

# The Miami Chief.

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## PERMITS ISSUED BY POST COMMANDER

Since last Thursday, it has been decided by Mayor Seiber, that permits, to racing cars, for the use of the race track, are to be issued by Fred Cook, Post Commander of the Legion, and are to be countersigned also, by the Mayor.

This action was taken in view of the fact that the Legion was in charge of the track, and it was thought advisable for them to issue the permits, and have them signed by the mayor, instead of the mayor himself issuing them.

## ELECTRICAL SHOP MOVED

George Bennett has moved his electrical shop from the old Postoffice building, to the building just across the street west of the Cash Grocery. In connection with the electrical shop he is installing a gas and oil service station, and will be prepared to do light car repairing.

## PAMPA FAIR, OCTOBER 5 TO 6.

Pampa Fair association met and set the dates for the Fall Fair for October 5, and 6th, being the first Thursday and Friday of October 1922. Catalogues will be made up within 30 to 40 days from this date. Larger arrangements will be made for this year than was for last year, the entries will be accepted from the five Counties, Gray, Carson, Roberts, Wheeler and Donley counties, and any one else from any county in the Panhandle will be welcome.

Arrangements will be made for a large program of Sports, Automobile Races, Horse Races and a full line of sports for the entertainments of the visitors, no efforts will be spared to make the fair worth while, the Premiums will be made up, any person wishing to give a special please address A. H. Tinsley, Pampa, Texas.

There will be special arrangements made for Auto Truck style Show and a large display of Farm Machinery, New Patents and Old Relics will be displayed don't forget the date's and get you products planted early, and compete for the prizes, there was a nice fund left over from last year which insures success for this fall. The hog department promises to be a very large affair, also the Registered Cattle Department, will be worth the coming. Come to the Fair and you will meet all the old timers and acquaintances, as well as the young progressive farmers, that have been under the Training of N. C. Dunkle, County Agent and the Girls clubs under the direction of Miss Bess Winters, Home demonstration Agent.

F. P. Reid, Corr.

## LOVE AND SMILES WILL WIN

"No matter how much it hurts, keep on loving," says Polly, the delightful little heroine in Grace Miller White's squatter-folk romance, "Polly of the Storm Country." A tear in the eye, a sob in the throat, a tug at the heart—a smile, a chuckle, a hearty laugh characterize this wonderfully sweet little woman who trends her way through the pages of the story.

You experienced the same sensation when you read "Tess of the Storm Country" or saw Mary Pickford portray the heroine in the movies. Undoubtedly you will have an opportunity to see Polly on the screen, but read about her first. You will have the chance, for we are going to print the story serially in the Chief commencing with the issue of April 19. Be sure to get the first installment.

## RED CROSS SAVES A LIFE

During the recent Flu epidemic the Local Chapter of the Red Cross found the wife of an incapacitated World's War Veteran lying at the point of death and without proper medical or nursing attention. She was taken up and placed in the home of Jack Wilson and a Physician and nurse employed and after some three weeks of constant care she was pronounced out of danger. This young woman afterwards remarked to the chairman of the Local Red Cross Chapter that "if the Miami Red Cross never did anything else it was certain that they had saved her life and possibly that of her 18 months old baby.

The woman is Mrs. A. N. Gilmore, aged about 22, who lived with her young husband at Womble, Arkansas where he gradually lost his mind from after effects of being gassed and wounded in France. Friends took his case up with the Government and finally got him into a Government Hospital of the insane. In the meantime his wife took a position as housekeeper on a ranch below Canadian where she worked until the death of the ranchman's wife. She then came to Miami to visit with the family of Charles Harris where she was stricken with Flu-Pneumonia in a very severe form, being delirious and apparently hopeless case when taken in hand by the ladies of the Red Cross. Friends at Womble had succeeded, in her absence, of getting an allowance from the Government for the support of her and the baby. After she was well the Red Cross got in communication with these people who sent her expense money and reimbursed the Red Cross for the \$170.70 which had been expended in her behalf. This was an agreeable surprise to the Red Cross as well as to Mrs. Gilmore herself. After repeatedly thanking the members of the Local Chapter for what had been done for her and her baby she left this week for her old home where, thanks to a generous Government, she and her baby are well provided for from now on.

The Local Chapter has also recently been able to help some of our community's poor by providing groceries and assisting in getting work.

Owing to the scarcity of money the local Chapter has not made a drive of any kind for funds for over a year now, but a strong Christmas membership drive will be made next December.

Five times as much has been expended as has been taken in since December 1920. Don't forget your Red Cross Chapter whose field is emergency cases only. It is the County's place to care for its destitute, but the Red Cross aims to act while the acting will do some good in emergency cases of all kinds.

## PRESBYTERIAN AID

The Presbyterian Ladies met at the Sam Seiber home with nine members and four guests, Mesdames Jno. Newman, Baird, Rodgers and Sohns present.

It being regular Social day there was no business, and the time was spent in old fashioned visit.

The hostess served a dainty lunch of sandwiches, pickles, and Devils Food cake. Next meeting will be at the W. L. Mathers home Wednesday 13th.

P. R.

## A LITTLE SERMON RIGHT TO THE POINT

By Eld. G. A. Lambeth.)  
Brother, if your religion exists only in your intellect, and does not live in your soul, and push in a warm pulsing from your heart, it will not reach the hearts of your associates.

This is the trouble with much of the present day religion. It has never developed anything in our lives, more than merre mechanical Christians. It is only shot forth from our lips, and that usually while we are in the assembly. They go to the service on Lord's Day,—if they get up in time—and go through the form of service in a cold, lifeless way, and always feel relieved when the benediction is said. No spirit. No soul in the work. And they never have time to talk of the things that pertain to the name Jesus Christ, and His Kingdom, during the week.

We, the Church, must draw the line between the world and the Church so that the world can tell the difference.

## HOME PROGRESS CLUB NOTES

The Home Progress Club enjoyed one of the very best meetings of the year in the pleasant home of Mrs. Clarence Locke Thursday afternoon, March 30.

Although the weather was very disagreeable—in fact a regular Panhandle March day—with snow, rain and sleet falling most of the time. There were fourteen members and two guests present.

Vases of lovely red and white carnations brightened the large comfortable reception room while the guests were delighted with the artistic display of oil paintings—our hostess own work—which adorned the walls.

Mrs. Harry Craig presided over the meeting. After roll call and the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, Mrs. John Newman took charge as leader for the afternoon the topic being "Short Stories, Negro Dialect and Folklore."

Others on the program was Mrs. Claude Locke, who read a splendid paper on "Joel Chandler Harris" creator of "Uncle Remus." For years Mr. Harris was a regular contributor to the Atlanta Constitution and is known and loved by all southern people.

Mrs. Will Locke entertained her hearers with a negro reading, "A Matrimonial Experiment" which was very laughable. Mrs. McKenzie read "Why the Moons Face is Smooty" by "Uncle Remus."

After this splendid program a round table discussion followed on (1) The chief difference in Paces and Harris negro dialect. (2) "Can the negro be successfully segregated from the whites in literature. (3) "What has the negro contributed to our literature?"

During a business session various subjects of interest to the club were one over. That each member work for the success of the annual bazaar held Saturday before Easter was especial stressed.

Mrs. Ewing urged the club to lend their support to health week working in co-operation with Miss Worley, teacher of the Home Economics in the Miami High School. All members were reminded to observe clean up day April 5.

The club unanimously elected Mrs. C. T. Locke as a delegate to the State Federation of Womens Clubs from the seventh District to be held in Plainview April 20 and 21.

A delicious and daintily prepared lap luncheon was served by our hostess. The club guests were Mrs. Flake George and Mrs. Dulany Suttle.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. C. P. Pursley at the Garden Cafe April 13th.

## BAPTIST WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

This is the first report of the Baptist Woman's Auxiliary for some time, but that does not mean we have been inactive. On Wednesday, March 22, several ladies met in the home of Mrs. J. F. Johnston, where we had our monthly study in Royal Service. This was followed by a social hour Mrs. Johnston, assisted by Mrs. B. F. Talley, served most delicious refreshments. On Wednesday, March 29, thirteen ladies were present at which time a quilt was tacked for the Orphans.

On Wednesday, April 5, the ladies met at the church. We studied the second chapter of the W. M. U. methods and Manual. Mrs. Fred Smyers had charge of this lesson, conducting it in a most inspiring way. We will study the "Life of William Carey" next Wednesday.

Press Reporter.

## STUDY CLUB NOTES

The ladies of the Study Club were hostess to their husbands on last Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Kelley.

The guests arrived at an early hour and were entertained with program "42" through out the evening.

When it was nearly time for the lights to "wink" a delicious luncheon was served consisting of salad, chicken sandwiches, cake and coffee. This was a game every one could win at and was very much enjoyed as was entire evening.

The regular meeting tomorrow afternoon will be with Mrs. Fred Cook. Press Reporter.

## ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS FINE

The attendance at the meetings at the Methodist Church, has been excellent from the very start, the last two nights, the house being filled to capacity. Rev. Huckabee is a forceful speaker, and brings the truth home to his hearers in a mighty convincing manner. Special music is a part of the program every night. Meetings are held each morning at 11 o'clock, and the attendance at these has been quite good despite the adverse weather, and is getting better every day. A special appeal is made to the business men of the town to co-operate in making these day meetings a success.

Rev. Pennington, of the Baptist church announces that the regular services will be held Sunday morning, but on account of the meetings, the evening services will be omitted. Please bear this in mind, and make it a point to attend the meetings. You'll not regret it.

## THE HOME GOING OF MRS. HATTIE WELLS

As I open the Chief today my eyes fell upon the head lines, stating the death of our dear Sister, Wells. I have not words to express the deep sorrow that filled my heart and fills it now. Dear sweet spirit, concentrated, loving as she was, and in the sweet bloom of womanhood the Father calls and she is gone. Is not such the experiences of the world around? Death who comes least expected and so often plucks the sweetest flowers in Natures garden.

It was my joy to be her pastor for several years and to see and feel her Christly life radiating it warmth to all who knew her. She was a source of continued joy to me. She and her faithful husband was always to me my dearest friends. Dear old Jim, my heart goes out to you this sad day and the dear little ones she left behind, together with the dear father, mother and brothers. My heart goes up to the Saviour and my prayer is that in this your dark hour, He shall sustain you and comfort you.

Some sweet day when the clouds have drifted away, and earths vis fades to give sight to brightness our Saviours glory, somewhere the banks of the river of life un the palm trees of glory we shall see her again, and it will be then that we shall learn that death has lost his sting and the once shackled life has found its glory. God bless and comfort you and all who this day the shadows hover.

Be near when I am dying,  
O, show thy cross to me!  
And for my succor flying,  
Come, Lord, to set me free  
These eyes new faith receiving,  
From Jesus shall not move;  
For he who dies believing  
Die safely—Through Thy Love.

H. P. Wilsford,  
Her former Pastor

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Missionary Society met at the church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 with only a few members present. After the devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Rasor, the minutes for the two previous meetings were read and approved.

A few reports were made and showed good work being done.

The meeting for next Wednesday will be postponed on account of the protracted meeting.

The time of meeting was changed from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m. P. R.

## SOUTH SIDE WINS, 2 TO 0

Yesterdays ball game was a good one. You'll have to hand it to Miami, for there are a lot of good ball players here. The game was played here, with the South Side, but much to our disappointment the final score was 2 to 0 in favor of the south side. The winning scores were made in the first half of the ninth, when Russell and Danley were on first and second.

Patton came to bat and connected with the ball for a three base hit. At no time during the game were more than five men at bat, except in the first of the ninth, most of the time it being "three up, and three down, which made the interest keen from the very start. Fulton for the south side struck out eight men, and Voyles, itching for the north side, struck out twelve. Only three hits were registered, and eight errors, during the entire game.

The net proceeds of the game were a little over \$14.00 which will go toward paying for the grand stand.

## XX NOTES

Saturday night at 7:30, the XX girls met at the W. H. Dial home and went to the auditorium and enjoyed the program rendered by the Canadian Orchestra, afterwards we went to the home of Mrs. Clarence Locke where Miss Violet Rees honored us with a slumber party.

Mrs. Dulany Suttle was a guest and a very welcome one too, especially after she had fully consented to play her violin until we were tired of it. (But did she do it?) Mrs. C. F. Burnett our assistant leader filled the entire hours with joy when she made known her intentions of spending the night with us. We were every one more than glad to have her, but we just wonder if she will ever consent to spend another night with us.

At twelve o'clock after our "never hard" candy was made, we were served with a delicious mid-night lunch consisting of lunch, cake, and sandwiches. After the eats were well stored away and the dishes put away, Beulah and Mrs. Suttle rendered some very beautiful music.

But we hadn't forgotten that that was a very few minutes. We all ate a very hearty breakfast and we wants "Slats" to know that her brown biscuits were delicious. One thing wrong; too small! too small! After the breakfast was cleared away, we went for a ride, then to Sunday School.

Slats, the club members have already made known to you what a very, very good time we each had, but we want to say again that the "all fool" night with you was a grand success and the best ever and just any all time.

You want us to, We will come back. And be glad, too. For what is life without a friend Who'll stick to you thru thick and thin; And when at last the pal you meet The whole world, with a smile you greet. P. R.

Miss Viola Johnson, and Floyd Pennington were married at Amarillo, Sunday afternoon, according to Tuesday's Tribune. Mrs. Pennington will be remembered by many Miami people, who became acquainted with her while teaching school near here a year ago. Mr. Pennington, is a young business man, of Wheeler.

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HINKLE KIDNEY BLADDER CAPSULES
The scientific prescription of a successful physician. Composed of Nature's purest and greatest curative agents.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM
Restores Color and Brings to Gray and Faded Hair its Natural Gloss and Radiance.

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Famous English Surgeon Predicts Perpetual Life and Brain Grafting.

NEW DISCOVERIES BY CARREL

Whole Kidney Successfully Grafted From One Animal Into Another of Same Species—Arteries Transplanted.

London.—"Not only may the brains of the illustrious be grafted on the living, but we may also be on the eve of the secret of perpetual life."

This astounding possibility, arising out of a story told in the Daily Express of Prof. Alexis Carrel's discovery, is revealed by Sir William Arbuthnot Lane, the famous surgeon, who worked with Professor Carrel before the war.

"Any tissue kept on a microscopic slide, at a suitable temperature, fed with the right material, and drained at frequent intervals, will grow and live forever," said Sir William.

"If this is applied not only to one or two tissues, but to all the tissues of a living body, then it follows that such a man would live forever."

Food Too Digestible. "We pay for civilization by eating digestible food. We should in reality eat indigestible food as the savage does. The Hindu lives on green ground between water and the cake he makes is most imperfectly roasted. Therefore, he avoids all disease of the intestine, such as cancer, which is spreading in the civilized world with the most alarming rapidity."

Professor Carrel has made astounding discoveries. He successfully grafted a whole kidney from one animal into another of the same species. He did the same with a leg and other members, transplanting arteries and veins at the same time. I have seen a black dog with a white leg that had been grafted on. The blood vessels joined at the operation and worked successfully. Professor Carrel tried grafting a kidney at the expense of a living rat, but it became calcareous. These experiments, however, are inevitable because they lead to war.

Overturn the Slide. "The tissues Professor Carrel is experimenting with are mounted on slides and have to be kept at the same temperature as that of the human body. They are washed every day with saline water to dispose of impurities and they will never be as long as the treatment is continued. They grow just like a fungus, and in time overturn the slide. There is no end to this as long as there is perfect drainage."

Professor Carrel has not yet been able to unite tissues and keep them growing. Until this can be done these fragments will have no thought, although they may possess feeling.

"This work gives doctors and scientists a great insight on what is going on in the human body. Small tissues of the brain, the liver, or the heart may all be treated in this way. If the fragments are fed with thyroid juice they will digest the food and, provided all by-products are washed away, their life is absolutely without limit."

WOMAN CAPTURES A WILDCAT

Beast Scratches Her Somewhat, but She is Going to Raise it for a Pet.

Lead, S. D.—Mrs. Myra K. Peters, manager of the Sylvan Lake hotel at Sylvan lake, was the heroine of an exciting incident recently.

During her stay at the lake this winter, Mrs. Peters made friends with a small wildcat, and it became so friendly that it would sit out of her hand and even sit in her lap while eating.

The wildcat would come every morning for its morning meal, and Mrs. Peters became quite attached to it. While she was feeding it in her lap one morning she threw a robe over it and put it in a side place to keep it. While doing so she was considerably scratched until to hold it, but she now has the animal in captivity, and is going to tame and make it for a pet.

To Circle Earth in 24 Hours

French Airplane Manufacturer Startles Scientific Society With His Predictions.

SEES REVOLUTION IN FLYING

Expert Says in This Generation All Passengers Will Go by Air, With Bags and Trunks for Freight.

Paris.—The announcement before the French Association for the Advancement of Science that in the near future airplanes would travel at a speed of over 100 miles an hour startled the conservative Frenchmen so much that they charged M. Brugué, famous French airplane manufacturer, was more imaginative than Jules Verne.

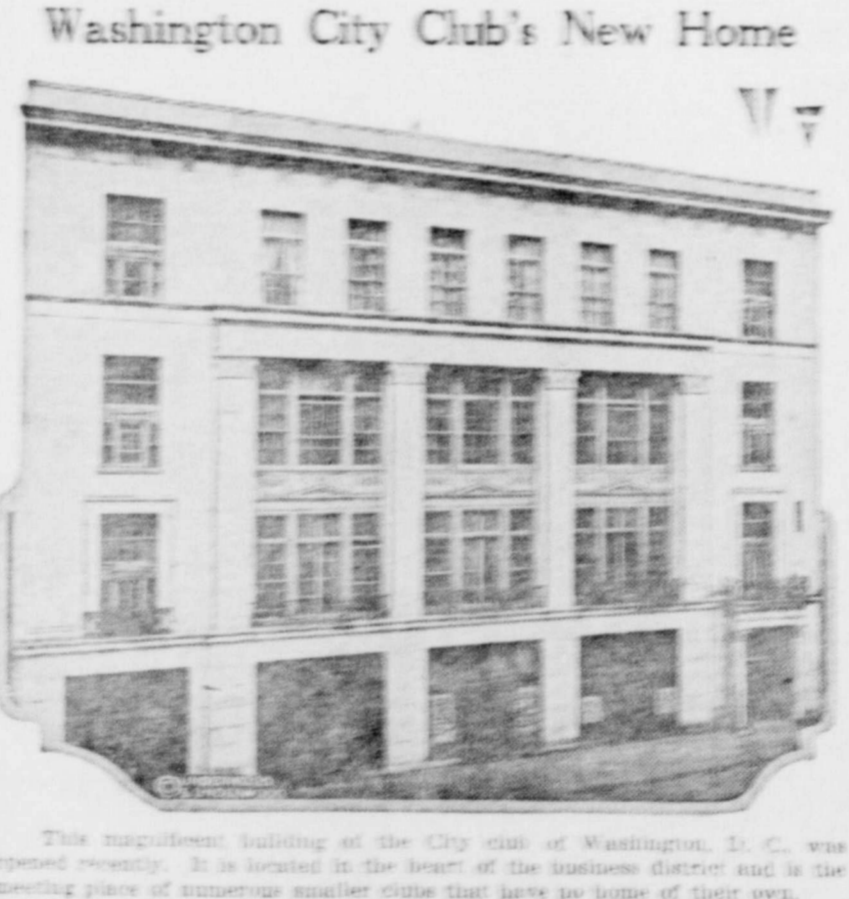
Circle Earth in Twenty-Four Hours. In his speech Brugué said that when certain improvements that he is working on are brought to perfection airplanes will travel at a height of over six miles, where air resistance is slight, make straight flights of thousands of miles without stopping, and furnish voyagers more comforts than any modern trans-Atlantic liner.

This great speed, which, he claims, will even be tripled some day, would be greater than the peripheral speed of the earth and would enable one to fly completely around the world in less than 24 hours. The improvements which will revolutionize flying in this manner are in the weight of the motor in proportion to its horsepower; the turbo-compressor, which he has just invented with M. Rateau, to enable horsepower at great altitudes; perfection in construction metals, which will greatly reduce the weight of the planes; and the fineness of the planes. During the war the fineness of the wings was rounded 20 to 30 per cent; now it is about 10 per cent, while the ideal, that of the eagle, the hawk and other soaring birds, is a trifle under 4 per cent.

Would Develop Speed. M. Brugué called upon airplane manufacturers to devote themselves to the development of planes which can travel at least 2,000 miles without stopping, such as from Ireland to Newfoundland, or Baker to Pernambuco; a minimum speed of over 200 miles an hour; every modern comfort, including Pullman accommodations so that passengers could sleep during long trips at night, and to have wireless installations to keep in constant touch with the earth and be directed by radiotelegraphy.

Log Yields 16,000 Feet. Hoquiam, Wash.—An enormous spruce log, ten feet in diameter, bore the largest ever cut in this section, recently was sawed into 16,000 board feet of lumber here.

When first put on the saw the big log broke the mill machinery and was not cut until repairs were made. Some time ago a larger log was brought here, but no mill would tackle it and it was placed in a Hoquiam park for exhibition purposes.



GERMAN DEAD ARE TO STAY

Soldiers Buried in Foreign Soil May Not Be Moved.

Cost of Taking the Bodies Home From Belgium and France is Considered Prohibitive—Graves Are Being Cared For.

Berlin.—German soldiers who died and were buried on Belgian and French battlefields probably will remain on foreign soil, on account of the cost entailed in bringing them home. This is indicated in statements by the official bureau entrusted with the work of helping relatives to identify the dead and arrange for the transportation of their bodies to Germany.

Although negotiations with France and Belgium for the removal of the bodies were concluded weeks ago, not one German soldier has been exhumed for the journey home, despite the fact that thousands of inquiries have been made by relatives.

It is desired to bring the dead soldier back to the Fatherland and seeking to establish the identity of the fallen, and the bureau opened in Prose, Bavaria, Saxony and Wuertemberg to help them, are swamped with inquiries.

Sold that they must bear the cost of exhuming and transportation, which from France amounts to 30,000 marks, they turn away, for that sum is now a large fortune to the average German. Consequently, settlement is growing to allow the German soldier dead to rest on the field where they were buried or in the French or Belgian cemeteries to whom they have been transferred.

The information that the French are carefully tending these burial places and, where possible, marking the individual graves with crosses and names, also has tended to allay the feeling that these dead should not remain in a strange land.

Under the stipulations agreed upon, some of the three governments assumes responsibility for mistakes, and the relative must give a guarantee of identity before permission is granted for removal, which in the majority of cases is very difficult. Even those relatives who can not or

TO MAKE IRISH STATUE



Friends of the Irish Free State in America plan to present to the Irish people a bronze statue commemorating the ratification of the peace treaty, to be erected on College Green, Dublin. Bobbie McLeary, here shown at work in her New York studio, has been selected to design the statue.

Man Paid Dog Fee, but Refused Wife's Poll Tax

Lon. Staples, of Winsted, Conn., rebelled at paying his wife's poll tax, saying that because she was his wife had no bearing on the case, and that perhaps he could not afford it. Before leaving the town hall, however, he paid his dog license fee.

Make Every Meal Perfect Feast

Tanlac Makes Each Bite a New Delight

WHEN your digestive system is working efficiently and smoothly, extracting from your food abundant stores of vital energy and piling up a reserve force of vigor to meet any emergency, every bite is eaten with keen zest and appreciation. If your meals are not a real event, if you do not approach the table



with the most lively anticipation of its delights, then you are only half-living, because you are only half getting the value of your food.

Lack of appetite, or distress from indulging the appetite, are both due to the same cause—failure of the digestive system to properly do its important work. The undigested food remaining in the alimentary canal may merely cause a distaste for more food when it cannot take care of what it has, or it may undergo chemical and purification changes that cause acute disease.

Besides, these chemical changes produce poisonous substances that are carried to every cell and organ of the body and that cause all sorts of distressing symptoms.

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organ and through ample energetic action of all the muscles and glands and enable food to pass through the canal in the normal time. For the thousands of little glands duty it is to pick up nourishment from the food and send this to all of the body are stimulated their utmost. The whole is that food is taken without distress of any kind in such manner as to the utmost benefit from it. If your appetite is not if your food seems to agree with you, if you are underweight, nervous, unable and lack energy, Tanlac the chance to show that it can work a



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Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

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# NERVOUS AND HALF-SICK WOMEN

### These Letters Recommending Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Will Interest You

#### For Your Own Good Please Read Them

Youngstown, Ohio—"Last fall I began to feel mean and my back hurt and I could hardly do my little bit of housework. I was played out when I would just sweep one room and would have to rest. I would have to put a cushion behind me when I would sit down and at night I could not sleep unless I had something under my back. I had awful cramps every month and was just nearly all in. Finally my husband said to me one day, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine?' and I said, 'I am willing to take anything if I could get well again.' So I took one bottle and a second one and felt better and the neighbors asked me what I was doing and said, 'Surely it must be doing you good all right.' I have just finished my eighth bottle and I cannot express to you how I feel, the way I would like to. If you can use this letter you are welcome to it and if any woman does not believe what I have written to be true, she can write to me and I will describe my condition to her as I have to you."—Mrs. ELMER HEASLEY, 141 S. Jackson St., Youngstown, Ohio.

would often sit down and cry, and was always blue and had no ambition. I was this way for over a year and had allowed myself to get into quite a serious condition. One day I saw your advertisement in the daily paper and began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once. I have improved ever since taking the third bottle and find it is the best medicine I have ever taken."

#### Benefited by First Bottle

"I was completely run down and not able to do my housework. I just dragged myself around and did not have energy to get up when once I sat down. I read advertisements of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in our paper 'The Indiana Daily Times,' and learned all about it. I received results from the very first bottle and now I am doing all my own work, even washing and ironing, and I never felt better in my life. I tell all my friends it is due to you."—Mrs. ELIZABETH REINOLD, 403 N. Pine St., Indianapolis, Indiana.

You should pay heed to the experiences of these women. They know how they felt before taking the Vegetable Compound, and afterwards, too. Their words are true.

"I was very nervous and run-down," writes Mrs. L. E. Wise of 76 Louisiana St., New Orleans, La. "I

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon 'Ailments Peculiar to Women' will be sent you free upon request. Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts.

**Prehistoric Ruins.**  
The fascinating interest of the ancient ruins in Rhodesia, South Africa, drew the attention of the archaeologists of the British association during its recent meetings at Cape Town. Among these ruins the most conspicuous is the great Zimbabwe temple, which lies about 200 miles inland from the Indian ocean. The oldest of the ruined buildings are believed to date back at least to the days of King Solomon. It is thought that they were constructed by Semitic migrants, whose chief object was gold mining, and who have left indications of their worship of Baal and Ashtorah, as described in the Bible. Experts believe that precious metals to the value of \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 had been extracted from the gold reefs of Rhodesia in ancient times.

**Overtaken.**  
Webster—I hear young Scudsbury is going to marry Miss Manchester. He ought to look before he leaps.  
Oldpal—He did. He took a glance over his shoulder and saw she was rapidly closing in on him. Then it was too late to leap.

**The Truth.**  
"You can't reason with a woman." "No, my boy; women are hard to beat."

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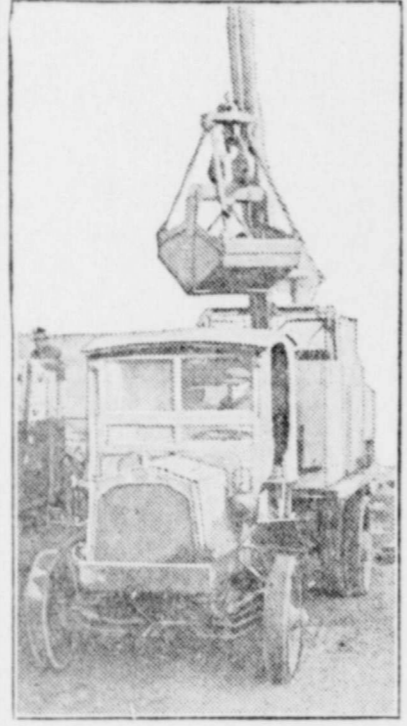
## BETTER ROADS

### GET SURPLUS WAR MATERIAL

Bureau of Public Roads Distributes Different Articles for Highway Construction.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Many and varied are the articles of surplus war material which have been distributed through the bureau of public roads. United States Department of Agriculture, among the various states for road-building purposes. These articles were turned over by the War department to the Department of Agriculture under the Wadsworth-Kahn bill, the sole stipulation attached to their use being that they be devoted exclusively to the construction and maintenance of roads. The distribution, which has been in process for some time, probably will be completed about the middle of next year. The total value of machinery, equipment, and supplies, independent of motor vehicles, which have been distributed is more than \$30,000,000. More than 10 closely written type-written pages are required for the list of articles alone. In the list are included many thousands of iron and steel bars, including 126,497 pairs of splice bars for 25-pound rails; 48,400 axes of various kinds; several hundred automobile bodies, and many thousand tons of spare parts; 12,398 brooms of various kinds; 275,085 feet of assorted cable; 60 cameras; 1,291



Truck Adapted for Road Work.

miscellaneous flat and gondola cars; 1,200 miscellaneous concrete carts; 117,350 feet of cord; 1,533 compasses of various sizes; 1,108 field desks; 24 grindstones; 4,690 hammers; 16,978 sets of assorted harness; 1,960 hatchets; 382,282 feet of various kinds and sizes of hose; 31,025 assorted lanterns; 14 sets of micrometers; 15,902 sheets of sand paper; 156,436 picks; 47,900 spark plugs; 307,647 fence posts; 25,000 gross tons of rails; 888,907 sheets of roofing metal; 494,800 feet of various kinds and sizes of rope; 67 salamanders; 378,812 shovels of various kinds; 47,892 spades; 1,757 tractors of various types; 4,773 wagons; 7,900 wheelbarrows; and wire of various kinds amounting to approximately 2,000 tons.

### EXTENSIVE SURVEY OF ROADS

Mileage, Cost, Character of Construction, Improvement Work, Etc., to Be Ascertained.

America's far-flung network of roadways is soon to be measured accurately in terms of mileage, cost, character of construction, improvement work, and general condition by the bureau of public roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. The survey, which is the most extensive ever undertaken and the first in seven years, is to be made with the aid of state and local officials the country over, and is comparable only to the great task of taking the national census.

### MICHIGAN KEEPS ROADS OPEN

About 1,200 Miles of Highways Being Kept Clear of Snow for Motor-vehicle Traffic.

Michigan is keeping open about 1,200 miles of its highways this winter in order that motor vehicle traffic may move unhampered on intercity roads. Michigan first adopted the road-clearing plan on a state scale during the war, when it was necessary to move army trucks out of Michigan factories and to transport war supplies by truck between cities. It worked out so well that the highway department has been following the practice ever since.

### WILL PLANT OREGON CEDARS

Systematic Work to Be Inaugurated in Pennsylvania During the Coming Year.

Systematic planting of trees along Pennsylvania state highways in forest areas is to be undertaken this year. Roads with the least number of poles with wires will be given preference. Plans also are being made to obtain cedars from Oregon for experimental planting in this state.

### Perfectly Safe.

First Thief (in hotel bedroom)—Go quiet, Jim. There's a woman asleep in that room.

Second Thief—It doesn't matter if she wakes up.

"It don't? One scream would bring half the folks in the house to the door."

"She won't scream. If she wakes up she'll throw a sheet over her head and keep still."

"Why will she?"

"Her head is all up in curl papers."

—Stray Stories.

### They'd Know About It.

One day young aunty was left in charge of the small apartment and the two children.

"I'm going into the kitchen to prepare baby's milk, Bobby," she said importantly; "you be sure to call me when he wakes up."

"Oh, you'll hear him for yourself," flung Bobby; "that kid turns himself on the minute he wakes up—he's his own alarm clock!"

### An Old-Timer.

"Senator," said the master of ceremonies. "I'm sorry, but the sound amplifier is out of order, and I'm afraid people in the rear of the hall won't be able to hear you speak."

"Don't worry, sir," said Senator Snortsworthy. "I'm not one of your modern weaklings. I was brought up in a rugged school of oratory where a man developed his lung power before he learned to think."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### Woman's Slogan.

Woman's dress nowadays may begin a little late and end a little early, but the cynic exaggerates when he says the modern girl's motto is, "Never put off till tomorrow what you can put off today."—London Opinion.

### Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the

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### GOT BACK AT "BR'ER SIMCOX"

Fool Question Met Merited Rebuke From Colored Preacher—Surely Right on One Point.

Bishop Candler, of Atlanta, was condemning a certain theological controversy.

"Such idle controversies," he said, "remind me of the colored preacher who began a sermon with the words:

"Brethren and sistern, when de fust man, Adam, was created, he was made outer wet clay and set up agin de pallin' to dry."

"A member rose in the back of the church.

"Pawson," he said, incredulously, 'does you seriously state dat Adam was made outer wet clay and set up agin de pallin' to dry?'

"Dem's mah words, Br'er Simcox. Dem's mah words!"

"Den, pawson, who made de pallin'?"

"Br'er Simcox, set down," said the parson severely. "Such fool questions as yours would upset any system of theology."

### A Guilty Conscience.

"You look troubled, Zeke," remarked Squire Witherbee.

"I am that, 'Squire," said Chigger-ville's best-known loafer. "I've been down to th' gospel tent hearin' that new sawdust evangelist preach on th' sin of idleness. Before th' feller got through, dog my cats if I didn't think he was personally acquainted with me!"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

### When Loafer Becomes a Pest.

"A loafer," said Uncle Eben, "don't do no special harm, 'ceptin' when he tries to be mistook for a worker an' insisses on gettin' in de way."

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### WHY THE NAME "MOONSHINE" GAVE HIS NAME TO CALENDAR

In Earlier Years the Illicit Liquor Was Supposed to Be Made Only at Night.

America calls the liquor illicitly distilled, especially in the Alleghany mountains, "moonshine." The apparent reason is that it is believed to be distilled at night and secretly transported without payment of a tax or the authority of official permit. The fact is, of course, that the secret stills work as hard in day as at night.

England used the word in similar manner, though not in the same sense. Over there moonshine is liquor that has been smuggled into the country without payment of a tax. The smuggling is usually done by small boats from the continent, that land at lonely shores at night, and the cargo is unloaded by the light of the moon. It was this that gave the liquor its generic name.

American moonshine is raw, unaged and often uncolored spirits. British moonshine may be the finest brandy from France, the choicest rum from Jamaica. In the British Isles, especially Ireland, the popular name for home-distilled spirits is "mountain dew," because it is in the hills that it is made, far from the prying eyes of the excise man.

### Holy City in Early Days.

Ancient Jerusalem stood on four hills, now almost entirely molded together, and the intervening valleys filled with debris. Mount Zion is that height on the southwest, the city of David, made conspicuous today by the towers of the German ecclesiastical buildings for which the former kaiser gave the land. Mount Moriah is on the east, the site of Solomon's temple, separated from Mount Zion by the valley of the Tyropeon, Mount Bethza is on the north and Mount Akra on the northwest, the two latter representing the crowded quarters of the modern city.

### Either Way.

"There are many little ways of practicing economy in the home," proclaimed Walter Wheese singly to his guest, after making sure Mrs. Wheese was out of hearing.

"So?" encouraged the visitor politely.

"Yes. Last winter my wife said we must get a new sofa in the spring."

"Well?"

"Instead, I got a new spring in the sofa."

### Willing to Overlook.

"What?" said the indignant old gentleman, "you want to marry my daughter? Why, sir, it was only a few years ago that you were caddyng for me."

"Yes, sir," the young man replied, "but I don't intend to let that stand in the way. I hope I have sense enough to realize that a very bad zoifer may make a fairly good father-in-law."—Boston Transcript.

### Try and Say It.

An automobile in Belgium is known as a "suelpandrelouzoontropoorvegetrolcumrytuig." Literally translated, it means "fast-horseless-without-rails-petrol vehicle."

There is something funny about a rabbit's tail—probably because brevity is the soul of wit.

### Pope Gregory XIII Left Lasting Monument—Other Famous Heads of the Roman Church.

Of all the long list of popes, Gregory XIII has probably left the most lasting monument, for he framed the calendar we use today, and it still bears his name. Gregory completed his calendar in 1582.

In more modern times a pope of outstanding personality was Pius IX, who in 1846 broke the age-old tradition that the pope should never preach a sermon. It happened in this way. A famous preacher of the time, Padre Ventura, whose eloquence attracted great crowds, had arranged to preach at a church in Rome, but at the last moment he was taken ill and the disappointed people were about to disperse when suddenly the bells rang and it was announced that the sovereign pontiff had arrived in the church. The pope entered the pulpit and preached a sermon which the historian of the time has described as a "simple, good, plain sermon, easily intelligible to all." It was the first time a pope had preached for 300 years.

### Eskimos Slaughter Musk Ox.

The Eskimo hunts the musk ox with dogs from which they do not flee. On sighting a small band he lets one or two dogs loose when the older animals immediately face outward in defensive formation with calves in the center, and prepare to give fight. As soon as the herd is thus "anchored" the Eskimo lets all his dogs loose and then proceeds to kill the musk ox with gun or bow and arrow. The musk ox are very fierce, and if a wounded bull charges the Eskimo, the dogs in turn immediately attack him, which gives the hunter a chance to shoot a second time. In this way the Eskimo is able to dispatch the whole herd.

### Mohammed in Court.

It was in a court of law, and a witness was being cross-examined.

Said Counsel—Why do you assert that the plaintiff is insane?

Witness—Because he goes about declaring he is the prophet Mohammed.

Counsel—And do you consider that clear proof of his insanity?

Witness—I do.

Counsel—Why?

"Because," answered the witness, with a complacent smile, "I am the prophet Mohammed myself."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

### Nothing New to Her.

Elizabeth's grandparents, although a devoted couple, were prone to excited argument.

Two little girls who were playing with Elizabeth paused in astonishment at some heated discussion between the old couple.

Elizabeth, impatient at the interruption, exclaimed, "Oh, come on! Don't pay any attention. They quarrel like that all the time."

### Sunday at the Zoo.

It was Sunday at the zoo. "What's the trouble with the fellows?" inquired the orang-outang. "Most of them look as if they'd seen a ghost."

"It's the economy stunt," explained the monkey. "They've decided to transfer the keeper of the elephants to the insect house, and they don't know how to break the news to him."

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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES TO N. S. CLUB

W. H. Patton, chairman of the committee on Ladies Attire, reports that: "Flappers" and "vamps" will be worn this summer, and that they make a beautiful combination for evening parties or picnics. Old Bachelors are just crazy about them! Many other articles of Ladies' attire deserve mention but he can't know their names. He has taken to New York for all of the latest fashions and Fashion plates, together with a comprehensive dictionary of the proper appellations applicable to each article. And the manner in which they are to be shown.

Ladies who are in doubt in regard to any question as to the dazzling daintiness or of the telling effect of attire should write, or phone or see the chairman of this committee.

New Mexico or Arkansas ladies should enclose a 2 cent stamp and state their age, sex, married, or single, Old Maids or widow, blonde or Brunette, stout or slim. Any lady weighing over 500 pounds need not apply!

Mr. Severson, chairman of the committee on Agriculture, reports that we are to have wheat eight feet high this year, and arrangements should be made at once for harvesting machinery of the Shanghai variety. The price for wheat will probably be about six inches. All Club members are advised to set on the price, or ship our wheat to Congress and have it credited on our Income Tax!

Dave Lard, chairman of the committee on Gardens in very optimistic on account of the good season in the ground, and requests that the person who borrowed his spade will please return it, so his wife can spade up their garden patch at once.

Old Man Heare, chairman of the committee on Matrimony, has been threatened with assassination. He is happy to report that the misunderstanding has been mutually settled and harmonious diplomatic relations again established. The "green eyed monster" has been killed by kindness.

Jack Wilson, chairman of the committee on Allega, reports that clean-up-day was a marked success, and that all alleys may now be safely regarded as Lovers' Lanes.

He further suggests that the alleys should be the main thoroughfares for easy traveling, so as to give the streets a rest and the bumps a chance to settle down.

Logan Coffee, chairman of the committee on Bootlegging, still has a sore finger and has been advised by all the Doctors to not write. His silence in the way of no report, and the suspicious actions of our Doctors is causing great uneasiness in the

minds of our citizens who abhor a continued draught. Much fear is entertained that the Doctor get all the moonshine!

The committee on Public Safety reports that the Irish were defeated on April 1st. "Glory Be!"

Our Schools and American institutions are safe!

The proud banners of progress, peace, prosperity, will now go forward until the turbulent, revolutionary Irish throw up their hands and exclaim: "Take 'my filthy Lucre'!" Apply it to the uplift of humanity! Whoever heard of an Irishman that would make a decent step-father for our blessed Boys and Girls?

Moral character, and knowledge instilled into our children through the conscientious efforts of our splendid corps of teachers gives every parent a strong helper in preparing their offspring for the battle of life.

Keep up our splendid institution of learning, but be as stingy with our school money as possible, consistent with efficient service and thus, please the Irish!

Old Man Heare announces to his Club and all of the Ladies Clubs in Miami, that as soon as he finds out which side he is on in Miami, that as soon as he finds out which side he is on in Ireland's internal troubles, he will then be able to inform them whether or not our trip around the world this summer, should take in Ireland.

It may be ascertained that our itinerary will be in less danger of bombing in Africa, India, China and Jaan.

Even proud Old England has lost some of its attractions, since the marriage of Princess Mary, and we learn that she wears a No. 7 shoe. Think of it! No. 7! Oh! Horrors! No. 7! And I'll bet it is low heeled!

O. M. H. P. S. Will "A. C. M." please help us to map out this trip? O. M. H.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

April 9, 6:30 p. m.  
Subject.—"What does Following Christ Mean?"  
Leader.—Miss Tessie Severson.  
Songs.  
Prayer.  
Scripture Lesson, Matt. 16, 24-26; John 14, 27-29, 12-24.  
Leader's Address.  
"Self Denial"—Lena Rodgers.  
"Fruit of the Tree"—Laura Christopher.  
"Service"—Lena Talley.  
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There are some things beyond the gift of gold,

A richer treasure, needed now and then;

Some joys life needs which are not bought and sold—

The high occasion often calls for men.

Some for release from service give their self,

But he gives most who freely gives himself.

by Edger A. Guest)

Miss Annie Webb Blanton, State Superintendent of Education, announced Tuesday that she would be a candidate for congress to fill the unexpired term of Lucian W. Parrish.

Miss Blanton made the announcement after she was assured that Mrs. Parrish would not be a candidate for the office.

The Pampa News is this week putting in a new press, much larger and better than their old one. The press bought from the Canadian Record, which paper is installing a still larger press than the one they are selling to the News.

THE SENATORIAL SITUATION

In the death of Lucian W. Parrish, the rapidly growing western half of Texas suffers a distinct loss in leadership. Mr. Parrish was the best western part of the State has resulted in the United States Senate and his chances for preferment for that position were highly promising.

The people of West Texas have had cause to feel that this part of the State has not had justice in National and State affairs, because of the fact that the sparse settlement of the western part of the State has resulted in smaller representation and the further fact that our Senators and Governors have always been chosen from the more densely populated sections in the eastern portion of the State, who know little of the needs of the imperial West and who centered their activities in the sections familiar to them.

These men do not seem to appreciate the ambitions, courage and resources of the western people, whose conditions and environments differ radically from those of the eastern part of the State.

Western Texas needs a man in the Senate who knows and appreciates the needs of the West. Mr. Parrish was that kind of a man. It is now up to the people of the western part of the State to choose from the list of aspirants a candidate who will stand pledged to protect the welfare of the western country, one who knows the West, its wonderful possibilities, its rapid development and its material, political and economic needs.—Amarillo Tribune.

An erudite exchange here in the Panhandle had it figured out the other day that the newspapers of the Texas Panhandle had the highest percentage of excellence and equipment of the papers of any other section of the country. The News believes that statement is correct and the publishers of the Panhandle are constantly improving so that the honor may still rest in this section. The real reason why the best average newspapers are published in the Panhandle is that the best average intelligence of the nation is represented in this country, therefore a higher grade of papers is demanded.—Clarendon News.

Real style and taste are combined in the new line of Ladies Waists at Locke Bros.

The Randall County News had its twenty fifth birthday last week and celebrated the event by putting out a four section, sixteen page Anniversary Number. And it was sure full of fine dope.

Snappy Talks

If a young man speaks of what he has done we call him "bigheaded." If an old man does it we call him nutty. If both keep still we call them grouchy. If they talk, we call them wind-bags. But We—well we are mostly critics, and critical and cautious—Pacific Printing Trades Bulletin.

Another little trouble with the country is that too many people think happiness is always quoted from m. Detroit.—Trinidad (Colo.) Picketwire.

Think twice before you speak, my son, and it won't do any harm to keep on thinking what you speak.—Boston Transcript

There is considerable complaint about meeting expenses. That's odd. We meet them everywhere.—Leadville (Colo.) Herald-Democrat.

Experience ranks right along with other great teachers who have a lot of pupils who don't seem to learn much.—Kansas City Star.

A West Virginia paper gives the following definition for the Editor. "One whose business it is to separate the wheat from the chaff—and then print the chaff."

Whether you believe in religion or not, you would not like to be in the world that had none of it.—Ft. Worth Record.

Who said hard times? With this rain, there can't be no hard times in Texas. Let her rain.—Ft. Worth Record.

As general thing, even the lesser of two evils is large enough.—Dallas News.

No matter what you do, try to do it well. Whether you build a mansion or a chicken coop, make a good job of it. If you succeed in excelling in small things it will be easier later on to excel in all things. Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.—Ochiltree County Herald.

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Is your liver out of order? Do you suffer from biliousness, headaches, constipation? If so, Tanlac is what you need. Central Drug Store.

Novelty for Jerusalem. Jerusalem has passed through a siege and war without being damaged by the invaders or the besieged, for the first time in the history of the city. The British airplanes flew over the Holy city frequently to observe the movements of the Turkish forces, but no bombs were dropped on its historical buildings by order of General Allenby, the commander-in-chief. It was the eighteenth time the place had been captured since the city was built.

Ostrich Eggs as Food. Mr. Gallien, diet expert, who has been experimenting with ostrich eggs supplied by the New York zoological gardens, declares that the food value of the ostrich egg is about the same as that of the domestic hen's egg. The flavor is identical and, although the ostrich eggs contain less protein than meat, they have more fat and a fair amount of phosphorus and iron. One egg will make an omelet sufficient for two persons.—The Argonaut.

A MIGHTY GOOD SUGGESTION—DON'T YOU THINK?

In view of the fact that Mayor Seiber, last week issued an order, regulating the use of the race track, a number of the more loyal citizens of Miami, have made the suggestion that it would be a wise move for the mayor, also to issue an order in regard to the disgraceful use of the Ball diamond.

It is proposed that, incorporated in this order, be the clause that, "if any visiting team shall make more than two scores, during their time at bat, to each player, in any one inning, without an out being made, the home team, (That is, the Miami team) shall be sent to their homes, or be subject to a fine, imposed by a commission appointed for this purpose."

Of course we all know that Miami can play ball, but—you know the possibility might occur, in which such a rule might be necessary account so many of the visiting team occupying the bases, and running, it is very easy for an accident to occur. If a visiting player should be injured there is the possibility that a suit might be instituted against the city. The idea of his rule, is guard against such a contingency.

Let's have your opinion on this suggestion. —Committee.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chief is authorized by the following persons, to announce candidacy for the offices indicated subject to the Democratic Primary July.

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DAN KIVLEHEN  
R. L. SIMMONS.  
W. M. BYERS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

CLYDE MEAD  
MISS CORA McCLUNEY  
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FOR COUNTY AND DIST. CLERK

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We are lightest when we rise in the morning. Breakfast puts on a pound or so, but we lose some of this by lunch time, when we again add to our weight. After lunch back we go once more, though, as between breakfast and lunch, we retain part of the increase. Then comes dinner, which brings us up to our maximum. We have then gained, on the average, seven pounds during the day. Generally, therefore, the greatest variation during the 24 hours is seven pounds. The weight lost between dinner and breakfast.

**Birthday Cake Candles.**  
The custom of placing candles on a birthday cake—one for each year—comes from Germany. The Germans placed a thick one in the center, called Lebenslicht, the light of life. Only he who she who declares his or her birthday may put out the light of life; it is unlucky if done by any other member of the family. The lights are symbols of life and its portions the years. For persons advanced in years one candle must do duty, as otherwise too many would be required.

**Classifying Youthful Visitor.**  
One day a caller brought her small son, who had evidently never been taught to obey, and the pleasure of the visit was much marred. As the guests walked away Anita stood looking after them and, in a disapproving tone, said: "He certainly is the worst of milder I ever saw."

**Tamed Without Being Tanned.**  
Australian Paper—"The play presented was Shakespeare's 'Taming of the Shrew.'" We seem to recall that Peruchio flourished a whip in one scene, but we don't think he actually tamed the obstreperous lady.—Boston Transcript.

**NOTICE**  
DRUM will pay 12 1-2 cents per dozen for eggs at the wagon yard today and tomorrow.

T-e-n-n-i-s S. h-o-o-e-s spells comfort. Locke Bros. have a full line at prices that you'll like.

**Lit 103 Candles With One Match.**  
In a competition at Walsall (Staffs) a woman lit 103 candles with an ordinary wooden safety match, writes a correspondent. She burned her fingers in doing so, but no other competitor lit half her number of candles.

**New York's First Fire Chief.**  
Anthony Lamb, a mathematical instrument maker, was New York's first fire chief. He received \$90 a year for his services. Fire engines worked by hand came into use in 1731 and were kept in the City hall.

**Only Real Thing in Life.**  
No man can afford to work for money alone. Simply accumulating wealth adds nothing permanent to human welfare. Wealth is only a means to an end. It is life with real purpose that counts most.

**Cut Glass.**  
Use lukewarm water, softened by the addition of soap, ammonia and washing soda, for cleaning your cut glass.

**Caesar First "Emperor."**  
Julius Caesar was the first ruler to style himself an emperor.

**NOTICE**

Weather permitting, we will have car of ice here next week. Thanking you for last years patronage.

**GENE MARTIN.**

**LAKETON ITEMS**

We still live in a land of mud and water.

Our wheat fields are beginning to look like work next summer.

Mr. Gillis is real sick, we are sorry to say.

Walter Jones sent Monday night with D. C. Christopher and family.

Kiff White, Walter Jones and Clarence Powell were elected Trustees of Laketon district.

Mrs. Anglus Davis, W. S. Paris, and Clim Davis were elected Trustees over at the Davis School House.

If you want to know what Model your cow is see B. Looper.

Clarence Bowers is moving back to his farm from Hereford.

Everybody cordially invited out to Sunday School next Sunday.

Miss Bessie Coffee left yesterday evening for Lora, where she will visit for a few days.

FRIDAY night, "IDOL OF CLAY" at the Pastime. This being a Paramount Feature don't fail to see it.

Allison Hise has accepted a position with Locke Bros. in the implement business at Pampa. Mr. Hise left for there last Thursday, and Mrs. Hise joined him Monday night.

Miss Beulah Lee, who has been ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lee, of White Deer, returned to Miami, Friday evening, and is back at her place in Locke's Dry Goods Department.

A baby boy made its arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Chesser, Tuesday, April 4th.

J. A. Holmes returned home Saturday night, from Panhandle, where he has an office.

TUESDAY night, A Realart feature, "SHELTERED DAUGHTERS" Always good. Show starts at 7:45.

Lee Gunter, former sheriff of Wheeler County, and well-known to many Miami folks, died last Thursday afternoon, on a Denver train, near Bowie, while he was enroute to Dallas for medical treatment. His home was at Panhandle.

SATURDAY NIGHT "13TH COMMANDMENT". A good feature, and also a dandy Comedy, one that makes a smile on your face that won't come off. Comedy, "LAST FALSE STEP."

Spring is here. That means—TENNIS SHOES. Locke Bros.

**BILL DECIDES**

By AGNES BARRY.

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"Spying again, are you?" queried Mrs. Sisson, sharply. "Do you know," she added, "if I had your smelling facilities I'd apply to the government for a job as lookout for forest fires? Your nose is your fortune!"

Mrs. Dobbs, neighbor, and the object of this ironical remark, quickly came back with a thrust worthy of the one she had just received.

"So?" she declared, emphatically. "Well, since we are on the subject of comparing beauty spots, permit me to say that you need never miss a bargain sale for the want of feet! And, besides, I wasn't spying. It was you who—"

But she did not finish, for Mrs. Sisson had closed the window and disappeared.

Spring cleaning was in full swing, and the two women had opened their bedroom windows for ventilation while going about their work. Mrs. Sisson had been attracted by a handsome quilt resting on the sill of her neighbor's window and had come forward, a little too promiscuously, perhaps, to her own window, that she might study the design, but only to find Mrs. Dobbs already admiring those which she herself had similarly hung out for airing.

Presently Mrs. Dobbs saw her neighbor near another open window in an adjoining room, and forthwith advanced for the second round.

"And as for your good-for-nothing son," she threatened, "if I ever see him speaking to my Katherine again, I'll have the law on him."

"Will you, indeed?" Mrs. Sisson sneered. "I'm sure my William knows better than to waste his time with your fickle daughter."

Again the fiery conversation was brought to an abrupt ending when Mrs. Sisson slammed down the next open window.

Of course it is hardly necessary to add that none of the above impetuous and absurd allegations contained a vestige of truth. And meanwhile, the young couple referred to by the querulous women never suspected that the dreaded split had come at last.

That evening, when Bill Dobbs arrived home, one look at his mother told him very plainly what had come to pass, and he wondered if there had been a scene.

"William," began his mother, gravely, "I hope when you decide to marry you'll not select a gossiping wife."

William fidgeted a little, then braced himself for his disagreeable task. "I hope not, mother," he replied, quietly, and without looking up.

"You know," continued Mrs. Dobbs, "heredity is an awful thing, and many girls grow up to be like their mothers."

"Yes, I know," assented Bill, meekly. "But fortunately there are exceptions. Now there's Katherine Sisson, for instance. A splendid girl, if there ever was—"

"Gee, ma," he exclaimed, "excuse me, won't you? I had quite forgotten an important engagement."

In a few minutes he had caught up with Katherine.

"You know?" he asked. "She nodded. "It was stupid of them to quarrel," said Katherine, reproachfully, "and they had no right to bring you and me into it."

"You're right," he agreed, firmly, "but we mustn't let such nonsense interfere with our plans."

He glanced back and saw the two frascible women watching them.

"I think," he said, "the sooner we get married the sooner peace will come." But she checked him.

"I'm afraid we'll have to forget," she objected. "Mother would never consent after what occurred today. She has forbidden me to speak to you."

"But, dear," he protested cheerfully, "they say love laughs at locksmiths, so why not be merry?"

They were now well out of sight of the watching mammas, and Katherine felt a mischievous impulse urging her to defy the maternal edict.

"After all," she laughed, "big feet are a good asset at a bargain sale or anywhere else."

"I—don't know what to say," faltered Katherine.

Bill pressed her hand gently. "Let me decide for both of us," he encouraged eagerly.

There was another short sile...

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CHARLES BUGHRE

Mrs. Duncan, Mother-in-law, of Clarence and Eurel Powell, was seriously ill at Vernon, and they left for there Saturday night.

Arthur Erwin, of McLean, visited Tuesday and Wednesday with his sister-in-law, Mrs. A. M. Jones, he being here to attend the meeting of Presbytery.

Ed Wiseley was called to Mobeetie, last Thursday, by the serious illness of his mother, who resides near that place.

then she murmured something, and while it is not definitely known that Bill eventually persuaded her to yield, it is a good guess that the adept little marksman of our fancy will whittle another notch in his arrow ere long.

**Shakespeare in Arabian.**  
Shakespeare's plays have been translated into and acted in many tongues, but perhaps the strangest presentation yet on record is that of "Romeo and Juliet" in Arabian by a company of strolling Egyptian players in Tunis.

So far as stage setting goes, it appears that the management was contented with the primitive "indications" of the Elizabethan days. It is assumed that no liberties were taken with the plot, though the Arabian interpretation of some of the incidents might be considered free.

The Arabians, however, do their best lovmaking through the medium of song, so that it was considered necessary to interpolate the usual plaintive oriental chants whenever the lovers came to a clinch.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Counts are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, who arrived, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce were called Cheyenne, Okla., this week by the serious illness of Mrs. Pierces brother.

Mrs. C. Coffee visited at Panhandle last week.

Mrs. Ralph Chisum, who has been very ill with the flu, is improving rapidly this week.

County Court was in session the first of the week, but there were only a very few cases tried.

If you are feeling badly, put your troubles away by taking Tanlac. Central Drug Store

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**PREVENTATIVE MEDICINE**

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

BAT BABIES

"Mrs. Hoary Bat," said Daddy, "had three small babies. She had been South all winter and now had come up North for the summer."



"Mrs. Hoary Bat."

"Every night when she went hunting for insects she took her babies with her, and they hung on like anything, as she flew with them across the tops of the trees."

"In the daytime she did not take them to live in dark caves, but stayed out of doors in the trees. But she did not care about the daytime for hunting or for playing, and neither did the babies."

"They liked the night time best, as all their bat relatives did."

"Their relatives, the Red Bats, lived in the open as they did for the Red Bats are first cousins to the Hoary Bats."

"Mother Hoary had strong, though long and thin wings, and she could fly a great distance without stopping."

"Ah," said Mother Hoary Bat, "you babies are bright little bat babies."

"I suppose every mother thinks her own babies are the brightest. I suppose that is the way it always is. Each mother thinks that no baby is quite so beautiful or quite so smart as her own."

"But all the same, though I know that to be true, I do not see how any mother can think her babies are any brighter than mine."

"I can take them off hunting for insects, and they hang on to me."

"Could other mothers fly off while their babies hung on to them? I don't believe they could. So I do think I am quite right in saying that no other babies are so bright."

"At least no other babies that I know of, except bat babies, can do such a smart thing as that."

"There are other mothers who have to leave the babies with someone else if they are going out and can't take the babies with them."

"They have to ask their neighbors to 'mind' the babies, or they have to ask the nurse to be sure to see the babies all right."

"They can't take them along as Mother Hoary Bat can. That is why I think my babies are so bright. They know enough to hang on. They don't have to be watched and guarded over while their mother goes out marketing, for they can go, too!"

"Dear little bat babies, Mother Bat thinks you are the brightest little babies in all the world."

"It doesn't matter what other mothers may think, for no matter what they think and no matter how much they may boast of their babies they can't do that."

"Well," said Nancy, "I'm glad that Mother Hoary Bat is so proud of her babies, and I am glad that they know how to hang on."

"But I would rather not be thought so bright than to have to hang on to my mother when she flew through the air for insects. I'm glad real mothers don't fly, for then there is no danger of their expecting their babies to hang on while they fly!"

"I think I'd much rather not be thought so bright."

"I believe I think the same," said Nick.

"Well, we're satisfied as we are, and the Hoary Bats are satisfied as they are," said Daddy, "but still I do think Mother Hoary Bat has a right to be very proud of her children when they can hang on and go marketing with her when they are only little babies."

"Yes, we will have to admit that," said Nancy. "For there aren't many little creatures that can do that! Still I am very, very thankful, Daddy, that I was never a little Bat baby. I am very, very thankful of that!"

RIDDLES

What country would you find in every larder? Greece.

When are birds like blossoms? When they are on trees.

Why is Tartary like white paint? Because it joins China.

Which is the most ill-tempered work for ladies? Cross stitch.

What animal would you like to be in a cold day? A little 'otter.

Home Town Helps

WELL CALLED "MODEL TOWN"

Industrial Community in Massachusetts Approaches the Ideal as a Place of Residence.

Of the town of North Billerica, Mass., a correspondent of the Boston Transcript writes:

As one walks about town he is pleasantly surprised by the appearance of cottages and gardens. They represent various types and periods of construction and evidence of individuality in taste, but their charm lies mainly in their gardens. Here one discovers the feminine touch in delicate vines, trained over roof, porch, fence and wall, or in a charming porch box filled with color, harmony and grace.

The more ambitious maculine effort is detected in spacious gardens, showing evidence of muscle and determination. Everything, however, reveals the hand of the landscape designer who, by his advice and supervision, has helped to create and maintain the desired effect, being careful not to destroy the individuality that is so important a part in any garden, and thus the yearly competition feeds the very natural element of ambition.

"Do you feel that you secure a material advantage by employing a landscape designer to beautify the grounds about your plant and help your tenants in making and maintaining their gardens?" I asked Frederic S. Clark, president of the Talbot mills.

"It is impossible to state from a dollars and cents standpoint the effect of the landscape work, or of any of the other features which we have introduced outside our purely business relations with our employees," he replied. "I am glad, however, to say that our relations in every way are of a very friendly character. We have had but one strike of any moment, and that was about 25 years ago. Our labor turnover is comparatively small, which is an indication of satisfactory employment conditions."

SHOULD BE WELL LAID OUT

Importance of Proper Planning of Town's Future Is a Matter Too Apt to Be Overlooked.

Speaking at the session of the conference, the Rev. Howard S. Childley of Winchester pointed out that town planning is an ancient art, applied by the Romans in England and excellently instanced by the planning of the town common at Oxford, England. In its application, he said, European cities and towns are far ahead of the United States and American cities and towns show today of what value planning would have been at their inception. To obtain this development now, Doctor Childley urged, education of the community to the economic value of the work, and then the enlistment of individual interest in co-operation must be attained.

As the representative of the Commonwealth, Mr. Young declared that, despite eight years of encouragement by law, the need of town and city planning is not widely enough realized. He asserted that the time has come for the state to provide more appropriation for this work and to aid in creating public interest. Pointing to the development of municipal forests abroad, he urged the importance of such reservations to a community with the lapse of a half century.

When a City is Disfigured.

When any part of the city is disfigured by billboards or when any residence neighborhood is ruined by the unnecessary intrusion of business the whole city suffers. People don't enjoy passing ugly or ill-kept property in going to their homes. It weakens the incentive for a family to own its home if there is danger that the property may be hurt at any time by the erection of a business house next door.

A city cannot permit itself to be disfigured in spots. It cannot acquiesce in a policy of ugly neighborhoods here and there. If it does, it subjects itself to unnecessary handicaps. It retards its growth.

A city is a unit. Damage to one part is damage to the city.—Kansas City Star.

A Railroad Monopolist.

"Pa," said Johnny on the afternoon of Christmas.

"Well, my son?"

"Why didn't you ask Santa Claus to bring you one of those electric trains if you like to play with it so much?"—Boston Transcript.

Rural Community Best.

Civilization, culture and development of rural people are to be found in conjunction with town and small city, and not apart.—Galpin.

Companionship.

"Don't you feel sorry for the poor animal that was skinned for the furs you bought for your wife?"

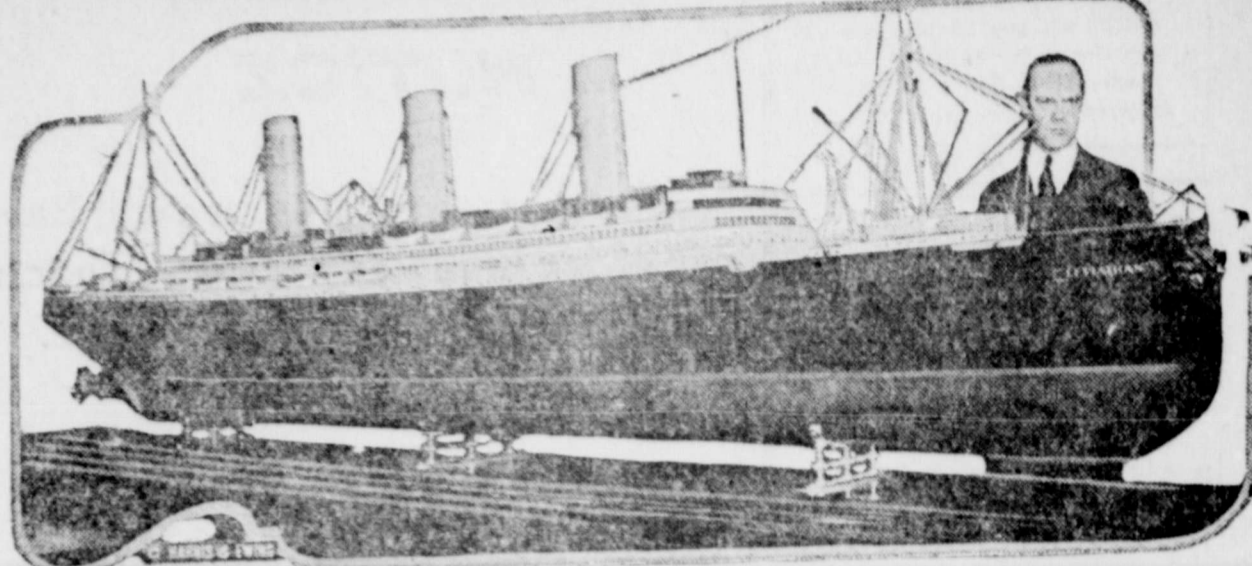
"Why should I feel sorry for the quadruped? It's true he was skinned for those furs. But so was I."

Among the Tired Business Men.

"You no longer embellish your speeches with humorous anecdotes."

"I had to quit it," replied Senator Sorghum. "Audiences got to calling for funny stories instead of paying attention to my serious arguments."

Model of One Thing We Got From Germany



Col. Thomas W. Miller, alien property custodian, in the lobby of his office at Washington, with the model of the naval transport Leviathan, formerly the Hamburg-American liner Vaterland. The huge ship is being put in condition now for use by the government.

Ruler of Tibet Is Hard Worker

Britons Find Chief Toils More Than English and American Business Man.

PUTS IN 20 HOURS EVERY DAY

Ponders Religious and State Affairs in Veritable Wonderland of Flowers, Birds and Wild Animals—Climate Is Cold.

London.—The Dalai Lama of Tibet, the religious and secular head of that secluded country, has to work harder than the average British or American business man. He gets up at four o'clock in the morning and labors until midnight, notwithstanding the fact that he is unquestionably the "big boss."

Sir Charles Bell, a British political officer in India, who has just returned after a year's residence in the romantic "forbidden city" of Lhasa, the Tibetan capital, says the Dalai Lama is a wonderful personality. Sir Charles is one of the few Europeans who have mastered the Tibetan language and this helped him to become friendly with the head of all Tibet.

"He paid me the honor of inviting me into the forbidden inclosure of his country palace," said Sir Charles.

Climate Is Cold.

"This was a little wonderland of flowers, birds and wild animals—a hidden retreat where he gives deep thought both to his religious and state affairs. Hundreds of canaries were singing here, and there were also stags, pheasants and a great tiger from Bengal."

"The climate was intensely cold when Sir Charles arrived, and for days the temperature indoors never rose above freezing point. In the place of window glass Tibetans used a sort of wax cloth. It lets the wind in, but they are a hardy race and do not appear to feel the discomfort of the cold. "Mutton, yak beef and pork are the staple diet," Sir Charles went on. "Tibetans do not like either chicken or eggs. They do not sleep on beds, but on the floor, on which are placed large downy cushions. You lie on top of these and fold them over you. They are very comfortable and warm."

Shoot the "Bones" For Prison Terms

Ability to make the "bones behave" and luck determined the sentences of five colored men brought before Judge Edward Stewart, in Newbern, N. C. When the five pleaded guilty to a charge of crap shooting, Judge Stewart announced that they might shoot to see what the sentence would be, the term to depend upon the fall of the dice. The results ranged between 3 and 12 months.

MANY GIRLS ARE MARRIED YOUNG

14,834 Wed at Age of 15 in 1920, Says Census Bureau.

Special Analysis of Marital Statistics Reveals Some Interesting Facts—Figures Show Gain in Marriage of Boys.

Washington.—Sixteen hundred boys and 14,834 girls, fifteen years of age, in the United States were listed as married in 1920, the census bureau announced in a statement presenting a special analysis of marital statistics. Eighty-two boys and 499 girls of the same age were recorded as widowed or divorced.

The analysis revealed a distinct increase during the recent years or since the 1910 census in the percentage of married persons for each year of age from fifteen to thirty-four, especially among the younger members of this group. The age group from thirty-five

to forty-four, inclusive, also showed an increase in the ratio of married persons in the decade, although less pronounced, especially among the women, while the proportion for persons forty-five years of age and older showed a decrease.

In 1920, the figures show, 3,222 boys of sixteen years, or 3.10 of 1 per cent of the total of that age, compared with 1.10 of 1 per cent of the total of that age in 1910, were married, while those seventeen years of age married numbered 7,896, or 8.10 of 1 per cent of the total of that age, compared with half that proportion ten years previously.

SENTENCED TO LEARN SPEECH

Five Boys Must Know Lincoln's Gettysburg Oration or Go to Reform School.

Passaic, N. J.—Five boys who amused themselves by throwing stones at trains and clambering about on freight cars were sentenced by Recorder Barbour to learn Lincoln's Gettysburg address and be prepared to undergo a catechism on it unless they wished to go to the reform school. The eldest boy, John Haimiak, fourteen years old, of Athenia, was told that when he reported back to the recorder in four weeks he must be able to recite the address.

"I won't sentence you now," said the recorder, "but when you come back here I want you to know something about Lincoln's life and his great address at Gettysburg. Study it as you would a lesson, and I will regard 80 points as a passing mark for your recitation. For every five points below 80 I will send you to the reform school for a year."

The boys left court to get copies of the Gettysburg address with the determination to read it till they know it by heart and also know what it means.

BEAR IS STOCK'S WORST FOE

Noted Hunter in Montana Declares Bruin Will Kill Animals Just for Fun.

Grande, Mont.—J. K. Stadler, a professional hunter employed by the government, brands the stock-killing bear as the worst enemy of live stock in isolated places. Mountain lions, of which he has killed three-score, are branded by Stadler as cowardly animals, only one of all he has killed showing any disposition to fight.

The veteran hunter, who has killed more than 200 bears during 25 years'

JOKE WAS ON THE ARCHITECT

Inside Story of Statue on Home of Vanderbilt.

Son of Builder Says Figure of Tired Mason on Fifth Avenue Mansion Was Joke on and Tribute to His Father.

New York.—New Yorkers who thronged Fifth avenue last fall to get a glimpse of the Broadway dandy, the deposed Rochante, the bride's dollar mark and other curious sculptures and carvings that adorn stately St. Thomas' church, missed one of the avenue's oldest architectural jests.

For more than three decades, it became known today, the figure of a tired mason has rested and sunned himself on the roof of the old W. K. Vanderbilt mansion at Fifty-first street, within a stone's throw of St. Thomas', gazing down at the fashionable equipages and richly clad crowds that flowed through the famous thoroughfare.

The few architecturally inclined persons who knew of the existence of the Vanderbilt mansion believed that the figure was erected as a tribute to a mason who was killed during the construction of the house, but Richard Hunt, architect, who with his late father, Richard Hunt, Sr., built the house, said the figure was at once

a joke on and a tribute to the senior Hunt. "The Vanderbilt home," said Mr. Hunt, "was built during the transition period, when it was customary to adorn the roof with a sculptured figure of some sort. The masons and sculptors were continually after my father to tell them what kind of figure he planned to use, but he kept putting them off, saying there was plenty of time to decide after the house was finished."

"Finally, when walking through the nearly completed building my father observed a screen in the large hallway, and directed the workmen to remove it. Behind the screen was a sculptor—Kipson, quite well known at that time—putting the finishing touches on a study of a mason at his rest, with his square paper cap on his head and a mallet in his hand. He had used as his model my father, who frequently put on a mason's cap and took an active part in the work."

"Mr. Vanderbilt liked the figure—and that's how it happened that the mason was put up."

The only other figure of an artisan gracing a wealthy home in New York, so far as could be learned, is a heroic statue of a steel puddler, which stands on the lawn before the Charles M. Schwab mansion on Riverside drive.

Mr. Schwab was a steel puddler himself before he was "discovered" by the late Andrew Carnegie.

Fish Deep in Oil Well.

Bakersfield, Cal.—A wildcat oil well on the Hitchcock ranch south of Porterville, at 1,200 feet, has begun to produce—not oil, but fish, according to word received here. They were tiny specimens, apparently from a subterranean stream.

LIVE STOCK

SEVERAL USES FOR ALFA

Experts Term It Nearly Perfect Forage—As Hay It Is Unsurpassed for Feeding.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) "A nearly perfect forage"—the height of praise heaped upon alfalfa by R. A. Oakley and H. L. Over of the United States Department of Agriculture in a new Farmers Bulletin, Utilization of Alfalfa, just issued. And when the good qualities of this crop are enumerated it is found that some such description is warranted. As a hay it is unsurpassed for general feeding; as a pasture it has a high carrying capacity and produces large gains; as a soiling crop it is valuable with proper handling.



Cattle Grazing on Alfalfa.

makes excellent silage; and ground into meal it is a good and easily handled feed. In addition those good qualities it is of great value as a soil improver. Attempts have even been made to introduce it as human food and as a medicine, but it cannot compete with other staple foods and it has no special medicinal properties.

Although not detailed enough to make laborious reading, each section from haymaking on through to silage, meal manufacture, and a consideration of fad alfalfa products, treated so fully as to give the reader a thorough understanding of the possibilities of this great crop. Those who are inclined to be too enthusiastic over certain uses will find reassurance in the collected experience of many growers and feeders to modify their views for alfalfa is not a panacea for all troubles of the farm and feedlot. Consideration is given to the needs of dairy cattle, beef cattle, hogs, horses and poultry, and to the various forms, including hay, ensilage, straw, soiling feed, and meal.

Those who are interested should write to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, for Farmers' Bulletin 1229, which will be free of charge.

HOW MANY SHEEP TO A FARM

Plan of Live Stock Production Recommended by the Department of Agriculture.

For 100-acre farms of all-able alfalfa a plan of live-stock production has been recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture, which includes 80 ewes (one ewe two acres) along with 22 brood cows and 12 brood sows. Arable land of the best class when used exclusively for sheep, can be made to support from five to eight ewes (with 10 lambs until marketed) per acre. Pastures suitable for either cattle or sheep five ewes may be considered equivalent of one cow or steer, the winter feed required for breeding cow not in milk would be equivalent to that needed for eight ewes.

GOOD FEEDS FOR FATTENING

Cane and Beet Molasses Tested in Iowa Experiment Station in Feeding Steers.

Cane and beet molasses are good feeds for fattening steers. The question, in some cases, is whether it is economical to feed it in competition with cheap corn. Tests at Iowa experiment station, with two-year-old steers, showed a loss on every ration tried, but there was a smaller loss when cane and beet molasses were omitted from the ration in one of the feeding tests. Tests a year ago winter brought this bit of advice: slowly in purchasing either cane or beet molasses if the price is higher than corn, pounds for pound. It is a feeder wants to use a pound of one day per steer for an appetizer he affords to pay more for it.

Watch the Ewes Closely.

Pregnant ewes should be closely watched and means devised that each member of the flock receive proper care.

Making Money With Hogs.

By making small fields and keeping each cropped, hogs may be raised at a minimum of expense.

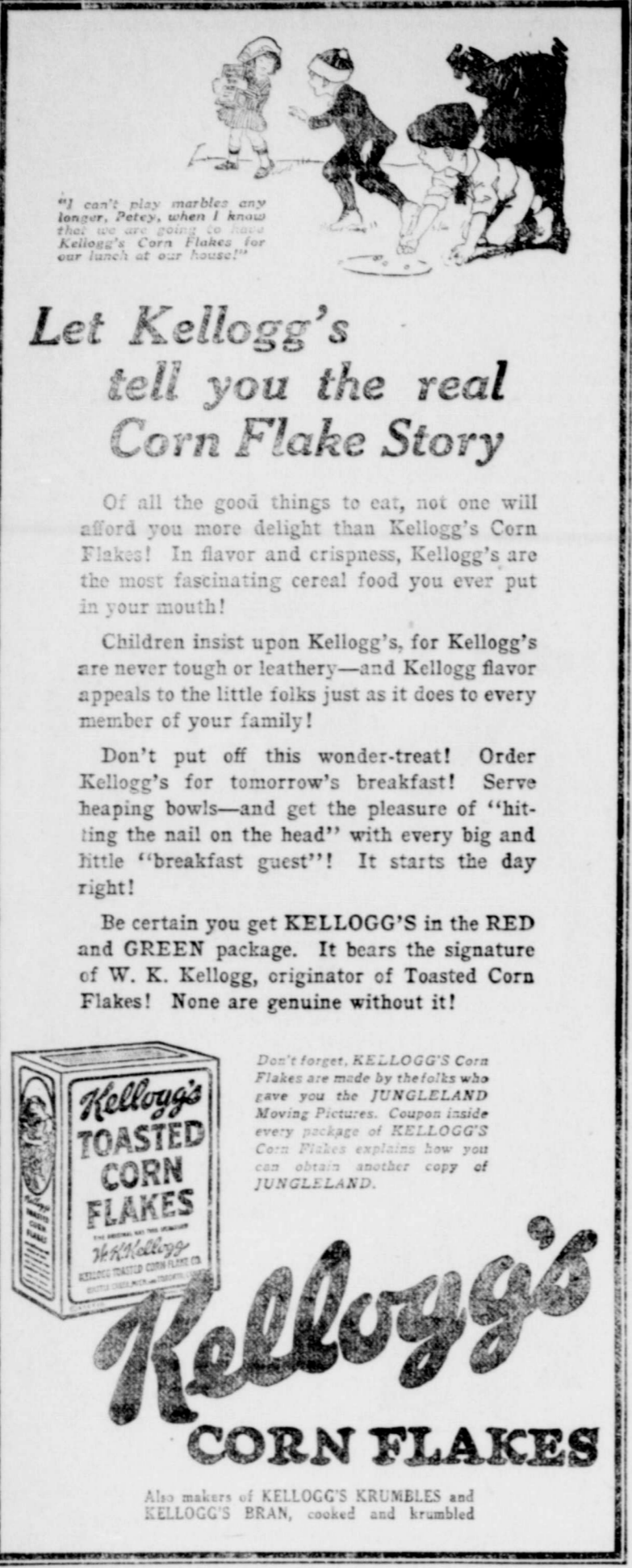
Excellent Hog Pasture.

Dwarf Essex rape makes excellent pasture for hogs. A deep, rich soil is suitable.









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## ECHOES from M. I. S.

By Students of  
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### SOUTHLAND DUO—April 8.

The Southland Duo program, April 8th, Saturday night, at the High School Auditorium will be one of the finest examples of team work and expert program building known. The voices of these two young women are of beautiful quality, and noted women singers with all the ability that excellent training and fine voices combine.

This is our last Lyceum Number. Come and enjoy it.

The Canadian Orchestra favored us with a good program Saturday night. The net proceeds were given to help out on our annual.

The High School and Seventh grade reports were not complete last week in time to report the names on the Honor Roll. In spite of a great deal of sickness and bad weather, the following pupils are entitled to that honor:

- Pinkney Dar.
- Ada Coffee.
- Gladys Lowry.
- Laura Christopher.
- Aleene Coffee.
- Lora Seiber.
- Ina Lard.
- Marie Burwin.
- Floyd Gilley.

The contestants in spelling are very anxious to know who won.

The school year is rapidly drawing to a close. Will you be promoted?

The Sophomore English Class is receiving a formal introduction to "Silas Marner."

Miss Taylor is about decided that the second year Latin class is about to desert "Poor Old Caesar" in his hour of need.

An essay contest was held in the first and second year Home Economics Class, with the following winning:

- Second Year.**  
Ada Coffee, first place.  
Louisa Hoffer, second place.  
Bluebell Weckesser, third place.
- First Year**  
Laura Christopher, first place.  
Winnie Locke, second place.  
Florence Weckesser, third place.

### "THOSE SENIORS"

Jessie: "I don't want to be perfect. All perfect people are dead and I'm not ready to die."

Willie Fae: "Oh, My! In that case I have a long time to live."

It was in Public Speaking and the pupils were acting as agents:

Harry was selling Raymond a Rumley tractor:  
Raymond: "Is it easy to start on a cold day?"

Harry: "Yes! Yes! All you do is turn on your electric heater and away she goes."  
(Pretty good, Harry. What is your heater attached to?)

### Familiar Questions

What are those Senior girls always whispering about? Ask 'em and see.

Why is Mr. Willis always wearing a smile these days? Is it because we said he couldn't, or—(?) Guess

Why was Miss Keevil so happy Friday evening? Good news.

Why were the debaters pictures crooked? The posers were a crooked lot.

Can You Imagine—  
Sam not dignified?  
Clara Mae without snapshots?  
Evelyn not hungry?  
Raymond not a hero?  
Elvira without a giggle?  
Betty without a geometry?  
Henry Lee having prepared his lesson?

Tennie without a powder puff?  
Mary not talking?  
Cecil not bossing?  
Willie Fae without some place to go?

Horace without a girl?  
Edna not primping?  
Maurita without a smile?  
Edd without his cane?

Pupil: "Oh, how can I ever thank you? I am indebted to you for all I know."  
Teacher: Don't mention it. It's just a mere trifle!"

"Were you a bright boy at school?"  
"Very," replied Senator Sorghum. "I was not very strong for L. X. books, but I was a wonder at thinking up excuses for not being able to answer

questions put to me."

Mr. Crain: "What is steam?"  
Charles: "It's water, gone crazy with the heat."

**A Hint To the Biology Students**  
"I wonder why a sponge is full of holes?" asked the small daughter.  
"Because," answered her five-year old brother, "with an air of superior knowledge, 'if it weren't for the holes, people wouldn't know it was a sponge.'"

**A Bad Case.**  
Flora: "What does that fellow mean by sending me one carnation a day, right along?"  
Katherine: "Why, don't you know? He's saying it with flowers, and he stutters."

**WANTED—Someone who can learn Geometry.**

**EXTRA! EXTRA!**  
**WHAT? WHEN? WHERE? WHO?**  
**PARTY—Monday afternoon at 4:15.**  
Seventh Grade Room.  
Junior Geometry Class.  
**COME!!!**  
Admission—unlearned Geometry Lesson.

**"THE FRESHMEN"**  
Who's the freshest guy in school, Easiest mark to ridicule,  
Wears the loudest duds in town,  
Holds himself in high renown,  
'Till his schoolmates turn him down?  
The Freshman.

Who's the servant in the house,  
Made to imitate a mouse,  
Packs the books and tells the news,  
Does whatever his schoolmates choose,  
Grumbles, but dares not refuse.  
The Freshman.

Who's the guy that gets the blame,  
When the school's held up to shame,  
Who's the rowdy in the stand,  
Knocking louder than the band,  
Always draws a reprimand?  
The Freshman.

Who's the goat thru all the year,  
Wears a red cap on one ear,  
Takes all censure, meek and tame,  
Nursing just one single aim—  
To get even for the same,  
The Freshman.

Singing like a furnace, over ears in work,  
Blind to all his teaching, is an awful shirk;  
Thinks no one was ever quite so rushed as he,  
Tells you he's conditioned, not his fault you see.

Moping and repinin, gloomy and morose,  
Asks the price of ponie, thinks he'll take a dose;  
Books are all so foolish, work is all a sham,  
Study is a failure, like a broken man?

Whistling blithe and cheerful, all ways bright and gay,  
Working, singing, laughing, all the live-long day;  
Full of work and frolic, caught in honor's whirl,  
Thinks no more of shirking, got the grit All's well.

Claude: "Papa, can you sign your name with your eyes closed?"  
Mr. Locke: "Why sure, son. Why do you ask?"  
Claude: "Well, close your eyes and sign my report card."

Miss Roach: "I think that it 'Flew' into the Mediterranean Sea."  
Willie Fae got so excited at the ball game that she "Swallowed Her Chewing Gum."

Betty: "Do you see any change in me?"  
Lucy: "No. Why?"  
Betty: "I swallowed a penny yesterday."

### HOME ECONOMICS NOTES

The Clothing Essay contest winners are:

**Clothing I.**  
First Place—Laura Christopher  
Second Place—Winnie Locke  
Third Place—Florence Weckesser.

**Clothing II.**  
First Place—Ada Coffee.  
Second Place—Louisa Hoffer  
Third Place—Bluebell Weckesser.  
Miss Jeanette Collins, teacher of Home Economics at Canadian, came

down Tuesday night for a conference with Miss Worley. Plans were made for a clothing contest between Pama, Canadian, and Miami for April 21.

EUREKA! EUREKA! EUREKA!

Everyone has doubtless heard of a soldier's life being saved by his wearing a testament, or perhaps a daguerotype of his sweetheart over his heart, but a modern lifesaver has just been discovered. One of the worthy instructors of the Miami Public School owes her deliverance from death at the hands of a base ball, to nothing more than a powder puff. Though her breath was completely oozed out of her she suffered no breaking of bones.

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**Trial by Jury.**  
Trial by jury antedates Alfred the Great. That monarch organized juries of 12 men, but even earlier six Welsh and six Anglo-Saxons acted as a jury in disputes between the Welsh and Saxons.

**A Feminine Contributor Says—**  
In matters of generosity a woman acts first and reasons afterward; man reasons first—and generally acts to act.—Boston Transcript.

**Has Bettered Humanity.**  
Every heart that has beat strong and cheerfully has left a hopeful pulse behind it in the world and entered the tradition of mankind.—Stevenson.

**Individuality.**  
Individuality is the salt of common life. You may have to live in a crowd but you do not have to live like it. You must subsist on its food. You may have your own orchard, you may drink at hidden springs. Be yourself, if you would serve others.—Henry Van Dyke

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