

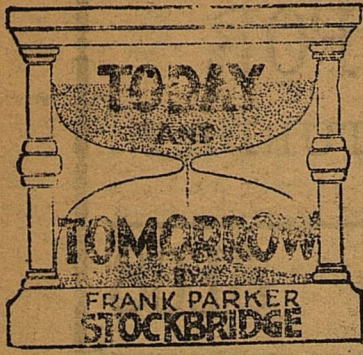
THE ELDORADO SUCCESS

OF AND FOR EL DORADO AND SCHLEICHER COUNTY. ALL THE TIME

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SUCCESS ANNOUNCES BIG FREE CASH DISTRIBUTION

CITY COUNCIL RECEIVES REPORT FROM ENGINEERS

The City Council, Monday afternoon at a call meeting by Mayor Fred O. Green, received a report from French and French, Paving Engineers who have been surveying and mapping parts of the town for paving purposes. The Engineers have drawn a map of three blocks, starting at the Court House and going south to the street south of G. B. Shoemaker feed store. The paving project, according to the engineers will cost the property owners \$5 a square foot or \$150 to the 30 foot lot on main street.

In surveying the different sections of town they also found that the town had no outlet to the depot. The street leading to the depot will have to cross city property owned by the townsite Company and unless this is remedied soon it will cost the city a great deal of money to re-map that section and put the Although the Townsite Company have offered to donate the property to the city if they will pay for the remapping and surveying of this street that leads to the depot.

The city council had not taken any official action on the project but all seemed to be in favor of paying the cost, which would be \$50 and take advantage of the liberal offer of the Townsite Company.

The survey shows that the court house is not taking up the full amount of land that it should and by paving and curbing it would in many ways help to beautify the court house, lawn and streets of Eldorado.

The class of paving has not been decided on yet but it is believed that it will consist of Concrete on a crushed stone base.

The West Texas Conference gave a contest for their District Secretaries, the district reaching the highest points in the year's work, their secretary would be given a trip to the Council Meeting which is to be in Amarillo in March.

We are very glad to report that Miss (Tom) Pearl Smith, our District secretary won in the contest.

Even without Dr. Shaw's illuminating text the pictures show Lincoln as more grossly maligned and bitterly lampooned, even in the house of his friends, than any other man who ever rose to the Presidency. Only after his tragic death did the people of the North begin to realize that a great man had led them. We are prone to forget that no man appears great to his contemporaries.

LIGHT
Fifty years from now the world may regard the discoveries made in our time about light as the greatest scientific advance of all time. Light cures disease, ordinary sunlight, light produced in various ways by artificial means. Ordinary window glass keeps the healthful part of the sunlight out of the house. New kinds of glass let it in. In fifty years every modern home will be equipped with the new glass and illness will be less common.

Light stimulates growth of both animals and plants. An English farmer proved that exposing young pigs to ultra-violet light made them worth double their farrow-mates at six months. A French scientist recently grew strawberries in a cellar, ripening in half the normal time, using artificial light. They cost \$5 apiece, but the time will come when out-of-season fruits and vegetables can be grown in the North by artificial light as cheaply as now in Florida.

\$500.00 IN CASH PRIZES AND COMMISSIONS TO BE GIVEN AWAY

Winner Will Be Given \$225.00 As First Prize And \$75 Goes To Second Place Winner, 10 per cent Commission Paid To Non-Prize Winners, Campaign To Last Only Four Short Weeks.

Today's issue of the Success announces one of the most liberal circulation campaigns ever inaugurated in this section of the state.

When it was decided by the publishers to launch a subscription campaign, it was felt that, rather than employ a corps of solicitors to cover the section, the opportunity to earn the money that would be paid out to the circulation force, should be given to home folks residing right here in Schleicher County.

The campaign will be known as the "The Everybody Wins" Campaign, and it is just what its name implies. There will be no losers in this race.

\$225.00 will be paid to the man or woman, boy or girl, who shall be in the lead at the close of the campaign and \$75.00 will be paid to the person in second place, while ten per cent cash commission will be paid to non-prize winners, if they remain active to the finish.

EVERYBODY participating in this campaign will be paid in CASH, whether it be a prize or a commission. All you have to do is to get subscriptions to the Eldorado Success, clip the free coupons, etc. You do not have to spend a cent of your own money to enter this liberal CASH distribution. We need more subscribers and are willing to pay YOU well for part of your spare time.

This is not a "something for nothing" scheme; in fact, it is no scheme at all, neither is it a charitable undertaking on the part of The Success. It is a business proposition pure and simple. Its object is to secure new and renewal subscriptions to The Success, give you better service, and a bigger and better newspaper.

Will It Pay.
Will it pay? This question will naturally occur to all who read this announcement. Yes, it will pay. Not in dollars and cents, possibly, for the expense of the undertaking is very heavy, but there are dividends earned by newspapers other than those expressed in the terms of money. During the campaign hundreds of subscriptions will be added to our list, which means an immediate enhancement of the potency of this newspaper as an advertising medium—a newspaper's principal source of revenue; a number of hustlers will be richer in pocket-book and there will be a great amount of satisfaction in that besides the general good engendered and prestige gained for this newspaper will be almost inestimable. We are simply investing in the future of this newspaper and Schleicher County. So, in the end, it will profit The Success.

Short and Snappy
This campaign will not be a long drawn out affair of several months' duration, but will extend over a period of four weeks only, closing Saturday, March 15. Think of being able to secure in a month's time, awards that would ordinarily require months—even years—of saving and self-denial to acquire, yet here they are offered to you for your spare time during the next few weeks in helping to build up our subscription list.

The prizes are not only rich in material value, but are in keeping with the broad and liberal lines along which the enterprise

J. W. GARVIN BURIED HERE

John William Garvin, age 61, died Monday morning at his home in San Angelo. Mr. Garvin formerly lived in Eldorado being one of the early settlers of this county and one of the first to bring farming to this section of Texas.

Funeral services were held at the Christian Church in Eldorado Tuesday afternoon F. R. Keele officiating, burial was made in the Eldorado cemetery Tuesday afternoon, he is survived by one son and two daughters, his wife, mother, a sister and two brothers. His parents moved to Eldorado when John was a young man and filed on some school land and for years made their home there, his mother still making her home with her daughter Mrs. Pete Owens.

The Success extends sympathy to the bereaved in the passing of a father, son, brother and husband.

FINANCIAL REPORT - CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

July 1st, 1929, Oct. 1st, 1929, Cash on hand in bank July 1, 1929 \$236.45

Total receipts during quarter 0.65
Total disbursements during quarter \$158.15
Total in Bank Oct. 1st, 1929 \$78.95

The above amounts are itemized in Treasurer's books and subject to inspection at any time
W. T. Conner, —Pres.

Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Sec. - Treas.

(2nd) FINANCIAL REPORT - CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Oct. 1st 1929 Jan 1st, 1930 Cash on hand Oct. 1st 1929 \$78.95

Total receipts during quarter \$415.00
Total disbursements during quarter \$393.85
Amount in Bank on Jan. 1st 1930 \$100.10

The above amounts are itemized in Treasurer's book, and subject to inspection at any time.
W. T. Conner, Pres
Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Sec. - Treas.

Special Program P. T. A.

Baptist Church Feb. 17, 7 p. m. Work of the P. T. A, Mrs Campbell

Talk, Miss Celia Moore Reading, Miss Orsborne History of P. T. A., Mrs. Gilmore Song, Mrs. E. W. Brooks Candle Lighting ceremony. All patrons of the school invited. P. T. A. is celebrating their 33 anniversary.

FOR SALE: CITY VARIETY STORE, ELDORADO, TEXAS. —Adv.

has been drawn. Ambition and energy are the only requisites to success.

Early Start-Easy Finish
There is nothing to be gained by putting off getting started. "The early bird gets the worm." The voting power of subscriptions is on a declining scale.

Information and Assistance

In order to give everyone who enters this competition the greatest possible assistance, a campaign department has been created in the office of The Success. Participants residing at a distance will receive the same impartial treatment as those who reside in the immediate vicinity of this office. Come in and see the manager personally regarding this most interesting campaign. Or, if you cannot call in person, phone 77 and complete details will be sent from this office.

The entry coupon appearing elsewhere in this issue is the first step toward progress. Clip it out NOW. Get in the game today.

SWIFT — COPELAND

On last Saturday afternoon, February 8th, at two o'clock Miss Margaret Ellen Swift and Mr. Joseph William Copeland were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jackson of San Angelo, Dr. Horace Bishop, of the Methodist Church officiating.

Miss Swift, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Deane Swift was reared in Schleicher County and has made many friends in this section as well as other places where she is known.

Mr. Copeland, the son of Mrs. H. F. Copeland of San Antonio has only been in Eldorado but a short while but has made many friends during his stay here. He is a contractor and is working with the Lone Star Construction Company on the construction of the Santa Fe Railroad Extension through Eldorado.

The couple will remain in Eldorado about ten days and then will go to San Antonio where Mr. Copeland will enter his work there.

The Success with the many friends of the young couple wish them many happy returns from their married life.

OIL SHOWING FOUND IN PAGE WELL

An oil showing was discovered in the Page Oil test about ten miles Southeast of Eldorado. The oil was struck Wednesday night at a depth of approximately 2200 feet. The showing is very light, making only about a barrel a day but indications point to more to be found as the well deepens.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

An interesting feature of the Self Culture Club which held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Leslie Baker, Thursday, Feb. 6, was a talk by Miss Celia Moore, state health nurse. Her address was on, "Child Study", stressing the importance of a health program, and means of preventing children's diseases.

A lovely refreshment plate carrying out the Valentine motif was served by the hostess to 13 club members and several guests. The guests were Mrs. Ben Isaacs, Miss Celia Moore, Mrs. Shughart and Mrs. V. H. Humphrey

LOUIS J. JOHNSON

Buildings of homes and Store Buildings. All kinds of Brick stone and Concrete work. Eldorado phone 169. San Angelo Dial 59575.

MRS. JOHN I. JONES PASSES; DEATH REMOVES PIONEER OF McCULLOCH ON FEB. 8TH.

Mrs. Henrietta V. Jones, better known as Mrs. John I. Jones, pioneer of McCulloch county, and who located here about 48 years ago, died at the ranch home of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. King, 26 miles southeast of Eldorado, at 5:00 o'clock p. m., on Friday, February 7th. The body was brought back to McCulloch county and laid to rest at 3:00 o'clock last Saturday afternoon in the Calf Creek cemetery, 16 miles south of Brady and near the old ranch home, being interred beside that of her husband, who preceded her in death 22 years ago. The great concourse of old-time neighbors and friends in attendance upon the last sad rites, testified to the love and high esteem in which deceased was held. The casket was covered with a beautiful floral blanket, a tribute to her mother from the children.

Funeral services were conducted at the Calf Creek church by her pastor, the Rev. Guy Davis of the Eldorado Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor of the Brady Presbyterian church, and who extolled the life of this 73-year-old pioneer to the hosts of friends and multitude of relatives present. Beautiful tributes were paid the deceased as mother, as friend and as a devout Christian.

In the words of her pastor, Mrs. Jones' "jewels" were, indeed, her children, who are Mrs. R. A. King, and Mrs. Bert Page; Messrs. Sam and Tom Jones of Eldorado, and Cleve Jones of Sonora. She is also survived by one brother, S. W. Espy, of Eldorado, and two sisters, Mrs. Kate McKnight of Lampasas and Mrs. C. A. Yoas of Brady, all of whom were present at the funeral; twenty-four grand children and six great-grandchildren and hosts of other relatives.

The active pall bearers were old-time friends and neighbors of the deceased: Messrs. John Ewing, Frank Wilhelm, Alf Reeves, Doo Kerr, Leslie Baker and G. C. Crosby.

Former friends of long standing of the deceased and the bereaved families came from different points in the state to attend Mrs. Jones' funeral, and the bower and grave were covered with many beautiful wreaths and other floral offerings. The many noble and outstanding characteristics of Mrs. Jones will be long remembered—a great bequest and reminder to all who knew her; a faithful and devout mother and friend. Such qualities remain in the memories of those who survive. —Brady Standard.

Fill in the entry blank below with your own name or the name of some man or woman whom you think would like to have one of the valuable awards. Mail or bring it to this office.

Nomination

BLANK good for 5,000 credits

I Hereby Nominate and Cast 5,000 Credits for Miss (Mr., Mrs.)

Address

as a candidate in the "Everybody Wins" Circulation Campaign.

Note—Only one of the coupons accepted for each member nominated.



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PARAGRAPHS BY WRIGHT

There is something wrong, L. T. Wilson and Carl Reagan have not reported any fishing trip. These pretty days must be nerve wrecking times for them.

If you are out of employment and need a business, there is a few more vacant lots in Eldorado, come on and put in a filling station or a grocery store.

It is no crime for a Democrat to bolt the Democrat ticket only when Alfred Emanuel Smith, is at the head of it, so say the Executive Committee.

"The State Democratic Executive Committee offers an insulting proposition to every Democrat who in 1928 voted for President Hoover." Alvin Moody

Several hundred citizens met at Wichita Falls last Thursday, and condemned the action of the State Democratic Executive Committee, in their action against the Hoover Democrats.

"It is my opinion that the Democratic Executive Committee acted contrary to law in refusing to certify Love's name." V. A. Collins, Dallas, Texas.

The Ex-editor received a blank birth announcement card from Cameron, Texas. Knowing our friend O. J. Curry was in that part of Texas, we called up Mrs. R. D. Holt to see if they had any news, sure enough they had received one of the announcements stating that a ten pound daughter had arrived to Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Curry, Monday February 10, we presume that the proud father in his haste to broadcast the news to us forgot to fill out the card, so we are not going to tell it on him if he will promise to set 'em up when he returns. Anyway we will excuse his blunders during stentorian events and send our congratulations.

FOR SALE: Baled Hay and Cotton seed.

W. C. Parks (c)

NOTICE

One bay mare at my place 7 miles from Eldorado on Sonora Road. Fur years old, no blemishes, one white hind foot. Owner please call, and pay for advertisement and feed and get this mare.

J. E. Clark. (p7)

ERROR

In publishing the last school honor roll we failed in some way to include little Jack Whitley's name.

Jack was on it good and strong and almost gave us a good beating for missing his name. We are very sorry of the mistake Jack and hope you will forgive us this time and we promise not to do it again.

CARD OF THANKS

May Gods richest blessings rest upon all who in anyway assisted us during the illness and death of our loved one.

Mrs. J. W. Garvin and children
Mother Garvin
J. E. Garvin and family
D. M. Garvin and family
Pete Owens and family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who extended sympathy and for the beautiful flowers at the death of our loved one

Mrs. Frank Spencer
W. A. Spencer
Mrs. Jim Harvey
Mrs. Ira McDonald
E. E. Spencer
Mrs. A. J. Stevens
Mrs. Lester Henderson
J. E. Spencer
Mrs. W. A. Blaylock
Miss Lelah Spencer

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends who helped us in many ways during the illness and death of our mother. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. R. A. King
Mrs. Bert Page
Sam, Tom and Cleve Jones

MRS. L. J. SHUGHART

I have returned to Eldorado and solicit your nursing and sewing. Phone 125.

WANTED

Some land to break. Old land perferred at \$1.50 per acre. Phone or see T. F. Green

GOOD FOR 100,000 VOTES

This coupon will count of 100,000 complimentary votes when returned to the Campaign Department, together with the first subscription you obtain—new or renewal. Sign the nomination blank, get one Subscription and start in this race with more than 109,000. Do it TODAY!

NAME

ADDRESS

PHONE..... R. F. D.....

Not Good After First Week of Campaign

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Schleicher County—

Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon M. J. Sullivan and the unknown heirs of M. J. Sullivan, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest County where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Schleicher County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Eldorado, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in March A. D. 1930 the same being the 10th day of March A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of February A. D. 1930 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 440, wherein Mrs. Viola Murphy, a feme sole is Plaintiff, and M. J. Sullivan and the unknown heirs of M. J. Sullivan, Defendants, and said petition alleging That Plaintiff was on January 1, 1929, and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described premises; situated in Schleicher County, Texas, to-wit: Abstract 1229, 1878, 183; Certificate 1918, 4-1644, 2349; Survey E, part 12, W, part 2, W, part 3; Block EEE, EEE, EEE; Grantee W. M. Pierce, GC & SF Ry Co, GC & SF Ry Co; Acres 23, 58, 318, Aggregating 404 A. and on such day he was in possession of said premises; that afterwards on the 15th day of January, 1929, defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed him of said premises and withhold from him the possession thereof. That defendants have occupied and used such premises under such unlawful possession for a period of one year; that the annual rental value thereof during such occupancy in One Thousand Dollars, by virtue of which wrongs defendants are justly indebted to plaintiff; that plaintiff has made repeated demands for the payment thereof, but defendants have failed and refused, and still fail and refuse to pay the same to plaintiff's damage in the sum of One Thousand dollars.

Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer this Petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title to and possession of the premises above described, for his damages, costs of suit and for further relief to which he may be entitled at law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, and have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Eldorado, Texas, this 5th day of February A. D. 1930.
John F. Isaacs Clerk,
District Court, Schleicher County.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Schleicher County—

Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon M. J. Sullivan, M. B. Leonard and Wilbur C. McIntosh by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper in the nearest County where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term, of District Court of Schleicher County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Eldorado, Texas, on the 2nd Monday A. D. 1930 the same being the 10th day of March A. D. 1930, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of February A. D. 1930 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 441, wherein Rex McCormick, Mattie Bruton, Alf Bruton, Annie Bruton, Elmer Bruton, Lucy Bruton, C. O. Bruton, Ruth Bruton, Fred Bruton, Edna Bruton, J. B. Bruton, Winnie Bruton, Arthur Bruton, Lillie Bruton, Mrs. Estella Ballew, Mrs. Vera Word, Orville Word, Mrs. Ruthie Jones, Carl Jones, Lewis Bruton, Lucile Bruton, Mary Bruton, Edwin Bruton are Plaintiffs, and M. J. Sullivan, M. B. Leonard and Wilbur C. McIntosh are Defendants, and said petition alleging That plaintiff was on January 1, 1929, an still is, the owner in fee simple of the following described premises: situated in Schleicher County, Texas, to-wit: Abstract 1044, Certificate 43, Survey 82, Block A, Grantee HE & WT Ry Co; Acres 640; and on such day he was in possession of said premises; that afterwards on the 15th day of January, 1929, defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed him of said premises and withhold from him the possession thereof. That defendants have occupied and used such premises under such unlawful possession for a period of one year; that the annual rental value thereof during such occupancy is One Thousand Dollars, by virtue of which wrongs defendants are justly indebted to plaintiff; that plaintiff has made repeated demands for the payment thereof, but defendants have failed and refused, and still fail and refuse to pay the same to plaintiff's damage in the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer this Petition, and that plaintiff have judgment for the title to and possession of the premises above described, for his damages, costs of suit and for further relief to which he may be entitled at law or in equity.

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Eldorado, Texas, this 5th day of February A. D. 1930.
John F. Isaacs Clerk,
District Court, Schleicher County.

**"Self-Serve"
Grocery Store**

**SPECIALS FOR
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY**

Lard Wilson's 8 lb bucket \$1.08

Sugar Pure Cane, 16 lb \$1.00

BEANS, Pinto, 12 lb .85c RAISINS, 2 lb pkg. .20c
RICE, full head, 7 lb .38c LETTUCE, 2 heads .15c
COCOA, Mothers, 2 lb .35c PICKLES, sour qt. jar .27c
RAISINS, 4 lb pkg. .38c PICKLES, sweet qt jar 29c

Hams Picnic Wilson's 4 to 6 lb average, a lb 24c

Coffee Canova lrg. can \$1.12
Canova 1 lb can 46c

Goffee Morning July 3 lb can \$1.21
Morning July 1 lb can 42c

MACARONI, VERMICELLI or SPAGHETTI, 3 pkg. 19c

Salmon Red Sockeye tall can ea. 29c
Pink tall can, 3 cans 46c

CORN, No. 2 can standard each 11c SOUP, White Swan 3 cans 25c
PINEAPPLE, No. 1 can Sliced 15c MUSTARD, qt. jar 21c
PINEAPPLE, No. 1 can Crushed 15c PEANUT BUTTER, qt jar 29c

PEACHES, Sliced lrg. can Sun Kissed or Gold Bar, each 27c

APRICOTS, Hills-Dale lrg. can ea. 25c

APPLES, gal. can solid pack ea. 55c

PEACHES, gal. can sliced yellow cling ea 65c

PEARS, Bartlett lrg. can reg. 35c, ea. 27c

SHRIMP, 5 1-2 oz. glass, reg. 35c ea. 31c

TOMATOES, No. 1 can 3 for 25c

HOMINY, 303 Stokelys, 3 cans for 20c

KRAUT, 303 Empersons, 3 cans for 29c

SOAP, hand, Palm Rose, one wash rag, 2 bars soap for 19c

SOAP, Big 4, Crystal White, or P & G 10 Bars 38c

CORN FLAKES, White Swan lrg. pk. ea. 11c

RICE FLAKES, Jersey 3 for 21c

PEAS, Black-eyed 3 cans 29c

BEANS, Brown 3 cans 25c

CIGARETTES, any 15c Brand 2 pk. for 25c
A Carton \$1.21

TOBACCO, Prince Albert, 2 cans for 25c

If We Please You, Tell Others
If Not Tell Us.

FREE VOTE COUPON

Good For 100 Free Votes

ELDORADO SUCCESS

Big "Everybody Wins" Prize Contest

M.....

Address.....

Collect all these coupons you can. Get your friends to save them for you. Each coupon good for free votes.

NOT GOOD AFTER FEBRUARY 22ND

**The Shop That
SATISFIES**

We can easily boast of the most complete Tinning and Plumbing shop equipment in town. Our workman also are experts on this work which guarantees a satisfied customer whenever we do your work.

Is your plumbing up to par? Or have you been having trouble withit? Let us inspect it and see what the trouble may be.

Have you tanks, troughs and pipes to insure adequate means of watering your stock during the spring and summer months?

Try us out. Let us give you a free estimate on the cost of your tinning and plumbing work.

Eldorado Hardware

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER
TO ANY SHERIFF OR CON-
STABLE OF SCHLEICHER
COUNTY, TEXAS, —GREET-
INGS:**

You are hereby commanded to summons ANNIE E. THOMSON widow of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., deceased, THAD A. THOMSON, JR., individually and as Independent Executor of the estate of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., deceased, ELEANOR THOMSON HUTCHESON and husband HUTCHESON, MARY JANE THOMSON ALLEN and husband ALLEN, ELOISE THOMSON WOODHULL and husband WOODHULL, THADDUS THOMSON HUTCHESON, and MARY JANE ALLEN, together with the unknown heirs of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., deceased, who are non residents of this State, and whose residences are unknown to plaintiff, to appear at the office of the County Judge of Schleicher County, located at the courthouse at Eldorado, Texas, on the 15th day of March, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., then and there to answer a petition filed by the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas with the County Judge of Schleicher County, on the 8th day of February, 1930, in which suit the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas is plaintiff, and ANNIE E. THOMSON, widow of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., deceased, THAD A. THOMSON, JR., individually and as Independent Executor of the Estate of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., deceased, ELEANOR THOMSON HUTCHESON and husband HUTCHESON, MARY JANE THOMSON ALLEN, and husband ALLEN, ELOISE THOMSON WOODHULL and husband WOODHULL, THADDUS THOMSON HUTCHESON, and MARY JANE ALLEN, together with the unknown heirs of THAD A. THOMSON, SR., are defendants, in which petition plaintiff asks for condemnation of certain lands and premises for the purpose of right of way, station grounds and buildings, depots and switch yards, channel and borrow easements for said Railway Company, all of which more fully appears in said petition filed with the County Judge of Schleicher County on the 8th day of February, 1930, to which reference is here made;

And H. W. Finley, the County Judge of said County, after considering said petition as required by law, and it appearing that F. M. Bradley, Don McCormick and S. L. Stanford, were disinterested freeholders of Schleicher County, Texas, duly appointed the said F. M. Bradley, Don McCormick and S. L. Stanford as Special Commissioners to assess the damage occasioned by the condemnation of said land, and that, thereafter, to-wit, on the 8th day of February, 1930, said Commissioners meeting together and after accepting said appointment and taking the oath as required by law, signed the following notice summoning all parties to appear on the 15th day of March, 1930.

NO. 105

"THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SCHLEICHER
IN THE MATTER OF PRO-
CEEDINGS OF KANSAS CITY,
MEXICO AND ORIENT RAIL-
WAY COMPANY OF TEXAS
FOR THE CONDEMNATION
OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BE-
LONGING TO THAD A. THOM-
SON, JR., INDEPENDENT
EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE
OF THAD A. THOMSON, SR.,
DECD., ET AL.

TO THE KANSAS CITY,
MEXICO AND ORIENT RAIL-
WAY COMPANY OF TEXAS,
PETITIONER, AND TO ANNIE
E. THOMSON, WIDOW OF
THAD A. THOMSON, SR., DE-
CEASED, THAD A. THOMSON
JR., individually and as In-
dependent Executor of the Estate
of THAD A. THOMSON, SR.,
deceased, ELEANOR THOM-
SON HUTCHESON and hus-
band, HUTCHESON,
MARY JANE THOMSON AL-
LEN, and husband AL-
LEN, ELOISE THOMSON
WOODHULL and husband,
WOODHULL, THAD-
DEUS THOMSON HUTCHE-
SON and MARY JANE ALLEN,
together with the unknown heirs
of THAD A. THOMSON, SR.,
deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., and at the County Judge's office in Schleicher County, Eldorado, Texas, the undersigned, Special Commissioners appointed by the County Judge of said Schleicher County to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the following property, to-wit:

(a) Two strips of land situated in Schleicher County, State of Texas, located in survey No. 42.

Block A, Abstract 854, Certificate No. 23 in the name of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., said strips each being fifty (50) feet in width except as hereinafter stated, lying one on either side of, parallel with and adjacent to the present one hundred (100) foot right of way of the Del Rio Extension of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, as it is now located and established over and across said survey No. 42, Beginning at a distance of one thousand two hundred eighty (1280) feet more or less south of the north boundary line of said survey measured along the center line of said right of way, said place of beginning being also at Engineer's Station 2643-00 of said right of way; Thence southerly along said right of way two thousand one hundred (2100) feet to Engineer's Station 2664-00, where said strip on the east side widens to a width of one hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence continuing southerly with said strips being one hundred fifty (150) feet wide on the east side and fifty (50) feet wide on west side of right of way, a distance of eight hundred (800) feet to Engineer's Station 2672-00 to where said strip on the east side again becomes fifty (50) feet wide; Thence southerly with each of said strips being fifty (50) feet in width, a distance of one thousand two hundred thirty (1230) feet more or less to the south boundary line of said Survey No. 42, which is also the north property line of R. M. Thomson, containing an area of eleven and thirty two one hundredths (11.32) acres, more or less.

Said 11.32 acres out of said survey 42 being for the purpose of right of way, station grounds and buildings, depots and switch yards.

(b) A strip of land ten (10) feet in width, situated in Schleicher County, State of Texas, located in Survey 45, Block A, Abstract No. 409, Cert. No. 25, in the name of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., original grantee, lying on the west side of, parallel with and adjacent to the present one hundred (100) foot right of way of the Del Rio Extension of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, as it is now located and established across said survey, said strip of land extending from Engineer's Station 2487-00 to Engineer's Station 2493-00, containing an area of fourteen hundredths (0.14) of an acre, more or less.

Also, two strips of land located in survey 43, block A, Abst. No. 408, Cert. No. 24, and survey 42, Block A, Abst. No. 854, Cert. No. 23 in the name of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., original grantee, each of said strips being of equal width hereinafter described, one lying on each side of, parallel with and adjacent to the present right of way of the Del Rio extension of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, as it is now located and established over and across said survey, said strips of land each being twenty five (25) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station 2618-00 to Engineer's Station 2625-00; Thence said strips of land each being fifty (50) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station 2625-00 to Engineer's Station 2640-00; Thence said strips being twenty five (25) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station 2640-00 to Engineer's Station 2643-00, said strips of land containing an area of four and six tenths (4.6) acres, more or less.

The combined area of the land herein described in said three tracts being four and seventy four hundredths (4.74) acres, more or less.

Said above three strips out of surveys 45, 43 and 42 being for the purpose of borrow easement.

(c) A parcel of land situated in survey 44, block A, in the name of H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., original grantee, Schleicher County, Texas, more particularly described as follows:

A parcel of land lying on the easterly side of, parallel with and adjacent to the easterly right of way limit of the Del Rio Extension of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, as same is now located and established over and across said survey, said parcel of land being one hundred twenty five (125) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station

2569-00 to Engineer's Station 2570-00; Thence said parcel of land being two hundred sixty five (265) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station 2570-00 to Engineer's Station 2571-00; Thence said parcel of land being one hundred twenty five (125) feet in width and extending from Engineer's Station 2571-00 to Engineer's Station 2572-00, said parcel of land containing an area of one and eighteen hundredths (1.18) acres, more or less.

Also, parcel of land in survey 42, Block A, H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co., Original Grantee, said parcel being one hundred (100) feet in width and lying between a line one hundred twenty five (125) feet easterly from and parallel with the center line of main track of said Railway Company and a line two hundred twenty five (225) feet easterly from and parallel with the center line of main track of said Railway Company and extending from Engineer's Station 2631-38 to Engineer's Station 2633-38, said parcel containing an area of thirty four hundredths (0.34) of an acre, more or less.

The combined area of the two strips of land herein described being one and fifty two hundredths (1.52) acres, more or less.

Said last above described two strips of land out of surveys 44 and 42 being for the purpose of channel easement.

The total acreage herein sought to be condemned being _____ acres.

For the purpose of right of way, station grounds and buildings, depots and switch yards, channel and borrow easements as above set out, necessary in the maintenance and operation of petitioner's line of railroad, all of which more fully appears in a certain written statement by the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, with said Judge on the 8th day of February, 1930, to which reference is here made, having heretofore duly selected such time and place for hearing as required by law, will proceed to hear said written statement, and to act thereon in the manner directed by law.

WITNESS OUR HANDS this 8th day of February, A. D. 1930.

S. L. Stanford
Don McCormick
F. M. Bradley
Special Commissioners

You are hereby commanded to so summon said defendants and to serve this citation by making publication of this citation once a week in each of four (4) consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your County; but if there be no newspaper published in said County, then in any newspaper published in the nearest County where a newspaper is published.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Commissioners on the 15th day of March, 1930, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT, in the town of Eldorado this 11th day of February, A. D. 1930.

John F. Isaacs
Clerk of County Court of Schleicher County, Texas.
Issued this 11th day of February, 1930.

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Finley by making publication of
this Citation once in each week
for four consecutive weeks pre-
vious to the return day hereof,
in some newspaper published in
your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if
not, then in any newspaper pub-
lished in the 51st Judicial Dis-
trict; but if there be no news-
paper published in said Judicial
District, then in a newspaper

published in the nearest Dis-
trict, to appear at the next reg-
ular term of the District Court
of Schleicher County, to be hold-
en at the Court House thereof,
in Eldorado, Texas, on the 2nd
Monday in March A. D. 1930 the
same being the 10th day of
March A. D. 1930, then and
there to answer Plaintiff's First
Amended Original Petition, filed
in said Court on the 28th day of
January, 1930, in a suit, num-
bered on the docket of said
Court as No. 426, wherein W. L.
McWhorter and C. M. McWhort-
er are Plaintiffs, and H. W. Fin-
ley, Faye Finley, Joe Finley,
Etta May Finley, Jim Hogg Fin-
ley, H. T. Finley, William Has-
kell Finley, Edmond Finley,
Annie Pearl Finley, and H. W.
Finley, Guardian of the Estate
of Edmond Finley and Annie
Pearl Finley, Minors, are De-
fendants, and said petition al-
leging Plaintiffs sue Defendant
H. W. Finley for the full amount
of the principal, interest, inter-
est on past due interest and ten
per cent attorney's fees averred
to be due and unpaid on written
promissory note signed by said
Defendant, dated Sept. 24, 1923,
due May 1, 1929, payable to the
order of W. L. McWhorter, and
C. M. McWhorter, for the prin-
cipal sum of \$1427.49, with ten
per cent interest from date and
on past due principal and inter-
est from its maturity, interest
payable annually, and contain-
ing provision for ten per cent at-
torney's fees if collected through
any legal proceedings, and also
for the principal accrued inter-
est and interest on past due in-
terest and ten per cent attor-
ney's fees on a written promiss-
ory note dated August 15th,
1923, for the principal sum of
\$1243.00 with interest at ten per
cent per annum from date, pay-
able annually, past due interest
bearing interest at ten per cent
per annum, and likewise provid-
ing for ten per cent attorney's
fees if placed in the hands of an
attorney for collection, signed by
H. W. Finley and payable to the
order of W. L. McWhorter &
Brother (who are these plain-
tiffs), and due Oct. 1, 1925; and
for the further sum of \$463.50
with 6% interest thereon from
August 31, 1929, advanced by
Plaintiffs at the special instance
and request of said defendant to
pay the past due interest due the
State of Texas, on the hereinaf-
ter described section of land; and
sues all of the defendants
(the others being averred to be
all of the children and heirs at
law of Annie B. Finley, wife of
defendant H. W. Finley who died
intestate after the indebtedness
which was alleged to be repre-
sented by said notes was incur-
red and which was a community
debt) for the establishment and
foreclosure of the following liens

on and against the following
land: the lien of a deed of trust
of date August 15, 1923, record-
ed in Vol. 7, page 479, et. seq.,
Deed of Trust records of
Schleicher County, Texas, upon
all of Sec. 144, Block A, Cert. 74,
H. E. & W. T. Ry. Co., Surveys
in said county except 200 acres
out of the N. E. corner, reserved
as a homestead; the lien of a
deed of trust dated Oct. 1, 1924,
and recorded in Vol. 9, p. 471, of
the Deed of Trust Records of
said county, given by said H. W.
Finley to secure the payment of
said \$1427.49 note above de-
scribed upon his undivided half
interest in the same identical
440 acres above-described; same
being subject to the deed of
trust lien first above-mentioned,
the said indebtedness of \$1427-
49 being a renewal and exten-
sion of the first-mentioned in-
debtedness; the lien in favor of
the State of Texas originally
and to which the Plaintiffs are
subrogated by reason of their
payment of said indebtedness of
\$463.50 interest at the request
great! Rawleigh Company,
of H. W. Finley against the
whole of said Sec. 144, Plaintiffs
allege that defendant H. W. Fin-
ley promised and became law-
fully bound and obligated to pay
said notes, according to their
face and tenor, and promised ex-
pressly to pay said \$463.50, but
that though often requested he
has failed and refused and still
fails and refuses to pay same or
any part thereof to their dam-
ages in the sum of \$5,000.00.
That whatever interest any of
the other defendants have in
said land being acquired by
them as heirs at law of the com-
munity interest of their deceas-
ed mother in said land is subject
to said indebtedness and liens
and is charged therewith and is
no obstacle to the foreclosure
thereof.

Plaintiffs pray for citation
judgement for their said indebt-
edness and damages and the es-
tablishment and foreclosure of
the said liens on said land secur-
ing the same as against all the
defendants, for general and
special, legal and equitable re-
lief, and their costs. ("For a
more particular statement of the
nature of Plaintiffs' cause of ac-
tion see Plaintiffs' Original Pet-
ition and First Amended Orig-
inal Petition on file herein.")

Herein Fail Not, and have be-
fore said Court, at its aforesaid
next regular term, this writ
with your return thereon, show-
ing how you have executed the
same.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND
and Seal of said Court, at office
in Eldorado, Texas, this 4th
day of February A. D. 1930.
John F. Isaacs Clerk,
District Court, Schleicher Coun-
ty.

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Golden Notes

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Sonora and Eldorado Girls Clash On Home Court

Worried and doubtful, the Eldorado Basket Ball girls walked out on the court last Friday. Captain Alta Stevens and Coach Orsborne, as well as several of the girls, were worried about the outcome of the game. The regular centers, Victoria Jones and Margaret Bradley, were unable to play so the team was figured to have a weak center. Lucile Oglesby and Evelyn Anderson played centers well and did some good work however.

During the first half Sonora made the majority of her points and Eldorado made only four points. Pauline Rape was shooting long shots and failed to make most of them. Alta Stevens was shooting crisp shots and making none of them. Pauline Rape made the four points for Eldorado during the first half.

Pauline Kent was sent in as substitute for Pauline Rape at the beginning of the second half. Pauline wrenched her knee and had to be taken out. Pauline Rape was sent back in.

During the second half some real playing was done. Eldorado made thirteen points. The Sonora girls became angry but played a good clean game. The game ended with Eldorado 17 and Sonora 15.

The line up for the game was: Forwards: Alta Stevens, Pauline Rape and Pauline Kent.

Guards: Ruby Wilson and Francis Ballew. Centers: Lucile Oglesby and Evelyn Anderson.

Pauline Rape was high point girl.

BOYS DEFEATED IN FIRST GAME AT BIG LAKE

The Basket Ball team was defeated in its first game at Big Lake last Friday. Coach Smart said he was going to make the school enrollment was over boys come home Friday and in twenty per cent of what it was their suits if they lost the first last year.

game. Coach had a change of heart, however, and stayed over until Saturday.

Mr. Smart said that he wanted to send Elzie Moore in to play several times but there was always some person who had him cornered off talking to him. We don't know, of course, but we suspect this person of being a fair young lady. Elzie looked guilty when coach told it on him so he must be guilty.

The Big Lake people entertained the boys royally and all the boys report a good time.

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

The district tournament will be held at San Angelo this weekend. We are expecting the team to make a good showing there. Mr. Smart has asked the cooperation and support of the student body for the team so that the boys may do better work. We should make them feel that we are with them and that we expect them to play hard at this meet.

ELDORADO HIGH SCHOOL

There have been one hundred and sixteen students enrolled this year, a decrease from last year. One hundred and twenty three pupils were enrolled last year. However there are only about one hundred and five in attendance this year, and that attendance record is about the same as for last year.

Two new subjects were added this year. Commercial Law was given the first half year. Public Speaking is the other new subject that was added. Two independent credits are given in it. We are trying for one and one-half credits for affiliation now. We already have twenty-three credits.

The High School has not increased this year, but the grammar school has. The grammar school enrollment was over twenty per cent of what it was last year.

Our school rates among the the best, and we want to keep its rating high. We are very proud of all the new pupils and we want more pupils to come in.

Entrants Of Literary Events In The Interscholastic League Contest

Eldorado still has a number of Students, who are loyal to their school. Every student likes to be classed as an up holder of his school, and when Miss Orsborne said that participants in the various events proved students loyalty, They began to flock to the designated room for their first instruction. There have not been so many entrants yet; however, every teacher reports that she will get some more. She says if she can not do it one way she will another.

Mrs. Bailey has only two students who are taking up extemporaneous speaking. They are Garland and J. C. Bullion. You just watch these two brothers. Miss Allen reports that Hazel Bruton, Frances Ballew, and Evelyn Anderson have entered the essay contest.

Miss Orsborne has charge of Debating and declaiming. She is not certain yet as to who will enter debate. There are a large number who are interested in declaiming. Quite a bit of enthusiasm has been aroused by Miss Orsborne and we are hoping that she will be repaid for her good leadership and devotion by having several winners in the events which she is coaching.

Miss Bradshaw has charge of the spelling. She does not know just how many will enter however, she reports that there will be several.

Now, Citizens, just watch E. H. S. come to the front and stay.

LINCOLN

February 12, a day which should not be forgotten by the people of the United States, is the birthday of Abraham Lincoln. Some students have been heard to say that it was not interesting to them as a holiday because he school would not observe it. This is not the right attitude for us to have. Instead we should remember the greatness of Lincoln and honor him for it. The school may observe the day in their ways rather than dismiss classes. Why should we not review all our knowledge of Lincoln on that day? Why should we not try to see him in his greatness? Surely no greater lesson could be presented to us. We go to school to learn to be good citizens, and why should we not study the lives and deeds of those who were good citizens.

Interscholastic League Work

Not Progressing Rapidly

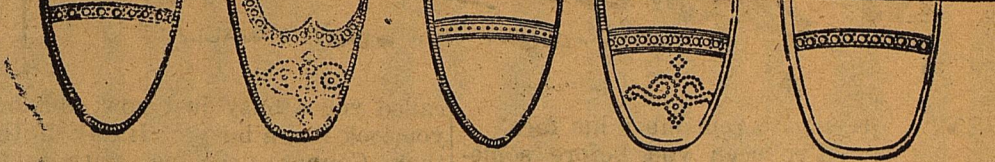
There have been very few reported for the Interscholastic League Work. What's the matter, students of E. H. S? Are we being loyal to our school by taying out and taking no part in this league work? Of course we are not loyal and doing our part for the school if we do not enter some event in this work. There are some good prospects for winners in track and literary events in every class. Of course everybody can not win first place but the more there are trying for some event the more work will be done. Competition is the life of business. Just so competition is the life of any event in this league work. The more competition the better the work.

In the Freshman class there are many who should be good in some event. Lefty Smith is a good mile man. Lillie Bell Kent is a good declaimer, Mary Dell McGilvray should be good in Extemporaneous speaking. There are others who should be good and enter this work. Even if they don't win they will get valuable training.

What's the matter with the Sophs With such material for literary work as Jack Elder, Garland Bullion, Gusta V. Graves, Pauline Kent, and many others there should be plenty of competition from the Sophs.

And these Juniors, what about them? Why, they have some good material of course. Albert McGinty, declaimer or Hazel Bruton and Viola May, spellers. There are many other Juniors who are "plenty" good and will be hard to beat if they will only

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1 gal. Brer Rabbit	\$1.00
Sliced Bacon, per pound	35c
3 lb Maxwell house coffee	\$1.25
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1-2 pt. best salad dressing, new kind,	25c
1 doz lead pencils with out erasers	10c
1 doz. lead pencils with erasers	12c
Indelible pencils, 2 for	15c
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"A BARGAIN IN EVERY PURCHASE"

Last, but not least, comes the Seniors. Every Senior should enter some of the various events. Among the Seniors here are two district winners from last year. Therefore this class should produce winners this year. At the beginning of he school year the Seniors said hat they were going to lead the other classes in the High School! This work is the best way to see just how they lead. Watch and see if the Seniors lead.

Every thing must have an end so in closing allow me to say, "United we stand, divided we fall." Everybody stand together on this work and it will end successfully for E. H. S.

ELDORADO vs SONORA

The Eagles played a slow game against the Broncos Tuesday afternoon, but the final score was 20 to 17 in favor of Eldorado Hoopers.

Jack Kerr and Bill McGilvray were high point men for Eldorado with six points. While Edwin Kent came second with four points, Wm. McAngus third with three points, and Tommie Smith followed with two points.

L. Trainer was high point man for Sonora with six points.

The line up were: Eldorado: Jack Kerr, L. F.; Kent, R. F.; B. McGilvray, C.; T. Smith, L. G.; W. McAngus R. G.; Sonora: Trainer F.; Ory F.; Kidd G.; Taylor C.; Lancaster L. G. Substitutions were: Eldorado: E. McAngus—Sonora: Brown.

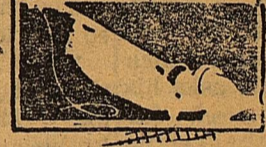
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Waymon Evans, Fatty Mary Dee Davis, Pretty Thing Aurora Willis, Ma Willis James Page, Bert Ruth Nix, Gossip. Jess Ella Johnson, Bow Legs. Eugene Koy, Gene Hollis Reagan, Rusty Anna Ruth Spurgers, Jack Demsy.

The fourteenth day of February is called St. Valentine's day,

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FOURTH INSTALMENT SYNOPSIS

Margaret Leferre's brother, Rex, has been found dead with a note addressed to his sister stating that he has been ruined by investments recommended by Luke Maddison, wealthy banker, to whom Margaret is engaged. Dandy Morell, a rather shady character, informs Maddison that Rex had cashed a check for 12,000 pounds bearing Luke's signature. Detective Bird, known as "The Sparrow" calls on Maddison, who refuses to take any action although his signature was forged to the check. Maddison does not know of the dead man's accusation of him, Margaret does not know that her brother was a forger. Her love for Maddison turns to hate when she decides to keep her promise to marry him. She is desperately poor and Maddison makes over his entire fortune to her, everything he possesses. In the background of these events is the figure, still shadowy, of Gunner Haynes, a famous American crook, who had encountered Maddison and Margaret, apparently by chance, the evening before Rex's death.

After the wedding Luke is approached by a man named Lewing who brings him the news that Gunner Haynes has been arrested and is in need of money. Maddison gives Lewing ten pounds. At two o'clock Luke Maddison and Margaret are married at the Registry Office. She goes to her house, where Luke joins her. She refuses to let him kiss her, and asks to postpone their wedding journey. Luke remembers that he has certain payments to meet which he had forgotten. He asks his wife to give him a check for 27,000 pounds out of the fortune he has made over to her. She amazes him by refusing, saying that he shall never have a cent of the money back; it belongs to her and she will keep it in revenge for his ruining her brother. He is unable to reply, and leaves her. He wanders to the Thames Embankment, trying to guess what the trouble is.

Now Go On With The Story

Opposite the Temple station he rested again. There was a narrow street running up to the Strand—Norfolk Street, wasn't it. And his lawyer had his office there. Why not see him and tell him all that had happened? It was the sane thing to do. But then Luke Maddison realized that he was not sane. He was the maddest thing in the maddest world.

He went on toward Blackfriars and came to a halt before the tram station. There was a long queue of people waiting to board the cars which arrived empty and went rolling along the Embankment crowded with humanity. Husbands and wives, possibly; young men going back to sweethearts who loved them; girls who had faith in some men or other and were ready to make every sacrifice for them. To Luke Maddison every car that drew away was laden with happy people, their day's work ended, the recreations and pleasures of the night before them.

Old men, young men; girls looking trim and smart; young men smoking big pipes, with a newspaper under their arms; bespectacled students—they hypnotized him, these great, blazing tromeurs.

He was standing with his back to the parpet, his elbows resting on the stone.

"Are you waiting for anybody?"

The voice had authority, tho it was quite kind. He looked up to meet the suspicious scrutiny of a City policeman. The City police do not like to see men lingering indecisively, one hand on the parpet, the swirling black river below—especially a white-faced man, with a tense face and an almost horrified stare.

"N-no," stammered Luke, "I'm—just watching."

The policeman was looking at him curiously, as though he was

trying to remember his face. "I've seen you before somewhere, haven't I?"

"I dare say," said Luke, and turned away abruptly.

He followed the home-ward wending crowd across Blackfriars Bridge. It was dark and cold, and he struggled into the overcoat which he had been carrying on his arm. He remembered somewhere in the borough that he entered a little coffee-house, redolent of burning lard.

At eleven o'clock it began to rain, a fine drizzle that very soon soaked through the light coat. He was walking aimlessly along York Road in the direction of Westminster. A man ahead of him was walking more slowly, a slouching man with his hands in his pockets and his coat collar turned up. Luke was wearing rubber-soled shoes, and came up to the walker before he was aware of his presence. He saw the night wanderer lurch sideways with a snarl, stoop forward as though he were going to run and then something in Luke's face or appearance checked his flight.

"Hullo!" he said huskily. "Thought you was a busy."

Luke recognized him.

"You're Lewing, aren't you?"

The man peered into his face.

"Blimey, if it ain't Mr. What's your name?—Maddison! What you doing down here, you should have come and seen me down Tooley Street; this ain't my pitch."

Twice he looked back furtively over his shoulder.

"You thought I was a detective,"

The thin lips of the man twisted in a leer.

"That's what I said. No, I thought you was one of Connor's lot. They chased me out of Rotherhithe to-night, said I'd been 'noising on 'em'. That's why I'm around here. Connor's crowd always thinks that someone's been nosing if one of his gang's dragged."

"Nosing? You mean spying?"

"Giving 'em away to the police," explained Mr. Lewing. "Connor's brother got caught the other night and they got a yarn down Tooley Street that I'd done it."

Luke began dimly to understand.

"Come down here."

The clawlike hands of Lewing caught him and dragged him down a narrow, ill-lit street.

"I'm nervous to-night," he said, and here he was speaking the truth, for his voice became a little whimpering gasp. "You're a gentleman, Mr. Maddison. You'd help a poor feller to get away. You know what Connor is—he'd knife you for twopence. Bumping off, he calls it—he's an American; at least, he's been in Sing Song. . . . Sing, Sing, is it? Anyway, it's a stir. A couple of quid'd get me out of London."

"I haven't got a couple of pounds with me," said Luke.

He was already weary of the companionship, and, but for being in his present condition, would never have submitted to being dragged into his foul little street.

"Perhaps I can call at your office in the morning?" Lewing's voice betrayed his anxiety. And then, as he remembered: "I give that ten pounds to the Gunner."

"You gave nothing to the Gunner," said Luke coldly. Mr. Bird told me all about you."

There was an embarrassed silence.

"Anyway, I'd like you to stay with me, sir," said the man. "I

called you a busy just now, and you look like a busy. If any of them Connors see me with a busy they'll—"

They had just turned the corner into an even narrower street, and Lewing stopped suddenly on the pavement, two in the roadway, confronted them. Luke surveyed them curiously. They all seemed to have caps drawn over their eyes; each man had both hands in his pockets.

"Here, what's the idea, Joe?" Lewing's voice was a whine. "This gentleman is taking me around—"

The leader of the four laughed harshly.

"You've got to have a busy with you, have you?" he said with an oath. "You ain't satisfied with nosing on us Connors but you got to carry Scotland under your arm. That's yours, Lewing!"

To Luke it only seemed that the man had edged a little closer to Lewing as he spoke. Lewing coughed and fell groggily against Luke.

"Get the busy," said a snarling voice.

Luke swung back but not quite in time. He saw the glitter of steel and felt as though a hot iron had been drawn across his breast; and then a curious weakness came on him, and he leaned back against the wall and gradually slipped into a sitting position. His last conscious impression was the clattering feet of running men; four dark shapes vanished into a greater darkness, and he was left alone, with something that sprawled across the pavement, staring with unseeing eyes at the flickering light of the street lamps.

It was the thirteenth day of after the disappearance of Luke Maddison, and a day of fate for his wife, since it put a period to the long and agonizing hours of doubt and uncertainty, of self-reproach that at times approached self-loathing. Twice she had been on the point of acquainting the police, and twice had Dandy stopped her.

It was a time of worry for Dandy also, but from quite another cause.

What had puzzled, and to some degree comforted her, was the fact that Mr. Stiles, the manager of Maddison's Bank, had shown no particular anxiety. She guessed, or knew, that Luke had told him of her act, for when she had offered her check it had been almost peremptorily refused. What she did not realize was that in the days before she became a factor in Luke Maddison's life, and largely determined his actions, Luke was in the habit of disappearing into the blue. Invariably it was from Spain that Stiles had received a postcard notifying him of the imminent return of his employer. The country had a fascination for Luke Maddison. He spoke the language like a native. He was one of the few Englishmen who understood and enjoyed the punctilio of bull fighting, and he loved nothing better than to retire to some lodging in Cordoba or Ronda and making that his headquarters, rove the countryside for weeks on end.

Stiles was uneasy, but he had that hope left, that in this great crisis of his affairs Luke Maddison had gone back to the scenes of his happy holidays.

Margaret opened a drawer of her desk, took out a folded sheet of paper and handed it to Morell. It was a telegram addressed to

Margaret Maddison:

You can hardly expect me to come back to you. In a few months I will furnish you with sufficient evidence to enable you to secure a divorce. I am not entirely without money, therefore I am not entirely without pleasant consolations.

It was signed "Luke," and had been handed in at Paris at eight-thirty that morning.

"That's that," she said. Her tone was light, but there was an agitation in her heart which she had not imagined possible.

Consolations! And this was Luke Maddison, the idealist—a vulgar philanderer, who had fled to consolations!

"I'm rather surprised that you got this," said Danton gravely. "I shouldn't have thought he would have troubled to wire."

A few days later, on the center page of the Post-Herald Morgaret saw the photograph of a haggard and unshaven man. It had evidently been taken in a hospital bed. His eyes were closed; the photograph just showed the edge of the sheet a few inches under his chin.

"Do You Know This Man?" demanded the headline.

She glanced at the letter-press and saw that it had reference to a murder that had been committed in South London, and that he whose picture was shown had been present and had only escaped death by the narrowest of margins. Not even his dearest friend would have recognized Luke Maddison, for the photograph had not been taken until the eleventh day of his detention in hospital, and it had been taken in a very poor light.

They put Luke Maddison in a private ward, and one morning they left a little temperature chart within his view, and he saw that his name was Smith.

"How long have I been Smith?" His voice was extraordinarily strong, remembering that only a few days before he had not been able to speak above a whisper.

The good-natured nurse grinned cheerfully.

"If we don't know people's names we call them Smith—pre-

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PAINS Went Away

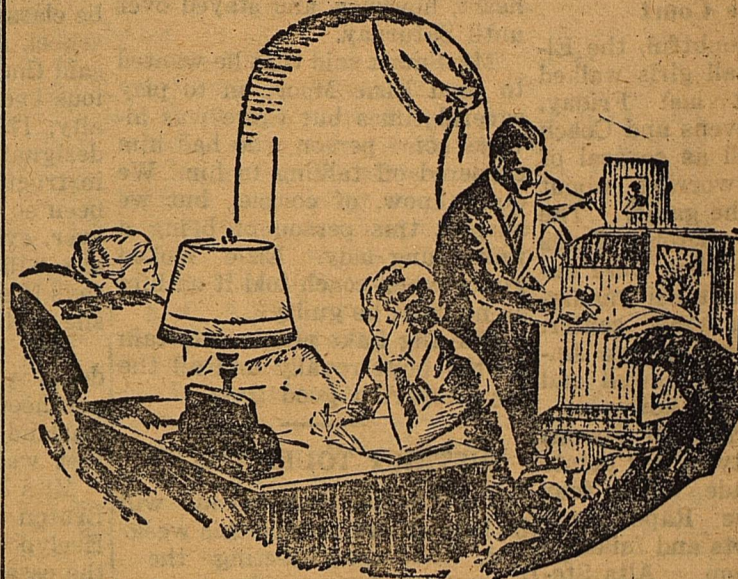
"I WAS very much run-down in health. I had a dreadful ache across the middle of my back. I had a dull, tired feeling, and I dreaded the thought of having to do my household tasks. I was tired when I got up in the morning. I got no rest from my sleep, and I was sleepy all day long."

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In just four short weeks, you have an opportunity to earn high wages, and good old CASH at that, doing work that is easy. The Campaign, as stated above, will open at 10:00 A. M. Saturday, February 15, and close Saturday, March 15, BE AMONG THE FIRST TO ENTER AND GET BUSY WHILE THE FIELD IS UNWORKED. BE AT THE SUCCESS OFFICE SATURDAY MORNING AND TALK WITH THE CAMPAIGN MANAGER ABOUT THE PLAN.

The Plan Is New

The Rewards Big

The Work Easy

Campaign Opens Feb. 15-Closes Mar. 15

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. No salaried employee of this newspaper is eligible to enter this competition. This does not apply to country correspondents.
2. Any other reputable man, woman or child residing in this city or surrounding territory is eligible to enter this campaign and compete for the prize.
3. The winners of the prizes will be decided by their accredited credits, said credits being represented by ballots issued on subscriptions and coupons clipped from the papers. This newspaper reserves the right to include advertising and job printing if so desired.
4. Participants in this campaign are not confined to their own town or community in which to secure credits, but may take orders anywhere in this section; or, for that matter, anywhere in the state or United States.
5. Cash must accompany all orders where credits are desired. Candidates will be allowed to collect back subscriptions and renewals as well as entirely new subscriptions, and credits will be issued on all alike.
6. Credits are free. It costs the subscriber nothing extra to cast credits for their favorite. Credits must be asked for at the time of paying subscriptions, otherwise subscribers waive this privilege.
7. Credits are not transferable. Candidates cannot withdraw in favor of another candidate. Should a candidate withdraw from the race, his or her credits will be cancelled. Neither will it be permissible for candidates to give or transfer subscriptions to another candidate. Credits on such transferred subscriptions will be subject to disqualification at the discretion of the management.
8. Any collusion on the part of candidates to nullify competition, or any other combination formed to the detriment of candidates or this newspaper will not be tolerated. Any candidate taking part in such combination stands liable to forfeit all rights to a prize or commission.
9. All credits issued on ballots may be held in reserve and cast at the discretion of candidates or this newspaper. The free credit coupons appearing from time to time in the paper must be cast before the expiration date appearing thereon.
10. In the event of a tie for any one of the prizes, a prize iden-

11. Participants in this campaign are authorized agents of this newspaper, but it is understood and agreed that they will be responsible for all moneys collected and will remit such amounts in full each day to the campaign department.
 12. No statement or promise made by any representative or candidate varying from the rules and statement appearing through the columns of this newspaper will be recognized by the publisher.
 13. In case of typographical or other error it is understood that neither the publisher nor campaign manager shall be held responsible except to make the necessary correction upon discovery of same.
 14. To insure absolute fairness in the awarding of prizes, the race will be brought to a close under a sealed ballot box. During the entire last "period" of the campaign, a ballot box—locked and sealed—will repose in the vaults of a local bank, where candidates and their friends will deposit their final collections and reserve credits. In this way no one, not even the campaign manager, can possibly know the voting strength of the various candidates, which precludes any possibility of favoritism and insures fairness to the minutest degree.
 15. 25,000 EXTRA votes will be given for EACH group of 5 one-year subscriptions, or equivalent, turned in during the starting week of each individual candidate.
- #### HONOR ROLL
16. 10,000 votes will be given to the candidate turning in the most CASH each day, and a like amount to the candidate turning in the most NEW subscriptions each day. A DAILY HONOR ROLL WILL BE POSTED. To be active, candidates must turn in as much as five subscriptions weekly. Any candidate becoming inactive, may, at the discretion of the management, be dropped and forfeit all rights to a prize or commission.
 17. This newspaper guarantees fair and impartial treatment to all participants, but should any question arise the decision of the management will be absolute and final.
 18. In becoming a candidate, participants agree to abide by the above conditions.

CAMPAIGN PLAN IN BRIEF

The object of this big prize distribution is two-fold. Primarily, to increase the already large subscription list of this newspaper, to collect arrearage and advance subscription payments from present or old subscribers, and at the same time to afford the live-wire, energetic hustlers of this city and surrounding territory an opportunity to profit, and in a BIG way, through their spare time during the next few weeks. So it is a plan that works both ways, and to the ultimate good of all concerned. Let it be understood at the very outset that this is not a "beauty" nor "popularity" contest, but a strictly legitimate competitive proposition for enterprising men and women, and one into which no element of chance enters. One feature of this campaign is the fact that "Everybody Wins." There will be no losers in this race!

HOW TO ENTER—WHAT TO DO

The first thing to do is to clip the Entry Coupon appearing below; fill in your name and address and mail, or deliver, to the campaign department of this newspaper at once. This coupon entitles you, or the person whom you might wish to enter, with 5,000 FREE credits. These credits are given as a starter—to speed you on your way to win. Only one such Entry Coupon will be accepted for each entrant.

The next step is to call on, or write, the campaign department for a free working outfit. Thus equipped, you have but to see your friends and acquaintances and have them to pay up their subscription through you. That's all there is to it! However, let us say, you will never get anywhere unless you make the start—the earlier the better. Once started, let no one discourage you. Anything worth having is worth striving for.

HOW CREDITS ARE SECURED

It takes credits to win, and they are secured in the following ways: First, by clipping the Free Credit Coupons appearing in each issue of this newspaper. There is no limit to the number of these coupons you may secure. Get your friends to saving them for you. They all count. Begin gathering them NOW while they are good for 100 credits each. After next week these coupons will be reduced to 50 credits the following week to 10 credits, and after that they will be discontinued entirely. The only restriction placed on voting these coupons is that they must be cast before the expiration date appearing thereon.

The other, and much faster way to accumulate credits in this campaign is by securing new and renewal subscriptions to this newspaper (the right reserved to include job printing and advertising of so desired). On each order secured a certain number of credits are issued, the number varying according to the amount paid and during which "period" same are received at the campaign department. See schedule of credits below.

EARLY START MEANS EASY FINISH

The advantages of an early start are manifest. The campaign is of such short duration that immediate action is necessary for success. Orders taken during the early part of the campaign carry the MAXIMUM number of credits. Then, too, the first in the field will undoubtedly get the cream of credits and subscriptions, while those who put off entering until a later date will have to take what is left.

Don't lose valuable time "waiting to see what the other fellow is going to do," but pitch right in and show the "other fellow" how to do it!

\$200.00 IN GOLD

(Estimated)

will be reserved to pay ACTIVE non-prize-winners on a basis of ten per cent of their individual collections on subscriptions. Any candidate who remains active to the finish, making a regular cash report, but fails to win one of the awards offered, will participate in the commission feature. Think of it. This arrangement insures compensation to all active candidates, and means that—

There Will Be No Losers In This Race

SCHEDULE OF VOTES AND SUBSCRIPTION PRICE OF THE SUCCESS

FIRST PERIOD	SECOND PERIOD	THIRD PERIOD
Embracing the first two weeks (terminating March 1) the votes below will be issued.	Embracing the next week (terminating February 8) the votes below will be issued.	
1 year ----- \$1.25	1 year ----- \$1.25	1 year ----- \$1.25
2 years ----- \$2.50	2 years ----- \$2.50	2 years ----- \$2.50
3 years ----- \$3.75	3 years ----- \$3.75	3 years ----- \$3.75
4 years ----- \$5.00	4 years ----- \$5.00	4 years ----- \$5.00
5 years ----- \$6.25	5 years ----- \$6.25	5 years ----- \$6.25
4,000	3,000	2,000
10,000	8,000	5,000
15,000	12,500	10,000
25,000	20,000	15,000
50,000	40,000	30,000

Double Votes On New Subscriptions During First And Second Periods Only

The above schedule of votes, which is on a declining scale, positively will not be changed during the campaign. However, a special ballot, good for 50,000 EXTRA votes will be given on every "club" of \$12.50 turned in. Also Rule 15 and Honor Roll votes are to be considered part of the regular schedule.

FAIR TO ALL

It is the sincere aim of this newspaper to conduct this campaign from start to finish in a fair, honorable and impartial manner. Every precaution to safeguard the interest of participants is guaranteed. Before the campaign closes, this newspaper will, at the approval of the various candidates, appoint a committee of at least three well known Schleicher County men, whose duty

it will be to act as Official Judges and as such to check the records already established by the different workers as well as their final reports contained in the sealed ballot box and declare the winners. This assures everyone that they will receive fair, honest, and impartial treatment at all times.



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GUNMAN'S BLUFF

ferably Bill," she said. "But you're going to be good, aren't you, and tell us yours?"

He shook his head. "No I don't think so. Smith is a very good name, borne by some very nice people. If my name had been Smith I might have been a better man," he added whimsically.

Since they had moved him into the burly-looking policeman who had loomed out of his dreams, and seemed part of them, had been taken away. That day they thought he was dying a police magistrate had been summoned to take his deposition; but he had told nothing which was of the slightest consequence or value. Moreover, he had heard one detective say to another that he would not be of the slightest value as a witness at the inquest. So he could afford to lie and watch the hours pass, and the pale light of the sun move across the green wall, and night come and the lights.

He did not care really what happened after. It was his sixteenth or seventeenth day in bed—he was not sure which—when the sister came in.

Continued next week

SCHOOL NOTES

or Friendship Day. The origin of the observance of this day is altogether uncertain. Equally vague are the circumstances that led to its connection with Saint Valentine. It is the same day or feast day of eight different Christian martyrs named Valentine.

This day was established by the Romans in honor of Bishop Valentine, who died on the fourteenth of February in the year 273 A. D. This anniversary was celebrated by the Romans as a lover's festival. The young men in the various communities chose their sweethearts by drawing names from a box.

During the age of chivalry it became the custom in France for young girls to draw names from the valentine box, choosing their cavaliers. At this time also, the first exchanges of poetical verses came into use.

In England and Scotland, in the seventeenth century, in addition to the usual decorated verses, mottoes, the custom of exchanging gifts was established. Many of these were in a most elaborate form, including the giving of precious stones.

Some antiquarians find a precedent also in certain similar customs connected with the ancient Lupercalia, which occurred in February.

The St. Valentine's Day that we are familiar with is far different from the original conception of it. It is now not alone a day set aside for pining lovers, but one of the days in the year when one may send and receive friendly tokens. This sentiment has become so widespread that the day is known also as Friendship day.

This is a good example of the way customs survive, sometimes for centuries, among people who do not remember how they arose.

MY FRIENDS AMONG THE BOOK SHELVES

One day I decided that I would visit the "Land of Books." So I packed my suitcase, put on my "specs," and was off. I took the "specs" along so that I might get a better view of the sights.

The way was not hard to find, for almost anyone could direct me to the path leading to Bookland. As I walked along I saw a funny little house. In front of this sat a March hare at a little table. Why this was the house of "Alice In Wonderland"

TABULAR STATEMENT

Tabular statement showing the aggregate amount paid out of the County funds of Schleicher County, Texas, for the year ending the 8th day of February, A. D., 1930.

JURY FUND, FIRST CLASS.

To amount on hand February 9th 1929	\$ 702.39	
To amount received	1220.85	
By amount paid out		\$1803.87
By amount too balance	119.37	
	\$1923.24	\$1923.24

Balance in this Fund \$119.37

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND, SECOND CLASS.

To amount on hand February 9th 1929	\$ 1550.70	
To amount received	13444.65	
By amount paid out		\$12393.34
By amount to balance	2601.41	
	\$14995.35	\$14995.35

Balance in this Fund \$2601.41

GENERAL FUND, THIRD CLASS.

To amount on hand February 9th 1929	\$ 338.69	
To amount received	12970.94	
By amount paid out		\$11089.03
By amount to balance	2220.60	
	\$13309.63	\$13309.63

Balance in this Fund \$2220.60

Road Bond Interest & Sinking Fund, Fourth Class

To amount on hand February 9th 1929	\$5901.31	
To amount received	9276.63	
By amount paid out		\$8856.23
By amount to balance	6321.76	
	\$15177.99	\$15177.99

Balance in this Fund \$6321.76

Court House Interest & Sinking Fund, Fifth Class.

To amount on hand February 9th 1929	\$3504.14	
To amount received	6955.77	
By amount paid out		\$4698.30
By amount to balance	5761.61	
	\$10459.91	\$10459.91

Balance in this Fund \$5761.61

The State of Texas County of Schleicher I, John F. Isaacs, Clerk of the County Court in and for Schleicher County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing tabular statement of the finances of Schleicher County, Texas, for the year ending on the 8th day of February, 1930, is true and correct.

Given under my hand and seal of the County Court of said County, at office in Eldorado, Texas, this the 12th day of February, A. D., 1930.

John F. Isaacs, Clerk County Court, Schleicher County, Texas.

Alice herself appeared and asked to tea, but I had not time to tarry.

Before long I came to a town, and while passing a certain house, three faces appeared at a door. These were the "Little Women," for were not Jo, Amy, Meg and Beth all waving at me? I tramped on and reached the country. Here I saw lots of small boys romping. A queer old man with spectacles nodded at me. Oh, Yes. This was professor and the boys were Jo's "Little Men."

On and on I went. As I went the road grew more wooded and large trees lined the way. This as I moved on into the forest I saw a girl sitting on a log. I asked her name and she replied that she was the "Girl of the Limberlost."

Farther into the forest I penetrated and began to climb into the mountainous country. When dark came on I had reached a shepherd's hut near which grazed many sheep. The old shepherd there proved to be the "Shepherd of the Hills."

Next day I followed the "Trail of the Lonesome Pine" to the edge of the woods. There I came upon a handsome man on a dapple gray pny. Near him an rmy stood at attention. Upon inquiry I found that these were General Jackson and his army of whom Moore spoke in "Hearts of Hickory."

But as time flies I had to hurry on. I had not gone far when I met the "Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," who accompanied me through the "Heart of the Hills." For has told of the little shepherd but he did not give him due justice, for he proved to be an exceptional companion.

At the "Broken Gate" he left me, and I entered this gate over which hung the "Bent Twig."

I knocked at the "House without a Key" and "The Nervous Wreck" opened the door. Inside I found a merry but mixed crowd of friends. There were "Deerslayer," "The Spy," "K," "A son of His Father," "The Amateur Gentleman," "Richard Carve," "Freckles," "Laddie," "The Keep

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The following announcements are made subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

Fees for announcements, payable when announcement is made. District and County \$10. Precinct \$5

For Congress, 16th Congressional District.

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For District Atty's 51st. District.

GLENN R. LEWIS

B. W. SMITH

For District and County Clerk.

JOHN F. ISAACS

For Justice of the Peace for

Precinct No. 1

C. C. DOTY

For Sheriff and Tax Collector

W. F. EDMISTON

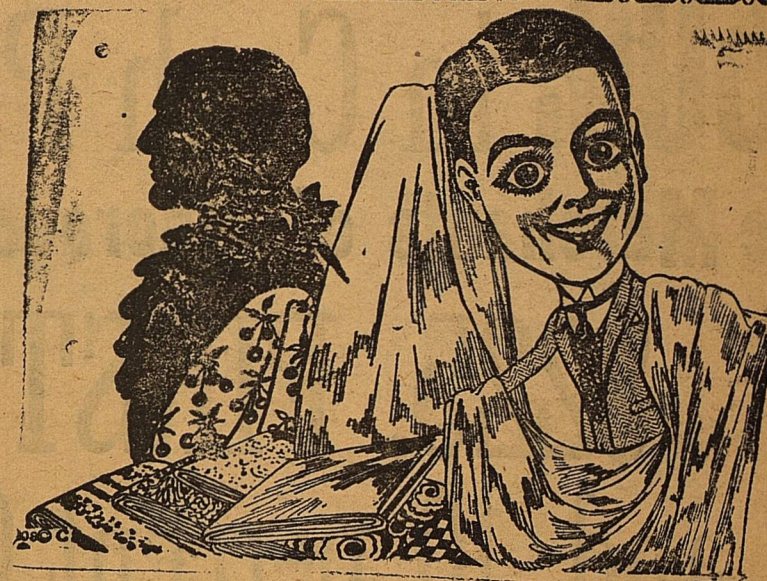
er of the Bees," "Hamlet," "King Lear," "King Henry V," "Romeo and Juliet," and "Evangeline."

Just then "Henry Esmond" entered and told us of the "Courtship of Miles Standish." Before long we were dismayed to find ourselves "Snow-Bound." But we whiled away the time telling of "Hiawatha's Childhood," and "Paul Revere's Ride."

Next some one suggested that we all visit the "Choir Invisible" So we went down the "Blazed Trail" until we met a lonely Indian, "The Last of the Mohicians" When we reached our destination we found that everyone had gone to "Vanity Fair." My friends desired to rest so I went on alone.

At "Vanity Fair" I found "Shakespeare the Boy" looking out "My Study Windows." He suggested that we take a ride in "The Wonderful One Horse Shay and being still a bit of a child, I agreed. On our ride we saw "Un Pajaro Verde" fly by and knew we were near the sea. On the beach we dismounted and fed some crumbs "To a Waterfowl."

I must have gone too near the water or suddenly I found my-



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self in a "Cradle of the Deep", and thought of "Thanatopsis." But just at the "Crisis" a figure appeared on the "Crossing" and I was rescued by "Henry IV" Thankful for this escape from death I set out for home in the midst of a "Tempest" and reached there on the "Twelfth Night"

A Modern Version Of Chauser's Famous Description Of Spring

By Joe H. Moore

When the April with moderation melts the snow, And the western storms begin to blow,

We then know that spring is next to follow So we all jump and holler.

When Zepirus lets our kites come down, Then comes rains that make us swim or drown.

When all of this is finished the sun gets so hot That it makes us want to move out and sleep on a cot.

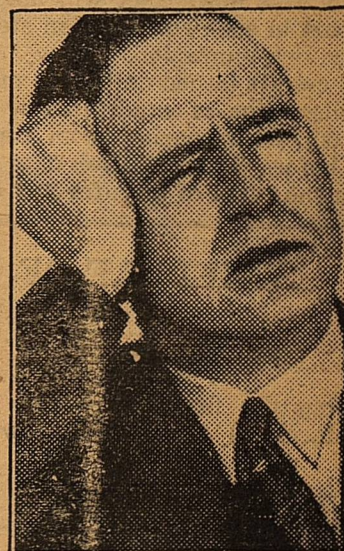
Some folks go to England where affected our country's making, And now from our tourist all their money they are staking.

But more especially do men of this section Leave here in Villa Acuna's direction

When they get there they find it hasn't rained for 6 month But yet it is not so dry.

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MONEY TALKS

THE INVISIBLE ELEMENT

There is one phase of our service that you can always see, such as keeping an accurate account of your funds—

But it is THE INVISIBLE ELEMENT— That loyalty and wholehearted concern for the welfare of our patrons—which really makes our service a little different and a little better.

"DEPENDABLE SERVICE"

