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THE San Antonio Express says: "Everything comes to him who waits," an observation which is better philosophy than grammar.—Cuero Star.

THE Express attacks the last legislature in one column and defends it in another. There should be more harmony between its editors.—Cuero Star.

LAST year, 1906, Ellis county raised 158,348 bales, Hill 139,719, Williamson 136,528 and McClennan 127,502, the only counties reaching 100,000 bales.—Guadalupe Gazette.

NEVER get it into your head that you are too good to mix and mingle with "common people." No man can be a gentleman who treats the workingman as an inferior being.—Grandview Tribune.

UNDER latest instructions from Austin the old plan will be followed, making no change in the tax assessment for the present year. The law is not yet in effect requiring a raise and the position taken by Assessor Schwab along is vindicated.—Cuero Star.

WHAT good reason is there to raise the Governor's salary? Governor Campbell spent $15,000 to get a $4000 job. Make it $8000 and the winner will need to spend $30,000, and that is a good deal more than the office is worth.—Belton Journal.

AN editor is a man who is liable grammatical blunders, toothache, typographical errors and lapses of memory, and usually he has half a million people watching to catch him tripping. And yet the world is full of people who want to be editors.—Pitcairn (Pa.) Express.

IN the ouster suit at Austin, the Bailey vouchers were admitted to be genuine, and it was further admitted that the Standard Oil company audited them and other expenditures of the Waters-Pierce branch. It seems that some one must have handled the truth rather carelessly dur- the Bailey conversy, it was he Attorney General either. ithville Times.

c newspapers of the State begun to comment upon the ection of ex-Governor Fran- f Missouri with the Waters- e (Standard) Oil Co., now ng brought out in the rial of the oil cases at Austin. It appears from the testimony that even when Francis was governor he was connected with the oil trust and helped it get its tentacles fixed more firmly upon the people of Missouri. It is shown further, that Francis has been in the service of the oil trust ever since then and was in its service when he brought Senator Bailey and H. Clay Pierce together.—Pioneer Exponent.

"Sacred Platform Demands."

Why not amend the constitution and do away entirely with the legislative branch of government, by substituting in its stead a riproaring, hilarious, windjamming political convention of the people through all the devious paths of life? And, echo answers why? says the Laredo Times, which is another way of denying to the body of honest men who have been collected from every corner of the state to perform nothing more than to decide whether or not they are competent to make laws in a few hours to govern a great state like Texas, in the face of the fact that the constitution contemplates the election of representatives from every county or district of the state for that purpose. This document so carefully safeguards the interest of the people that it requires the legislature to read each and every proposed measure three separate days and take as many separate votes after due discussion, in order to prevent mistakes from undue haste. Now we have a new doctrine in Texas that says that such a body as the democratic convention of the state, composed of a thousand men without taking an oath or any obligation of any kind may say that such and that the legislature shall obey every recommendation of this convention, made without consideration or discussion. To us it is a monstrous innovation that the people should repudiate in the most emphatic manner. Gov. Campbell congratulates the legislature for following the suggestions made by the last convention, but what would we have said if the legislature had followed the demands of a republican convention? It is time to pause and see whither we are drifting.—Abilene Reporter.

Lumber King Kirby and other financial "big bugs" have organized a Texas Five Million Club, having for its object the immediate increase of the population of Texas to five million. Agents are being sent to the foreign countries and to the congested northern states with instructions to turn the tide of immigration this way, even if it be necessary to "lay it on with a trowel," in describing the beauties of the Texan paradise. What amuses us, is that a lot of penniless jaspers, who will never realize a red cent from it, are falling in line with this rich men's scheme to crowd the State with a plentitude of working cuttle.—Hallettsville New Era.

Mr. Kirby seems very successful in organizing clubs with "millions" attached. The "jaspers" are not let in on all of them, however. They were not invited to join his "forty million" club, designed to control the timber lands and the lumber output and levy a regular Waters-Pierce dividend on the home-builders of Texas. The only "jasper," whatever that is, that seems to have been invited to put a finger in this financial pie was a certain Texas politician who never charges for his influence but only for his legal services. He got a fat fee for getting Kirby's club out of the clutches of some Wall street wolves and somebody up at Austin got $12,500 in connection with the dismissal of some kind of anti-trust litigation. That's about all the benefit anybody in Texas seems to have gotten out of the famous "forty million" club except a few stubborn owners of mills that held out for good prices for their stumped lands and antiquated saw mills. Everybody under the guise of boosting grand old Texas is expected to whoop up the "five million" club and crowd the State with home builders for the benefit of the "forty million" club.—Beeville Bee.

Kills Mail Order Business.

The big page and half-page ads in the local newspaper, says an exchange, are the worst shots any town gives the mail order houses.

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The Farmer's Wife

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The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath caused by it, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the churn—absolutely removes every taint, or putrefactive germ. Pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores or open eating ulcers and all humor or disease starting from bad blood.

"If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, coated tongue, bad breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, disturbing dreams, fit of stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter things give rating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid or sluggish liver with the usual accompanying dyspepsia, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements.

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The creamery at Rock Island is doubtless doing more good than is generally conceded. It receives the cream from about 640 acres, all of which is gathered from the nearby farmers and paying out for the same each month some $2500. Multiplying this by twelve means $30,000 a year. It must be conceded by all to be the greatest industry ever started in this Rock Island country—and doubtless in the county. It sells 10,000 pounds of butter per month; also 2 gallons of cream to various towns round about for ice cream. The creamery has its own ice house and receives ice by the car load. Mr. L. D. Lacey, the proprietor, in turn delivers it to his patrons over town when wanted. The creamery industry is scarcely two years old, and bids fair to become the largest of its kind in the state. There is only one drawback to this industry: If the farmers would raise the feed that is required to produce this cream it would mean much. As it is the fellow up north gets his shekels for the feed these cows eat. We can raise all this feed if we will and say we will.—Rock Island Cor. in Columbus Citizen.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

THE Jacksonville Reformer says town killers are classified in seven different bunches, as follows: "First, those who go out of town to do their shopping; second, those who want a dead town instead of push and business; third, those who imagine they own the town; fourth, those who deride public spirited men; sixth, those who oppose everything that does not originate within themselves; seventh, those who seek to injure the credit and reputation of an individual." If you are one of these, for goodness sake quit it.

The War Hero.

Tommy—"Did you do much fighting during the war, Papa?"

Papa—"I did my share of it, Tommy."

Tommy—"Did you make the enemy run?"

Papa—"You're right, I did, Tommy."

Tommy—"Did they catch you, Pa?"—Success.

It must be remembered that at the next election the question of raising the wages of the legislators is to be submitted to the people in the form of a constitutional amendment. This being the case, the impression ought to be left that the office of legislator would never be eagerly sought. Yet, judging from what is already being said, the woods are full of candidates for the position. In spite of the fact that legislatures are always abused by the press and the people in spite of the fact that the wages paid are supposed to be too low to tempt individuals, yet neither of these things seems to have a deterrent effect. If the truth were known, there are in Texas at this very hour several thousand men who would

Spotless Linen.

The following recipe for the washing mixture will insure clothes being beautifully clean and white without a great amount of rubbing. Get two pounds of common soda, one gill of sweet oil, one gill of turpentine, one pint of ammonia. Dissolve the soda, and pour into a two gallon bottle, add the sweet oil and turpentine and, lastly, the ammonia. Shake well together, and then fill the bottle nearly full with cold water. Shake well before using for use. One gill of this mixture put into the boiler when the clothes are boiling will surprise anyone who has not tried it before. It leaves no smell, is economical and does the clothes no injury.

His First Move.

SUPPLEMENT TO
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Knee Bone Fractured.

Mr. James Adkins of Chesterville, son of Mr. Levi Adkins of that place, received quite a painful injury last Wednesday. While the young man was working with a gasoline engine, his leg was caught in the belt and he was thrown against the fly wheel, striking his knee against same and fracturing the bone of the knee cap. He was brought to town and by the aid of their x-ray machine, Drs. Robinson & Foote located the fracture and sewed the bone together with silver wire and the patient is now well on the road to recovery.

ALTAIR HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Innis Sigler and children of Sealy are visiting the family of H. S. Walker.

Mrs. H. C. Sigler of Richmond is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. S. Walker.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hughs of San Antonio spent a few days last week with the family of H. Lee Johnson while Mrs. Hughs was in Houston where she had gone to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Hattie Johnson.

Mamye Walker entertrined a number of her little friends Wednesday.

Mrs. Sallie Fleming and little daughter, Sarah, are the guests of H. Lee Johnson's family.

Quite a number of cattle deals have been made in this vicinity in the last week or ten days.

Mr. Thibeaux of Louisiana and Mr. Saunders of San Antonio, two prominent stockmen, have almost taken up their abode here.

Will Shaw of Garwood was here on business Friday.

Messrs. Byars and Tait of Columbus have also been doing business here this week with visiting stockmen.

ROCK ISLAND RIPPLES.

Mrs. Fred Walker was this week called to Grandbury to the bedside of her father, Dr. Lankerster.

J. G. Norton has purchased twenty-three head of Jersey cows from Ratcliff & York and same will be used for the creamery.

J. B. Small loaded a car of potatoes here Saturday, same being shipped to Cleveland, Ohio, for which the farmers received 70c per bushel.

W. T. Foote has put in a furnace to barbecue meat in connection with his meat market.

Atty. Hugh Brown of Columbus was here Saturday attending to legal business.

The following Rock Islanders took in Galveston Sunday: Chester Martin, A. Norman, Wm. Lacey, Mrs. Chrane and daughters, Missess Georgie and Lizzie; Misses Daisie, Verda and Gertrude Lundy, Gilbert Miller and Thos. Patrick.

Burglars effected an entrance to M. C. Kelly's store Monday night and made a "get away" with about $25.00 worth of merchandise.

The farmers of Rock Island delivered four and one-half tons of cucumbers to the salting station Monday. Some of the cucumbers measured eleven and twelve inches in length and our doctors are now trying to figure out how much "cholera morbus" a cuke twelve inches long would contain.

Sid Moore of Lane City is here visiting relatives this week.

John Wegenhoft was in Columbus on business Tuesday.

Rev. Arceno, a Christian evangelist, is holding a revival meeting here with good attendance. Mr. Arceno is an able speaker and is well liked by everybody here.

The Rock Island boys are going to organize a brass band.

George Eaton has completed a deep well for Mr. Mitchell south of town.

Mr. G. B. Meriwether of Bonus was in the city yesterday.

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