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## Fewer Laws and Better Laws.

We hear this cry from our  
citizens, and read it in  
nearly all of our exchanges, and  
it is agitating the mind of Gov.  
Colquitt grievously. We can have  
fewer laws and better laws, if  
our Solons will resurrect the  
wisdom of Zaleucus, a disciple of  
Pythagoras, and a law-giver of  
the Locrians 550 B. C.

Zaleucus framed the republic  
of the Locrians, which stood  
without alteration above two hun-  
dred years. He had the merit  
and glory of converting a band  
of outlaws (the Locrians) into  
the most virtuous and orderly of  
the Greek republics. One of his  
decrees was: That a Locrian,  
who proposed any new law, must  
stand forth in the assembly of  
his people, with a cord around  
his neck, and if the law was re-  
jected, the proposer was instantly  
strangled.

If the wise decree of Zaleucus  
was embodied in our Constitution,  
we are confident that we  
would have "fewer and better  
laws."

## Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your  
stomach you should take Chamber-  
lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.  
Mr. J. P. Kiffin of Edina, Mo., says:  
"I have used a great many different  
medicines for stomach trouble, but  
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver  
Tablets more beneficial than any  
other remedy I ever used." For sale  
by all Druggists.

## Uncle Bill's Philosophy.

One time "Uncle Bill" Bruner  
went up to a neighboring town.  
He was never known as a smart  
dresser, and an acquaintance,  
seeing him there, said to him:

"Uncle Bill, I am ashamed  
of you. How dare you come to  
this town dressed as you are."

"Oh," said "Uncle Bill,"  
"what's the difference? Nobody  
knows me here."

A few days later both men  
were back at their home town.  
"Uncle Bill" was still dressed in  
the same old hand-me-down suit.  
"Well," "Uncle Bill," he said,  
"I am ashamed to see you in this  
garb! Everybody knows that you  
can afford to dress better than  
this."

"Yes, that's just the point,"  
said "Uncle Bill." "Everybody  
here knows that I've got money,  
so what's the use?"

Do you know that fully nine out  
of ten cases of rheumatism are  
caused by the muscles that  
become cold or chronic rheuma-  
tism, and require no internal treat-  
ment whatever? Apply Chamberlain's  
Liniment freely and see how quickly  
it relieves. For sale by all drug-  
gists.

The Farmers & Merchants  
State Bank will pay your state  
and county taxes for you.

## The Lordly Texas Steer.

Western Texas has long been  
noted as the greatest cattle re-  
gion of the Union. The day will  
come when it will be famous for  
the finer breeds of cattle as it is  
now for its immense herds of  
longhorns.

The above from the San Antonio  
Express' 35-years ago column  
is now a fulfilled prophecy, as is  
known of all men, and as the  
Western Cattle Reporter aptly  
expresses in his issue of the 11th  
inst. "Uncle Sam has pinned  
the blue ribbon to the Texas steer."  
The average price of Texas cat-  
tle is \$4 per 100 pounds. Texas  
leads all Southern states in high  
prices of her cattle and heads the  
list of states on the grass food  
product. The Texas steer that  
owns steam now rides in palatial  
cars to the markets of the world  
and commands attention where  
ever he appears. This awkward  
animal which once roamed the  
plains and was herded by des-  
peradoes with guns and spears  
has become transformed into  
thoroughbred and now walks  
majestically in packing boxes,  
society chaperoned by proud  
owners with silk hats and fat  
bank accounts. The progress of  
Texas is recorded in the advance-  
ment of the Texas steer. This  
remarkable animal has survived  
yellow journalism, putified the  
caresses of sports' pools, over-  
come the jealousies of rivals and  
put down the prejudice of the  
consumer, and all this has been  
accomplished by pure blood and  
solid flesh, and he now faces  
the market as sound commercially  
as the bank of England. Texas  
is proud of her cattle, proud of  
her hogs and proud of her citi-  
zenship that has elevated our live-  
stock industry to the top of the  
markets of the world. "Lord-  
line View."

Medicines that aid nature are al-  
ways most effective. Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It  
allays the cough, relieves the lungs,  
opens the secretions and aids nature  
in restoring the system to a healthy  
condition. Thousands have testified  
to its superior excellence. Sold by  
all Druggists.

## On being asked what a nephew is, a little Boston school girl re- plied: "It is when your niece is a boy," a statement which would be hard to controvert.

## Solves a Deep Mystery.

"I want to thank you from the bot-  
tom of my heart," wrote C. B. Rader,  
of Lewisburg, W. Va., "for the won-  
derful double benefit I got from Elec-  
tric Bitters, in curing me of both a  
severe case of stomach trouble and of  
rheumatism; from which I had been an  
almost helpless sufferer for ten years.  
It suited my case as though made just  
for me." For dyspepsia, indigestion,  
jaundice and to rid the system of kid-  
ney poisons that cause rheumatism,  
Electric Bitters has no equal. Try  
them. Every bottle is guaranteed to  
satisfy. Only 50c at Calvert's Drug  
Store.

## Ports from the shippers and railroads are out and show that during 1913 Texas exported 19,490 cars of garden truck and fruit. The peach shipments re- quired 4500 cars and brought the most money to the State. The onion crop was next, requiring 19,000 cars. The time is near when Georgia must give up her title as the leading peach grow- ing State of the Union and when the Gulf coast will surpass the South Atlantic seaboard in truck- ing.

## Fever Sores.

Fever sores and old chronic sores  
should not be healed entirely, but  
should be kept in healthy condition.  
This can be done by applying Cham-  
berlain's Salve. This salve has no  
superior for this purpose. It is also  
most excellent for chapped hands,  
sore nipples, blisters and diseases of  
the skin. For sale by all Druggists.

## For setting diamonds and other stones, see Uremy & Son. Such work is not sent away.

## Courtesy in the Home.

If you are a boor among your  
acquaintances they can severely  
laugh you alone; you can give the  
cold shoulder to the cad in the  
office or the works; you can  
escape the fool in the morning  
train; you can have a prior en-  
gagement if your pet aversion  
asks you to supper.

But your home people are un-  
der the inexorable necessity of  
living with you. A man some-  
times gets the idea that he can  
handle that anything will be  
for his home people; he treats  
them as dandy broad, he does  
not exert himself; he reserves  
his best for outsiders.

He says he likes to be hoiney  
at home; that is very well, so long  
as it does not mean being vulgar,  
he is right. He should be hoiney  
in his home, very well, too, if it  
does not mean thoughtlessness.

Familiarity breeds contempt.  
It is not easy to be constantly  
patient and profitable and pleas-  
ant to those whom you meet  
every morning.

The great test, take it often, the  
greater the disaffection. More se-  
cretly of character are revealed  
over the bacon and eggs than  
over the dessert.

There is no severer discipline  
in the world than that of the  
home, and most of us go down  
under it in this matter of cour-  
tesy.

Don't let us put off our man-  
ners when we get on our slip-  
pers. Let us be the more con-  
siderate when it is our own  
whom we consider. And just be-  
cause our home life is private,  
and is screened off from public  
view, let us be the more scrupulous  
that we may be void of offense  
against the heart of love.

Behind many closed doors and  
drawn blinds there lie grim  
tragedies; and many of them  
may be traced to seemingly tri-  
vial slackness in the courtesies  
of love.

This is the rift that has made  
the music mute. Take care of  
the courtesies, and the grand  
passions will take care of them-  
selves.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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addressee at any time, day or night, Sundays and Holi-  
days, by asking "Central" for "Western Union"? If the  
local Telegraph office is closed, you will be connected with  
a nearby all-night office of the Western Union, in which  
event in case of a prepaid telegram, you will be required  
to pay the tolls of both companies, but the charges in  
case of a telegram to be forwarded "collect" the charges  
to be paid by the addressee, it is required that you will  
guarantee the tolls of both companies should the addressee  
refuse payment.

The Western Union Telegraph Company and the  
Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company are in-  
creasing the approval usefulness of the wires and ask for  
patrons in helping about the development.

## The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Company.

Mr. A. J. Wirtz, member of the  
law firm of Carothers, Brown &  
Wirtz, returned Thursday from  
a week's visit to New Orleans,  
where he had been on legal busi-  
ness.

FOR SALE—Mules, Mares  
and Horses; broke and unbroke.  
For further particulars apply to  
A. M. McDOW,  
Eagle Lake, Texas.

Mr. Seth Cooper, accompanied  
by his brother, Mr. J. G. Cooper,  
left Wednesday night for Marlitt  
where he will take a course of  
baths, being a sufferer with  
rheumatism.

FOR RENT—The building on  
Main Street lately used by W.  
R. Abell as a market. Posses-  
sion given on February 1st.  
S. O. McCARTY.

Mrs. George Northington left  
Thursday morning for her home  
in Egypt after a pleasant visit  
of a few days to her daughter, Mrs.  
R. T. Westmoreland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ashley of  
Lissie were up to witness "Home  
and Honor" at the opera house  
Wednesday night.

Have you ever seen the Economy  
Gas Machine? Installed and  
guaranteed by S. C. Smothers,  
Garwood, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee of Lis-  
sie were here Wednesday and re-  
mained over for the show at the  
opera house same night.

EGGS for setting from pure  
strain Rhode Island Reds for  
sale by J. G. COOKE, at the S. P.  
telegraph office.

## CHESTERVILLE LOCALS.

In the absence of the regular  
correspondent this week, we will  
try and write a few items.

Farmers are busily plowing  
and getting their land ready for  
another crop. There are several  
going to try planting cotton in  
this section this year.

Mr. Frank Davidson of Illinois,  
after spending a few days here  
visiting his sister, Mrs. Jones.

Miss Vivian Sparks of Eagle  
Lake spent a few days here last  
week, the guest of Mrs. Guy  
Jones and other friends.

Mrs. Guy Jones and children  
left Tuesday for Kansas for an  
extended visit to her parents.  
She was accompanied as far as  
Walls by Mrs. M. Perry, Char-  
ley White and Miss Vivian  
Sparks.

Miss Nell Herndon of Clarendon  
spent a few days here this week  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Birdie  
Sparks.

Mrs. H. E. Andrews and daugh-  
ter were shopping in Eagle  
Lake on Wednesday.

We are glad to note that Mrs.  
C. P. Miller who has been quite  
ill the past four weeks, is im-  
proving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Townley  
and Mrs. O. L. Miller were shop-  
ping in your town Wednesday.

Mr. Guy Jones was a business  
visitor in Eagle Lake Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Maltby, Mr.  
and Mrs. O. L. Miller, Misses  
Hayman and Boyken and Chas.  
Miller were guests at a deli-  
cious card party at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tilton last  
Saturday night.

Miss Bessie and Winnie  
Sledge left last Sunday for a  
two weeks' visit to relatives and  
friends in Weimar.

Mr. E. B. Sledge had the mis-  
fortune to lose his buggy horse  
last Sunday.

Wild goose hunting is the  
order of the day here now. Mr. J.  
C. Townley and several others  
went out in Mr. Townley's auto  
last Saturday and bagged nine  
geese.

Messrs. Kinder and Rannels  
of Missouri were prospecting  
here last week and looked over  
the Miller Land Company's lands  
but we have not learned whether  
they bought land or not.

There will be a Masquerade  
Ball at Baugh's Hall Friday  
night, the 27th.

## Saves Two Lives.

"Neither my sister nor myself might  
be living to-day, if it had not been for  
Dr. King's New Discovery," writes A.  
D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C.  
R. F. D. No. 3; "for we both had  
been so weak that no other remedy  
could help. We were told my sister  
had consumption. She was very weak  
and had night sweats but your  
wonderful medicine completely cured us  
both. It's the best I ever used or  
heard of." For sore lungs, coughs,  
colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma,  
hay fever, croup, whooping cough,  
all bronchial troubles, its suppre-  
sion of the habit of spitting blood, and  
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name on our subscription list?  
Then examine the date on your  
paper and pay up NOW, for we  
are forced to drop all delinquent  
after February.

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church will serve a box supper,  
and entertain our sister Friday,  
February 3rd, at the former  
Abell meat market on Main  
Street.

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erals, no iron, no potassium, no lime, no glycerin, no dan-  
gerous or habit-forming drugs of any kind.

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The Woman's Tonic

"After my doctor had done all he said he could for me,"  
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dium on the advice of a friend, and it helped me so much.  
Before taking Cardui, I had had a great many female  
troubles for five years, but since taking it, I am in good health.  
I think there is some of the best advice in your book  
that I ever saw." Your druggist sells Cardui. Try it.

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