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The general public we fear is not acquainted with the dangers arising from arsenic coloring matter in wall paper. A recent death in Palmer Mass. is directly attributed by the medical authorities to this cause. The trouble which resulted so disastrously made its appearance a year and a half ago in what seemed to be nervous dyspepsia. Two months of travel abroad seemed to greatly improve the patient but on returning home he soon grew worse again. On account of certain conflicting reasons which could not be accounted for a specialist was called in and gave it as his opinion that there was arsenic poisoning in the system. An investigation was then made which resulted in the discovery of arsenic colors in the wall paper of the sitting room. This room had been papered shortly previous to the appearance of the first symptoms. The wall paper was at once removed, but the disease by this time progressed so far that it was impossible to save the life of the fortunate victim.—Scientific American.

WHAT MR. STEARNS SAYS.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Stearns returned to our little city this week from their trip overland to Brownsville. Mr. Stearns, who is representing the Western Wheeled Scraper company, reports a nice trip and says he is well pleased with the country, especially the rice farms near Brownsville and the artesian wells between Corpus Christi and Brownsville in the King, Kenedy and other pastures. Speaking of the rice fields, Mr. Stearns said: "They are simply fine; I found the second crop of rice just coming on and heading. The first crop thrashed out on an average 18½ sacks to the acre and it is thought the second crop will average from six to eight sacks per acre." Mr. Stearns, who sold one of his graders to Mr. Lon Hill for making field ditches for his rice fields, says an increased acreage will be put in next year. There is big money in rice, netting the grower, it is said, about \$75 an acre.—Corpus Christi Caller.

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DECREASE OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH.

The muster roll of the Twenty-sixth Infantry, stationed at Fort Sam Houston, does not much resemble the roll of that regiment three years ago. The Twenty-sixth Infantry, then on its way to the Philippines, numbered over 1400 men. The organization today numbers less than 800, representing a loss of 600 in three years' time. The loss is accounted for by some deaths and some transfers to other regiments, but the greatest loss is credited to a weeding out order cabled from Washington last year, authorizing the discharge of all men physically run down. There were also a number of discharges by way of fever, and as the result of court-martial, until the regiment now is not much over one-half of the strength of its palmyest period.—San Antonio Express.

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TAKING AN AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE COURSE.

A Globe-Democrat special from Columbia, Mo., of the 11th inst., gives Richard King, Jr., of Nueces county, a very nice notice, saying that he had just enrolled there as a student of the Missouri University and had entered the agricultural department, which fact, the dispatch said, is worth mentioning, for the reason that he gives the Missouri agricultural school the choice over every other school in the country. Mr. King is a favorite grandson of Mrs. King, known as the cattle queen of Texas, says the dispatch. "He said to-day that agriculture deserves a place as a fine art, and has in recent years developed into an industry worthy the notice of the best-brained scientific men in the land."—Corpus Christi Caller.

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