. consumption, died at the residence of
H. Schwartz Monday morning, and
was buried in Baird cometery the

month at 11 o'clock and night. Putnam 3rd Sunday at 11 o'clock, Ceder
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