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At a meeting of the Short Course Committee, Saturday afternoon it was decided to get up an exhibit of the club, School and agricultural work in the county. A committee was appointed to work up the different phases of the exhibit. Three large rooms at the high school will be used as display rooms. Every organization in the county that has anything that would be of interest to exhibit should notify Miss Brent, and all material is to be brought to the High School Saturday the 14th, where the committee will assemble the exhibit and have it ready for the opening.

There will be some one on hand in each room to see that nothing is disturbed and the rooms will be locked after closing hours.

Model 4-H pantry, Home Economics Class Work, Manual Training. Educational Exhibits, and Poultry and Agricultural exhibits are some of the plans of the committee and no doubt, when the final survey is made, there will be a great many more interesting subjects.

There are a number of people in the county who do not know what is being accomplished in the neighborhoods by the county agent, vocational teachers, home economics instructors and home demonstration clubs. This will help give an idea of what is bewhich should be accomplished.

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Texas Glass Factory. Five and possible this year. will be used from there on.

number of men. At one time as ing at a later date. many as eighty men were em- A picture strip was shown and and prominent, Catholic woman, ployed digging the ditch from explained by Mr. Binion and was read and discussed. She said ployed digging the ditch from explained by Mr. Binion and that the form explained by Scout, Father and Son

a million cubic feet.

along with the Glass Factory to Santa Anna.

Student Here to Enter West Point

Several weeks ago Wilburn Dubols, a prominent student of States Military Academy, West States highest grade on the examination and was appointed first Alhighest grade on the examination and was appointed first Alarge plain things.

First: with the present high ary Academy. There were bestandards of education no school three forty and fifty boys of the can pay expenses from income this district faking the examination.

Secondly: Howard Payne College is being run as economicallege is being run as economically as is possible to operate a school of her type. She is now in need of \$20,000. Part of this is brought about by a deficit ation.

Here is our plan. We are urging all the churches in Howard Payne territory to put large percentages in their budgets. We in need of \$20,000. Part of this is brought about by a deficit ation.

That day is gone forever. State



Requirements

Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of the Navy, whose grandfather was Minister to England during the Civil War, his great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather Presidents of the United States, who may succeed General Dawes as Ambassador to Great

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A good number of farmers, 25 in all, were at the regular meeting done and the Short Course, ing last Monday night at the will help toward those things high school building. It was one of the most interesting meetscheduled program had to come up that time was very limited. The subject of dairy records was discussed by J. M. Binion, Teacher of Vocaional Agriculture and the farmers in the assembly:

County Agent C. V. Robinson, A prominent local citizen, Mr. had quite a bit to say about se-G. F. Bartlett, together with Mr. curing cotton seed for the year. B. D. Dozier of Brownwood, who Every one who is interested in is associated with Mr. Bartlett, securing some good planting are piping this gas to town, and seed should leave your order this week will connect up with with Mr. Robinson. In the furthe glass factory furnace. For therance of community produc-a number of years Mr. Bartlett tion the farmers Monday night has held a 919 acre lease five mil were very much in favor of the es South East of town. It is Lankart variety of cotton, which from this block of leases that was selected last year, and it was the gas is being piped into the decided to use Lankart so far as

the lease to within a few blocks just returned from Dallas where afternoon at the Methodist of the factory. Four inch pipe he attended the State Crop Meet- church ing made a few very interesting Work on the line began the remarks concerning the State last of December. This enter- Meeting. Mr. McCormick will

million cubic feet.

Farm." All attending are asked | At the close of the meetinm a program who does not have a Rollins was honored by the thouto bring your cash account book. short time was spent practicing by in the work to attend and ghtful waitress with a second same recognition again next

Monday night.

Farmers Securing

Now is the time for every red blooded man to lend his every

what the boy thinks of you, in a real nice way. The more we get upon the part of the city countogether the happier we will be cil will be gratefully received by There will be several good talks and you can also make one if you like. Come feel free and show the boys that "dad" is his LIONS CIUD ENIOVS pal and made out of the right stuff.

As a feature on this program is a court of honor and we hope many of the boys will be ready to step up in scouting. Is your boy a Scout? Do you encourage him in his work? Do you keep before him the scout laws? If not start now.

Did you know that your city has the distinction of having the honor troop in Chisolm Trail Council?

Come to our meeting and help us stimulate and build up new ings that has been held. So material to continue and bring much outside of the regular back, this year to you the same

Fathers we can not be with our boys always let's go to this meeting and try to be their pals and enjoy that which they enjoy. This will strengthen the bond of friendship and understanding between father and son. "As a pal,, you may help him make some very important dicisions. if not he may call on some one

This is an earnest appeal from a Scout.

W. C. T. U. Meets

The Womans Christian Temperance, Union had a most inone half inch pipe is used from Mr. C. F. McCormick who has teresting meeting Wednesday

There were a number of scrip-Norris, World renouned writer real success. the edge of town to the factory, every one seemed to enjoy it. that the four greatest words

So this will rank The Bartlett Other things of current interest and Dozier Gas Line among the leading industries of Santa Anna, and we welcome this gas line along with the Glass Factory to R. H. Mathis, Teacher of Vo- Patterson B. A. Creamer, A. L. Unemployed to be offered cational Agriculture at Coleman Odor, Morgan Stacy, A. C. Watwas a visitor at the meeting son, A. S. Hart, J. F. Goen and G.F. Bartlett.

City Taxes will not be delin-

payment. This lenient action afterwards. upon the part of the city counthe tax payers of this city.

Local Program

The Lions Club has enjoyed several splendid musical programs recently given by local tal-

Jesse Goen, Beal Simmons and with harp and string instruments and Tuesday of this week, a quartet of home talent, composed of R.E. Ward, Preston Parbers which were greatly enjoyed. The Club voted Tuesday to as the Lions Quartet, and we hope to have them with us often adopt the four singers present hope to have them with us often.

meet with the Santa Anna Club played Saturday afternoon after Tuesday, February 24th, in the the semi-finals but it may be quarterly meeting for the spring posponed until the following term of 1931. Judge C. L. South week. of Coleman is the Group Chair- | Coach Jake Spann of Coleman man and nine clubs in the heart has been asked to act as referee Texas district are supposed to have representatives here vited to attend the games. There that day. Brownwood, Coleman, will be admission charges. Eden, Goldthwaite, Mason, Menard, San Saba and Santa Anna clubs compose the group.

Foster Short Course

The Club voted recently to fosbe conducted here February 161 school last Friday evening, Janture references read concerning and 17 and much effort is being uary thirteenth at seven-thirty Legion met in regular session drinking and intemperance. A made on the part of some of the o'clock for their annual banquet, 'ast Tuesday night with quite a o'clock for their annual banquet,' prise has provided work for a give us a full report on the meet- fine article written by Kathleen members to make the course a

Work During Cleanup Drive ure of the occassion. Following the suggestion of er-Continued on page seven

The basketball schedules in

The winners in two of the pre-No.1 Burkett, has won the right ment of sale of crops. to go into the semi-finals next Saturday by eliminating Coleman and Rae. Burkett has a owing paragraph which every small fast team and is going to farmer wishing a loan must esbe hard to beat. In precinct No. pecially notice and agree to com-3 Brown Ranch has been in the ply with:
lead from the jump. They have "If this application is granted, lead from the jump. They have

The time for playing the final Group 22 to Meet Here Feb. 24. game to determine the county Group 22, of the Texas Dis- champion has not yet been decid trict, Lions International, will ed. It is possible that it will be

at the games,

Football Banquet

Football boys and their guests Farmers Short Course, which will began gathering at the high

offered the invocation, after the regular business session the iniplate lunch had been duly en-Banquet on February 11. joyed, speeches started, Miss joyed by those present. the edge of town to the factory.

Bringing this gas into Santa
Anna, represents an outlay of
several thousand dollars, but
this line will deliver a lot of gas.
The Texas Gas Company will
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later will likely use from 3-4 to
a million cubic feet.

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the action for the gever put together are "Womans
Christian Temperance Union."
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and Son Banquet on February 11
Lion Fred Turner, Chairman of
the Boy Scout committee, announced that arrangements were
made to hold the annual Father
and Son Banquet on Wednesday
night, February 11 and an opportunity would be extended to any
one interested in the American Legion and to precively, made the first talk.
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piece of pie.

Mr. Scarborough had a joke year.

Every ex-service man in this

The plate lunch, pie and coffee was served by the seniors.

The application blanks for seed quent for the year until October each of the four commissioners fertilizer and feed loans in spring 1st, 1931, it was decided by the precincts will be completed this of 1931 will be filled in by farm-This appeal goes to every man in this vicinity if you have a son bring him, if not borrow one. If you cannot find one, call on the you cannot find one, call on the which can be paid at your con- games. The winner in Precinct filling out the blanks the appli-Scout Master, he will supply you venience between Feb. and Oct. No. 1 and in No 2 will play at cant is required to give a des-Scout Master, he will supply you venience between Feb. and Oct. No. 1 and in No 2 will play at cant is required to give a despending from Fathers come and hear what the boy thinks of you in a support of the plants the application of the plants the plan statement of present indebted-ness, statement of livestock and cincts have already been deter- equipment owned, statement of mined and the other two are crop acreage and total producstill in the balance. In district tion of 1920 and 1930, and state-

> Requirements for Loan Also in thhe blank is the foll-

practically the same team with I agree to use such seed, fertiliwhich they won the county last zer and methods of farming as year and the team that beat are approved by the Department them will probably win this year, of Agriculture, through its local Clete Pope entertained recently them will probably win this year.

The precinct No. 4 the race has representatives. I further agree with harp and string instruments not been decided and it looks to plant a garden for home use how as if Talpa or Silver Valley and a sufficient acreage of feed will come out in the lead. In to supply feed for my livestock the other district the choice will I also agree to report to the Derish, Prof. J. R. Locke and Mr. go to Santa Anna or Shields, partment of Agriculture how I Day, rendered several vocal numbers which were greatly enjoy. Shields is now in the lead by have spent the money loaned me one game but Santa Anna hopes for crop production, and, if reto be able to trim that down to quested, will report the average yield per acre of each crop grown by me from seed and for fertilizer purchased from the proceeds of this loan and blanks furnished for the purpose at or about harvest time."

After a farmer makes application for loan, has his application certified by both community and county committees, the applicant is mailed to the Farmers Seed Loan Office at St Louis, Mo Continued from Page Five



Jack Laughlin Post, American Superintendent Scarborough few members present. After the

More ex-service men are be-coming interested in the Ameri-

to tell on each one and several territory is cordially invited to for Fred. Mr. Lock, said much to meet with the local Post whethadd to the humor and good nat- her he is a member of the American Legion or not. The regular meeting is on the first Tuesday night of each month Come meet with us.

The friends of Howard Payne schools merely ask for appropri- sing. Part of this amount has age. And we are trying to find

Secondly: Howard Payne *Col-

bols, a prominent student of first and the government grant the Civil Service examinations for entrance into the United States Military Academy, West of the first and the government grant the cause of Christian education of the grant already been provided. The factory already been provided already been provided already been provided already been provided. The factory already been provided already b friends of the school.

Here is our plan. We are urg- cy campaign. We hope to find a few larger givers, but we are



LIKE THE DROUGHT WAS OVER " ---

The Agricultural Short Course Will Be Both Educational and Entertaining

The Mountaineer

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| Sophomore Reporter | Kathryn Rollins |
| Freshman Reporter | Thelma Lowe |

ly explained and defined, but perhaps no better thought has cestial light.

Without conscience, we are indeed thrown into the dark, for head toward unhappiness and dle them accordingly. financial disaster.

conscience and to have the cour- the path we must travel.

THE YELLOW JOURNAL -

Kathrine Rollins, Helen Turn- effort to "stay on". er and Maurice Kirkpatrick rode to school on the fire truck on Wednesday at noon. On the some contributions! If anyone side of the truck which bore the announcement low Journal please turn them in "The Third Alarm." Maurice says to Frances Louise Adams, she was the third one but we wonder?

Myrton McDonald, was seen 63 or 384 regarding any books maliciously paddling a bicycle in you have that you would give to front of the city hall Friday af- the high school library? ternoon. It seems that the bi- Books will be called for and

age which conscience prompts, Conscience has been various- would be to breed a race of noble women and noble men. It would be to eliminate weaklings and to describes it as a tiny spark of put a splendid premium upon service in the highest interpretation of the word.

If conscience were heeded, the it illumines and makes us cheer- world would be made over and ful, hopeful and confident. As only those mentally deficient soon as we disregard conscience would have to be dealt with. and are ready to do what ever These wewould look upon as poor pleases us regardless of the still unfortunate not accountable for small voice, that moment do we their actions and we would han-

So conscience leads in life in Conscience is the still small every phase of life. It is spoken voice which dwells within, tell- of as "A Word of God", someing us right from wrong. To heed thing to guide and direct us over

> cycle was a trifle small for him is he was exerting a tremendous

C'mon students! Lets have was a sign has some good ideas for the Yel--S-A-H-S---

BOOKS

Have you forgotten to call 61,

A Charming Hostess

You'n never think she had cooked that delightful meal,

would you? She looks so fresh and dainty, so untired

and gay-and she said she's been at a matinee all after-

The seeming mystery is so easily explained.—She's a modern Home-Manager, profiting by the use of Electric Cookery. She prepares the meals at any convenient time, entrusting the actual cooking to the dependable and auto-

Why don't you experience the delights of this modern method of cookery? It's so inexpensive, so convenient, and the results are so unusually good, you'll wonder how you managed when kitchen responsibilities tied you to

A Trained Representative is waiting to explain and demonstrate the modern Electrical Cook. He will also

show you how the Convenient Budget Plan and the new

Home Comfort Rate make Electric Cookery doubly

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you will be listed as the donar. The school has in its library our prehistoric forefathers. some good magazines as well as -S-A-H-S

good books. We receive monthly magazines for history, - science and other subjects. They vary from the Scientific American, Popular Science, Current Science Current Events, Looseleaf Topics | They had as many on the honor to Review of Reviews, National roll as any othe relass with the Republic, Golden Book, World's Work, World News, News Review had fewer failures than any othand the Junior Review. There er class. are also copies of The Texas Monthly and Literary Digest in

PHYSICAL TRAINING

Mrs. Bartlett.

"The bigger they come the harder they fall." This famous old saying has failed to be true in our Physical Training Classes. Ask "Pee Wee" and she will to us about "Journalism." tell you she can fall every bit as hard as Thelma, in some of

these new fangled exercises. If it isn't the dog walk, it's the elephant walk; if it isn't some crazy jump, its crab crawl.

Poor Bessie Evans. When she tried to do the mule kick, she became too boistrous and fell with a crash to the hard floor. The crack in the floor was immediately repaired.)

Silly as these exercises may sound, they each serve a definate purpose, years ago every pupil dreaded the moment when the "exercise" teacher came to make them stretch their arms out three inches further than their reach. These strict methods did not benefit the pupils very much because exercise which is not enacted in a spirit of fun and life is practically use

The teacher's efforts have not only helped some physically, but simultaneously have produced a greater interest, on the part of the student in health and well

The most undesirable part of taking exercise is the aftermath. Thirty-two out of thirty four girls were limping after a strnuous period of physical education, afew received zeros in recitation because they were too. stiff to raise their arms. Some did not report at all.

Taking everything into consideration, we enjoy our Physical training work, even though these strange manoeuvers we perform

may bring horrified glimpses of

THE JUNIORS Juniors are still boasting of the fact that even though they have the smallest class in school they are not lacking in quality.

exception of the freshmen, and

Interscholastic League work is compelling the interest of a the library which have been do- number of the class at this time nated by Mrs. Scarborough and They intend to do their part in making a good showing for Santa Anna, at Coleman March.

S-A-H-S-The Scribblers Club had their regular meeting, instead of the usual program we had the pleasure of having Mrs. Callan speak

-S-A-H-S

WEINER ROAST Last Saturday evening about 3:00 o'clock young people began gathering at the home of Bro. J. I. Patterson, when all were present and accounted for, they then went to the Methodist Church lawn where they enjoyed a Weiner roast. Although only a few were present, they enjoyed the occassion

The editorial for this weeks ssue was prepared by Frances Louise Adams, although she was unable to attend school, she submitted her article in order to fulfill her duty as a scribbler. _S-A-H-S-

Dennis Dempsey, a prominent ex-student of Santa Anna High School, was a visitor in the office the latter part of last week.

_S-A-H-S-DRAMATIC CLUB PROGRAM

Members of the Dramatic Club presented the following program in chapel, January 30, which was enjoyed by all:

One act Play-"The Lunch Hour" with the following characters:

High School Boy-Richard White, High Cahool Girl-Hettie Faye Todd, An English Teacher -Maurice Kirkpatrick, A Science Teacher-Clifford Wheeler Action Song "When Polly Put he Pepper in The Tea." -Annie

Wilson, Kathryn Wilso Wilson Kathryn Rollins, Lucile Banks, Mildred Biardman.

One Act Skit—"A Visit from George Washington." Georfge Washrdl Agg aoi taord George Washington-Garland Close, High School Student-

Seth Ford. S-A-H-S LETTERMEN

Bookie Turner-Captain and cen-

Jewel Hill-Left end James Gipson-Guard and tackle Edwin Rollins-guard Clete Pope-Guard and tackle Eddie Paul Voss-end and tackle Clifford Wheeler-End Max DuBois-Tackle Audas Smith-Halfback Alton Blevins-Halfback Jack DuBois-Halfback Nowlin Meyers-Fullback Curran Pieratt-Fullback Fred Faulkner-Quarterback Annie Wilson-Pep Leader Mary H. Simpson-Assistant Pep

Geneva Atkinson-Sponsor S-A-H-S Wonder What

S. A. H. S. would have done without two good pep leaders? The Fish would do without a

Science class if he didn't argue? better.

WHO'S WHO

Class:Freshman Age:Fifteen Hair Brown Eyes: Gray Sex:Male Hieght:about 5 feet 4

Type: Polite and studious . Class:Senior Age: Seventeen

Hair:Strawberry red Eves: Blue Hieght: About 5 feet 4 Type: Very pretty and likable

Sex:Female To A JUNIOR

A Parody on the 23rd Psalm Mrs. Bartlett is my teacher, I shall not pass,

She causeth me to explain hard topics and exposeth my ignorance before the whole class She maketh me to give reports for my grade's sake

Yea, though I study until midnight I shall gain no knowledge, for dates and kings sorely trouble me.

She prepareth a test for me in the presence of the Freshmen she giveth me a low grade: my

sorrow runneth over. Surely sorrow and distress my life and I shall dwell in the dictionary."

history class forever. Freshman Reporter S-A-H-S-TO TWO SENIORS

That's me all over, June. We walked into the garden, We wondered over land; The sun was shining brightly,

And I held her little---shawl.

Holding her little----shawl, She did not seem in haste, We sat right close to gether, With my arm around her-umbrella.

Embracing her ----embrella, How fast the evening flies, And as we talked of years to

I gazed into her- ----lunch basket.

Looking into her---- lunch

This charming little miss, And, as we talked in terms of

I slyly stole a -----sand-

wich. Freshman reporter.

-S-A-H-S-ENGLEISH 2 CLUB The afternoon section of English 2 organized an english club Tuesday, January 27. The following officers were elected. President-Clifford Wheeler Vice-President-Nettie William-

Secretary-Kathryn Creamer

Reporter-Ruby Williams

Program Committee- Ernest Van Zandt, Margaret Harvey, Hettie Williamson

This club is to meet on every other Thursday. The purpose of it is to promote better speech. New officers will be elected every six weeks.

Reporter

SENIORS TO START ON PLAY The seniors are going to start working on their play to be staged soon. This is to be a typical comedy, so every one come and enjoy it.

Senior Reporter -S-A-H-S-

JOKES

Billy: "My girl has the parrot's

Garland: "How's that?" Billy: "She repeats everything he hears."

Mary Harriet: "Is'nt it true that men like talkative women is well as the others?" Morrel: "What others?"

Mrs. Scarborough: "Is this theme entirely original?"

John F.: "Well, you might find shall follow me all the days of one or two of the words in the

> June: "I bought this dress on nstallments."

> Myrton: "You must be wearing the first installment.'

Neva Rea: "Mr. Scarborough is taking an interest in me." Mary O.: "How come?" Neva Rea: "He asked me awhile ago if I were going to

school here." Clete: (About to take a chemistry test) "Well, here's where

we meet our Waterloo." Arthur: Waterloo nothing, you mean the Marne; 'they shall not pass.'

Miss Land: "Can you name a collective noun?"

Kathryn Rollins: "Yes, an ash * * * * * *

Mary Alice: "What is a pessimist?

Edwin Niell: "That's a person that wears a belt and suspenders at the same time and as an added precaution sews his pants to his shirt tail."

---S-A-H-S-Something .new! .Twin Jelly Rolls-Ragsdale Bakery

M. C. Buchannan and son of Pecos and Mrs. Lila Edwards of Waco were here Saturday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J.

This Woman In 4 Weeks **Lost 17 Pounds of Fat**

Here's a letter written October 21, 1929, by Mrs. Fred Barringer of Lewistown Montana, that ought to be read by every woman who is overweight in America.

Gentlemen: I started taking Kruschen Salts every morning as directed as I was very much over weight and wated to reduce

I had tried going on a diet but would get so hungry that my diet would not last long, so I decided to give "Kruschen Salts" a fair trial. The day I started to take them I weighed 256 lbs. Curran did in chemistry class? and at present, which has been Max would do if he didn't just four weeks, I weigh 239 lbs. blush when a girl looked athim? And I must say, I feel better in

May all large people, both men and women; who want to reduce in an easy way, give Kruschen Salts a fair trial. I am sure it will convince anyone."

A bottle of Kruschen Salts that lasts four weeks costs 85c at Turners Drug Store or any drug store in America. Take one half teaspoon in a glass of hot water before breakfast every morning. To help reduce swiftly cut out pastry and fatty meats and go light on potatoes, butter and su-

The Kruschen way is the safe way to reduce-Try one bottle Samuel Everett would do in every way, besides looking much and if not joyfully satisfiedmoney refunded.







WAS NAUGHT BUT HIGH PRICED MUTTON

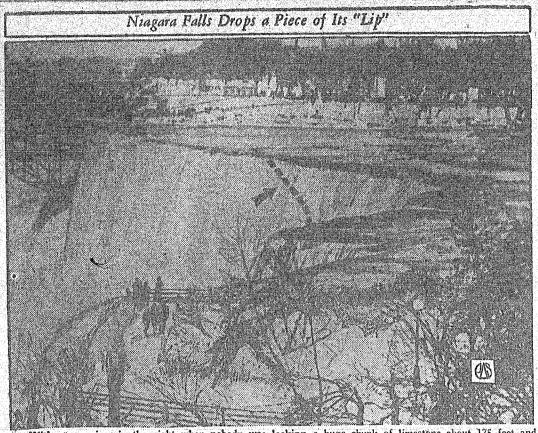
matic Electric Range.

economical.

the old-fashioned cook stove.

The Agricultural Course Will Be Of Interest To Everyone In The County

Agricultural Course Will Be On Corn, Poultry, Dairying, Live Stock, Etc.



Without warning, in the night when nobody was looking, a huge chunk of limestone about 175 feet and 150 feet wide broke off the edge of the American Falls at Niagara and plunged into the gorge below the Falls. This changes the countour of the Falls completely, but without impairing their beauty. The rock is gradually wearing away but this is the largest single break in recorded history. The photograph was taken from Goat Island, looking toward the American side.



With several years of experience, including at least two pronounced seccesses in finding begin studying it again in an at-practical commercial uses for tempt to find new applications. All of this waste farm products, the govern- and properties of the material. ment's great research agency, the bureau of standards is now ction with insulating board inturning toward elaborating its clude the revelation that this work to include numerous crops board can be made from many never before investigated.

tical experiment, carried on Tobacco stems after the nico-mainly at Ames, Iowa, these tine has been extracted for other tory insulating board made from put in operation. cornstalks, and a private firm at Dubupue, Iowa, is now manufac- to become important through the turing such board.

A graduate student at Iowa ulose form artichoges;

State university at Ames is responsible for another develop- firm at St. Louis with which the ment out of this work. C. E. bureau is cooperating in an at-Hartford, jr., a young scientist tempt to perfect processes. student there, discovered, while working on a thesis, that a hard board progress is one just understalk pulp after the latter was stronger insulating board from put through a serve mechanical cornstalks through subjecting it

process. The result was the new to heavy pressure, just as is done product, known as "maizolith". Within a year after it was suc- other commodities. Tests of efcessfully completed, widespread ficiency, waterproofing and simdemands induced the bureau to iliar phases are now being con-

The new discoveries in conjunsubstances in addition to corn-After only a year or so of prac-stalks. Some of these are:

scientists developed a satisfac-uses by a new process recently

Arichoke tops, which promise commercial manufacture of levStraw, being used by a private

A third aspect of the paperwith board made from wood or

All of this work means various practical things to rural dwellers since each discovery not only motes the diversification of the crops which the farm board and agricultural department have been preaching so earnestly.

project is one involving the manstraw. Paper of a poor quality cooperation of the states and the greatest service of the week. If inspection has been produced for years, but support of public opinion is nec-, you need a blessing, come with attempts are now being made, barley and rice straw in making of the Prohibition law, but since a dry, drawn out stereotyped Minn. with good results to utilize wheat the forces for that purpose were hat now on the market.

An entirely different line of inestigation, successfully completed within the past few months, consisted in developing commercial manufacture of xylose, highly concentrated form of sugar especially valuable in medical work, from peanut shells and efficient laws for the prosecution cottonseed-hull bran, the latter of violations and the conduct of being a particularly good source, investigations. In addition, the rnis work has been definately accomplished and the works clos ed until markets can be found vised" it should give Congress which will require operation of the sole power to regulate the the plant. The plant is located liquor traffic, and not leave any

at Anniston, Ala. thing to the states.

With that completed, the investigation have returned to the ident Hoover, in his message Lord. tudy of securing from xylose transmitting the report to Conproduced in this way an acid and gress, disagrees. He thinks that ed to all.—Hal C. Wingo, Pastor. having important industrial pos- the burden of enforcement sibilities such as tanning leather, flavoring soft drinks and Federal Government. mordanting wool. Peanut hulls previously expressed himself as dale Bakery. are especially used here, and in-feeling that the states have not dications are that excellent results are being achieved.

Two remaining important experiments now under way are those involving commercial production of starch from sweet potatoes and the refining of cotton seed oil. Both of these are of peculiar interest to small, unspecialized farmers.

refining process so that it may other palliative measures. be in reach of the small community press.

needed for a refinery now limits greatly the uses of this by pro-

great deal of necessary work in methods and analyses has been done, and it has all been accomplished in three years at a cost of but \$159,000.

PROHIBITION AND POLITICS

The long awaited report of the Wickersham Commission on the rubber-like substance resulted taken here. This consists in the enforcement of the Prohibition from combining water with corn making of much heavier and laws reopens on a national scale the whole question of whether or not Prohibition can be enforced. That means that the "Wet vs. Drv" issue will be one of the biggest, if not the dominant issue of the Presidental campaign of Learned From Christ Our Ex- tion from work. It is practically

> is definate in its main conclus- on prayer. At the night hour which heretofore were considerions and recommendations. It 7:15 Brother Patterson will pre- ed uncontrollable. is opposed to repeal of the 18th ach, the services being at the Astoniach troubles, backache Amendment. It is opposed to the Baptist Church: Come all who and constipation, nearly always restoration in any manner of love the Lord, come all who feel a consequence of rupture, promlegalized saloons. It is opposed the need of the Love of the Lord ptly disappear. to the Federal or State govern- come all, who feel the need of Bring your children. Accord-Still another paper-making in the law to permit the manu- ern.
>
> NOTICE: All whom we have project is one involving the man- facture and sale of light wines. We are striving to make our treated during the past ten years. paper which can compete with reorganized, although enforce-that now on the market. I ment and obedience to the law are still inadequate, as are the agencies of enforcement.

The commission recommends that more money should be appropriated for enforcement, and the organization and personal improved and backed up by more "IF the 18th amendment is re-

should not rest entirely upon the done their full duty. But with the main conclusions of the commission he agrees.

All of the members of the commission agree on the general statements of fact in regard to Prohibition enforcement, but some of them disagree with the conclusions, although all signedthe report. In separate memor-The former, cooperatively con- anda different commissioners ducted with the Alabama Poly- expressed themselves in favor of technic Institute, is aimed to total repeal of the 18th amendsupply the textile industry with ment, of the Government going starch from a farm product, into the liquor business or authsweet potatoes, which is a home orizing the states to do so, of staple in many parts of the changing the Volstead law with country. The cotton seeed oil out repealing the Constitutional experiments aim to simplify the provision for Prohibition, and of

Already the forces on both sides of the question are lining up The large capital investment for a great political fight next At present the Democratic party leadership, in the North. at least, is wet and getting wet-In addition to these projects, a ter, while the Republican leadership is mainly dry and getting Minn, will demonstrate without dryer. But Prohibition cuts a charge his unequalled method in cross all party lines, and one result of the present situation is at the Southern Hotel from 10:00 likely to be some strange new A. M. to 4 P. M. political line-up.

BAPTIST CHURCH

present for the Union Evangelist lief and contract the opening in service at the night hour.

We will have our regular service s next Sunday. The pastor ample in Prayer". We are striv-

sort of meeting. It will be an With this last conclusion Pres- hour of refreshings from the

A friendly welcome is extend-

Date and Cocoanut Macroons ire delicious. Try them. Rags-

J. J. Gregg is in Austin on ousiness this week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. Womack left l'uesday for Waxahachie to visit their son who is in college there.

Importance of Taste

We imperatively require a perception, and a homage to becuty in our companions. Other virtues are in request in the field and work-yard, but a certain degree of taste is not to be spaced in those we sit with. I could better eat with one who did not respect the truth or the laws than with a sloven and un Moral quall presentable person. Moral quali-des rule the world, but at short distances the senses are despotte

EXPERT HERE

C. F. Redlich, Minneapolis,

Mr. C. F. Redlich says The Perfect Retention Shields" hold the rupture perfectly, no matter what position the body

Last Spnday was a good day assumes or how heavy a weight with us. A splendid crowd was you lift. They give instant rea remarkably short time. The secret of their success is

in their simplicity. An expertly will preach at the morning hour adjusted device seals the openon this subject; "Lessons to be ing without discomfort or deteneverlasting, sanitary comfortable The Wickersham report itself ing to put the proper emphasis and actually holds ruptures

ments going into the liquor bus-love of the brethern, come all ing to statistics 95 per cent reiness. It is opposed to any chang, who feel that you love the breth-cover by our method.

ifacture of a good paper from and beer. It believes that the Mid-week prayer meetings the are invited to come in for a free

essary for complete enforcement us to this service. It will not be 535 Boston Block, Minneapolis.



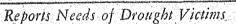
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Is a Chemist. He knows just how and what to mix in drugs to obtain the desired result.

Every farmer should be a chemist too. He should know the chemical elements of his soil, so that h would know what crops will grow best there, or what chemical fertilizer he can add to be able to cultivate the plants he desires.

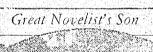
Classs in soil analysis will be held at the Short Course, February 16 and 17, at the Santa Anna High School. Every person in Coleman County is invited to attend. We personally invite you to visit with us.

Phillips Drug Co., Inc.





Will Rogers, cowboy humorist and philosopher, starting with famous flyer Captain Frank Hawks, to visit the Arkansas region where the Red Cross is feeding and clothing 550,000 persons. "It's the worst need I ever saw," Will Rogers telegraphs from Pine Bluff.





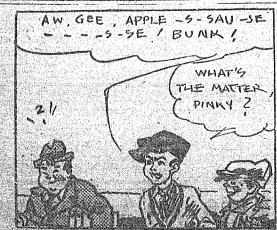
Sir Henry Fielding Dickens, K. C., whose father, the great novelist, eatirized the legal parties son in which the son has won fame, celebrates his 82nd birthday with Lady Dickens.

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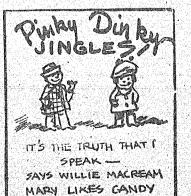
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The above capton has been the aggitation of leading citicharacter.

Would it not be well just at it after awhile. this time for us right here at home to talk more of our own right in the heart of Texas and community and its opportuniti- Texas is not only the largest

the past drouth, short crop and think conditions are pretty bad short price, such as will gon-front us at intervals and we all think the prevailing or most re-other place, according to recent panic, tragedy, calamity or ports, with the fine season we what ever you might call it to have in the ground, it looks like be the hardest and most severe we have a wonderful opportunity of any, but can we not find so- in 1931. Just how we are going lace in some of the following to manage until crops can be sayings, which 'are not original produced, is a problem that each with the writer:

"The darkest hours are just before day-light.

"The greater the troubles, the higher the crown.' "Every cloud has a silver lining.

shall not be dissappointed."

ageous effort."

crop failures before and recovered all her losses in record time, and we believe she will do so

With the prospects now at hand Coleman County will pro- the past. duce crops in abundance and when we reap a good harvest we are prepared to live whether we prosper very much or not. It is commendable in any one to lay up and preserve a portion of their accumulation and those who prepare for such calamities as the 1930 drouth and depression period win out victorious the ordeal. Negligence, carleness ture usually bring their reward few years and enumerate the us now. We are paying the price be urged to use no other kind. and deserve but little sympathy however, we are inclined to howl of the leading farmers of the Home in Texas." I found in Cole we think times are pretty bad county declare that present conand they are. We think conditions should be the means of many saloons. lons are awful and they are, they leading them into a cropping some how to are deplorable. We wonder how system, home standards and farwe are going to survive the or- ming methods that would over-deal and it is a problem. But come the effects of lean years with grit and courage, we can in the future. The certified cotsurvive, even if we cannot see tonseed plan was outlined at the fast, I feel like a stranger in a

ge of loosing out. Sometimes we aiding this, buying in large quan think the limit of our strength titles handling the seed and sellhas been reached and we have ing it to the farmers without arrived at the Red Sea, of life, profit. The price is \$1.50 a bubut if we face the issue with shel, and the farmers, under the courage when we arrive at the loan plan is amply sufficient to end of our own strength and ex- permit certified seed, as at most haust all our resources, appar- not more than three-quarters of ently, humbliness will win.

We feel, often times that in some way we have been unjust-

ATTEND

COURSE

FEB. 16-17

cannot explain why such conditions as we are now enduring exist, but we can take what we zens for months. Such as com- have and use it to the very best mercial writers, publicity men an advantage and with such help of my childhood days, I launchindustrial workers of most every as will be available, we can survive the ordeal and come thru

Coleman County, is situated but one of the most progressive Admitting all the handicap of states in the United States. We will have to work out for himself but in so far as we know that no one has starved to death yet

OVERCOMING LEAN YEARS

Scurry County is one of the 37 "He that expecteth nothing in Texas classified as suffering as the result of a lean year. The "He profits most who serves federal seed and feed loan has been made available to its farm-"Victory is the result of cour- ers, and many of them are taking advantage of the loan to pro-Coleman County has made duce another crop. Farmers of scurry are going farther than putting seed into the ground and taking it for granted that the resultant crop will bring them satisfactory returns. They are profiting from the costly lessons of

in one week indicate that Scur- the Fosters, Campbells and Cris cultural doctrines that have been bell, and Cris Burk, I love them preached for years in West Texas. One related that at mass to himself. Now my first intromeeting farmers were urged to carry out a diversification and my way to Coleman. That fine live-at-home program; another ever all opposition and survive told of one of the leading farmers in the county deciding to and indifference toward the fuhalf of the land he rents out in in grief of some kind. Most of feedstuff; the third outlined a us can reflect back over the past plan whereby Scurry County farmers can buy certified cotton mistakes that are embærrising to seed at \$1.50 a bushel, and would

The mass meeting heard some where sufficient substance is same meeting at which the gencoming from. Faith can be eral theme was less cotton but spoken and many are on the verbetter grades. The bankers are

ly delt with, but when we search was the item telling of one farm- ent of W. J. Bryan, I have been our own hearts and lives we will er, H. P. Wellborn, operates the requested to write these articles most always find that we have farm of 275 acres on which he I don't care to deal much in the not been perfect ourselves. Our lives. He owns an additional Wild Bill, blood and thunder downfalls are not all attributed 2,3000 acres, farmed by tenants. sort, I've not roped and tied

planted this year on his home place and not more than 50 per cent on the remaining 2,400 ac-

Mr. Wellborn's decision was reached as the result of years of experience. Apparently, he is a farmer who uses business methods. He has kept strict account of income derived from various products during the past few years, and has concluded that over a period of years, feedstuff has proven more profitable than cotton. He agues that feed is easier raised and that no matter how low the price falls, it can be used profitably at home. He has installed a huge feed grinder, and that wil increase the value of the feed raised by his tenants.

Mr. Wellboorn's program for this year for himself and his tenants is less cotton, more feed, careful terracing, better seed and a wilingness to accept new ideas. If all of Scurry County and West Texas would adopt a similar program, they would, like Mr. Wellborn, be "able to overcome the next lean year."

EARLY DAYS IN COLEMAN CO.

Another Article by Henry Brown

Yes as I sald in my last article, when a mere boy, I left dear old Johnson County. The scene ed into the sheep business. Our



Henry Brown at age 18

sheepbusiness was an uphill fight in this cowmans paradise The cow men by agreement laid each one out his territory, although most all land was school and railroad land and some of it belonged to men back in Gods country, as the cow boys were wont to call it. This paradise of grass was free and there lay the bone of contention. Some? times it was woe to the sheepman in trying to get a peacable location. Might was right and sometimes it was settled with double barreled pistols and now again as in my former article, I say selfeshness is one of our most besetting sins, I was fortu-Three news items from Snyder nate in having cowmen like County is fully awake to agri- Burk, yes Bob and Ellie Camp-We soon learned no man liveth duction to a sand storm was on white sand was so thick in the air that you could not see the small houses a few yards away I thought the town must be on fire, I most ran over a negro in the road, I asked him what al that smoke meant. He said: "dis is not smoke, it's de sand a

man a few stores and a few too Some how I have gotten the idea that our Santa Anna community folks are a pecular people as to fine citizenship the new comers are here so thick and strange land, on our fine Saturday evenings, I long to know you so please stop and tell me who you are, let's all get acquainted and make life worth while for some of us are just sojourning to our setting sun, yes we shou'd all love Santa Anna. Our gin men can't be equaled anywhere our merchants can't be surpassed, yes it is my town, the proud a bushel to the acre is planted. little city that nestles at the foot The average is nearer half a bu. of the hill, yes once more I say Most interesting of all, though I wish I had the voice and talto the government or the short Not a stalk of cotton will be down the wild and wooly buffalo

blowin". But maybe the less !

write of sandstorms the less you

will sing "Always Give Me ?

nor killed, skinned and eat so many Indians.

AUTOCASTER

TO OUR

STRICKEN

SECTIONS

They say my picture is to be printed taken in my 'teens while attending school under Dr. Brooks father at old Lane Prairie in Johnson County. Our latch string hangs on the outside so come to see us and I assure you that you'll want to come again. Henry Brown

THIRD SIX WEEKS HONOR STUDENTS

Eighth Grade Lena Jane Bartlett Russell Hale John David Harper Brownlee Hunter Robert Hunter, Lavada May Ruth Niell Armenta Ragsdale Irene Rountree Annie Louise Watkins linth Grade Robert Dempsey Clifford Odor Sybil Ripley

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PLEASANT PLACES

Then he was hardly more than a boy my friend Jim Deriux, one of the editors of the ness, pursued by enemies and American Magazine, was secre- wild beasts. The green pastures American Magazine, was secretary to the governor of South and still waters were all in his Carolina

There was a brilliant young chap in the state administration who at the age of twenty six held the office of assistant comptroller. He had not intended to run for the comptrollership, but a political faction organized to head him off. This made him mad, and so he did run and was elected.

After holding office for only six months he asked for an in terview with the governor.
What's on your mind?" ask

"I am going to resign." "Why?"

ed Jim.

"I'll tell you presently," They went in to the governor's mercial College and School private room, and the young official tendered his resignation. The governor was amazed. "What's the matter?" he ex-claimed. "I thought you were

sitting pretty.' "I am said the young man: 'That's just the trouble.'

"But I don't understand." "Well, Governor, you know this office that I hold is a mighty SEMESTER. HONOR pleasant place. I'm twenty-seven years old, and it's a very pleasant place indeed. I am afraid

down and become too contented. home folks. Afraid that, without hard problems to tackle and stern duties to conquer, he would get flabby and soft. Afraid that at forty he would wake up to find himself a lazy office holder with no

ambition and no hope. Nobody under fifty should be in too pleasant a place.

Robert Updegraff, the writer of business articles, uttered a profound business truth when he counseled: "Never complain about your troubles. They are responsible for the greater part of your income."

Almost anyone can hold a job which presents no difficulties; hence such jobs pay small salaries. Men at the top are paid for their willingness to accept responsibility; for the problems that they tackle and the difficulties they lick.

King David wrote: "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me

By Albert T. Reid

beside the still waters." But when David wrote that he

was a fugitive from Saul. He was fighting through the wildermind.

He never did reach an entirely pleasant place. Even when he became king his life was full of problems, dissappointments and hard work. But his soul gave birth to songs that are among the finest of all the ages.

IS TEACHING BAD BUSINESS

What of the teachers in our rural and small town schools, are they being given the right opportunities and enough pay? Would they be better off in bus-

From the South's largest business training school. Tyler Com-Business Administration, at Tyler, comes evidence to show that the latter question should be inswered with a loud and ringng Yes. For the fine old school at Tyler is admitting our teachers to business courses that take from four to nine months to finish, and graduating them with an earning power that is twice and sometimes three times what it was when they were teachers.

Ralph Mills is here from Kil-He was afraid he would settle leen for a few days visit with

PROGRAM

Friday & Saturday this week

-Buck Jones in-

The Dawn Trail also Comedy and Lone Defen-

> SUN.—MON.—TUES. a.d Charley's Aunt

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Get your Raisin Bread on Tuesday and Friday at Ragsdale

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7FOUND-One new shoe, come in and pay for this ad, describe the shoe and take it.

COTTON SEED-Authorized Agt for KASH Pedigreed Cotton Seed Thanking you for former orders I solicit your orders again, good seed at special relief prices and part terms.-W. L. Alford, Santa Anna, Texas, Phone 3412, 5-3tp

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Due to the drouth and depressed conditions that prevailed here last season, I am authorcar lot prices instead of the regular list prices. If you care to delivered, see me soon and place your orders. Several who planted Lankart last season have volunteered to place their order for more seed this season. See me or drop me a card, telling me ing or to be grown on the land how many you want. They are in 3 bushel bags. J. J. Gregg, Santa Anna, Texas.

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NOTICE

on hand Monday morning. Bank. Many have fille E. M. NIELE T. M. EVANS applications this week

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Day Phone 55 Night Phone 373

To half pint of water add one ounce bay rum, asmall box of Barbo Compound and one-fourth ounce of

TIME FOR ALL TO HELP

The Red Cross is making good the nation to render aid to the giving. hundreds of thousands of people drouth and hard times.

a dime to spare can ignore. These notes and other claims against are our own people who are ac- the said association for payment tually suffering and in want. 6-8tc More than balf a million of them are already being fed and cared! for by the Red Cross, which nev- Mrs. Byron Joiner last Wedneser waits until it has the money day. Two tables of club members but goes ahead and pledges its and one visitor, Mrs. A. C. Wolkcredit and that of its officia's to er, spent a most enjoyable afterget aid to the needy without de- noon. Team no. I won high score will not be another cold wave in for the afternoon. Delicious requickly" is one of the Red Cross wiches, coffee, olives and tu ffed

To Join Cabinet?



Henry banker, friend of the President, said to be slated for appointment as Secretary of the Treasury when Mr. Mellon retires on March 4.

farmers filling out APPLICATION BLANKS FOR GOVERNMENT LOANS

Continued from first page

If the application is approved the initial payment on the loan will be made. The Department reserves the right to make the payments in installments. Farmers receiving the first install ment will be required t omake a report of how they spent the money before receiving the successive installments. Interest at the rate of 5 per cent will be charged on all loans. As all notes are due November 30, 1931 interest from the date of approval of the loan to November 30 1931, will be deducted from the ized to take orders for Larkart principal of the loan when the Cotton Seed for planting at the advance is made. In the case of advances made in installment, him enthusiastically. interest on the entire loan will purchase a few bushels at\$2.25 be deducted from the last installment.

Mortgage on Crops Farmers applying for loans give chattel mortgages to the government upon the crop growdescribed in the application in 1931. If the applicant for a loan is a tenant farmer or farming land under contract or deed Santa Anna Transfer or so-called crop contract, or has 1931 crop, he must secure the waiver of the actual owners of the land and all other prior mortgage holders. The loans to Girls always said that to him, any farmers cannot exceed the

sum of \$600. Any person who knowlingly makes application for the purpose of obtaining an advance loan shall upon conviction there of may be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or by im- crowded, stupid party, Millicent them. The whole world will turn prisonment not exceeding six months or by both, it is pointed The Santa Anna Hatchery is out in the application blanks. now ready to open. Will start Farmers of Santa Anna who wish Monday, February 2nd. All to make application for the loan wishing to set trays have eggs may do so at The First National Bank. Many have filled out the

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SIGNS

It is to be hoped that there the stricken regions. Observers who have reported on conditions there say that a heavy drop glycerine. Any druggist ons there say that a heavy drop can put this up or you can in temperature would certainly mix it at home at very mean great loss of life. It may little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. It will gradually darken to make a dollars proved its ability to make a dollar go farther in helping the helpless than most pand glossy. Barbo will not older the scale is not etterly as greatly and dollars in given to the Red Cross, whose given to the Red Cross, whose workers are trained but unsalaried, giving themselves as wel as their money. And do not let progress in its campaign to raise the feeling that there will be ten million dollars throughout money enough deter you from

in the lower Ohio and Missippi NOTICE— The State National Valleys who have been rendered Bank of Santa Anna, located at destitute by the combination of Santa Anna, in the state of Texas, is closing its affairs. all note This appeal for funds is one holders and other creditors are which nobody with as much as hereby notified to present the P. P. Bond, Cashier

The Compass Club met with "He gives twice who gives freshments consisting of sand dates were served.



Sixth Installment

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter-carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister Liz, who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent store.

There's a new boy at the Fiveand-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather lumb, but Maggie helps him hrough his first day at the store and shares lunch with him in a cubbyhole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and-Ten.

Joe knew that Maggle was falling in love with him before Maggie discovered it. But he was a little slow in discovering that he, in turn, was falling in love with Maggie. But he admitted to himself that his admiration for her was growing, and the girls in the store began to notice something different about her.

Maggies interest in her job stimulates Joe's own. He begins to think perhaps it isn't so bad after all to have to work in the store. And he and Maggie begin to talk about love.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY "Isn't it adorable? They call it the cocotte," Millicent told

"It's a crown of glory. If I were a girl," Joe said with sud-den fire, "I'd have hair. Beautiful braids and curls and masses—of hair. It's pretty!"

"Say the word Joe, and I'll be and with a daring little laugh. "Nothing doing. I'm in coll," Joe answered.

"You're not in coll! You're or so-called crop contract, or has working. I like you an awful lot, given a prior mortgage on his Joe You think I'm crazy, saying

> and presumably to all the other fellows, when an evening had reached about this point, Joe reflected. That was the way persons got engaged nowadays.

Millicent was trying it now. Right here, at the Carters' hot, Russell was trying to land him, itself into a sort o fblur, with

briefly. "Come on, let's dance."

"Who's the other woman, Joe? she drawled theatrically. "God, you are a brute!"

"There isn't any other woman! He believed it. Yet, even now. when his face was close to Millicent's curled, perfumed bobbed head, he had a sudden memory of Maggie, childlike and eager. in a sleazy little faded white dress, with a mop of living gold tumbling upon her small should-

Sunday night. It was an actual relief to think that to-morrow would be Monday, and he would be back in the clean, busy stir of the Mack again.

He told himself, when Monday arrived, and he reached the store to find a demurely radiant Maggie prettier and more endearingly proprietary in her manner toward him than ever. that this nonsense must stop Therefore, it was with a real surprise that he heard himself saying to her, lat on Tuesday afternoon:

"What are you doing to-night, "Night school," she answered colour and breath beginng their

usual acceleration instantly. "Night school! I didn't know you went to night school!" 'Why-why, but you told me to!" she accused him, reproach-

"I-when did I? How do you mean?" "Before Christmas. Just after

'Maegie, you ought to go to night school!' "Did I?' He was stricken. Ye what d you study?" he asked son. Political economy and French,"

she answered bravely. "That's a darn good choice!"

"Maggie!" came a harsh voice est, hard-working pride. sened to you down there in the the first time in his twenty years

up here with them felay medallions!

"Oh, Holy Nelly!"Maggle ejaculated, seizing the green cards upon which the medal lions were stiched, and fleeing wildly from Joe's too seductive neighborhood. "She sent me down for them fifteen minutes

She left Joe very thoughtful. He took an opportunity, when they chanced to be entering the automat together for late luncheon, to say deliberately:

"Look here, Maggie. I've got something on my mind to say to you, and by George, I'm going to say it. I want to warn you. Don't waste time, at seventeen, taking a crush too seriously.'

a crush on, Joe?" "I know damn' well whom

growled.

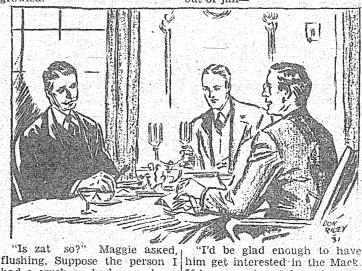
stockroom? Start your trotters to permit him, in their disgust and dissappointment, to find his better with an automat. own level.

So that on this particular eveset at the family board, his fath- ably. er, scowling interrogating the butler, merely shrugged when the answer was that the third place was for Mr. Joseph.

"Oh, he don't matter!" said George Merrill, "We want to talk business. But Mr. Joe's all right He won't hear a word we say!"

"I wish he would," Frank Flint a big, rosy, silver-headed man, said politely. "We want that boy in the business some day."

Mr. Merrill, responded simply: "Frank, I don't know what he's doing, or what he wants to do! "Who do you think I've got They're too much for me, nowadays. He's busy about something —it won't last. But while it you've got a crush on!" Joe keeps him out of mischief—or out of jail—



had a crush on had a crush on me?" she asked.

your little covered wagon," suggested Millicent, in an odd tone, of good things for you," Joe said
this point, coming in. rather slowly "Without-without, I say, having a crush on

"Well, that'd be enough for me," she answered in the same audacious, high-spirited key. "I this boy has risen almost to acdon't want any kissin', an' as for pettin' parties.'

"Now, look here, you little idiot," he said, half angry and half laughing, "don't you think you you can get what you want! You there had seemed to be a queer will be sick for more than kisses, then Maggie, and afraid to take "Nothing stirring," he said a man in the centre, and when Research—" said George Merrill, birthday treat.

"briefly. "Come on, let's dance." he speaks you'll answer, and with a wink for his general mgr. "I passed along the speaks of the spe Millicent raised the heavy eve you'll say what he wants you to lids, looked at him with superb say, too. Don't fool yourself. You ed. Not much," Joe said unsatisand I are friends-friends-factorily, falling upon his soup. friends-I was dwn and out when we first began to talk to- pause: "You say that it's the gether, and you gave me a right ruined stock that costs in the steer and it kind of you to like Mack Stores—not the labour. me. I like you-I love you-I I've thought of that. It seems think you're a perfectly keen to me that every day enough colkid. But that kind of love's dif- lars and writing paper and candy ferent. You're too young to know and toys and socks fall on the anything about it. Believe me, floor and are trampled to set it's gt a lot of pain in it, and it up a seperate branch! leaves a scar-you don't get over She had begun by laughing, asked his father

boldly, But she had sobered, to listen to him, lashes wide, lips think it is," said Joe. slightly parted, little felt hat pushed back to show a film of gold across her earnest forehead The colour had ebbed from her face, and putting her elbows on the table, she had covered her face with her hands—those small hard, red hands that Joe found so infinitely pathetic.

"God help me, it's that way with me now, Joe!" she whispered, not meeting his eyes. They walked back to the store

in absolute silence. One night early in February, it chanced that at the Merrill table there were dining but three men: George Howard Merrill, president of the entire chain of stores, his trusty righthand man and general manager, one Frank

Flint, and the son of the house,

Joseph Grant Mackenzie Merrill. The last named was included in the party merely because he happened to be in the house, with no dinner engagement and because a wild rain was falling. we first began to talk. You said. George Merrill cared no longer whether his son and heir came

Yet he had blindly idolized his

That young Joe had shown a lamentable indifference to society, and had flunked in college, Toe assured her. If ever you go after disposing of a small forbroad, you don't want to be tune in various idiotic, if not embarrased about pronouncing actually harmful ways, had been a bitter blow to the father's hon-

rom upstairs at this point. Since, however, he was actu-'Maggie Johnson! What's hap- ally living, they had begun, for

thing to-night, as we talk, Frank "A person might like you a lot see if you can draw him out."

If he seems to catch on to any-

"You're not late," his father assured him ungraciously. Sime times, in the course of the last "Joe seen that few years, his disappointment in

tual hatred. But just of late, ever since, in mother had called him a "commoner, without one single gentlemanly instinct in his mind or can get away with that sort of soul," and when he, his father, thing! When your hour strikes, had shouted at Joe that he was my dear, you won't be so sure no better than a pickpocket, change in the boy.

"Tired, Joe?"

"I beg pardon?" "Say you look tired, my boy.

Then Joe said mildly, in a

"Where'd you get this, Joe?"

"I went into-Number Seven, I

"On Eighth?" "About there."

"That's Number Seven. Good for you! I hope you got service"

"They have a great staff there said Joe.

"That's a good store. That's a

good store," Flint agreed. "What occured to me," Joe said leisurely, "was that you— we, I might say—could handle all that small stuff very much

"That's an idea, Joe, but unfortunately it's not practical," ning, upon seeing three places his father said genially, comfort-

Then his eyes and the eye of his general manager met.

"Why isn't it practical, Frank? It works all right on the food they're opening those damn nickel-in-the-slot places all over town," George Merrill said. They're practical."

"We-ell_" Frank Flint hesitated. Joe broke in:

"Take the whole back wall of a store and handle the five and the ten cent stuff there. Let 'em drop pennies for their spools and soap and ink and pencils and can openers and hairpins. You could have a girl there to change their money-

"I'm not at all sure, Joe," said his father explosively. "I'm not at all sure that you haven't given us an idea."

"I could look into that, Mr. Merrill," Flint said. "It mightcatch on, Mr. Merrill. It would be an exclusive Mack feature. you know."

"Frank, the more I think of that, the more I suspect that there's—something - in - it," George Merrill, drawling his words portentously, said slowly, 'When could you see Burke?'

"See him to-morrow." Take that up with him, will you, Frank? Find out who makes that machinery. We might as

well look into it, anyway. Joe wanted to keep that look n his father's eyes, that proud vindicated look that said: This

-fool, after all!" An hour later, he was reading in his room when his father "Sorry to be late," said Joe, at | came, rather shyly awkwardly in. The boy had trouble to come upstairs, Joe re-

"Joe seen that girl who sings that 'Mouse-trap' thing, in the

Revue?" "Yes, sir. Saw it opening

night."
"I've got two seats." George Merrill displayed them depreca-"I was going to take tingly. Flint," he said.

"I'd like to see that darn show again," Joe said.

Fifteen minutes later, they left the house together. It was the first time Joe Merrill had gone to the theatre with his father since the day of his 14th

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yours, about having an automat for the notions, to one of the heads," Joe told Maggie. "I took the credit for it, too!" "what he credit for it, too!" "what he can be called the care to remember the credit for it, too!" "what he care!" Joe said, cating. "E made me feel rotten was that I didn't say that you had thought of it first.

Oh well, we sort of worked it out together, that day we were at the automat," she said, an- suddenly died and nobody could xious to reassure him.

Worked it out together nothing). You began it, it was enirely your idea.

But what's the difference, as long as one of us gets the credit?

she wkid innocently. Joe child only laugh uncom

when he went up stairs an menour later he managed his own way through the moving river of Madison?" the department employees of the Mack, and found himself beside

Why so fast, Maggie?"

She raised blazing eyes to his How dare you speak to me! You ought to be cashamed to neak to me! I hate you!"

For heaven's sake, what's the fully about. It." matter?" Joe stammered aghast. But she went quickly on, shab-1 by little untidy head held high, said to Mother. and disappeared in the crowd

My gosh, I never saw her like why not now?" Joe pleaded. mg aloud as he went.

less skin with violent jerks of as she said:

rausicians Millicent asked lang-l

When are we going to an- did I break your heart?" whice it Joe?—Don't interrupt ther girl, who leaned across the lit," she said

table for a hysterical confidence | "I'm proposing to Joe Grant,"

"It can't be done. I tried it object to your acting this way!" myself, didn't I, Joe?" said a

"I don't seem to remember it Carol," Joe said, eating. "But some night when I've had too will get me, and that'll be that." walk with her, and stroll around many cocktails one of you girls

There were shricks of laughter, and then the conversation think of anything to say.

Conversations were entirely

"Marjorie, did you see Mrs.

"My dear—wasn't that terrible!"

well, my dear, if she "Oh would bring that impossible girl" "Well, exactly!"

cigarettes. "Of course, Mother felt dread-

"Well, but my dear!" "Well, exactly—that's what I

"Listen Maggie, you can't keep speak to you again!" before he could eatch her again, this up. Sooner or later you'll

that before! I wonder what the She was in the hardware de-len eyes in cold water and wiped dealer I've done?? he kept say- partment, and was attempting them on the soggy lengths of to straighten up the counter, the exhausted roller towel. The dinner was at the club to- When she heard Joe's voice, close aght; it was pretty little Kat-ybeside her, she brought her ing Fairchild. Millicent, next proud little chin up with a jerk, to Joe was beating powder in her cheeks crimsoned, and her to her rather coarse pored, color tone was cutting, if a trifle shaky

"You broke my heart. But it Every one in the room was doesn't matter. Please get out fatterly bored: guests, waiters of my way."

Joe was honestly staggered. "How in the name of St Pete,

"We'll not-" she was being e. Marion," she said to an- magnificent— "we'll not discuss

"We will discuss it" said Joe. "I haven't done anything, and I Tuesday, February 10, 3:45 p. m.

"Oh, no-no!" she said, in a low, trembling voice shaken with a Vocational Guidance. "Oh, no. You didn't Song take Paulo Younger to lunch, Prayer

the streets with her, and have all those horrible girls at the Fred Faulkner. lampshades making fun of me, and saying that Paula had got-

ten you away from me." "Now listen Maggie—that's utpersonal, usually first-personal terly ridiculous. In the first place, I went in alone, alone-to "My dear, I-well, I-well, if have my lunch at the Old South you ask mc-I couldn't-I told Tea Room-but I swear to you I Mother—L—she and —but it is—went in there with no more idea n't as if I—exactly. I couldn't— that Miss Younger was lunching I simply-if you could have seen there than you had! I saw her at an empty table—the place was packed, and naturally, I sat with

and pay for her lunch, at our

place—at our place!—and then

"Oh naturally!" Maggie said, trembling, beside herself.

"Well, would you have me cut the girl?" Joe asked, warming in his turn. "I sat with her, and More lip-red more powder, and later I paid the tip, twenty-five cents, and our bill for two sixtycent lunches. There! If I'd known that you expected me to ask permission—'

"I'll neverf." she gritted between her teeth. "I'll never

She had finished her task now, Joe walked briskly toward his have this hrd * fl. ahohrdar the hardware counter was in val, got into it, and drove toward have to make it up with me and order, and went down to the girl tell me what the trouble is, so washroom, washed her hands and, after awhile her tear-swol-

Continued Next Week

All in Point of View

She sat in the garden, comfortably ensconced before her brolled Deal with her tenderly, lve lobster. Suddenly, in a green orner of the sward she discovered furtle in the act of eating a worm. The living ribbon wriggled in agony as it grew shorter and horter with each opening of the urtle's mouth, "Ugh!" she ex-laimed, "Ain't nature cruel! It's ruined my appetite. My dinner is wrecked. Take it awny!"—isag: Gildberg in the Reflex.

HIGH SCHOOL P.-T. A.

Subject-Home and School as

Lecture on the above subject-

Mr. Binion Song by Seniors My plans for choosing a career

ever." —June Bond and Olive patient up warm in bed, and he Harper Business.



ADVICE TO A LOVER

By S. Charles Jellicoe Oh, if you love her, Show her the best of you; So will you move her To bear with the rest of you

Coldness and jealousy Cannot but seem to her Signs that a temest lurks Where was sunbeam to her

Patience and tenderness Still will awake in her Hopes of new sunshine, Though the storm break for

Love, she will know, for her. Like the blue firmament, Under the tempest lies

Gentle and permanent

Nor will she ever Gentleness finds the less When the storm overblown Leaveth clear kindliness.

Skylike above her, Smile on her waywardness, Oh, if you love her! Mr. and Mrs. Clyde V. Bays of

San Angelo are visiting relatives here this week. Attend the Short Course 16-17th

Ho-hum, It's 10 p. m. Just returned from seeing a little fellow four years of age. The only child of his parents, hence a very anxious mother, who co-operated with me at every step. I encountered a moderate fever, a loaded digestive tract belonging to a "very hearty eater," a vigorous and rapid pulse and breathing, a slight sore throat; lungs not involved. Any old mother might have given a dose of cas-Duet-"Stars and Stripes For- tor oil, and wrapped the littlt might have been all right to-

But, this is a highly technical age. Wise young parents do not fool with old wives' fables; they call a physician.

The little fellow was very anxious that Santa Claus should that little boys like; I know, for visit him; being a personal menu I talked with the old man. of that Christmas idol of childhood. I readily promised to intercede for the visit of the fat little saint—which brought me a Ragsdale Bakery. very willing subject for examination.

I actually taught the 4 year old to gargle; And he did it to thoat, and the trick was turned. like industries.

I learned incidentally that, there was a basement to the cottage that was not exactly sanitary, and damp at times; that the little boy played there on chilly days when it was pleasanter indoors; a few words of practical advice to the young mother were absorbed as a dry sponge takes water. The same of the admonition in regard to indiscriminate eating. This boy had eaten 'nearly a pint of ice-cream—and has promptly thrown it up"- a few hours before I was called to

go see him! The proud daddy—a bridge mechanic—had "just loved to see that kid eat."

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LIONS CLUB ENJOYS LOCAL PROGRAM Continued from page one

ed by Lion E. R. Purdy at a recent meeting, President Ford Ima Neil, Nannie Robbins, Ora Barnes suggested that a general Bell Ragsdale, Dorothy Sumner, cleanup campaign be inaugurated, and the unemployed in Santa Anna be offered the work. Williamson, Marcy Louise Curry, Lion Purdy's plan is being carried on in Cleburne, and is said Augusta Bond, Gale Collier, to be very satisfactory. The John Gregg, Edward Keeling, president was authorized to appresident was authorized to appoint a committee to work out L. H. Powell, Mary Todd, Melton a plan and submit it to the club Wren, James Daniel, John Bob next Tuesday for approval or Sparkman. rejection, or to deal with in the Fifth Grade discression of the Club. It was suggested that each man and lady working for a salary donate ine Niell, Ruby Lee Price, Jane Company for many years, as well one days wages each month to Catherine Burden, Annelle Shi- as for the U. S. Department of relief fund, to be used for the eld, Helen Martha Zachary, Hel- Agriculture, writer and lecturer unemployed, and of course those er, Martha Zachary, Helen Mc-who are not working for a sal- Keand, Doris Spencer, Juanita ary can contribute such sums as they feel they can spare. A temporary organization will have charge of the work, and a general clean up campaign incor-porated for Santa Anna. This land, Mary Dellinger, Ted Bradshould work to advantage, an for ford, Mary S. Garrett, H. L. Voss, once, give this little Mountain Alton Diserens, Margaret Scott, side city a general cleaning up. Emma Jeanne Werner, Cleo Cha- an, every man and every boy and The fine rains during the wint- mbers, Ruby Harrison. er, when warm weather comes Seventh Grade will cause plenty of weeds and Rheba Boards unsightly growths to spring up, dings, Kathryn Wylie, Christine effort to conserve food stuffs, and unless an effort is made to Buse, Ernestine Thames, Mine-save waste and increase agriculand unless an effort is made to eradicate them, toge her with other filth unsightly and unheathful substances in the city, an epidemic of fever or some other illness is likely to break out in the town, and cause much grief the town, and cause much grief the country with the town, and cause much grief the country with the country well, doing extension work among women, and cause much grief the country well, doing extension work among women, and boys' and girls' club work for the Calladys Creamer, Leon Morgan, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

She is gifted and pleasing lecturer and a most successful interval. izens would only do their part in a civic way to make the place WARD SCHOOL HONOR ROLL to both men and women. healthful and attractive, it then would be among the most noted towns in the West. On the other First Grade hand, neglect of civic righteousness and civic attractiveness will advertise the little city in a way Juanita Alexander, Jadie Robb happy faculty of presenting in that will cause people of the ins, Glen Pope, Rachel Louise an interesting manner, valuable right kind to help build a town Parker, Lily Pearl Neil, Neva Jo suggestions for solving many of to pass us up and go to places Steward, Lenora Wagner, Elouise where the local citizens have Calloway, Ima Lov Wren, G. T. It should be borne in mind more pride. Let's all join in the England, Rebecca Jane Harris, that, despite the high standards move to clean our town up and Vernon Oakes, Jean Wingo, Wel- of the lectures, admission to all make of it one of the most don Price, Mary Field Mathews, sessions will be absolutely free beautiful and attractive places Rob L. Lym Powell, Ruth Love- and every man, woman and child there is in which to live. That lady, Reuben Rountree, Mary it can be done, and should be Lee Ridings, Yoe Jean Callan, done, goes without saying, now, will we do it?

WARD SCHOOL HONOR ROLL For Last Six Weeks Period

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ben Rountree, Bobbie Joe Cheaney, Tom Robin, Mary John Wade, Betty Jean See, Sarah Riding. Eudora Farris, Mary Lu Riding, Margaret Mobley. Jerrel Dean Rice, Beryle Taylor, Third Grade Adrian Speck, James Zachary, Juanita Alexander, Jodie Robbins, Lily Pearl Neil, Neva Jo sdale, Joyce Hensley, Nannie Steward, Lenora Wagner, Elouise Robins,. Calloway, Ima Lou Wren, Jean Fourth Grade Wingo, G. T. England, Rebecca Gale Collier, Harris, Vernon Oakes. Grade

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P. B. Lightfoot, Doris Spencer,

Ragadale, Dorothy Mae Ross, Blanche Smith, Betty Jean See, Sarah Riding, Margaret Mobley. Third Grade

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Augusta Bond, Gale Collier,

Rheba Boardman, Eleaner Ri-

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Helen Martha Zachary, Ruby Lee Price, Carlene Ashmore, An-ita Kirkpatrick.

EXHIBIT TO BE FEATURE OF SHORT COURSE Continued from page one

at Short Course

Every woman and for that mat ter every man, should hear the addresses to be given by Miss Grace Marian Smith at the farmers and housewives chantangua to be held in our town on Feb. 16th and 17th.

As a farm girl and farm woman, teacher in country schools, on subjects relating to women's work, including the home, health school lunches, nutrition, canning, kitchen equipment and similiar topics, Miss Smith has had a whole lot of experience which makes her talks and demonstra-tions exceedingly helpful, not only to housewives, club women and teachers, but to every wom-

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The other speakers being furnished for the short course are Mr. H. S. Mobley and Mr. John M. Hannon. Both of these men

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F. F. A. Sheep Herders; Choral Club; Talk, "Cooperative Marketing" H. S. Mobley. Evening 7:30

Community Singing; Special songs or stunts by schools; Old Fiddlers Contest; Talk, "Womens Work in the Community", Grace Marion Smith; or "Beautifying the Home Grounds,,; or "The Dairyman's Problems", H. S. Mobley.

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"Charley's Aunt," an hilarious comedy of student life at the picturesque Oxford University, is the latest vehicle of that famous player, Charlie Ruggles, beloved of millions of fans. This Columbia picture, produced by the Christie, comedy specialist, is scheduled to come to the Queen Theatre for three days run beginning Sunday.

Charlie Ruggles was a happy choice for the starring role. There isn't another comedian on the screen today who possesses that combination of slapstick

role that he has had to date, although his previous ones were all successful. They were roles that established Ruggles in an unique position on the screen in spite of the fact that they were always secondary parts. Often he succeeded in stealing the picture from the star. In "Charleys Aunt" he plays the title role and the wish of many a fan will thus be satisfied; to see Charles Ruggles in a picture that is really his. June Collyer, Halliwell Hobbes, Flora Le Breton, Flora Sheffield, Rodney McLennon, Hugh Williams and Doris Lloyd play supporting roles. Al Christic

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Agricultural Thoughts

By J. M. Binion, Instructor Vocational Agriculture

It seems that we have suffered in an agricultural way in the last 12 months and rightly we have but we could have been in a very much worse condition. Think what would have been our plight had the winter been cold and dry like the winter one year ago. Insidad we have had a very mild winter with plenty of rain and as a result we have been able to get by with a minumim of clothes and fuel and our livestock are in good condition generally. Most livestock is in better condition now than 30

We do not have lots of loose money in our pockets but we do have the consolation of being able to look forward to spring and summer and fall when we can produce what we eat and sell enough from the farm for clothes and the necessities of life. Yes, we should be thankful for things as they are for they could have been more de-

Misses Odell Brown and Anne Stiles were Coleman visitors on

The Associational B. Y P. U of Coleman County will meet of dividing the county into zones with the South Coleman church Everybody is invited to be pres-Sunday afternoon, February 8th ent and hear the discussion. at 2:30 p. m. The program will consist of several numbers by

COLEMAN COUNTY B.Y.P.U. the Junior B. Y. P. U. of South Coleman with an address by Rev P. F. Squires on the advisibility

Go to Church Sunday

Many Farm Families

Have the Woman of the house to thank for not going hungry or cold during this past winter. The women in this country have been studying modern methods and ideas of living at home and it has been the food they have canned, the cream, butter, chickens and eggs they have sold that has kept some of their families from suffering. We are expecting every woman in Coleman County to attend the Short Course, here on February 16th and

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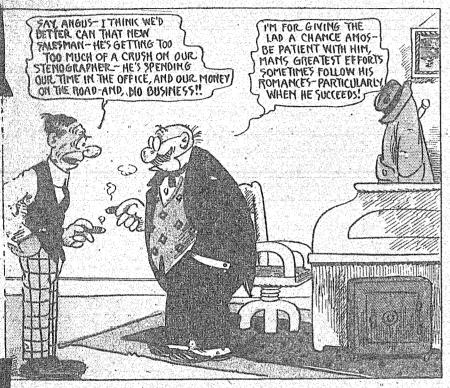
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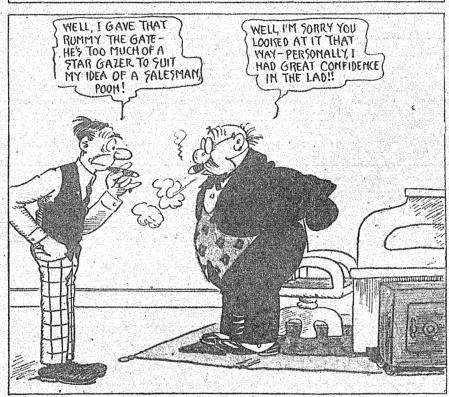
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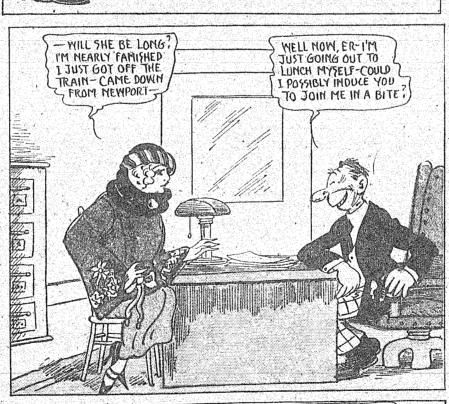


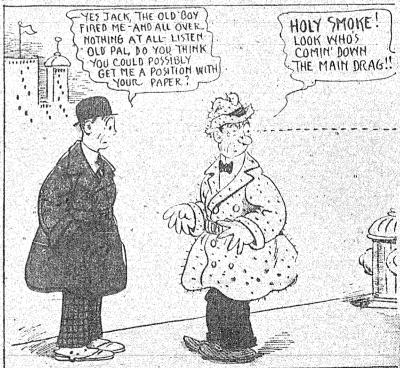


















By TROY MILTON MORRIS

ECENTLY I stood among the Shackelford county, Texas, the once imposing army post that guarded the far-flung border of Texas, thereby making it safer for the buffalo hunter, the cattleman and the homesteader; in those days Indians roamed at large, bedecked in war paint and armed with rifles, bows, arrows and spears, seeking the write man's life in revenge for the invasion of what was considered their own lawful and native

What is left of Fort Griffin today is but a scene of desolation and decay. The once imposing stone buildings have disappeared from the face of the earth. with the exception of three. The officers' quarters have been gutted by fire. but the walls yet rear themselves proudly. The old mess hall is intacttime having damaged it very little-its oven seemingly as good as the day the soldiers baked their last loaf. At the extreme northwest border of the old army post there are yet three walls standing of what was once a substantial building. But for the rest- with exception of a chimney here and there-old Fort Griffin is a ghost of the past.

Romance and Adventure

Nevertheless, many interesting tales of romance and adventure are linked with this old army post.

Just below the fort is the town of Griffin. Today it is a village of one store-back in the fifties it was a roaring town of 7,000 souls, populated by a multi-colored human tide that swept out into the West seeking adventure or some means of quick fortune.

Fort Griffin was established in 1857. and at that time was called Fort Wilson, but in 1867, one year after it was founde), the name was changed to Fort Griftith in honor of General Charles Griffin. It is located nine miles from Camp Cooper and thirty-five miles from Fort Belnap, and is one of a line of forts established by the government, helping to form a chain that protected the frontier of Texas. The town of Griffin came. into being after the fort was established, and is located about a half mile north. in a level valley, skirted by the Clear Fork of the Brazos River.

In 1857 and for many years thereafter bort Griffin was the headquarters of builalo hunters; it was also headquarters for every breed of human kind.

in Fort Griffin and from dawn to dawn never closed their doors. In conruins of old Fort Griffin, in pection with the saloons were gambling and dance halls that, like the saloons, never closed their doors,

All the Vices, Few of the Virtues

Griffin had all the vices and but few of the virtues of the human race. There was no church or any place of worship; the gospel was only heard when some courageous "parson" occasionally visited the town. And from reports the visits of the "parsons" were not always welcome.

A tale is told of the Tonkawa Indians, a peaceable tribe, who were quartered not far from Griffin, on the banks of

these Indians suddenly began to gather their belongings and move to higher ground. This excited some little interest among the inhabitants of Griffin and they inquired of the Indiana why they were mov-

ing.
"Much big
flood coming." answered on e-of the redmen.

To the citizens of the town that was a joke. All that year there had not been enough rain to wet a man in his shirtsleeves, and even the river was running dry in spots. It was amusing to them to think how

simple and dumb were the Indians. But they completed their moving the fifth of June. On that night the heavens were clear and a full moon bathed the landscape. It was a warm and pleasant night. The only sound to break the night stillness was music from the dance halls and the clink of money in the saloon and gaming houses. Men stood at saloon bars, drank, joked, and their boisterous laughter could be heard near and far.

There was no hint of disaster-no bint of rising water—but just before mid- Young John kept up the family through the yard; looking out of a win-

down with a roar, caused by a cloudburst near the head of the stream, and before men, women and children realized what was happening the red flood engulfed the town and valley, eating away the foundations of adobe houses, drowning humans, horses, cattle, and carrying before it houses, household furniture and all that would float. When dawn came it was discovered that Fort Griffin was almost wiped off the face of the earth and many of the inhabifants had died in the waters before they could reach high ground.

The town was rebuilt, but never again was it the same riotous Griffin. Its wicked and evil influences had disapthe Clear Fork. In the spring of 1876 peared, to be succeeded by a more sub-

At one time twenty saloons flourished night the waters of Clear Fork came expenses by working in the fort and on dow he saw it was Johnson, the Indian, nearby ranches. He had many friends among both the white people and the Indians. Among the Indians there was one young brave in whom young Creaton became especially interested. This Indian's name was Johnson, who endeavored to adapt himself to the ways of the white man, and in one respect succeeded admirably-he drank liquor and at intervals would become violently drunk. He was a frequent visitor at the Creaton home and, in time, became infatuated with Ida Creaton.

A Proposal in True Indian Fashion

Dressed in a store bought suit of clothes, Johnson visited the home of the Creatons one Sunday afternoon and

profered his suit for the hand of Ida in true Indian fashion.

"Me give twenponies for h e informed John, "She make much pretty squaw."

Of course, young Creaton was astounded, but as the ridiculousness of the offer dawned on him, he laughed.

'Ida's not for sale," he inform-"We need her here. She don't

want to marry."
"Me want her," declared the Indian stub-bornly. "Twenty ponies big lot for one wife.'

"No sell 'um,' laughed Creaton.

"No, want'um Indian squaw," declared

But John Creaton smiled and turned from the Indian. However, the women folks of the family felt some uneasiness. Young Creaton took the matter lightly, and immediately dismisshad died, and a son, in his early ed it from his mind. A few weeks later, after returning from a scouting trip, John Creaton was sitting at home resting when he heard some one coming

and that he was staggering toward the door. Creaton arose to let him enter.

Johnson looked at Creaton, who realized from the insane light in his eyes

that he was crazy drunk. "Howdy, Johnson," was Creaton's

greeting.

'Me take'um scalp," growled the Indian and lunged at Creaton, who sidestepped and struck the brave neatly on

The Indian went down with a clean knockout. Creaton bound him and carried him to the fort, where he was placed in the guard house. That ended Johnson's infatuation for Ida, but ever afterward Creaton feared that the Indian would seek revenge on either himself or sister or mother.

Another tale about Fort Griffin, known to most old timers, concerns General Sherman and a man by the name of Long. Long suffered the fate that was intended for Sherman.

General Sherman, according to the story, was sent to inspect Fort Griffin, and was to go from there to Hillsboro. It was the General's first trip to the frontier, and his first encounter with Indians.

'How stern and solemn those Indians look," he remarked, after meeting sevof the redmen.

Plan to Capture Gen. Sherman

And those redmen, realizing that he was a personage of some consequence, ed the Indian. formulated plans at once to make him captive and hold him for ransom, or kill him, as they saw fit. This capture was to take place between Fort Griffin and Hillsboro, and to this end three hundred warriors were stationed under the leadership of Chiefs Lone Wolf, Satanta, Big Tree and Satank, on the other side of a wide plain that the General must cross in his journey, with orders to capture him at all cost.

Sherman was to leave the post in company with a Mr. Long, who was government grain contractor; Sherman's guards were to look after the grain as well as protect the General. However, on the day set for the trip, Long discovered that Sherman had been unavoidably delayed, and since his wagons were loaded and ready, he decided to go on in advance, assuming that Sherman with his soldiers would soon overtake. him.

Long came to that part of the plains which he realized was the most hazard-(Continued on Page 4, Column 5)



"Just before midnight the waters of Clear Pork came down with a roar."

stantial citizenship, with law and order, "You look for a squaw among your own churches and schools.

Of the stories told about old Fort Griffin there is one with a keen sense the Indian. "Want Ida." of humor concerning a certain Indian by the name of Johnson, Living on the outskirts of Griffin in the early '70s was a family of Creatons, who had migrated from Penns Ivania. The father twenties, was the head of the household. The family consisted of John, the son, his sister, Ada. and their mother.

Hill Country Indians Believe in Retributive Justice

By MAUDE K. WYATT

Now there is not much left but the litle, one who brought the accusation. and the present generation has almost forgotten the days when they were a war-like and independent nation. Yet in the old days remain in local

customs and beliefs. For example, the idea persists with many Indians that there are two codes of law-the man-made laws of the States and the unwritten laws of the tribe to which they paid homage, and to which, even now, they are compelled at certain times to apply to their more

intimate relationships. Far back in the early days of the present son, Oklahoma's only congresswoman, century tribal teachings were instilled into the hearts and minds of these primitive people until unconsciously their conduct was guided largely by these teachings.

For instance, if a man, either Indian or white, stole another man's cow, the beast had to be returned together with a year's supply of feed; if one killed an-

ESS than a century ago the title tubal penalty was death; if an innocent of "chieffain" among lindians person was falsely accused of perpetrate of old Indian Territory meant in a crime, bad luck or sudden and terheadship and undisputed power, rible death was destined to be fall the

True Story of Tribal Code

sections of Oklahoma some trace of the Cherokee Hills of eastern Okla-

homa, near Wauhillau, a youth by name of Charner Tidwell. Many persons in that part of the State will. recall the sail case of this promising young man of a highly respected family, and the long term of years walls where he was sentenced to life imprisonment for a murder he did not commit. Miss Alice Robert-

became interested in the youth and through her influence obtained his freedom, but belief was quite general among the Indians that a curse would fall upon the heads of his accusers and all those who had anything to do with his conviction.

stitions were contemporary with the well as the murderer. He was arrested

other without provocation, or stole his time in old Salem when witches were by a United States constable, J. A. Hen- after he had passed sentence upon ake Re that ag it may nothing can shake the faith of a once primitive folk in retributive justice. Even the white race believe in it to a considerable extent. Take for instance the case of Lord Carnavaron, who died while in command of the expedition that excavated the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen About thirty years ago there lived in in Egypt. A curse had been pronounced by the great Pharaoh King, Tut-Ankh-Amen, upon anyone who should disturb his tomb. This was only one of a number of similar cases scoffed at by science, but which to the Indians of sence. Cherokee Hills held a far deeper meaning as applied to the real things of life, and in proof of their contention they, point to the record of vengeance which he spent behind prison has seemingly been visited upon every. person who had anything to do with the

conviction of innocent Charner Tidwell. Vengcance Is Mine

Young Tidwell was employed on the farm of William Brown in what was known as "Rabbit Trap Hollow," a country community located near Stillwell in the old Cherokee Nation, United States marshals and United States constables were in charge of that territory.

One morning Brown was found mur-Perhaps some of these ancient super- dered and all evidence pointed to Tid-

marshal known as "Long-Haired-Joe" Payne. Payne had charge of Tidwell during the trial. Judge John R. Thomas sat on the bench and passed sentence

Mrs. Brown, wife of the murdered man, was the main witness against Tidwell. She testified that there had been some dispute between her husband and the youth over his wages and that Tidwell had slain his employer in her pres-

Record of Bad Luck

Nothing of coincidence or chance in the eyes of the people of Cherokee Hills is found in the tragic ending of those persons who had a part in condemning innocent Charner Tidwell to years of imprisonment.

In 1913 Hensley met sudden and violent death when he was hurled underneath the wheels of a moving train at a railway crossing, near Muskogee, while driving homeward in his auto, "Long-Haired-Joe" fell a victim to tuberculosis, the most dreaded disease in the Cherokee country, and died at Tahlequah after a long illness.

Judge Thomas, a charitable and just judge, who dealt fairly and faithfully anyone who falsely accuses an innocent with the public, was told many years person of a crime.'

sley, and turned over to a United States young Tidwell that there might have been crooked work during the trial. He went immediately to the penitentiary to investigate and question a convict there -one who had been a witness in the of life imprisonment in the federal peni- case. While inside the penitentiary walls tentiary on the youth for killing Brown. a mutiny broke out and a shot fired by a convict hit him in the breast, killing him instantly.

Mrs. Brown, wife of the murdered Brown, contracted tuberculosis after her second marriage with a man by the name of Gregory. On her death bed it is said she confessed that she had testified falsely at Tidwell's trial and admitted that her first husband was slain by Gregory.

A series of misfortune, followed by an untimely death, is said to have overtaken the attorney who prosecuted Tid-

Thus the record of bad luck that followed persons who took a prominent part in the persecution and conviction of an innocent youth has had its effect on the minds of the hill country folks. With reverential awe they recall the wording of the old proverb (or maybe, a curse) handed down from time immemorial among the Indians, "Bad luck and sudden death is certain to befall

Challenge King Cotton to

By CLYDE DUNCAN (Copyright, 1931, by the Home Color Print Co.)

THERE was still in his heart those minstrel songs of the cotton fields, Still something that brought back to his mind, as we talked, a picture of those happy-faced darkies mov-ing slowly down the long rows of white. It might have been that old melody: "Swing low, sweet chariot, swing low; Coming for to carry me home; Swing low, aweet charlot, swing low; Coming

for to carry me home." While the sentiment and the pathos of the cotton fields still lingured with Jess Alford, yet the scourge of a one-crep system had caused him to try his hand at a different plan-a diversified

ayatem.

"But I thought this was just a turkey farm?" I asked Mr. Alford that day when, I found him and his partner, Neal Kennemer, busy at their work on their 850-acre place near Detroit, Texas.

"Lots of folks do, I guess," he said quickly, "but that's just because they've heard about our turkeys through people that have bought them from us for breeding. We raise turkeys, but other things as well."

And so it was a partnership that Jess Alford and Neal Kennemer had set up to get away from a one-crop system of cotton alone, away from the "nigger and bull-tongue plow" methods long in vogue in the cotton country of East

"Turkeys are our main project here," Mr. Alford went on, "and that is true because Kennemer has been a turkey man for twelve years. But we thought that we had better raise other things here on the place besides just turkeys. There might be times when turkeys couldn't be given away and then wewould have something else to fall back

"We have eight milk cows. The cream we sell from the cows makes us enough money to pay for the feed supplements for our turkeys. We just swap our cream check for so much feed every week. And it works fine. We depend on the cows to pay the turkey feed bill and they have been doing a fine job of it,

"We are raising on this place this year," he said, "seventy-five acres in cotton, corn and maize; ten acres in alfalfa which is used for grazing for the turkeys and for hay; twenty-five acres in oats; and seventy-five acres in pasture devoted mostly to clovers. That's diversification, don't you think?

"This year," he added, as he opened a door to his incubators, "we will raise 1,500 bronze turkeys. There are 2,000 eggs hatching in here now. Some will be sold for breeders. Some will be kept for the high markets this year and sold for table trade. Yes, turkeys are our main job here, but we mix other things in so as to give us an income the year around. Cotton will bring in money a part of the time-turkeys another chickens and

milk cows the other. Something to do all the year. Something to keep us busy. And the cows, as I said before, will pay for our feed for our turkeys. That will be velvet, you know."

Mixing good business sense with farming—not putting all their eggs in one basket—Jess Alford and Neal Kennemer are helping to bring diversification to Texas. They are helping to bring back prosperity to a section that listens ed a bit too long to the alluring stories of a one-crop system. Their work with the cows, the chickens and the turkers is helping to bring to an end the mon-archistic reign of "King Cotton," Eggs, milk and turkey meet todox challenge the rule of King Cotton, they will toll

CURRENT COMMENT

By J. H. (JIM) LOWRY

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Morning or Evening

AST June I stood before a company of young women and men who had completed the high school course of study and had gathered to receive their diplomas. And what a happy-faced, what a jolly ensemble of youth it was. Not a line of care on the brow, and the smiles on their lips showed plainly that every heart was singing a song of gladness. To myself I said, how delightful if the stretch of human life could be one continuous morning, with eternal springtime in every heart, the smile of hope on every lip, and the velvety softness of youth on every

Some weeks later I sat with a man and his companion who had lived out more than the allotted years of mankind. There were furrows on their cheeks and brows, their voices were weak and their footseps tottering-but they were happy. It was not the vigorous, noisy happiness of youth, but the subdued and peaceful joys of eventide. They craved nothing; they put forth no efforts for pleasures or for gain-they only smiled, and loved, and waited. And then I asked myself whether the joys of youth transcend the joys of age?

We congratulate vigorous, noisy youth; we commiserate the aged and feeble-but after all, is morning lovelier than evening? Is l'allegro sweeter than il penseroso? Do the major chords minister to our hearts more than the minornotes? Aurora indeed is gorgeous, but sunset is sublime. The swelling notes of the Elijah Chorus thrill and inspire, but do they fall upon the heart in sweeter cadence than the minor chords of "Abide with me, fast falls the Eventide." Nature is kind. For the rosy morning of youth she gives glee and glitter and sunlit splendors, but for the gloaming of life's eventide there are the gentler scenes and the softer songs of

The troubles and worries of the moment appear greater and more threatening than they really are. They, like an awful stench, inflict such horrors that they leave no opening to see beyond them. When we read in the papers the list of the day's murders, robberies and moral delinquencies, we lose hope and see no chance for the world to recover its equilibrium—but it will. Some years ago a skunk made my neighborhood a visit and opened up the phials of its wrath. A little girl, feeling that the visit of the little animal would be permanent, stuck her head under the cover and in despair cried out, "Mother, the polecats are going to ruin the world."

Having just passed through the tax-paying season, I am thinking of how fortunate it was for King Solomon that he didn't live in the days of woman suffrage and poll-tax paying. If he and his family lived in Texas now, it would take all the money he could raise from his properties and all he could borrow from his friend Hiram of Tyre to pay poll taxes for his seven hundred wives and his army of concubines. And then, like as not, they wouldn't vote like he wanted them to.

I have for an hour been trying to figure out how long it will be until the whole world goes broke and the sheriff sells this mundane sphere to Mars or some other planet. The Southern farmers are selling cotton for less than it costs to produce it; the Western farmers are selling wheat for less than it costs to grow it; the rice farmers are selling rice for less than the cost of production; the cattle raisers are selling cattle for less than it costs to feed them; the merchants are selling goods for less than they paid for them; the railroads are earning no dividends on their capital stock, and the subscription price of newspapers is less than the cost of the blank paper. With everybody losing money, how long will it take to force the whole country into bankruptcy?

Don't wear a solemn face—laugh. Laugh, even if your rich bachelor uncle has died and willed all his property to an orphan asylum; even if your motherin-law has come to spend the spring and summer with you; even though you be a hen-pecked husband, or an undertaker, or an Englishman, or any other kind of a solemn and sunless cuss, you can laugh over the fact that we are not to have a gubernatorial campaign in Texas or Oklahoma this year.

Chewing gum did not advance in price a penny during the great price inflation occasioned by the World war. Other commodities advanced and advanced. but chewing gum sat as steadily as the rock of ages on her old price of five blocks for a nickel. And now, while other commodities must drop and drop, flounder and flounder in the sea of doubt and depression, old chewing gum continues to sit on her old price, and the From chewing gum we all may learn and it didn't have to fall.

I read in the papers that the authorities have ruled that non-intoxicating cider may be manufactured for home or point their guns in our direction.

use. Here is where our bone-dry law strikes an ugly snag. Cider, when first made, is as harmless as a kitten, but when age comes upon it, it is as vicious as a tiger of Bengal. Old cider, usually known as hard cider, will rush a man into drunkdom quicker than the strongest brandy, and the fellow who gets his drunk therefrom can kick higher, cuss louder and break up more furniture than a victim of Mexican mescal or Texas moonshine.

In years gone by I used to visit my banker quite freely and engage him in earnest conversation. I suppose he did not care much for me then, as he never appeared glad to see me and hardly ever called at my sanctum. He evidently likes me better now, as he calls at my place of business and engages me in earnest conversation two or three times a week. And he seems to grow more considerate and reasonable. Some time since I told him I would like to renew my note. He replied that such a thing could not be done. But he went away and thought of the way he had treated me, and incidentally looked over my assets. A few days later he sent for me and smilingly presented a note already filled out and ready for my signature.

It is comforting to know that our country has grown in population to the extent that we will have several more members of Congress. But it seems to me that the country needs a great many things that ought to be provided before we indulge in the luxury and expense of additional Congressmen. If I were asked to make a list of the things for which we have greater need than for additional Congressmen, I would mention such things as five legs for a dog, three hip-pockets in trousers, raincoats for submarine divers and long tails for goats. When these needs are supplied we can turn our attention to getting more Congressmen.

Our own dear country keeps on strengthening its army and navy a little. We still cling to the policy of preparedness, but keep it in mind, dear reader, that we are preparing against war, not for war. We prepare against war just as the fellow who provides a stomach pump prepares against drunkwhole financial world can't budge her. enness. The fellow who gets a jug of whiskey, it may be said, prepares for a a lesson of great value. It didn't soar, drunk, but not if he also provides a stomach pump for removing the whiskey. Our country provides against war by gathering the things that make other nations afraid to talk sassy to us

This is the situation, as I see it. The farmers of the South must grow less cotton to maintain prices; the farmers of the West must produce less wheat to maintain pries; the factories of the East must reduce the output of their mills to maintain prices, and organized labor must work fewer hours to maintain wages. All classes must adopt lower production as a defensive measure, but it remains to be seen what economical effect will follow the clogging of the arteries of commerce by shutting down production.

Can an object be both round and square at the same time? To be sure. This may have an anomalous ring, but it's true nevertheless. The "all-around man" who is also square is the earth's best piece of furniture and the noblest work of God.

Up my way the people face incometax paying time next month without a tremor of fear; and a promised visit of the internal revenue collector holds out no terrors. Most of us are about half Bolshevist because we earned so little that we are exempt from the payment of an income tax. But a few years ago, when we earned something to pay income tax on, we rose up and wanted to tear the government to pieces. We have an inalienable right to kick, and whether we are annoyed by the horn of plenty or threatened by the lean wolf of starvation, we are going to exercise that God-given right.

It seems to me that about the only friends cotton has left are the steam laundries. Some of the laundries tear up shirts and collars so fast there is bound to be a fair demand for cotton as long as these wearables are made of cotton and the laundries see to it that they are not worn too long.

Twelve years ago when one of the neighbor boys quit the old home town and struck out for the city, a letter was soon received by relatives and friends saying he was receiving \$35 a week for working the jack or turning bolts at a garage. When a home boy goes to the city these days we soon hear that he can't land a job, but the Salvation Army it does a lot of good in this old world. is taking fairly good care of him.

Of course there are a great many evils to cause a people and country trouand pussy-footing.

I am not permitted to discuss political matters in this column, and have no desire to do so, but please permit this observation and warning: When you play with Socialism you soon find yourself in company with Bolshevism, and by the time you have gone a mile with Bolshevism you find yourself trotting beside full-fledged anarchy.

It's flu time now. Avoid it as you would avoid Satan. Especially, avoid crowds. If there had been no crowds there would have been no flu. What a pity all of us are not hermits. It's a good idea to wear a gauze mask. If the style makers in the beginning had decreed that inverted tin-buckets, instead of hats, be worn on the head, there would have been no spread of this awful malady. If you see a fellow whose proboscis gives evidence of breaking into a sneeze, stick your head under a culvert. Stay in the open air, so if a flu germ should chance to light upon your nostril, a kindly wind will blow it across a continent and plant it on the nasal organ of a Filipino or Hottentot.

The prices of some things are far above their real worth, but the prices of other things never reach their worth, no matter how high they soar. I have always believed the price of radium, platinum and eau de cologne to be far above the worth of these commodities, but if red ham gravy, the kind that. wears a brindle smile and giveth its color in the dish, should soar to ten dollars a drop, I should still contend that the selling price was far below the gravy's actual worth.

Cuss camouflage as you will, and declare you despise it as you despise the evil one, but it is an unpuncturable fact that this old world would be a hard place without camouflage. If the woman whose unexpected guest you are for dinner should look and speak her feelings, it would be awful on you. If there were no such things as rouge and face powders, many men would never get married; and then, if there were no such thing as perfumery, there are many people whose company you could not enjoy. Camouflage has its bad side, but

I used to pity the poor Russians when they were under the rule of the tyrannical czar. I pity them more now when ble, but sage experience has convinced. I read of the Soviet denouncing churches, me that most of our troubles are due to and forbidding the celebration of Christbone-heading, down-sitting, belly-aching mas. One tyrant can't do as much mean ness as several million fools.

Who Says There Are

By JOE SAPPINGTON

than that they have never seen one. I have never seen the Grand Canyon, a wompus cat or my backbone, but I do not doubt their existence. An-

other contention of the skeptics is that there are no han'ts today, which is proof positive they never existed, so they

What about the huffalo, the old-fashioned hoop skirts, bustles and side saddle? They are gone. never to return, but no one doubts that they once existed. I can remember at least a dozen men who, when boys, were chased by han'ts.

Some of the boldest and most daring han'ts that ever sneaked around after dark, inhabited Cave Creek, when I was a boy. All han'ts are nocturnal and never come from their hiding places until after dark, which accounts for so little being known concerning their ex-

OME people do not believe in night. A crowd of boys could sit all "han'ts" for no better reason night near a graveyard and never would see hide or hair of a han't; but let just one lone boy pass that same graveyard whistled) and right straight a han't

would bob up in plain boy to save himself by instantaneous flight.

Uncle Tom Judkins that it was foolish to run from han'ts since airy substance and mistaken—there was couldn't have outrun

a han't. When I was about thirteen years old I out-ran a han't on a dark, drizzly night while handicapped with a set of plow harness and age beat high. a horse collar. I had borrowed the ing a snow-white han't about sixteen istence and habits. It takes a mighty hands tall appeared from behind a dense halted and went into a whispered con-

A tall gaunt-looking han't began

shooting at us.

bold han't to appear before a crowd of thicket. I did my best to shed that men or women, no matter how dark the harness, but couldn't get my head free of the collar. Realizing what I was up against, I made a run for it and came tearing in home with chains, hames and collar inextricably twisted about after dark, (regardless how loud he my body. My folks claimed I had seen no han't-that it was nothing but Bill Tolliver's old white mule. But how was view, impelling said I to know that it wasn't a "shore" enough han't.

Never Antazonize a Han't

As old as I am today, I wouldn't care stoutly maintained to antagonize a han't. I once took an active part in poking fun at a han't, but it came near ending in a tragedy. they were made of an Four of us boys had agreed to go in a body to an old deserted house known could go through a to be haunted and demand an audience rock wall without with the han't. It was an ideal night checking their speed. for our adventure, so ideal, in fact, that But Uncle Tom was our hearts almost failed us when we came in sight of the old shanty. It not one of us Cave was our intention to walk boldly up to Creek boys who the abode of the han't, take hold of him by the collar and demand an explanation. Dear reader, these high resolves were made in broad daylight when the sun was shining brightly and our cour-

The night of our adventure was dark harness from a neighbor and was and windy. We proceeded slowly and on my way home when without warn- with extreme caution. When within fifty yards of the haunted house we

ference, wherein it was unanimously agreed that we should address the han't from where we stood, at a distance of about 150 feet. We started out by whooping and velling at it to stick its head out at the window so we could talk to it, but no han't appeared. Then we bombarded the house with rocks and dared the han't to come out and fight us. Pud Jenkins finally made a mark on the ground with his big toe and dared the han't to cross it. Receiving no response, he gave a double-dog dure and then the trouble started. A tall, gauntlooking han't, waving a white sheet, came from behind the house and began shooting at us. It was at least six hundred yards to Jeff! Moore's home, but we made it in record-breaking time, coming in so close together that we jammed the door way.

That was the last han't that any boy in that crowd ever poked fun at or offered a double-dog dare.

As a general thing han'ts are peaceable and attend to their own business. if let alone; but look out if you make one mad. One night a crowd of us boys were possum hunting on Cave Creek and had built a fire to warm our hands when the subject turned to han'ts. Every boy present was afraid of han'ts except Frank Meadows.

Well, all I've got to say you air a bunch ing that might offend them.

of blame cowards. Why air you afeard of 'em? They won't hurt you if you'll stand year groun. If a han't was to come steppin' out of the brush and walk right up to wher we air now so tin'. I would kick it in the seat of its pants, if it was wearn pants, and ast it what it wanted. The idy of you fellers bein' afcard of a blame han't. You don't ketch me runnin' from one of the things, speshly when I got ba's musket, lack I have to night. Now, let me tell you blame sissies something else and ---

But just then a tall han't with a can pulled down over its eyes, stepped from behind a thicket and asked in a deep guttural voice:

"I'm looking for Frank Meadows, Please point him out to me.

Instantly we were on our feet and, without giving the han't any information about Frank, went tearing lown the creek, never looking back or slacking speed until we came to the school house, at least a mile from where we saw the han't.

Strange as it may seem. Frank Meadows led the race, throwing away his old musket while the race was young and reaching the school house steps 200 yards ahead of any one of us.

You don't catch me poking I "You boys make me sick," said han'ts or claiming I'm not afram of Frank. "Feard of han'ts, air you? them. I shall play safe and say noththem. I shall play safe and say noth-

THE value of the fur crop of Texas but imported from time to time, princiis estimated by the State Game. Fish and Oyster Commission for last season at \$3,000,000, which the commission believes is a very conservative estimate. While many of the fur-bearing animals do harm to game and poultry, it is believed that they more than pay their way by contributing valuable pelts, and thus constitute one of the important wild-life resources of the State.

Among the important fur-bearing animals found in Texas may be men-tioned the following:

The red fox, not a native of Texas.

pally from Tennessee and Kentucky. A few of these are found in nearly every section of the State, but they are most numerous in Henderson, Burleson, Fayette, Colorado, Lavaca and Walker counties.

The gray fox is found in largest numbers in Eastern Texas. In that section it is protected by law, being reserved to sportsmen for purposes of the chase. In most of its food. The Game Commission other sections the red fox is classed as a fur-bearing animal, with an open season for the sale of pelts. Trappers took neary 20,000 gray fox pelts last season in Western Texas.

The opossum contributes more than one-half of the fur crop of Texas. Opossums are found in nearly every section of the State, and last season, according to figures submitted by the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, 756,502 pelts

were taken. The raccoon is found along streams in most sections of the State, but does not range far from water, where it gets says 45,317 raccoon pelts were taken last season and that the pelts were

worth four or five dollars each. The badger is found in the Western portion of the State. This little animal has been of much service in the destruction of prairie dogs, gophers, rats, mice, etc. The commission reports that the trappers took about 4,000 badger pelts last season.

COIN MADE IN A. D. 180

A coin said to date back to the year 180 A. D., with its individual history beginning in an Idaho railroad camp in 1880 is in the possession of A. T. Stein, of San Antonio.

The coin has been passed on as an

anthentic Roman piece, dating to the reign of Emperor Commodus, who came into power in the year 180 A. D. One

side of the coin bears the image of Commodus and the other a picture of a vestal virgin:

The coin was found, according to Mr. Stein, by workmen on the right-of-way of the Oregon Short Line, near Pocatello, Idaho, and the workmen gave it to his father.

WOMAN 105 YEARS OLD DEAD'

Mrs. Disidera Rodriguez, who was 105 years old, died at El Paso recently. from injuries sustained in a fall as she leaving a street car. Up to the time she was injured she was very active.

TEXAS BRIEF NEWS

GAME KILLED LAST SEASON

The number of deer killed in Texas the past season was 3,983. This was an increase of 782 over the previous season when there were 3,201. The increase in the kill was due mainly to the increase of the hunting area from 1.500,-000 acres to 2,408,769 acres. The number of wild turkeys killed was 1,359, compared to 628 the previous season.

Over one-half of the deer and turkeys killed on shooting preserves were taken in the four counties of Mason, Kerr, Gillespic and Comal, in each of which counties there was a large increase of the hunting acreage. Over half of the turkeys killed were in Mason and Gillespie counties. The champion county for deer was Mason, where 729 bucks were

WORK SOON TO START ON WEST TEXAS LINE

An official of the Call & West Toxas Railroad, which is to link San Antonio. and San Angelo, has given out the information that construction work on the new-line will start about April 1. Under the permit of the Interstate Commerce Commission this is the time limit for beginning the work. A quasi promise of one of the officials is that trains will be running from San Antonio to Brady by Christmas of the present year. Much survey work is yet uccessary, due to the fact that no part of the new line is to have more than a 1 per cent grade. With nearly level grade, and heavy steel, which is to be used, will allow heavy trains to be run over the line at fast speed, giving the territory served trunkline service.

\$100,000,000 IMPROVEMENT PRO-GRAM FOR THIS YEAR

Texas has launched, or will launch this year, an improvement program of \$300,000,000, which will be spent on new water, railway and highway projects alone—all entirely new ventures. While this entire amount will not be expended this year, it is estimated that more than \$100,000,000 of the amount will be spent the first year. Some of the larger projects are:

Hydro electric dams and power plants along the Colorado River above Austin, \$25,600.000

Maserick county irrigation project,

Red Bluff irrigation project on the Pecus River, \$7,500,000.

Brazos Valley storage, power, irrigation and domestic supply project, \$50,-Trinity River navigation plan, \$50.

Red River navigation and water sup-

ply proposal, \$50,000,000

rigation plan, \$10,000,000. Highway projects all over the State.

\$40,000,000. Texas & Pacific Northern Railway.

planned from Big Spring to Yega, Lubback and Amarillo, \$13,000,000 Santa Le éxtensions in Panhandle,

\$5000.000Southern Pacific line between San Antonio and San Angelo, \$5,000,000.

HAS BIBLE PICKED UP ON BATTLEFIELD

Rey. Thomas J. Barr, minister of the Church of Christ, residing at Pecos, has one of the most historic Bibles in the world. There are older copies of Sacred Writ, but none acquired under Niore tragic or Instoric circumstances. This Bible was picked up on the battlefield of Bunker Hill, one of the early contests in the struggle of the American patriots for independence from Great Britain. The old and sacred volume was found beside the body of a soldier who had made the supreme sacrifice for his country. In telling the story of the old volume Mr. Barr said:

"I was given this book by a member of my church with whom I visited on several occasions when she was ill. Before her death she gave it to me. Her story was that one of her ancestors was engaged in this fight for American independence. It was during the time that the fire was heaviest from the enemy and the Americans were given a command to retreat. As the retreat began its course, a young man came to the foot of the hill, found a book that had been smeared with blood from the wound of some soldier killed in battle. He carried the book with him. He found that it was the New Testament of the Bible, and written on the fly-leaf of the book was the name, 'James Rusk, June.' Several of my friends have offered the thought that the writing might have been done with blood by the wounded man, since the ink appeared to be of the same color as the bloodstains on the back. Since the battle was fought on June 17, 1775, he may have written 'Lymes Rusk, June—' and died before he could finish his last message

"I value this book very highly," Mr. Barr said, "and am going to keep it as long as I can, I wish I could find more information about the man who owned icand the weitings

PADRE ISLAND

Only of recent years has attention turned to the strip of successive islands that lie like a long first line of defense in front of the lower half of the Texas Gulf Coast.

That there is an island a hundred miles long in the group is unknown to many Texans. Of the three that make up the entire strip only Matagorda island is widely known, and that is due to circumstances of Texas history. Padre island lies in five Texas counties. And yet for all its hundred miles in length, and its occupancy of a part of five counties, Padre Island is but at a few points as much as a mile in width.

It is now proposed to make Padre Island a part of the "Hug-the-Coast" Highway. The lower stretch of that scenic thoroughfare is intended to shorten the road mileage between Brownsville and Corpus Christi.

CROP STARTED BY WILD GOOSE

A news note from Beaumont gives a very interesting account of how a wellknown field crop got its start in that section of East Texas.

The dispatch says that a wild goose brought down by a hunter in Jefferson county a few years ago started a crop that is spreading over the Gulf Coast. The story is told by the county farm agent of Hardin county.

Among a wide variety of peas shown by the agent at the fair this year was one known as "wild goose" peas, a small pea that grows similar to other peas, in a purple hull. The agent said that a few years ago a pea was taken from the crop of a goose killed by a hunter in Jefferson county and planted. The harvest was replanted until now the peais being grown over several counties. The peas are red and white instead of the ordinary green, and are very prolific and excellent for canning.

WESTERN MINISTER HAS PREACH-ED 61 YEARS

Rev. J. B. Parrack, who resides at Ganada, a modest little western Texas town, has preached 61 years, and while not active in pulpit work now, enjoys fair health and occasionally preaches. The same year he was licensed to preach he was married to Miss Rebekkah Lan-

dis, who also survives. Rev. Mr. Parrack was born in Oregon county, Mo., where he was licensed to Preach. Soon after coming to Texas in 1870 he became the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco. During the early 70's he served as missionary on the frontiers of Texas, crossing Indian trails as he crossed from one settlement to another. Occasionally on his rounds he visited old Fort Phantom Hill and old Fort Griffin, then outposts Rio Grande Valley master district ir- Indians. In those days Mr. Parrack account being copied from the Kilmatraveled horseback, carrying his ward-rock Journal. robe in one saddle pocket and his library in another. The former consisted of a change of clothing and a few extra handkerchiefs and the latter of his Bible and hymn book. He preached most of the time in Texas, but part of his ministry was in the old Indian Territory, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

GAPS IN HIGHWAYS TO BE COM-PLETED THIS YEAR

The State Highway Department will bend its efforts this year toward the completion of gaps in the cardinal highways of the State. Caps which there is reason to believe that this year will see completed include the following:

The Red Oak gap in Ellis county which will give Dallas and South Texas a direct highway.

The 100-foot right-of-way and wide short line through Bell county will probably receive its final work, which almost completes the hard-surfacing from North to South Texas.

The Forney gap in Kaufman county has been partially graded and the remainder has been contracted for, This gap is to be completed this year.

Grading will soon be completed through Waller county, centering at Hempstead, for Highways Nos. 6 and 20. Highway 20 extends from the Brazos bridge to Hempstead, where it intersects No. 6, which continues ten miles to the wide concrete highway of Harris county.

Work is being pushed in grading and surfacing on forty-four miles of Highway No. 2 through La Salle county between San Antonio and Laredo. This road will be hard-surfaced and opened within a short time, and with the work in North Texas on Highway No. 2 there will soon be a continuous hard-surfaced road from Red River to the Rio Grande.

During the year the final hard-surfacing of the Wilson county gap of the San Antonio-Corpus Christi highway will be completed.

The department is directing its attention to Highway No. 3 in Uvalde and Kinney countles. This includes a bridge over the Nueces River.

An effort is being made to do away with an extremely rough stretch of 3.800 feet west of Austin, on the Fredericksburg road. An effort is being made to reroute and atraighten this preparatory to improve menta.

AN IMPORTANT LAWSUIT

Several weeks since the Attorney General of Texas filed a suit at Austin to determine ownership of minerals underlying rights of way of railroads of the State. The Texas & Pacific Railroad was made the principal defendant, and twenty-one others were named. The Texas & Pacific was made the principal defendant because of its ownership of a ten-mile right-of-way in Ward county, a part of which is University of Texas lands.

The Attorney General indicated that the Ward county situation was paralleled in several other counties in the State, and should the State prevail in this suit, a serious complication will arise in producing fields wherein railroad companies have drilled on their rights-of-way.

On school lands and unpatented lands the State reserved a mineral interest of 1-16, and the suit apparently is to ascertain whether a railroad is a tenant only of the surface rights, even if it has purchased the lands outright and paid taxes.

TEXAS' OLDEST NEWSPAPER

Texas can boast of having had a newspaper as early as 1819. It was printed and published at the old Spansh town of Nacogdoches, by Horatio Bigelow, a member of the Supreme Council of the Provisional Government. The paper concerned itself with the military and political operations that were going on in that quarter of the Colony. There, unfortunately, is not a copy of the oldest publication in Texas in existence, but there are copies of St. Louis and New Orleans papers which tell of the receipt of the initial number of the paper and carry some items copied from it.

The next paper of which there is any record is the Texas Gazette, the first number of which is dated "San Felipe de Austin, Friday, September 25, 1829. Godwin Brown Cotton was its editor. It was a four-page paper, the pages 9x12 inches in size, containing each three columns, 21/2 inches in width. Though. nominally a weekly paper, its appearance much of the time it was published. was very irregular. There are many copies of the Texas Gazette on file in the Library of the University of Texas.

These and a few other papers of short duration were succeeded by the Texas Republican, which was published every Saturday at Brazoria, by Harris & Gray. Being the only paper in Texas from July, 1834, to October, 1835, it is of great value for the light it throws on the inauguration of the Texas Revolution. Proceedings of a great many mass meetings and committees of safety published in its columns are not elsewhere obtainable. The first number of the Texas Republican contains an account of the death of Mrs. Robert Burns, for the protection of pioneers against widow of the great Scottish poet, the

CORN GROWN AT LOW COST

W. J. Casey is known as the Corn King of the extreme northwestern tip of the Texas Panhandle, This region has a rainfall of about twenty-one inches annually, and until a few years ago was believed destined to remain largely a cattle ranching country, But Mr. King has thoroughly demonstrated that the region is also a corn country. Last year was not a good corn year anywhere, but Mr. Casey produced 100,000 bushels of grain on 4,300 acres. This section in 1924 shipped one car of corn. In 1928 the shipments grew to 81 cars. Last year about 1,500 cars were shipped. The greater portion of the corn was from Mr. Casey's farm.

Large-scale farming methods, employing tractors and multiple row machinery, shelters and bailers, give Mr. Casey a six-year average of nearly 30 bushels of corn per acre, a large part of which was grown on first-year sod land. On some acres the yield was from 45 to 66 bushels.

Mr. Casey, who was formerly a Chicago engineer, has not only shown that corn can be successfully grown in this region, but that it can be grown at very low cost. The average cost, he finds, is \$3.88 per acre. This is very interesting when we compare the average cost in the Middle West, which is around \$15 per acre. The low cost on Mr. Casey's farm has been made possible by applying business principles to farm operations, by mechanizing entire sections of land, thus reducing the overhead, and by efficient distribution of labor over a large period of the year.

The six-year average on this farm is 29 bushels per acre. In Missouri the average per acre yield is 28 bushels, in Kansas it is 20 bushels, and in Iowa nearly 40 bushels. The type of soil is sandy loam, of which there are millions of acres in the territory, all practically level and suited to latest type of trac-

torized farming. Some of the tractors used are caterpillar of a large type, with which one man can list sixty acres a day; when a night man is put on 120 acres are listed in twenty-four hours. Using a six-row planter, 60 acres of corn are put in in a day. With the big tractors 120 acres are cultivated in a day, running the tractors, which are equipped with searchlights, 24 hours a day.

Miss Martha Harvey, who was undoubtedly the oldest woman in northeastern Texas, died at Tioga, Grayson county, on December 27, at the home of her niece in Tioga. Had Miss Harvey survived until March of this year she

would have been 106 years old. Miss Harvey lived under the administration of twenty-six presidents of the United States. Up to four years ago, when her hip was broken in a fall, she was fairly active.

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (February, 1896)

The fashion journals had announced that bustles would be worn again this spring.

Two Texas Congressional contests had been decided by Congress. David B. Culberson, Democrat, won over J. H. Davis, Populist, in the Texarkana district, and Miles Crowley, Democrat, won over Rosenthal, Republican, in the Galveston district.

John Tyler, eldest son of President John Tyler, died in Washington City. He was 76 years old and held a position in the Treasury Department.

The Texas Legislature had passed a bill prohibiting illegal voting and fraudulent counting in the primaries of all political parties. This was the first effort made by the law-making body to exercise control and prohibit illegal voting in the primary elections of the State.

The United States Senate had passed a bill providing for the free coinage of silver. The bill was later killed in the Senate, and free silver became the paramount issue in the national election which followed. The Democrats nominated William J. Bryan on a free silver platform, and the Republicans nominated William McKinley, on a gold standard platform.

Great damage had been done by the overflow of the Brazos River. This stream established a new high-water record and the destruction of property

was very heavy. Bob Fitzsimmons and Peter Maher fought a championship pugilistic contest on February 21. The fight took place on an island in the Rio Grande, on the Mexican side. The fight was of short duration, as Fitzsimmons knocked Maher out in the first round, and received the purse of \$10,000. The fight was witnessed by a small crowd, not more than 400 being present.

Edgar W. Nye, the great humorist, who wrote under the name of Bill Nye, died February 22, of paralysis, at his home near Ashville, North Carolina.

An Italian scientist had announced the discovery of the X-rays, which would penetrate the flesh so that all foreign substances could be detected and operations performed for the relief of patients.

HOW TEXAS VOLUNTEERS RECAP-TURED SAN ANTONIO

On the 11th of last December the 95th anniversary of the recapture of San Antonio from the Mexicans was celebrated in San Antonio by the Bexar County Society of Texas Pioneers. This feat is described by some as the real beginning of the Texas war for independence. At the celebration Col. Frank H. Bushick was the principal speaker, who gave the following account of the great victory which meant so much to the Texans. We give below a part of Mr. Bushick's address:

"Within two city blocks of where we are assembled tonight a few hundred brave Texans defeated a large Mexican army entrenched in the stone buildings. around Main and Military plazas. They succeeded in turning back a dangerous invasion designed to stamp out in its incipiency the beginning of the war for Texas independence from Mexico.

Texas was at that time a State of Mexico. General Santa Anna had risen to power in Mexico and began issuing depressing decrees unfavorable to the property interests and civic rights of the American settlers, who had been invited to colonize the State under guarantees of equal rights and protection by the Mexican government.

"Suspecting that the Texans might rise in arms and assert their independence, Santa Anna sent his brother-inlaw, General Cos, with an army to enforce his decrees, and Santa Anna was in possession of this army 95 years ago. Early in December of 1835 an army

of Texas volunteers came to San Antonio, under the command of Stephen F. Austin and General Edward Burleson. It appears that General Sam Houston, commander of the East Texas volunteers, did not think it wise for the Texans to make a stand to oppose the Mexicans at San Antonio. He thought it would be a useless military sacrifice.

There was considerable delay and working at cross purposes between the various Texas leaders. A good many of the Texas volunteers got discouraged and returned to their homes, but those to justice. During the darkest night who remained were determined and

"The Mexican armies held the two plazas down town and were fortified in the rock buildings around the plaza. The Texans were encamped near the Mission and bitter ensmiss of the Commenches Conception. Among the brave and dash, and Klowas.

ing figures of the Texas forces was a Kentuckian named Benjamin R. Milam. Tiring of the delay and inaction, Milam drew a line on the ground and placing himself on one side of it, exclaimed, 'Who will follow old Ben Milam into San Antonio?' Three hundred soldiers re-

FROM OVER

THE STATE

They left their camp and took a new position west of the river on the north side of town, at an old mill. Just before daylight on December 5th, 1835, the Texans moved along Acequia and Soledad streets and seized the Veramendi house and the Garza house. Thus protected, they dug their way from house to house through the rock and adobie wash, the Mexicans in the meantime freely using their artillery and resisting them with rifle fire. On the 7th Col. Milam, in passing to Captain Johnson's position in the Veramendi house, was shot in the head and instantly killed. This tragedy happened in the yard of what we used to know as the old Veramendi building. Col. Frank Johnson succeeded in command and continued the fight, advancing gradually toward the Mexican stronghold on the plaza.

"On the morning of the 9th General Cos sent a flag of truce to Col. Johnson and surrendered San Antonio to the Texans. The capitulation was finally signed up on the 11th of December. General Cos agreed to leave Texas at once. Thus Bexar had fallen and the Mexican invaders were driven from Texas soil.

"The results were of incalcuable value to Texas. Had the recapture been postponed until the following March, as some had advised, the Mexicans might have gained such a stronghold in Texas and so reinforced themselves that the colonists might not have been able to dislodge them the following year. How-ever, due to Milam and Johnson, not a Mexican soldier was in Texas at the close of December.

"This driving out of the Mexican soldiers in 1835 afforded opportunity for the organization of the Provisional government of Texas and the organization of the army for the decisive campaign for independence so successfully conducted in 1836 by General Sam Houston and his compatriots. Another factor was the moral effect of the defeat of General Cos' army. It inspired the Texans with greater confidence in their own valor and helped to fire the spirit which set Texas free."

Tales of Old Fort Griffin (Continued From Page 2)

ous of the trip. He paused to await Sherman's arrival, but as time passed and the General did not show up, Long started forward. The plain was crossed without incident, and the grain contractor was feeling somewhat assured, but just as he entered a grove of scrub oaks he discovered Indians,

With hideous yells they bore down upon him and a rain of arrows covered his outfit. Long, knowing that the fight was futile, but also realizing that not to fight would be fatal, formed his wagons in a circle to resist the attack.

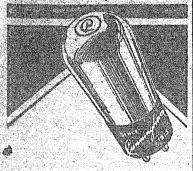
Roasted Alive

It was a stubbornly-fought battle. Long and his men killed Indians in great numbers, yet the braves seemed to know no fear and kept on advancing. After more than an hour of fighting they captured Long alive, though badly wounded. The chiefs, still believing that Long was General Sherman, decided they would teach the white man a lesson. From the surrounding woodland they gathered brush and logs to make a fire; as the wood burned low and only the glowing coals remained, they stretched Long between two trees directly over the coals and roasted him alive.

As soon as this dastardly deed became known at Fort Griffin a detachment of soldiers was sent out with orders not to return until they had captured or killed the murderers of Long. The soldiers carried with them an Indian guide, and after several days trailing and fighting captured the four Indian chiefs who had ordered Long burned at the stake. In chains they were taken to Jacksboro, Texas, where they were to stand trial.

A large concourse of people had gathered in front of the courthouse when the prisoners arrived. Satank, one of the chiefs, who vowed he would never be seen in a white man's court, had whittled the flesh from his wrist until he was able to remove the handcuffs. He made a desperate break for liberty, but the soldiers riddled him with bullets. The other three chiefs stood trial and were sentenced to life imprisonment.

As guides and trailers the Indians had no peer, and men fortunate enough to have a peaceful Indian as a trailer were usually the ones who were the most successful in recovering stolen stock and bringing marauding Indians an Indian guide can follow a trail by getting down on his hands and knoss and feeling the tracks of enemy horses. Tonkeway Indians were usually the best guides. They were friendly to the whites



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TEXAS GAINED OVER A MILLION POPULATION

More than 1,000,000 gain in population for Texas between 1920 and 1930 is shown in the final summary issued by the Bureau of Census. The State's gain was 24.9 per cent, or an annual increase of 116,148 during the ten years. The final count showed 5,824,715.

The numerical increase was larger during the decade than in any previous ten years, and is exceeded only by California, New York and Michigan The rate of growth, although lower than in previous census periods, was the sixth highest in the United States, being exceeded by California, Florida, Michigan, Arizona and New Jersey.

The State's population in 1850, when the first census was taken, was 212,592, which almost trebled by 1860 but in the decade of the Civil War the rate of gain declined to 35.5 per cent.

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LITTLE FUN Jokes to Make You Laugh

Just Natural

"Liza, you remind me fo' all de world ob brown sugar." "How cum, Sam?"

"Yo am so sweet an' so unrefined."

Schemer!

Wife-"John, there's a burglar trying to open the window."

John-"Sh-h, let him see if he can get it open. I haven't been able to budge it since the painters got through."

His Mistake

. Judge: "You maintain that you threw your wife out of the second story through forgetfulness?"

Smith: "Yes, we used to live on the ground floor, and I'd clean forgotten said wuz ye had 20 minutes to ate. we'd moved!"

Democracy

Willie: Pop, what's the difference between a democracy and an autocracy? Pop: An autocracy is governed by one person whose word is law, while a democracy is governed by a number of

No Choice

persons whose laws are words.

Kelly and Cohen were having dinner together. Cohen helped himself to the larger fish and Kelly said:

"Fine manners you have, Cohen. If I had reached out first I'd have taken the smaller fish.

"Vell," Cohen replied, "you got it, didn't you?"

An Old Family Servant The Landlady: "And what's wrong

The Lodger: "I just wanted to say I think you get too much mileage out of this roller towel."

Thorough Understanding

Young Scribbler and his bride, were alone for the first time in their new home. "Darling," she cried, "I must make a terrible confession to you-I can't cook.'

"Aw that's all right, dear. I've a confession to make too. I'm broke and there won't be anything to cook.'

Horseshoes vs. Golf

The Clarksville Times has been given credit for this story: A golf course has been established at the insane asylum at Austin. The patients petitioned for the privilege of playing golf, and their prayers were granted. We are not surprised that crazy people should desire to play golf; it seems the very game for them. People who are perfectly sane prefer the game of horseshoes.

Pity the Buck Privates

Mabel—"Remember that old gag about the tyo boys who quarreled over the nut and a third bozo cracked it, giving half the shell to each while he cial ones with red backs at 25 cents.' kept the kernel?"

ыаzei—"Yeah, what about it? Mabel—"Well, the other night I was at the soldier's barracks and two halfcracked nuts were scrapping about me, asked for something to do. and I got the colonel."

Common Prudence

At last the happy day arrived. Just before she was let off for the afternoon, in time to dress for the ceremony, Gracie, the colored maid who was to be bride that night, came to her employer. "Miss' Kate, will you do me a favor?"

"Of course, Gracie. What is it?" "I got fo' dollars an' fifty cents, Miss' Kate. Will you keep it for me, 'til to-

"Why, yes . . . But I thought you"

were going to get married tonight.' "I am, ma'am; but you don't expect I'm gwine to have all dat money in my room, an' me sleepin' wid a strange man!"

Town and Country

It is found that in ten years our urban population has increased from 51 per cent to 56 per cent. At this rate we'll soon be out of the woods.

Monotonous Menu

Millie-"So you went out to dinner with him again? What did you have?" Tillie-"Same old things-bologna, applesauce and razzberries.

Fine Distinctions

Lady Traveler (to Irish waiter in station restaurant)—"Did you tell me I had 20 minutes to wait or that it was 20 minutes to 8?

Waiter—"Oi said nayther, What Or

There's a Difference

"Who's that impressive-looking woman over yonder?'

"That's Mrs. Peckum. She's a remarkable woman, and they say, she commands a very large salary.

'How does she earn it?" "She doesn't earn it. Her husband earns it and she commands it."

Farmer Jinks-"What was the awful noise I heard?"

Mrs. Jinks—"Why, that was Mary

cultivating her voice." ... Farmer Jinks—"Cultivating, huh? That ain't cultivating, that's harrow-

Lo, the Poor Printer

Three bandits held up a printer in Chicago, and finding no cash on the premises, forced him to write a check for \$200. One of the robbers went to the bank, while the others guarded the printer and his office boy. In about 20 minutes the bandit returned with the check and no cash.

'This check was turned down account of insufficient funds," angrily exclaimed the bandit. "You got anything to say, before we beat 'er up?'

"Yes," said the printer timidly. "I would like to borrow from one of you gentlemen enough money to buy me a sandwich and a cup of coffee.'

Somewhat Confusing

A clergyman, slightly deaf, asked his clerk to make an announcement after the sermon about the new hymn books. The clerk, having other notices also, first read one on baptism, saying, "All those with children to baptize will please send in their names at once." The clergyman, supposing the notice read on babies was the one on hymn books, arose and added, "I want to say for the benefit of those who haven't any that they may be obtained from me any day between 3 and 4 o'clock, the ordinary little ones at 15 cents each and the spe-

Very Much Human

A man temporary out of a job ran into a friend who owned a circus and

"Well, the gorilla recently died," said the friend, "and if you want to get into his skin, swing on the trapeze, growl a bit and amuse the children, you can have the job."

The man filled the bill well until one day the rope on which he was swinging snapped and he was catapulted into the

lion's cage. The lion, seeing him, let out a lusty roar to which he offered a timid yelp. The lion roared more menacingly. The pseudo-gorilla lost his nerve and became entirely human, backed into a corner yelling, "Help! Help!"

The lion thereupon came closer and said in a hoarse whisper, "Shut up, you damned fool, you are not the only man out of a job.

and early winter for broilers, did not buy them this year. The

By F. W. KAZMEIER Poultry Breeder, Bryan, Texas.

Prices of Broilers

brooder houses are still empty. There will be but few broilers. Poultry

buyers are already feverishly scouting the country for their supply. Those of you in position to grow broilers this year can make money doing so. Get some early chicks, keep

the pullets for layers next year and sell the cockerels when they weigh one and a half to

two pounds. They will bring a very good price

There is only one time this year you can get early chicks, and that time will soon be gone.

Early chicks are easier to raise, grow better and the pullets make good layers, and this year the cockerels may be marketed at a fancy price when ten to twelve weeks old.

Reising Chicks

The best plan is to get all your chicks at one time. Labor is too expensive to waste locking after several old setting hens. Plan a good brooder house and brooder fer your chicks. Have everything prepared several days before the chicks are to arrive. You can get blue prints aboving construction of brooder houses.

your county agricultural agent, your home demonstration agent, local lumber yard, extension service A. & M. College, or we will be glad to send them free of charge. This spring, about Easter, we will see a real shortage of broil-It may be possible to remodel one of your ers and high prices. People that generally have bought thousands of chicks in the fall

old buildings into a good brooder house. A house 12 by 12 or 10 by 16 will nicely take care of 350 chicks up to broiler size, when the cockerels should be marketed. A house 14 by 14 will take care of 500 chicks to broiler size. Wire Floors We recommend wire floors in brooder

houses, made out of one-half inch mesh hardware cloth, over the entire floor. In cold weather, wire floors for baby chicks are too cold, unless the house is very warmly built. It may be necessary to use paper or empty bags on top of the wire, under the hover, in cold weather the first week or two for baby chicks. The wire floor in the brooder house helps raise healthy chicks. Disease is largely spread through contaminated droppings and by raising the chicks on wire floors, spread of disease and intestinal worms, through the droppings, is reduced a great deal. I believe wire floors in brooder houses, and even in sun porches on

in brooder houses, and even in sun porches on the outside of brooder houses will each year come into more general use.

Sanitation is the greatest factor in successful chick raising. Most chick diseases and trouble start from contaminated droppings from the chicks. Raise the chicks, so as to keep them away as much as possible from the droppings. Keep the house, brooder, fixtures and feed hoppers scruppilously clean and regularly disinfected.

10 First Prizes 1/200 PE



Of course, you've watched the funny acreen capers of Walt Disney's Mickey Mouse who has elimbed the steps to "novie" fame in Columbia Pictures. Recently, Mickey Mouse was acclaimed one of the world's most popular movie features. His name and fame are spreading everywhere as more and more movie fame get to know him. He appears here now dressed in his very best attire, ready to help you find success through a difficult test of observation which will qualify YOU for the opportunity to y fortune for yourself and win one of those Ten Equal First Prizes. Here is the test. Above are of Mickey Mouse. He appears to be dressed differently in each bose, but here's the trick I plays on you, for in two of the poses he is dressed exactly the same. There really are two al twins. These are the twin poses in which Mickey Mouse wears the same identical clothes—shir trousers. Study the pictures cerefully, and if you think you have found the twin, noses of X send their numbers on a post card or mark them with air X and send by letter, but be quick.

10 Extra Prizes of \$100.00 for Promptness

will be paid to the ten First Prize Winners on the proof of promptness, making the total of each of the ten hig First Prizes \$700.00 cash, or, if you prefer a new fully equipped 102) Chesrolet two-door Sedan (value \$600.00) and \$100.00 cash extra. Duplicate prizes Faid in case of tes. Answers will not be a cepted from persons living outside U.S.A. or in Chicago: Send no money. No obligation. Just rush your answer teday and I will let you know at once If it is correct. W. C. DILBERG, PUBLICITY DIRECTOR, ROOM 000, 502 N. DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

BUST OF GEN. SAM HOUS- WHEN THE SQUIRRELS SAN ANTONIO ZOO GIVES TON GIVEN TO SAN ANTONIO

A life-size bust of General Sam Houston has been presented to the city of San Antonio through Alamo Mission Chapter, Daughters of the Republic of Texas, by Mrs. J. M. Olivari, a member of the chapter, The bust will be kept in the Municipal Auditorium.

The bust is said by relatives to be an excellent likeness of to be an excellent likeness of everywhere, as numerous as the distinguished soldier and Statesman. It was given to West Texas, filling both the Mrs. Olivarri's father, the late forests and the prairies. The Samuel Sidn's Smith, by Governor F. R. Lubbock when largely on cotton seed. They document by which Texas and take them up trops and eat. nounced her secession from the seed. the Union in 1861, Mr. Smith was at one time mayor of San-

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EMIGRATED.

An old man with whom the the prairie dogs ever were in he went to Austin to sign the would cut off bolls of cotton.

OLD VIOLIN AT LONG-VIEW

Let patience have her per- view, believes he has one of fect work, that ye may be the oldest victins in Texas. perfect and entire, wanting The instrument, which is in nothing. Blessed is the man good condition, is believed to that endureth temptation; for be 302 years old and has been when he is tried he shall re- in Mr. Carter's possession chart, style sheets ceive the crown of life which nearly a half century. The the Lord hath promised to case bears the inscription. them that love him.—James, "Giovan Paolo Maggini," Brefeia, 1624."

50 DEER

A life-size bust of General writer has just talked, and hand, and finding the herd



man from a dude by the brand on his bootstraps. For over 50 years every round-up has been a regular store display of Justin hoots. Here's the boot that grew up with the cow country! Tough as a longhorn steer and comfortable enough to sleep in! Ask your dealer, or write us for a foot-form

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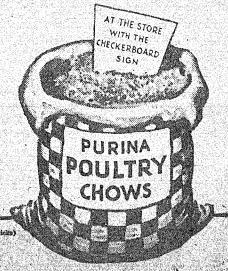
Out of this tiny thimbleful a chick must get so much. Fuzz must grow into feathers...little muscles into big muscles...little bones into big bones...the pullets should be laying in 150 days...all this they must do on a start of just one thimbleful of feed a day. No wonder there are 14 feeds in every thimbleful of Purina Startena Chow! Every thimbleful must do such a big job.

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42 Eggs for 37c

There are 42 more eggs in 100 pounds of Puring Laying Chows than in the average bag of more than 125 other feeds. The extra cost of Purina Laging Chows is 37c, 42 eggs for 37c. These are figures from the 1929 national survey of 3,007,718 hons. . . a survey made by 870 men in all 48 states.



PURINA POULTRY CHOWS BER CHOV...fer

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TEXAS FARM NEWS



crop in certain sections of try must be reduced in or- should be given. Southern Texas. The coun- der to assure living prices, try around Flatonia is going there was a very slight de- There is a farm of 1,800 ville has agreed to take the ed that terracing pays. He strong for garic, 30,000 crease of the wheat crop, acres in South Texas on production from 200 acres has checked and double-check, toes, peaches, plums, snap pounds of this crop being taking the country as a which there is only one and to pay the best market ed the comparative yields on beans, spinach, blackeyed 65 cents per bushel this fall shipped from there this whole. The Texas plant- horse, and it is a paying prices for tomatoes delivered terraced land peas, Irish potatoes and straw- at Gonzales county elevators, year. Some of the farming shows an increase of farm, too. The farm is lours at a warehouse in Hebron-the years, and berries. He attributes his C. F. Boenig, of that county, the yield on the terraced land success partly to irrigation was selling his corn at \$1.80 A ers made as hight as \$200 about 3 per cent over the cated a few miles from ville. an acre from garlic. for the 1930 season are es. acres last season.

timated at 1,250 cars, with a value of \$6,500,000. This Mrs. C. F. Peteet, of near was a decrease from the crop of the previous season, Both in number of cars and value. The value of the 1929 crop was \$7.000,000. The shorter crop of last year was due largely to the extended drouth and the late spring. Eight Eight Each hers last year on her loss the late spring. Eight Each hers last year on her loss the late spring. Eight Each hers last year on her loss the late spring in the late spring in the late spring in the late spring. Eight Each hers last year on her loss the late spring in the late sprin the late spring in the late spring in the late spring in the la was a decrease from the prior to December 1, when the Athey community. She tioned, but this farm is ers are carrying on research oranges are used. Utilization aided in the production of these remarkable yields. ern dealers say Texas birds didn't think she could aften dealers say Texas birds ford to use the meat scrap ern dealers say Texas birds are superior to those of are superior to those of other western and north-western States. The great bulk of the Texas crop of bulk of the Texas crop of using the meat scrap ske od tractors. The property of the seventher ways, tests to determine root rot and with good returns. Every bit of the farm work tation, subsoiling and manuring. The test will be of four producing areas. bulk of the Texas crop of turkeys was grown in the southern portion of the State.

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masn both ways. After power and gasonine-operation and win returkeys was grown in the southern portion of the southern portion of the found that she could not is served with a 2,300-watt electric line. Milking matchines are to be installed, planted back to cotton. After the southern portion of the southern p

Texas are solving the cat-scraps. caeti is not so particular as gardens, if, properly ap-enclosed with a turkey-to soil, but like other crops, plied, will prove a decided proof woven wire fence. On to soil, but like other crops, plied, will prove a decided proof woven wire fence. On does better on good soil un-advantage to the gardens this plot 500 bronze tur-station a test is being con-results of the Government was followed. The cost of ships of \$500 each will be der cultivation. On good during dry periods, say exakeys are ranging and 500 ducted to determine the rela-studies of extending uses of labor on the two-row-skip- awarded to 100 members seland the plants attain a perts from the United more will be added soon, tive value of Hegari and red-cotton, mentioning among row field was about one-third lected by a judging commitheight of from 6 to 10 feet. States Department of Agri- This range has been plant- top cane. Thirty Hereford other things the following: less than on the other, yet the states to the states of the states measure culture, but will prove in-jed in fine pecans. The crops calves were weighed in and The fertilizer industry is usfrom 12 to 18 inches and jurious if not properly on this farm last year in-placed in the test, in three ing about 4,000 bales of cot- more lint cotton, than the judging committee by the weigh from 2 to 9 pounds, done. Frequent light cluded 15 acres of cantellots. One lot is being fed ton annually for bags, which field which was planted after When a field is once stock-sprinkling of the garden is loupes, 10 acres of Honey ground ear corn, cotton seed could be increased to 170,000 the old plan. Both fields Thirty-five of these scholared with cacti no replanting injurious. The proper meth-Ball melons, 15 acres of cumeal and ground red top cane bales. Wholesale grocers now were planted the same day, ships will be awarded to mem1s necessary. The cactus od is to souk the soil thor-cumbers, 10 acres of string seed; another lot is being fed using 200,000 bales annually, the same kind of seed were bers in the South Extension plant lives to an indefinite oughly about once each beans, 5 acres of lima ground Hegari, cotton seed could expand to 600,000 bales, used and the method of culti- Section—consisting of the age, and often attains a week, preferably in the beans, 10 acres of spinach, meal and ground Hegari stoy-weight of 200 pounds. New evening, and then loosen 100 acres of hegira, 60 er, and the third lot, corn, cot-baels, could consume 200,000 Barnharn was so thoroughly Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, shoots or slabs which put the surface by cultivation acres of corn, 60 acres of ton sed meal and Hegari stoy-out each year may be brok- as soon as the soil is dry sudan grass, and 40 acres er. The test is to be con-packed in cotton sacks, 200,000 that he will plant his entire Oklahoma, South Carolina, en off or cut away for feed-enough to work. No more of feed-stuff, suitable for tinued 150 days, and the bales would go into consump- crop of cotton on the two-row- Tennessee, Texas and Vir water should be applied un- chicken feed.

In spite of warnings that til absolutely necessary, come a very important the wheat crop of the countent another soaking matoes was planted in Jim

previous year. This sea- Goliao and is owned by Dr. son's Texas crop is 3,152, A.W. Odell. As stated be-Texas turkey shipments 000 acres, against 3,060,000 fore there is only one horse ture has placed the value of on this big farm, and there the Nation's 1930 crop at is very little work for the \$6,274,824,000, a decline of lone equine to do. Another \$2,400,000, or more than a pecularity of this South fourth, under the 1929 valua-Marshall, reports a very Texas farm is that there is tion of \$8,675,420,000. This Red hens last year on her no cotton grown on it sani-Harrison county farm, in ty would have been ques-Artificial watering of farm is a plot of 140 acres

dairymen and of ground corns or grain and these will also be oper-being planted back to cotton, sorthums, ground oats, atad electrically. There are some will be compared with tural Economics, recently lecture to the normal sorthums. Many dairymen and of ground oats, ground stock raisers in Western bran, shorts and meat ten electric chick brooders crops which have been plantand four modern poultry ed continuously on adjoining houses. On one end of the check plants.

Frank Garner, of Caldwell county, reports an income of doches, was an office man for \$210 from one acre of watermelons. He planted a variety of melons which he says his More than 250 acres in to- rate of soda.

Hogg and Duval counties in January. A firm in Jackson-Rock, is thoroughly convincunterraced land. The Department of Agricul-

> Production of a fertilizer from the refuse at citrus can-county, is the champion corn ning and juice extracting grower in the 1930 4-H boys plants has been announced. It contest. Young Mr. Jones is claimed that the fertilizer, grew 144 bushels of corn on pigs while they ran on a suknown as cytro-humus, con- one acre of land. His nearest tains more than 41/2 per cent competitor was Lyte Pape, of of nitrogen, and is cheap Fayette county, who grew 138 enough to be used extensively bushels. The high yield of in production of several last year in this contest exceeded that of the previous year by 23 bushels. Good a large scale soon. Skin, seed seed, terracing, fertilization

calves weighed every 38 days. tion.

J. Thomas Hall, of Nacoggrew on his four acres tomaketing.

Russell Jones, of Rusk these remarkable yields.

Mart, conducted a test to de-the Centennial year, 1931. termine whether the two-row- The scholarships are offered skip-row method of planting, in commemoration of the One R. J. Cheatham, technolog-or the old system of planting Hundred Anniversary of the ist of the Bureau of Agricul-tural Economics, recently lec-tural Economics, recently lec-tural before the Agricultural Toronto III and Club of Dallas, on the possible ed two twelve-acre fields side ed States who will be of col new uses for cotton which by side. Cotton on one twelve- lege age by September, 193 should be adopted by manu-acre field was planted ac- and who is a member of facturers, distributors, whole-sale and retail establishments row method, and on the other may compete. skip-row plan this year.

A large crop of turnips and scarcity of feed in the Electra many years and then moved out on a farm. It was hardly large enough to be called a father bred up forty years large enough to be called a turnips and tops were ground ago. He fertilized with nit- farm, consisting of only four together and fed to chickens acres of land, yet off of this and turkeys. Excellent refour acres he made more than sults, with a record produc-Arthur Floyd, or near Paint \$3,000 last year. Mr. Hall tion of eggs, was reported by some of the poultrymen.

While corn was selling at was nearly double that on the and partly to systematic mar-per bushel. His plan of marketing was by feeding the corn to pigs. Last spring Mr. Boenig fed a lot of corn to his pigs and realized \$2.35 per bushel for it. He fed corn and a protein supplement to dan pasture. The supplement consisted of 40 pounds of tankage and 40 pounds of cotton seed meal mixed in a self-feeder with all the corn the pigs would eat.

> The International Harvester Company offers to 4-H Club members of suitable age one hundred (100) agricultural college scholarships of \$500 each, to be awarded on H: H. Barnhart, of near the basis of competition in

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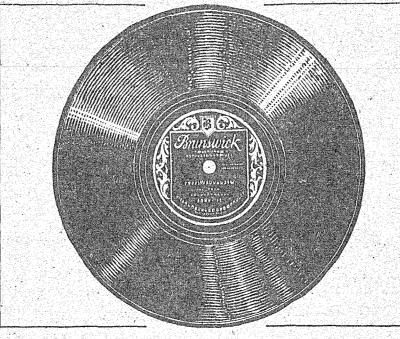
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RIDDLES

1. Why would you say it would be fatal for a dog to wag his tail?
2. Why would you call the family album an

3. What is the first bet the children learn to make in school?

SUNSHINE FOR SHUT-INS CLUB NEWS

Dear Boys and Girls: My! but this has been a busy month. Sending out the new numbers to the members that want to stay with us another year and sending numbers to new members, I have certainly been busy. I do not know exactly how many old members stayed and how many new ones have entered, but I am so happy to know that the club is growing all the time. Every month it sends its happy beams of sunshine into new adarkened corners. Each month more lives are made happier, both by giving and receiving. Are you doing your full duty? Are you a member of our club? If you are not we want ou to be. This club is free for all readers of this page. There are no dues or fees of any kind. All acts are voluntary; the more you give of sunshine the more you will receive. Just send in your name by filling in the membership coupon printed on this page. You will be mailed a membership card on which will be your membership number in the upper right hand corner. Each month there is printed on this page the name and address of every Shut-who belongs to the club. Before each name

appear the numbers of the members that send sunshine that month to that Shute want you to send cheerful letters, ine clippings, poems, stories, etc. month I asked the members of the club

press themselves on the question as to her postage should be sent Shut-Ins. I converge a few letters and each thought it wild be a good idea. However, there were not enough letters to really indicate the delire of the membership, so I am going to put this way—there are a great many very poor cople among our Shut-Ins, to whom even a perty-stamp means much, so I am going to my readers and members of the club to enclose a stamp or a self-addressed stamped envelope if you desire a personal answer. Shutns must write to this page at least once every three months in order to keep their names on the roll. This is to insure the corect address and condition of the Shut-In, and thus try to avoid confusion for the members that are spending time and money to make

others happy.

If any member failed to receive a Christmas letter with the coupon for reorganization, have your correct address; possibly your letter went astray-whichever it was we want your membership for another year, so please write

Now all together for a bigger and better "Sunshine for Shut-Ins Club" in 1931. Love to all;

(Signed) AUNT MARY.

Sunshine List

No. 1-2-Frances Johnson, Route 5, Mount Pleasant, Texas; age 61; in bed. No. 8-4-Miss Bertha Bentley, Rush Springs, Ohla.; age 28; in bed.
No. 5-6-Mrs. C. H. Christian, Route 1,

Mountain View, Okla.; age 28; in bed.
to, 7-8-Mrs. J. F. Dillard, Big Foot,
tas; age 64; not walked in 41 years. To. 9-10—Bertie Thompson, Route 3, Royse g, Texas; age 64; helpless. No. 11-12—Zelma Arthur, Skip, Ky.; age 15;

No. 13-14-Mr. Rob Boyd, Scurry, Texas;

age 18; in bed. No. 15-16-Ila Owens, Route 2, Winfield,

Texas; age 20; in bed. No. 17-18-Mrs. Eula Mays, Route 1, Winfield, Texas; age 45; sitting up. No. 19-20-R. C. Shaw, Route 3, Box 94,

Madill, Okla.; age 5; in bed. No. 21-22-Mable Brown, Route 3, Hamlin,

Texas; age 30; in a chair.
No. 23-24—Mrs. W. G. Sexton, Kilgore,

Texas; age 75; in bed.

No. 25-26—Mrs. Sallie Martin, Route 3.

Troup, Texas; age 72; blind and helpless.

No. 27-28—Frank Hug, Nazareth, Texas; age 7; cripple. No. 29-30—Elba Kay, Route 4, Stillwell,

Okla.; age 13; in bed. No. 31-32-Catherine Weathers, Box 284,

Canyon, Texas; in bed. No. 33-34—Miss Beulah Lamb, Route 1, B9,

Hazel, Ky.; age 38; in a chair. No. 35-36—Miss Doris Hutchison, Route 1B 80. Morris, Okla.; age 28; invalid.
No. 37-38—Waldine Young, Jonesboro, Texas; age 11; paralized.
No. 39-40—Lometer Cartright, Route 1,

Canton, Texas; age 20; in bed. No. 41-42—Jimmie Dugger, Route 2-B102,

London, Ky.; age 24; in a chair.
No. 43-44—Roselee Yelton, Hella Temple, 2021 Wilburn St., Dallas, Texas; age 13.
No. 45-46—Louise Sluder, Graham, Texas;

age 7; can't talk.

Where is your number? Don't forget that some Shut-In is depending on you for sunshine this month. You must not fail.

Letters of the Month Letters of the Month
There are many letters I would like to publish this month, but as you see the editor gives the just so much space and I must put everything that I have to gay in a few words. If your letter is not printed it was because there was anough space, it wish we could have printed accreage, as they were all little esting, and i am sure such one would have seven a good thought.

Therefore, Indiana this lad a few applies, variants and Dersatell size age is 31

vears; I haven't walked in five years, I have a

mother and two small brothers at home. My father is dead."

Mrs. C. W. Shaw, Madill, Okla., writes that "R. C.," her little five-year-old son, who is a Shut In member of the club, is home from the hospital with his whole body and left leg in a brace. Think, dear reader, of his suffering. "R. C." had his mother say to you through this paper: "Yes, you have helped make me happy. Old Santa was nice to me this Christmas. Al though I am under treatment, the good old doctor says I will be well some day. I will do lots for my mother and other folks when I am well. Thank you for the nice letters and presents," Doesn't that letter make all your

trouble worth while?
Rob Boyd, Scurry, Texas, says he was run over by a wagon and is not able to do any work. That is very hard on a young ambitious boy. Perhaps by our cheering Rob will be able to find his place in the world, even with a bruised and broken body. There is a place for all of us and we will find it if we will only

look for it. Velma Vièse, Kenedy, Texas, wants to know what has become of Claudine West. Does any reader know? Aunt Mary has lost track of her and would appreciate any information concerning her. She might send it to Velma. Velma also wants a picture of Aunt Mary's new baby. I hope to print a picture of my own three babies real soon.

Beulah E. Lamb writes: "I've received a number of greeting cards and do so appreciate them. Only one like myself, with the exception of God, knows the meaning of a continued Shut-In existence, and what cheer the mail

means to us." Catherine Weathers, Canyon, Texas, writes that she has enjoyed the club so much; and that she received a large number of Christmas cards. She says that she thinks the club is wonderful and she enjoys being a member and bringing sunshine to others. She enjoyed the club news in October and also the letters in the November issue. Catherine is a faithful

member.

Mrs. Franca, Johnson, Mount Pleasant,
Texas, says: "Von't feel that I can express
how happy I am over the many Christmas
and New Year cards I received before and
during the holidays. I wish I could see each person face to face and thank all for the bright rays of sunshine they all sent me, I have all the cards tacked on the wall beside my bed where I can look up and see them, as I can not use my hands. Words are insufficient for me to express, how glad I was made through the Sunshine Club during the year 1930. My prayer is that the Lord bless each and every one of the club members." Thank

you, Mrs. Johnson.
Mrs. Cora Sluder, the mother of Shut-In
Louise Sluder, writes that they have moved to Graham, Texas; they were formerly in Royse

Miss Mable Brown, Hamlin, Texas, writes to thank the members for their cards and letters and to say that each is read with interest. There are many more letters that I do not

have room to print. We will try to put them in next month if possible. Now, dear reader, if you are not a member of our wonderful club, come on in and help us do this wonderful work of spreading joy and happiness through messages of sunshine,

It will make you happy too.

Fill in the coupon at once and mail to Aunt Mary, Box 1012, Fort Worth, Texas.

MEMBERSHIP COUPON I want to be a member of the SUNSHINE FOR SHUTINS CLUBS.

Shut-In Pictures

In my Christmas letter to the Shut-Ins I asked them to send me a picture of them-selves, so I might print it on the page. To date I have received only a few pictures, but I hope in time to be able to print the picture of every Shut-In. I am sure all of our readers will like this, as they can keep them for a scrap-book of their work in the Sunshine for

Shut-Ins Club. How about it, boys and girls?

This month I am going to print the pictures of two Shut-Ins and next month I am going to print the pictures of two women in the Shut-In list. Come on, Shut-Ins, and send us your pictures. Please send photos that are plain and clear so they will print well in the paper.



Here is a picture of little R. C. Shaw, Madill, Okla. I think he has one of the sweetest faces I ever saw. I am sure he is. a darling boy. R. C. is five years old, and some day he is going to be strong and well like other boys; then happy we all

Here is Rob Boyd, Scurry, Texas, age 18 years. A wagon ran over him and he has been ill ever since. We feel sure Rob will fight his battle with the same smile he has in the picture and win his way back to health and happi-

ness. ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S PUZZLE

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In view of the carry-over of something like 6,000,000 bales Splendid Irrigable Droughfrom the 1929-30 crop which burdens us this year, it does J. C. ROSEBOROUGH, Sr., El Paso, Tex seem that it would be the part of wisdom to materially reduce our cotton output next year. But we hasten to add

duce our cotton output next year. But we hasten to add that we do not consider that a permanent reduction of cotton acreage would be beneficial to America.

As much as we dislike to admit it, we are no longer the whole show in the cotton market. Foreign production now aggregates about as much as American. Where twenty years ago the total production of foreign cotton amounted to only about 6,000,000 bales, it is a barn. American. Where twenty the second of the order of

declined.

Egypt and India are competitors to be considered when discussing a policy of acreage reduction; Russia, with her the considered with th reduction; Russia, with her five-day plan, is planning an immense increase in production for 1931, and Brazil, now that the bottom has dropped out of the coffee market, may rush into the production of cotton.

There is no money to be made from cotton at 10 cents

rush into the production of cotton.

There is no money to be made from cotton at 10 cents and for the present we seem to have nothing to lose by cutting acreage. But to adopt this as a permanent policy would sfir other and yet other cotton growing areas into activity, with the result that we should soon be in a position.

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J. Knebles held a steady job as an assistant ticket agent for a railroad. Then came a general lay-off, and he was out of a job. This was last October. Three months he looked for another. Then he took the opportunity I

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Two are better than one, because they have a good reward for their labor: For if
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Soon after reaching Texas in 1856 Mr. Brown's father erected a brick house not far from the present site of Aledo. The brick was made from clay nearby by Mr. Brown and his sons. The house is still in good repair and is occupied by a nephew of Mr. Brown.

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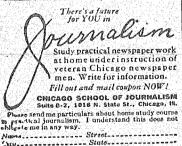
An effort is being made by the citizens of Mount Pleasant, with the endorsement of the Chamber of Commerce to secure a new highway across the State, and the approval of the Highway Commission will be sought. It is believed that by building a few miles of road between Mount Pleasant and Waco, some distance west can be saved between these BRATE BI-CENTENNIAL places and the distance be-

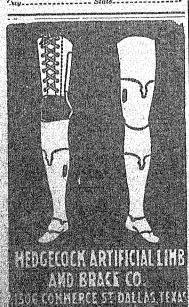
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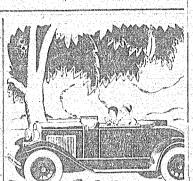
Then small ye call upon—Chiefly—the—celebration me, and ye shall go in and marked the time in March, pray unto me, and I will 1731, when the pioneering hearken unto you. And ye Canary Islanders, sent by the shall seek me and find me, King of Spain, elected their when ye shall search for me first local administrative ofwith all your heart.-Jere-ficials and launched the town miah xxix, 11-13.

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> of Sanfernando de Bexar, around which the City of San Antonio was builded.

The celebration also will be blackbeads makes large, featured by dedication of the safe and safe way to blemishes is to dissolve old Spanish Governor palace. splendors of an old world will disappear at once.

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to is original appearance. The program called for another feature on March the 9th, that of the unveiling of a statue to the Canary Islanders, some of whose descendants are still numbered among San Antonio's residents.

QUILT OF 34,008 PIECES

At a quilt show in Fort Worth, sponsored by one of the daily papers, many ingeniously-made quilts were submitted. One quilt worthy of special mention was the one submitted by Mrs. A. H. Smith, of Fort Worth. This quilt contained 34,008 pieces, and was made from scraps of dress material. Mrs. Smith savs it took over sixteen spools of thread, of 2,000 yards each, to sew the pieces together. She carded the cotton bats with which the quilt was padded. She completed the quilt 38 years ago.

The work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness quietness and assurance forever. -Isaich 32:17.



WOMAN'S PAGE

By MRS. MARGARET STUTE

HOME PROBLEMS.

SEASONABLE HINTS

Well, folks, here we are at the front door of spring again; for many of my readers it is already spring. There are so many things to be done this year. Aren't you glad that you are alive in a world so full of beautiful things? Then, the best part of life is that there are so many things to be done. One writer has said: "Thank God for a garden, because it is never finished." That is the way I feel about lifethere is always something to be done, some task to finish—some new thing just around the corner. How busy we have been all winter planning the spring work. We have intended to get so many more things ready than we have. How about you?

What a glorious winter we have had—last fall every one was crying, "Oh, what a hard winter we will have—not enough feed—not enough of this and not enough of that!" But there has been plenty and more than enough to go around. I could not help asking a friend to read Matt. 14:16-21. Yes, there has been plenty to go around and much to spare, so now we should forget about "hard times" and get to work making life just as happy as possible. There is so much to do.

First in our programs we should try to provide our families plenty of fresh, healthful food. Therefore, it is up to us to make a garden. It would have been desirable to plow the garden spot in the fall, but it is not yet too late. Prepare the soil as soon as possible and plant a goodly supply of spinach, beans, carrots, beets, peas, radishes, cabbage, onions, turnips, okra, squash, melons, etc. I would like to suggest that you plant beans for green string beans and also for dried beans (if you eat them). It is very easy to raise navy and pinto beans and blackeyed peas. They produce abundantly and are easy to harvest. Twenty or thirty cents invested in bean seed will yield many, many dollars worth of dried beans.

If you do not have an orchard, plant one now. Of course earlier planting is much to be desired, but if you do not have some fruit trees, plant a few. I would not advocate planting for commercial orchard, but for a small family orchard, where the trees may be watered in times of drouth. It is not too late, and you will be a year ahead rather than wait for another fall or early spring. Plant a few fruit trees as a living memorial while you are here. How does the yard look? Is it sodded with

grass, or is that one of the things you intend to do "one of these days?" If it isn't done—now is the time—do it today.

Prune that rose garden and replace the dead ones with new bushes. Plant a few other flowers this year. Grow flowers and not weeds. How about the children's play yard? As the days get better the children should be out of doors more and more frequently. Get their doors more and more trequently. Get their play-yard ready—keep them at home—then you will know their companions. The best investment you can make for their future is to provide a home that will make them proud and happy to bring their friends to. There are several play-equipment articles that are easy to fix and inexpensive, yet afford a great deal of pleasure for children. There is one thing

for the play-yard that I would recommend highly, and here is how to make it: The horizontal bar is recognized as one of the most useful and practical pieces of equip-ment for the physical development of the child, (boy or girl). The horizontal bar is easy to erect and inexpensive. Material: Two pieces of 4x4x9, four pieces 2x4x6; one pound No. 20 casing nails, one piece one-inch pipe, five feet seven inches long; two 3/8x4 bolts. Set posts three feet in ground. Bore three holes in each upright at height of four feet, four and a half and five feet respectively, in order to allow for adjustment to growth of children. Pipe should be drilled and kept bolted to up-rights at all times. If 4x6 uprights are used set in concrete, no braces are necessary. This horizontal bar is a suitable place on which to hang a swing for children, and an old automobile tire suspended from a chain or strong rope will serve as a swing or trapeze for small children. Inspect play equipment at certain regular intervals.

The see-saw is another favorite with children. One with a moveable base is made with the following material: One piece 2x10x12 the following material: One piece 2x10x12 (clear). One piece 2x4x12; one piece 2x6x8; one pound No. 16 casing nails. Make your children happy and contented—the country and small town child is entitled to just as much fun as the city boy or girl. Remember, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy;" this goes for Jill too.

In the spring there are many things to be done besides planting corn and chopping weeds. The weeds of unrest, discontent and hate kill and cripple the crop of growing boys and girls quicker than Johnson grass ruins cotton or corn. This is the season of change. hope the few suggestions in "seasonable hints" will help you.

COOKING INSURANCE

Secrets of Successful Cookery

"Why?" asked a young mother the other "Do I sometimes have good success in cooking while at other times, using the same recipe, make a failure?"

I asked her one question you should ask yourself if you have the same trouble—it was, "Do you measure accurately both the ingredients and the heat of the stove?" "Oh! dear no," she answered. "I measure the first time or two and then I feel like I

know just how much to use."
"Well, my dear little lady," I told her, "you will never be a successful cook until you have resigned yourself and taken an oath to your-

self to measure each and every time, everything you cook. That is what I call cooking insurance, be cause if I were writing such insurance I would write it only for the cook that does measure.

. First of all, use good products. By this I do not mean always the most expensive, but you can depend upon it that well advertised products must come up to the standard, as they have to "produce" in order to continue making enough money to pay advertising bills. Therefore, buy only standard recognized brands.

Secondly, have the proper equipment for cooking. Accurate measuring vessels are essenial Use a measuring cup with the graduation line below the rim for liquids, and to

and makes a very attractive dish.

chili pepper, 1 tablespoon butter.

little flour. Salt and pepper to taste.

orange rind.

TESTED RECIPES

Here are some recipes that are delicious. They have been tested for accuracy of measurements and tasted for the flavor. How do you like them? There is on my desk a very nice letter

from Miss Mattie Satberry, Ottine, Texas, that asks for some

of the good recipes she has read on this page. I am so happy to receive such complimentary letters and hope all of my

readers enjoy trying the recipes as much as I do in preparing

Baked Ham With Pineapple Boil a whole ham and skin it. Trim off superflous fat. Mix

four parts brown sugar and one part soft bread crumbs, add one teaspoon mustard and spread over ham. Place slices of pineapple over the outside of ham and fasten in place with whole clover. Bake one-half hour in moderate oven, or until well glazed. Baste with the pineapple syrup. Extra slices of pineapple may be placed around ham to brown. This is delicious

Date-Nut Candy
One package of dates, ¼ pound cocoanut, ½ cup nut meats,
1 tablespoon lemon juice, ½ teaspoon grated lemon rind.

Date-Apricot Candy

One package dates, ¼ pounds figs, ¼ pound apricots, ¼ pound cocoanut, 1 tablespoon orange juice, 1 teaspoon grated

In both recipes run the dried fruits (also cocoanut and nuts)

through a meat grinder. Moisten with fruit juice and knead in the rind. Roll out with a rolling pin into sheets a quarter inch thick. Cut with small cutter into rounds one inch in

diameter or roll into balls. Roll the ball in powdered sugar. This makes a healthful and delicious confection.

Yellow Rice

(Delicious to Serve With Meat.) One pint rice, 2 quarts water, 4 pound brown sugar, 1 table-spoon butter, 1 teaspoon powdered tumeric, 1 cup seeded raisins and currants, mixed.

"Wash rice; put into boiling water; add other ingredients and cook about one-half hour or until light and fluffy. Serve hot.

Tomato Soup

(A Different Way to Cook An Old Favorite)
One dozen ripe tomatoes, 1 medium-sized onion, 1 green

Boil tomatoes, chili and onion till tender. Mash and strain

them. Add 2 quarts of beef stock. Thicken with butter and a

Peanut Cookies Three-fourths cup shortening, ¼ cup peanut butter, 1 cup chopped peanuts, 3 eggs beaten, ¼ teaspoon soda, 3 cups

Gream peanut butter, sugar and shortening together until light and soft, then add the beaten eggs. Sift flour and soda together, mix with peanuts, then add, mixed thoroughly. Take bits of the dough, roll between the hands, then press flat with

n knife or spatula. Put about one inch apart on a well greased pan. Put half a peanul on top of each cookie. Bake 10 to 15 minutes in a moderate oven (850 degrees.)

measure dry ingredients use one with the graduation at the rim. A heat-proof glass cup is splendid for measuring boiling liquids. It is helpful to have a two-cup measuring cup where more than a cupful is called for.

Third, be sure to sift flour before measuring it, and pile into a cup lightly. If it is packed down there will be more than the recipe calls for and the results will be imperfect. Fourth, to use a measuring spoon, fill it full

and level it with a spatula or knife. For a half teaspoon fill full and cut out lengthwise. Fifth, if you do not have automatic heat control on your oven, buy a portable oven ther-mometer—it will pay for itself many times in making sure your baking.

Now that you have measured your ingredients, heated the oven to the proper degree do not forget to measure the time. Many a good dinner was spoiled because the cook "got husy' at something else and forgot the bak ing in the oven. A very good way to overcome this is to set an alarm clock at just a few minutes before the time of baking is up. Do not remove too soon or leave too long. Be accurate in time. After you have once acquired the habit of accuracy you will be surprised and delighted at the perfect results you will have in cooking.
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WORK OF HIGHER TEXAS COURTS

The second annual report of the Texas Civil Judicial Council gives the following interesting figures on the work of Texas courts:

The eleven courts of civil appeals in Texas in 1929 reversed 457 cases and affirmed 757 cases, the percentage of cases reversed being about 40. The Texarkana court found grounds for reversals in the field of pleading and practice in 98 per cent of the cases it reversed, leaving but 2 per cent for reversal on ground of merit. The court at El Paso found errors in pleading and practice responsible for 10 per cent of the reowever, unless the hair is kept in estimating the merits of off, abundant, lustrous.

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> LYNCHINGS LAST YEA During the year 1931 t were four lynchings in State of Texas of priso accused of crime. In all of United States there were 25 vnchings. Georgia led the other States in the number of lynchings with seven. Alabama and Texas each had diana and South Carolina, two four, Mississippi three, each, Florida, North Carolina and Oklahoma, one each.

MAKING A FOREST IN THE PANHANDLE

T. D. Hobart, of Pampa, to the list of those receiving Texas, who came from Vermont 20 years ago, is making a forest on his ranch. He has State of Texas is the largest put out a total of 60,000 trees employer between the rivers and is constantly adding to that mark its boundaries. It the number. There has alis a corporation doing busi-ready been a considerable proness of \$110,000,000 annual-duction of posts, poles and ly, this being the amount of firewood, and in addition to money coming into the State this production the grove furnishes shelter for livestock.

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