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NOTICE—This ad is good for 5c in payment for a ticket at the Palace. Clip it.

A spark on the roof of the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkins, on Mound street, at 9 o'clock Monday morning started a blaze which threatened disaster for a few moments, but the prompt arrival and customary good work of our volunteer fire department soon had it extinguished. A few dollars will cover the loss.

Andy Kelley, a well-known resident of the Douglass community, died Monday morning after a long illness. He had been in the sanitarium for treatment, but was removed to his home on Thursday of last week. Mr. Kelley was a bachelor, but is survived by a number of relatives. Further particulars were not obtainable.

## Every Day in Every Way

We are making it worse and worse for hard times

Nacogdoches State Bank  
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### W. O. W. BANQUET A GREAT AFFAIR

The first public function in their magnificent new building was staged Tuesday night in the large hall of the Woodmen of the World—a banquet and get-together meeting of Liberty Elm Camp, No. 210. Covers were laid for about 300, some 40 or 50 for out-of-town members of the order and local non-member guests. Head Consul A. A. Seale was in charge of the affair, and he was ably seconded by an able corps of enthusiastic assistants.

At 7:30 the doors of the banquet room were thrown open and the invited guests ushered in first, followed by members of the camp.

An invocation was pronounced by Rev. Geo. C. Moore of the First Presbyterian church, following which all partook of a luncheon which was toothsome in every respect.

When the participants had finished the feast, Consul Commander Seale called on Sovereign W. J. Gough for a talk, and that gentleman proceeded to favor his auditors with a discourse replete with wit, humor, high ideals and lofty aspirations, well-spoken and well-received, despite Mr. Gough's lamentation that we was totally uneducated, and bemoaning of the fact that in his boyhood days the children did not enjoy the educational advantages open to the present generation of scholastics.

Sovereign Langston King of Houston was the next speaker and made an exceedingly pleasing talk, especially that portion of it which referred to Hon. E. H. Blount, our representative in the legislature, whom he described as the strongest man in the field for governor, if he should consent to be a candidate in the next campaign. His encomiums upon Mr. Blount were received with vigorous applause, and everybody conceded they were well deserved.

Mr. D. K. Cason, who was next called upon, complained that he was at a disadvantage, as he had received no intimation that he was expected to make a speech. However, he made a fine little talk, as he usually does when the occasion requires, and when he finished his hearers were in great good-humor.

Here Consul Seale announced that on the occasion of the unveiling ceremonies on April 15th for deceased Sovereigns Hollis Mast, Baxter Duncan, Frank Feazell and Jesse Owens, United States Senator Morris Shepherd would deliver the oration.

Sovereign A. B. Owen of San Antonio next addressed the meeting briefly but very interestingly, paying a deserved compliment of Liberty Elm Camp for the good work accomplished in erecting such a building and for the successful membership campaign which had netted 147 new additions to the order since the first of the year.

Mr. John Schmidt then responded to an invitation and spoke for a few moments, saying a number of good and appropriate things about the camp and our town. Like Mr. Cason, "snap judgment" was taken on him, as he had no idea he would be called upon to say anything.

Then Gen. Jake Wolters of Houston, who had come into the city from his release in the southern part of the field, held the undivided attention of all by a splendid talk, paying a high tribute to Mr. Gough's speech, which he pronounced a patriotic utterance and said that so long as there were men in this country with such ideals there need be no fear of anarchy, socialism or sovietism gaining a foothold in America.

General Wolters also paid a high tribute to Woodcraft, basing his claims and assertions upon a membership covering 30 years. He laughingly said that "the boys" might imagine they had been "up against it," but no Texan really had been up against anything genuinely cruel unless he had run for the United States senate against Morris Shepherd. He stated he spoke from sorrowful experience. Much of his talk was devoted to Woodcraft—its social and material benefits and the wondrous work it has accomplished.

Hon. Eugene Blount then arose and delivered an address which was replete with valuable information. He devoted himself entirely to an explanation of the genesis and effects of several of the tax bills introduced in the last legislature, and his lucid remarks concerning these important measures (if they should be enacted into law) removed all doubt as to the real meaning and potential danger of some of them. Mr. Blount's talk was instructive and timely—it turned the

light on several proposed acts which had not theretofore been clear in the minds of the average layman.

Sovereign S. M. Adams closed with a strong appeal for increased membership, asserting (which is incontestably true) that the tevery eligible man in Nacogdoches county between the ages of 16 and 52 years owed it to himself, his family and the public to join the Woodmen in order that his loved ones might be protected in case of his death. He told of the splendid tuberculosis sanitarium to be opened in San Antonio on July 1, next, and explained that any Woodman afflicted with that malady would be taken care of there, without a penny of expense to him, until he was cured or had succumbed. It was a convincing argument, and it is probable Mr. Adams' appeal that every member resolve himself into a committee of one to work for a membership which will embrace the entire county will become effective.

The audience joined in singing "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and with 300 voices engaged was "some song." Later the hymn, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," was sung when the lights were turned off and a blazing cross appeared in a panel between the doors.

When Consul Seale requested all those elected and examined since January 1st to stand, a large crowd arose, and from the appearance of the candidates the camp will have something more to be proud of when they have taken a jaunt on the billygoat, as the consul promised they should.

Rev. C. D. Atwell of Christ Episcopal church pronounced the benediction and the entertainment ended.

A jury sitting in a murder case being tried in district court was invited and seated at a separate table, where conversation with others was tabooed. A number of the jurors are Woodmen, and this courtesy was accorded them with the consent of Judge L. D. Guinn.

### BACK-TO-THE-KITCHEN MOVEMENT IS STARTED

Chicago, March 20.—Flaunting a deft in the face of their censurers, declaring the are more sinned against than sinning, and resolved to "get right in their little brother's eyes," some three hundred North Shore society flappers have launched a "back-to-the-kitchen" movement.

"It's really a back-to-the-home movement," explained one of the pretty members. "Before we get through we'll show those blue-nosed reformers by words and clothes that the modern girl is not so fast and furious as they brand her."

One of the biggest moves, the girls declare, is to "get right with the family."

Miss Jane Nystrom, the president of the new club, instead of launching a tirade against the little brother, who is so often in a "friendly enemy," makes this comment about the move: "We want to seem just right in our little brother's eyes. He's the real critic. If we pass his approval we have very little else to worry about."

### FORT WORTH FUNERAL PROCESSION ARRESTED

Fort Worth, Texas, March 20.—Five carloads of mourners, preacher and all, appeared in Corporation Court Monday morning to explain to the judge why they were in such a hurry to get to the Trinity cemetery Sunday afternoon. This is a new record set in Fort Worth police circles.

For the first time in the history of the local police department an entire funeral procession was arrested on charges of speeding Sunday afternoon by L. W. Norwood, speed officer.

The procession was going down Riverside avenue to the negro cemetery when stopped by Norwood and arrested on charges of speeding. The hearse escaped the officer.

### 1922 COTTON CROP

Washington, March 20.—The American cotton crop for 1922 was placed at 9,761,817 equivalent 500-pound bales by the Census Bureau in its final ginning report of the season. The Department of Agriculture estimated the crop at 9,964,000 bales. Last December the bureau reported 9,729,024 running bales, including 172,182 round bales counted as half bales, 32,786 American-Egyptian and 5,125 Sea Island and 8,864 which ginners estimated would be turned out after the March canvass. The 1922 crop in Texas was 3,125,572 bales.

### LAST UNORGANIZED COUNTY A MEMORY

Lubbock, Texas, March 20.—The last unorganized county of Texas is now a memory, as with the election held Saturday to complete organization of Cochran county, the last county in the state is organized and has its own government. Cochran county had been joined to Hockley county for administrative purposes.

In the election Saturday, county officers were elected and a county seat chosen. A warm contest developed for the county seat, Morton and Minnie Veal being contestants.

Partial and unofficial returns received here show that Morton was chosen as the county seat by a vote of 47 to 6. Defeat for Minnie Veal is attributed to the fact that this town is in the sparsely settled portion of the county.

County officers were elected as follows: Shipman, county judge; Barrett Penny, sheriff; and Mrs. John Robinson, county clerk.

A heavy wind from the north and the accompanying sandstorm, coupled with the cold weather, served to keep many away from the polls and made the vote light.

Cochran county had a population of 67, according to the census of 1920, while the number of cattle grazing on the ranches numbered 10,000.

### REVENUE BILLS NOT AIMED AT FARMER

It would appear that the majority of the farmers of the state are being misled by people who wish to maintain the present basis of taxation. Many farmers are demanding that the various revenue bills now before the legislature be killed, while as a matter of fact many of the bills were framed for the expressed purpose of making other classes of citizens bear a tax burden equal to that of the farmer. Our idea is that the tax on land should be reduced, but this is impossible unless the state taxes other forms of wealth. None of the present revenue bills before the legislature will affect the farmer materially unless he is a wealthy farmer. For instance the farmers of Texas should be quite willing for an income tax to be passed if it will decrease the tax on property. The farmer has taxable property but he has been minus a taxable income for some time.—The Progressive Farmer.

### NACOGDOCHES LOSES A BELOVED CITIZEN

From the Lufkin News, 20th.

The News regrets to chronicle the passing away this morning of one of Nacogdoches' most highly esteemed and beloved citizens in the death of Mrs. Martha Council in her home in that city of pneumonia. The funeral services will be held at the Catholic church tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and an invitation is extended to the Lufkin friends of the family to be present.

The deceased was 81 years old at the time of her death, and left two boys, Wirl, and L. G., the latter having been a resident of Lufkin for a number of years as manager of the Nacogdoches Grocery Company, to mourn her passing away as well as a host of friends, all of whom join in paying a tribute to the Christian character and lovable disposition of this sainted mother and true friend. "The Lord loveth and the Lord taketh away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

### MRS. J. M. B. McKNIGHT DEAD

Jacksonville Progress, 19th.

News was received here Sunday of the death of Mrs. J. M. B. McKnight, which occurred at her home in Dialville Sunday morning, following an illness of several months. Relatives and friends had known for some time that she could not survive long, and it was considered remarkable that she survived so long, considering the severity of the ailment with which she was afflicted, and also her advanced age.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at Rocky Springs cemetery, conducted by Rev. C. L. Cameron, assisted by Rev. J. M. Newburn.

Mrs. McKnight was about 75 years of age, and is survived by her husband and a large family of grown children. She was a faithful Christian wife and mother, a true friend and neighbor, and there is universal sorrow in her community because of her death. Sincere sympathy is extended the aged husband and the sons and daughters who have lost their best friend.

### GOVERNOR NEFF APPROVES DEFICIENCY APPROPRIATION

Austin, Texas, March 20.—Governor Neff today filed with the secretary of state, with his approval, the Wood senate bill passed by the legislature appropriating \$450,000 to meet deficiencies in state department funds incurred during the last two years. The bill is effective immediately.

The governor filed the resolution urging him to decline to accept the resignation of R. E. Thompson of El Paso as commissioner from Texas to confer with representatives of New Mexico and the federal government relative to a division of the waters of the Pecos river. Governor Neff has not announced his probable action.

Other measures filed include a resolution urging the governor to recall his proclamation calling a special session, and reorganizing the Thirty-fifth District Court, composed of Brown, Coleman, Concho, McCulloch and Rannels counties.

### NEGRO MURDERER GETS SECOND DEATH SENTENCE

Waco, Texas, March 20.—Roy Mitchell, negro, was convicted of slaying Mrs. Ethel Denecamp on the night of January 19th and given the death penalty by a jury today. The jury was out less than four minutes. He was previously convicted and sentenced to death for the killing of W. E. Holt, Mrs. Denecamp's companion. The crowd cheered the verdict despite the court's admonition. The defendant showed no emotion. Mitchell refused to take the stand, saying "It would do no good." Three other murder cases against Mitchell are set for next week.

### SHOT BY CONSTABLE, DIED IN SANITARIUM

Fort Worth, Texas, March 20.—Cecil Tarrant, who was shot Sunday night at Granbury by Constable C. A. Carmichael, died in a sanitarium here today. His father, George Tarrant, former county judge of Hood county, was at his bedside. The grand jury at Granbury has begun an investigation. The constable said Tarrant tried to escape after his arrest.

### RULING FAVORS KU KLUX

Springfield, Ohio, March 20.—Motions by defense to dismiss defendant, restore property seized and throw out all evidence and testimony offered by the state were sustained by Judge Davis in police court in the case of W. M. Cortner, Ku Klux Klan klan leader and organizer, charged with riotous conspiracy. The judge said the prosecution might desire to take the case to the grand jury on its own initiative. Cortner was arrested in a police raid on Klan headquarters on the night of February 14 and books, papers, regalia and other articles belonging to the klan seized.

### ABANDON MURDER THEORY

Dallas, Texas, March 20.—Officers investigating the death of William Herndon, a blacksmith of Reinhart, who was found fatally injured in a ravine near his home south of Buckner's Orphan Home Friday, have abandoned the theory of murder, and Sheriff Harston announced that the inquiry indicated Herndon fell from a bridge.

### DIE IN FIRE

Oklahoma City, Okla., March 20.—Mrs. William Graham and her three children were burned to death when fire destroyed their home in the Healdton oil fields near here, according to word received here. The house was ignited by a gas flame, meager details said.

### DISPOSING OF BILLS

Austin, Texas, March 21.—The governor today disposed of 13 more bills passed by the regular session of the legislature. He approved nine filed with the secretary of state and filed four to become effective without his signature. The measures approved include the appropriation of \$17,500 to the health department for morquit control work, an appropriation of \$25,000 to meet a note for payment for mules purchased by the prison system, and prohibiting the keeping of dogs which annoy livestock.

Traveling, Mrs. Harding is reported to be her old self again. And traveling, the president, indeed, seems like his old self again.



## WEEKLY SENTINEL

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### BUSINESS OF GOVERNMENT REQUIRES ATTENTION

A new governor in Pennsylvania started in on the job the other day finding about what the income of the state will be and drawing up a budget under which it can live within its income.

The governor stumped the legislature by this procedure. The Saturday Evening Post commenting on the situation, says:

"A progressive program of confiscation is operating in America under the guise of taxation. Increasing burdens are being added year by year to real estate, to productive capital and wages. Slacker wealth alone is escaping, hiding in the tax-exempts provided by these same legislatures. Much of this money is wisely spent, much of it is wasted in worse than unnecessary extensions of government powers and in foolish paternalistic schemes, and some of it goes up in smoke between jealous and rival departments.

"Everyone who has had experience in private business knows how ever new department that is started tries to magnify its importance and to increase its personnel. In government, there is the same tendency, a hundred-fold stronger. Swelled head and swelled expenses are quickly deflated in private business. If the boss overlocks them competition does not. But in government the heads and the expenses have a tendency to keep right on swelling."

### CALIFORNIA, DRY YOUR TEARS

From the Highway Bulletin.

There are only two things worth mentioning in the world that Texas does not contain, and those are the North and South Poles.

Texas contains all the continent of North America except an ornamental ruffle of so-called states—including California—to the north, and a rosette called Mexico, to the south.

It is bound on the east by all the oceans in the world except the Pacific; and on the west it is bounded by the Pacific and most of the sidereal universe.

Under Texas is a subterranean sea of natural gas and pure petroleum. Above it is most of the sky and all of the major constellations.

Texas is so big that the sun, in five hundred million years, has never been able to travel over it in less than a day, and when it has finished its journey it is always ready to set.

State senators and representatives elected from the border counties travel for months to reach the state capitol at Austin, and are paid millions of dollars in mileage fees alone.

The United States, with Texas separated from it, will look like the tail on a dog, with the dog amputated.

A map, in order to convey the idea of the magnitude of Texas, would have to be tattooed on the hide of the largest elephant, the tail and trunk being sufficient for the rest of the states of the union.

Unless your front gate is at least 18 miles from your front door you can not claim to belong to the best families of Texas. Mrs. King's front gate is 150 miles from her front door and she is thinking of moving her house back so that she will not be annoyed by passing automobiles.

Texas grows cotton enough every year to wrap California in a winding sheet three miles thick.

She has enough timber and horses to supply a chariot and four for all California's risen dead on resurrection morning.

If all the hogs in Texas were one big hog, he could root California into the sea in three roots and his squeal would make the thunders of Niagara sound like a chicken with the plp.

If all the steers in Texas were one big steer, he would stand with his front feet in the Gulf of Mexico and his hind feet in San Francisco bay and brush the hulu birds off the Golden Gate with his tail.

If all the he-men in Texas were one big man he could carry the soil of California under his finger nails. The glory of Texas, following the sun keeping company with the hours, encircles the earth daily with one continuous and unbroken aurora borealis.

Poor old California! Look upon Texas and weep!

### MR. FORD AGAIN

From the Dallas News.

Four million dollars to Henry Ford is little more than an item in a day's transactions when it comes to the question of whether he shall pay it or not. Accordingly, when he pays it out as a claim which he is not compelled by law to recognize, the point is not the selfishness of a four-million-dollar benefaction, but rather the fact of his recognition of the claim. Mr. Ford paid such a claim the other day. The circumstances seem to be that

when Mr. Ford paid \$8,000,000 for the Lincoln Motor Company at the receiver's sale last year that amount lacked \$4,000,000 of being enough to make all the creditors of the company whole. Mr. Ford was in no way obligated to make good the \$4,000,000 loss to them. That was their hard luck. After a year of thinking it over, Mr. Ford seems to have come to the conclusion that the property was worth more than he paid for it, and that it is right that he should pay of the Lincoln Company's creditors. So he wrote out his check and gave it to the receiver, Ralph Stone of the Detroit Trust Company, for that purpose.

To Mr. Ford's credit let it be said that it was from Mr. Stone and not Mr. Ford's publicity staff that the announcement of this action came. Mr. Ford is not averse to publicity. In fact, he bought a publication for the purpose of obtaining plenty of it. As pointed out by Mark Sullivan in a recent article in the World's Work, it was scarcely probable that the recent picture of the Detroit man in the advertisement of his cars appeared as the result of any belated discovery that the likeness of the manufacturer would make people more inclined to buy his cars. But, taking everything into consideration, it does not seem fair to withhold from Mr. Ford at least the credit for having recognized in this instance a higher standard of business justice than the ordinary business man would be expected to adhere to. The merit of his action is not that he gave \$4,000,000 to a group of men who probably did not look for it, but rather that he sensed an obligation which neither law nor business custom imposes. A keen sense of obligation, generally diffused would regenerate American life and do away with most of our ills. There is nothing new in that theory, however. It is as old as the Golden Rule.

### WHAT WAS—AND WHAT IS

From the Houston Chronicle.

Some of the leading American dailies persistently harp on the evil wrought by the eighteenth amendment.

It is the right of every paper, just as it is of every individual, to hold and to express such views on the subject as to it or him may seem fit, but no paper or no man has the right to either ignore or distort the facts.

Every man knows that in years gone by on nearly every conspicuous and valuable corner in Houston—and the same was true elsewhere—there was a liquor saloon. They know now the same corners are occupied by men engaged in lines of business, the prosecution of which does not promote drunkenness and mental and physical debauchery.

The gambling house was in many instances a concomitant of the saloon. There are now no gambling houses.

The saloon was a place from which every night men went home to anxious and trembling families, with minds blurred, steps unsteady and feelings brutalized. From the places which were saloons men now go home sober and sane.

The time was when we were told that if prohibition was put in force, the buildings occupied by saloons would be vacant. The time now is in Houston when not one of such buildings is vacant.

The time was when we were told that if liquor was driven out of Houston, no grass is growing in the streets of Houston, but the city is growing and expanding beyond all precedent.

The time was when the sign of drunken men on the streets created no comment. Now the sight of a drunk man is as rare as the sight of a team of oxen on the streets.

The time was when the saloon keeper defied the law, and his copartner, in lawlessness, the gambler was even more defiant. Those of their ilk still defy and flaunt the law against liquor, because they have always been and are yet lawless. Their lawlessness is not the fruit of prohibition, but is the expression of contempt for the will of the people, and the decencies which find expression in lawabiding citizenship.

### THIS OUGHT TO STOP 'EM

A Greenville lady, who was born and reared in Celeste, has invented a method of keeping her neighbor's chickens out of her flower beds, which is said to work like a charm. She took a few grains of corn, tied a string to each, and on the other end of the string tied her card, stating that the chickens had been over to call on her. The scheme worked, for the chickens swallowed the corn and went running home with the card hanging from their bills—Celeste Courier.

They probably would not have a farmer on the federal reserve board yet if it required one like the old-fashioned fellow who held the plow with his hands and drove the horses with his shoulders.

### WADE WALTERS EXPLAINS STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

Nacogdoches, Texas, March 15, 1923. The Daily Sentinel, Nacogdoches, Texas:

Gentlemen—Kindly give the following the same publicity that you gave a communication from the sheriff's department with reference to the car stolen by convicts and found here.

I am sure that the public is not concerned about whether it was myself or the sheriff's department that located the stolen car, but there is a question about the truth of the same, and I ask the public to inquire and decide for themselves.

At about 5:30 to 6 o'clock on the morning of the 12th inst. my family was preparing breakfast and one of my little girls could see a car standing near our home and reported the same to me, and I left the house at once to investigate, as I really expected the same to be Henry Millard's car, which had been recently reported as stolen, and upon investigation found the rifle as reported as well as the blanket bearing stamp, "Texas Prison." I took the number of the car and went directly to the tax collector's office to find where the car had been registered and found the same Madison county.

The next I did was to report, as a gentleman, to the sheriff's department my find. I also reported the above to A. J. Spradley, deputy sheriff, and he suggested the car be brought to some place for safe keeping, as if stolen it should be taken care of and if not the owner could find the same, and I made the above suggestion to the sheriff's department and the sheriff himself suggested as I could not drive it that he had a driver that would, and did, go with me and drove it to the courthouse, and that neither the sheriff or his Deputy Booth saw the car until it was on the courthouse grounds, and the sheriff at this time and place told me that the same was my property and to put the same in some garage for safe keeping, which I did. The records of the telegraph office will tell you that the telegram to the sheriff was received at 10:45 a. m. and delivered 11 minutes thereafter, which was hours after the car had been found by myself and delivered to the courthouse grounds. I bought gas to bring the car in and made the arrangements alone for its safe keeping.

I want no credit for finding the stolen car—I want only truthful statements made when I am connected therewith. As for others, they may do as they like.

Yours truly,  
WADE WALTERS.

### BETTER HEALTH CAMPAIGN

The State Board of Health has designated April 2d as the beginning for an intensive State Wide Health Promotion Campaign. Printed programs outlining suggested activities may be obtained by interested parties upon writing the State Department. The program designated April 2d as Health Appraisal Day; April 3d, Pure Food Day; April 4th, Sanitary Improvements day; April 7th Health Pageant Day; April 8th, Health Sunday.

It is most timely for Texas citizens to hesitate a moment to inventory their physical resources, to devise ways and means for increasing the efficiency of the producers, to plug the holes of carelessness and indifference in our system, which produces that vast army of wards in the municipal county and state eleemosynary institutions (for the maintenance of which the citizens of the State are taxed millions of dollars annually), and to save twenty thousand Texas lives annually," declared Dr. W. H. Beasley, State Health Officer.

"Texas ranks near the bottom of the list in health conservation facilities in comparison with other states in the union. There are only four full-time city health officers and five full-time county health offices in the entire state. Violations of sanitary regulations and quarantine laws are of daily wholesale occurrence in many sections of the state. Anthrax is now found in East Texas, diphtheria is distributed all over the state to a limited degree. Influenza and pneumonia are prevalent in many parts of Texas. While only partial reports are received, there were reported to this office in the past week 3,175 cases of influenza and 39 cases of pneumonia. Smallpox, for which there is an absolute preventive, is found in North Texas, while measles are now in West Texas. Scarlet fever, whooping-cough and tuberculosis are prevalent in various districts. The mortality and morbidity rates of this state are a disgrace to modern civilization. Mosquito bites are costing Texas in excess of fifteen million dollars annually. Yellow fever is within one day's journey of our border, while typhus-carrying lice have made their appearance on Texas soil on several occasions during the past year. No fortifications have been erected to prevent plague-infected rats from entering our interior towns and spreading this dreaded disease among our population. The State

# This Bad Weather Will Not Last Always

When Spring does come you will need to do things in a hurry.

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Board of Health, therefore, urges the citizens of Texas to combine their efforts in a general protest against the continued sacrificing of lives on the altar of preventable disease, and join in the work of driving the enemy from Texas soil," further stated Dr. Beasley.

### ONLY A MOMENT

One clerk locked another in the airtight vault of a New Jersey bank. He did it only in jest, and besides, he did not know that the locks were set. For many hours safe experts, firemen and others joined in frenzied effort to tear apart the nearly impenetrable concrete and steel. At last they carried out the poor victim, nearly crazed, nearly dead. And the man whose grim humor had caused it all collapsed at his bedside.

How important a second can be. It seems very insignificant as it is ticked away—one-sixtieth part of a minute, 3,600 of them every hour, 85,400 every day. But a second would have saved hours of desperate struggle in that New Jersey city, hours of tragic physical suffering and mental anguish. A second only would have been required to see if the locks were set. A second only would have been required to see the foolish risk of such a grim and ghastly prank. A second, indeed, might have been enough on any day of many days preceding, to have shown the poor victim of this near tragedy how to throw the safety switch on the inside of the door—a switch that would have released him immediately.

How often we read of someone who "didn't know the gun was loaded." Only a second is required to find that out.

What a foolish thing it is to gamble a second against eternity.

### ABOUT WALTHALL

Austin American.

Richard B. Walthall of Nacogdoches is the chief of the oil and gas bureau of the state railroad commission. Chairman Clarence E. Gilmore preferred another, who had had practical experience in the oil and gas department and his choice is said to have been T. B. Copeland, who has been an assistant supervisor in the oil fields for several years. Commissioners Nabors and Splawn favored Mr. Walthall, and he will qualify for commissioner on March 15. The new head of

the department was overwhelmed with congratulations by his friends when the news of his selection was made public. He hails from Nacogdoches. He was a publisher and editor for several years; he is the close personal and political friend of Representative Eugene Blount and has a wide acquaintance the state over in newspaper, business and political circles. He was an active supporter of Gov. Neff in 1920 and when the governor selected his official family he appointed Mr. Walthall his private secretary. He has held the position during the reign of the governor and friends say his increased the number of his acquaintances the state over, as well as his field of usefulness. Commissioner Walthall is a democrat of the old school, with progressive ideas which are modern. He clings to the constitution and traditions of the fathers and was a Wilson democrat from the day of the first nomination of the greatest living citizen of the world until Warren G. Harding was given the reins of the government and Wilson retired to private life. He said to the writer yesterday: "I shall do my best for the state and its people in the position to which I have been called, and I expect to give the state the best that's in me

as commissioner of the oil and gas department of the commission."

### TO MISS FLAPPER

Blessings on thee, little dame—  
Bareback girl with knees the same.  
With thy rolled down silken hose  
And thy short transparent clothes;  
With thy red lips reddened more,  
Smeared with lipstick from the store;  
With thy make-up on thy face,  
And thy bobbed hair's jaunty grace.  
From my heart I give thee joy—  
Glad that I was born a boy.—Ex.

At the instance of the Boosters Club, the merchants and business men of the city have contributed to a fund with which to provide and install 25 garbage receptacles, which will be placed at proper places on Main street from Mound to North. This innovation will be appreciated by those who prefer clean, neat appearance in the streets, as the cans will furnish convenient facilities for storing trash and garbage of all kinds pending the arrival of the wagons for hauling it to the dump. Credit is due both the Boosters and the business men whose liberality and civic pride made such a movement possible. We'll have a more sightly town in future.

## Dying Men and Women Do Your Duty

Your first duty is to make your peace with God. Your next duty is to provide for those who are dependent upon you for support and while living procure Life Insurance for your loved ones, should you be called to Eternity. The uncertainty of life and the certainty of death prompt thoughtful men and women to procure Life Insurance. The "Dorsey Plan" and the "Dorsey Management" is sound, reliable Life Insurance Protection that is in reach of the poorest people and the poorer you are the worse your loved ones need protection should you be called to the Great Beyond from whence no man ever returneth.

Bear in mind, all County Life Insurance is not the same, it is the management that assures success or failure in every business enterprise. Beware of imitators who tell you it is the same thing. That's what the Secretary and Agent said about the One Hundred and One Club and they had good directors, but the thing failed in just a few months regardless of the directors.

See or write us. We have a place for you in Orders that have passed the experimental stage and that is worth \$1,000.00 the day you get it should you die. Separate Orders for the young and middle aged and elderly people. See or write to us today.

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### NACOGDOCHES-SHELBY COMMISSIONERS MEET

From the Center Champion, 14th.

The Shelby County Commissioners Court is to meet the Commissioners' Court of Nacogdoches today at the Grigaby crossing on the Attoyac river for the purpose of coming to some agreement as to the construction of a bridge across the Attoyac river at that place. The construction of this bridge has been under consideration for a long time. The Shelby County Court appropriated and set aside \$1,500 for the purpose of paying Shelby county's part of the cost of this bridge. A steel bridge was the kind considered at that time, but the court of Nacogdoches county has changed its mind and wishes to enter into agreement to build a permanent wooden bridge, and that is the purpose of the commissioners' court of both counties meeting there today. The bridge should be built as it means a lot to the traveling public as well as to Shelby county and especially Center.

It was learned the commissioners of the two counties met as told above, and after some discussion decided to build the bridge, which will be a permanent wooden structure, without delay. The duty of looking after the work was turned over to Commissioner T. M. Stewart of Precinct No. 4, Nacogdoches county, and the Shelby commissioner whose precinct abuts on the opposite side of the river. The Nacogdoches end of the bridge will be in Commissioner Stewart's precinct. It is hoped this work will be pushed to completion, as it will connect up a very important highway.

### NO CONTINUANCE IN E. Y. CLARKE CASE

Houston, Texas, March 15.—Federal Judge Hutcheson today declined to grant a continuance in the case of Edward Young Clarke of Atlanta, former acting imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, charged with violation of the Mann act. It is expected a writ will be issued this afternoon for his arrest and return to Houston. His attorney said he did not know the present whereabouts of Clarke.

### CREMATED IN ALMSHOUSE

Angelica, N. Y., March 15.—Five women and two men were burned to death in a fire at the county almshouse today. The women's quarters and the administration building were destroyed. Charles Sanborn, a guard, lost his life in trying to rescue burned women.

A check showed that seven women perished. The fire started from a gas explosion in the basement of a wooden structure where 24 women patients were quartered.

## MOTHER! MOVE CHILD'S BOWELS

"California Fig Syrup" is Child's Best Laxative



Hurry mother! Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember

a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

### NORTHWEST IN GRIP OF TERRIFIC STORM

Denver, Colo., March 19.—The third terrific storm of the week ripped out of the Northwest Saturday night headed eastward.

The storm was accompanied by high winds, snow and rain.

Temperatures dropped far below zero in the Dakotas, Minnesota, Colorado and Nebraska, where the gale raged throughout the day.

Transportation systems are badly crippled. Trains were running several hours late. Several were reported stalled in snow drifts.

Wire communication was paralyzed. Many towns were cut off from the outside world.

Loss in livestock was heavy in sections of Wyoming and Nebraska.

The storm moved into Kansas and Iowa. It was moving rapidly eastward.

Denver and Pueblo suffered heavily from the high winds. Several buildings were unroofed; street car traffic was blocked.

### Dropping Temperatures

All passenger trains on the Union Pacific between Denver, Omaha and Cheyenne were annulled. One man was killed near Denver when he failed to see a train because of the blinding snow. Hundreds of shoppers narrowly escaped death in Omaha when the 70-mile wind unroofed the McCroly store and sent it whirling into the street. St. Paul reported the coldest St. Patrick Day in the history of Minnesota and the Dakotas. Temperatures ranged from 15 to 20 below zero.

Fifty-one persons were killed and hundreds injured in the three storms which swept the country during the week.

### Texas Temperatures

Chicago, March 19.—With only one day intervening before the theoretical arrival of spring, the entire Mississippi River Valley from the Rocky Mountains eastward and from the far Northwest to upper Florida is gripped by a bitter cold wave. The Southern States reported low temperature records for this time of the year. In the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Rocky Mountain region train service is paralyzed, many trains are stalled in snowdrifts and telephone communication is demoralized. Four deaths in Colorado resulted from the intense cold. The coldest weather of the winter was reported over Texas yesterday and last night. Moderating weather was reported at Amarillo, Abilene and Wichita Falls today after a severe blizzard. Temperatures early this morning included Amarillo 14 degrees above zero, Abilene 13, Dallas 15, Denison 16, Wichita Falls 18, Austin 18, Waco 20, Houston 27, Mission 40 and Galveston 34.

### Tender Vegetation Killed

Houston, Texas, March 19.—H. H. Schutz, agricultural statistician for Texas for the United States Crop Estimates, said it would be impossible to determine the actual crop damage for several days. He said all tender vegetation and very young animals were killed where temperatures went below freezing.

### Damage Around Tyler

Tyler, Texas, March 19.—Fruit and truck growers of East Texas are anxiously awaiting the outcome of the cold wave. The temperature here was 18 this morning. Fears are expressed that garden crops and practically all tomato plants in the fields were damaged if not killed.

Superintendent Geo. T. McNess of the experiment station reported the lowest temperature Sunday night as 20 degrees above zero. At 6 o'clock Monday morning the mercury had risen to 24 degrees. Sunday night was the coldest of the winter by 4 degrees. Some big icicles were in evidence Monday and many water pipes were frozen where they had not been drained.

### WALTHALL TAKES OFFICE

Austin, Texas, March 17.—R. B. Walthall, for the last two years secretary to Governor Neff, yesterday assumed the duties of chief supervisor of the oil and gas division of the state railroad commission, succeeding J. W. Hassell, resigned. Mrs. Espa Stanford, assistant secretary to Governor Neff, will be acting secretary and probably will be appointed permanently to that position.

### FREIGHT RATE REVISION

Washington, March 15.—Railroads operating through the Southwest and lower Mississippi Valley were ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission to make a general revision of their commodity freight schedule, effective June 30.

### OWSLEY TALKS OUT

New Orleans, La., March 17.—Alvin M. Owsley of Texas, national commander of the American Legion, in an address here last night declared he was through "pussyfooting" as to the conduct of the Veterans' Bureau. He said he intended putting several legionnaires in Washington to watch the administration of the bureau. If an attempt is made to fill the bureau with political favorites, he said he intended to tell the country until they are let out.

### EDENBORN GETS ROAD

Washington, March 19.—William Edenborn of New Orleans and the Louisiana Railway & Navigation Company of Texas were jointly authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission to take over and operate the Sherman, Shreveport & Southern Railway, which runs 182 miles from McKinney, Texas, to Waskom, on the Louisiana-Texas line, formerly operated by the Katy. Edenborn will convey the line to the Louisiana Railway & Navigation Company of Texas on an order, it was said, for the payment of \$3,639,000 in bonds of the Louisiana Company, which proposes to operate into Shreveport over the line of the Vicksburg, Shreveport & Pacific.

## GIRLS! BEAUTIFY HAIR AT ONCE

TRY THIS! A GLEAMY MASS OF SOFT, LUXURIANT HAIR



In a few moments you can transform even plain, dull, flat hair. You can have it abundant, soft, glossy and full of life. Just get a 25c bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store. Then moisten a soft cloth with the "Danderine" and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Instantly, yes, immediately, you have doubled the beauty of your hair. It will be a mass, so soft, lustrous and so easy to do up. All dust and excessive oil is removed.

Let "Danderine" put new life, vigor and brightness in your hair. This stimulating tonic will freshen your scalp, check dandruff and falling hair and help your hair to grow long, thick, strong and beautiful.

### SCIENTISTS ARE SOLVING SOME BIG LABOR PROBLEMS

In the January issue of the "Elks Magazine" Bruce Barton writes:

"Nothing impresses me more, in going about among great corporations than the fact that almost every one of them has a group of scientists continually at work on some invention or improvement which will make the world an easier place to live in. A lot of this work of research is going to come to head within the next few years.

"We shall live to see the day when such tasks as milking cows, scrubbing floors and washing dishes, any one of which can be done by electricity for a few pennies an hour, will be lifted forever from the hands and backs of women and men. Even the families that are now lowest in the social scale are going to have comfort, leisure and opportunity such as never was in the world before.

### GRAND JURY TO QUIZ HIRAM KNOX KILLING

Hemphill, Texas, March 19.—The Sabine County Grand Jury was empaneled today, and County Attorney Hamilton said one of the first cases to be considered was the alleged killing of Hiram Knox.

### WANTS HIS MONEY

Paris, March 19.—Refusal of the United States to accept a reduction on the bill for expenses of the American army of occupation by the value of the German ships seized in American ports was presented today to the Allied representatives' conference by Eliot Wadsworth, assistant secretary of the treasury. Reimbursement for \$250,000,000 in 12 annual installments cut of possible German reparation payments which the Allies proposed was accepted in principle, it was stated. Wadsworth made it plain that the American view was the bill should be paid, and it should not be the concern of the United States whether it was met out of German payments or otherwise. The Allied representatives called a meeting for tomorrow to try to evolve another proposition to be given Wadsworth Thursday.

### TO AVOID PUBLICITY

Newark, N. J., March 19.—John F. Ellis, a former private detective, accused of kidnaping Alex E. Robertson, a former gunner in the British Royal Artillery and a suitor for the hand of Miss Mary Culberson, daughter of former Senator Culberson of Texas, was freed by the court and the indictment dismissed when the court was told that Miss Culberson refused to testify against Ellis, declaring he wished to avoid the publicity which would attend a trial.

### SENTENCED TO DEATH, ANOTHER TRIAL ON

Waco, Texas, March 19.—Roy Mitchell, negro, convicted for the murder of W. E. Holt and sentenced to death, went to trial today on a charge of killing Mrs. Ethel Denecamp, Holt's companion. Eight jurors were selected.

### GETS LONG SENTENCE

Dallas, Texas, March 16.—Sidney Welk was convicted of murder and sentenced to 40 years in the penitentiary by a jury today in connection with the shooting of Tom I. Wood, a deputy sheriff, near Garland in December during a raid on an alleged still.

## Zane Grey



A descendant of the famous Zane family of frontier origin, he was born in Zanesville, O., and received his early education in that place. Later he graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, but outdoor sports attracted him more than school or routine, and he played amateur, college and professional baseball.

Pioneer instincts and love of the open drew him to the West. Much of the material for his stories has been obtained in western travel, especially in out-of-the-way places. He delights in picturing the deserts, particularly the arid expanses of Arizona and Sonora. No writer excels him in this specialty. Truly remarkable is his ability to impart the fascination and mysterious qualities of the great wastes.

Zane Grey has written many successful novels, of which none is more charming than "Desert Gold," for which we have secured the serial rights and are pleased to announce early printing in this paper.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The two upper stories of the Woodmen of the World Building, will be occupied by the Masonic fraternity, the Woodmen of the World, the Knights of Pythias and the Odd Fellows.

The third floor is for the Masonic bodies exclusively and the second floor will be occupied by the Woodmen of the World, the Knights of Pythias and the Odd Fellows.

This is to serve notice on all that the club rooms on the second floor are for the exclusive use of members belonging to the Woodmen of the World, the Knights of Pythias and the Odd Fellows, and no member of either of these orders has a right to invite any person, who does not belong to either of the orders, to the club rooms for games or other purposes, unless it be some guest from out of the county.

This rule will be strictly enforced, and it is the hope of these orders that no gentleman will request the privilege of using the club rooms who does not belong to either of the orders above mentioned.

Witness the official signatures under seal of each lodge.

Liberty Elm Camp, No. 210, W.O.W. By J. O. RAY, Clerk.

LaNana Lodge No. 106, K. of P. By L. I. MULLER, K.R.&S.

Nacogdoches Lodge, No. 118, I.O.O.F. By L. I. MULLER, Secretary.

Dated at Nacogdoches this the 16th day of March, A. D. 1923.

### INDIGESTION, GAS, UPSET STOMACH

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The moment you eat a tablet of "Pape's Diapepsin" your indigestion is gone. No more distress from a sour, acid, upset stomach. No flatulence, heartburn, palpitation, or misery-making gases. Correct your digestion for a few cents. Each package guaranteed by druggist to overcome stomach trouble.

### DYE SKIRT, COAT DRAPERIES WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint faded, shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, hangings, draperies, everything like new. Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaranteed, even if you have never dyed before. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.

### GOVERNOR HAS POWER TO REVOKE PAROLE

Washington, March 19.—The governor of Texas has the power to revoke a parole without judiciary inquiry to determine whether the terms upon which it was granted had been violated, the Supreme Court held in the case brought by Jewel Redwine and affirmed the decision of the lower court. Redwine was sentenced to 18 years for murder and was paroled by the governor in 1920. A year later Governor Neff revoked the parole for reasons which he stated were satisfactory.

### YOUTHFUL SUICIDES

The increase in suicides is alarming. While the act precludes itself from becoming a habit, it seems to be gaining popularity with various and sundry types. Glance at the headlines of the suicide columns and reconcile the enormity of the offense with the increasing trivial reasons for such "taking off"—if you can. A few days ago a girl who had been scolded by her mother chose to end it all—the next day a boy who had failed in a high school examination, "shuffled off."

The pathos of it is that suicides seems to be finding favor with the young. While this is doubtless due to youth's ignorance of the meaning of life, its inability to grasp the scheme of things as they are, it is nevertheless tragic. Why do not the young with suicidal bent, and the mature and old, too, for that matter, realize that suicide is merely an aggravation of whatever it is they would escape. It ends nothing for those left behind, it prevents solution of solvable problems and it rings down the curtain in the middle of the drama, which the players can always turn to a satisfactory conclusion if they have the will.

### ONLY 15 OUT OF 51,000

In New York state last year some 51,000 persons were convicted of misdemeanors and felonies ranging from disturbing the neighbors to such matters as murder, and public lewdness or fines or terms in prison.

A casual examination of the statistics incidental to these practices reveals a lot of interesting facts. Particularly as to the occupations of persons convicted it is noted that some cases which one would suspect of only slight acquaintance, with the insides of jails are heavily represented in the list. On the other hand, one would suppose after reading a few thousand miles of hot information on the activities of screen and stage people that they form a pretty fair bloc in the assembly, and that the ladies of the chorus mentioned in such literature as the late confessions of one millionaire's son who married into the theater would be due for some mention.

Curiously enough, only 15 actors were convicted in 1922 in New York state. As for the chorus girls, figures show that not one was convicted of anything in that state in the same period.

Quite a number of attachments have been served on witnesses in this county for their appearance at Carthage on April 2d, when the Ramin-Simpson case is to be called in district court there. Among those served with attachments was Judge L. D. Guinn of this district court, who is wanted to testify in the case. Judge Brachfield of the Panola district court has announced his intention of making it warm for any witnesses failing to attend.



## WEEKLY SENTINEL

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BY GILES M. HALTOM

### OUR EXPANDING JUDICIAL MONSTROSITY

From the Houston Post.

When we consider the ethics, idealism, ability, influence and opportunity to serve the state that are possessed by members of the bar, we are compelled to express considerable disappointment at some results in Texas.

The judicial system of Texas is what the lawyers have made it. The statutes of Texas are what the lawyers have made them. The court procedure is the handiwork of the lawyers, and looking at the structure the lawyers have erected, it seems to the lay mind that they have produced nothing to be especially proud of, despite the splendid foundations that the pioneer lawyers laid for their successors.

The people of Texas have been made the most litigious people in the whole world, and if the lawyers have not made them so, who have? And it seems to us, from the ethical point of view, that it would be almost as bad for the doctors deliberately to work together to spread disease as for the lawyers, in legislatures, or elsewhere, to shape their activities so as to encourage litigation and set neighbor against neighbor.

These views occur to us as we consider the legislature's treatment of Governor Neff's disapproval of the numerous court bills, and its rejection of his temporary measure to relieve such courts as happened to be crowded.

Look at our judicial system and see what it has developed into. We have a supreme court of three judges; we have a court of criminal appeals with three judges; we have a commission of appeals, a temporary tribunal of three judges to assist the supreme court; we have ten courts of civil appeals of three judges each; we have 100 district courts; we have several criminal courts; we have a number of county-courts-at-law; we have 250 county courts.

There are, therefore, some 42 appellate judges, more than 100 district judges, 250 county judges and several judges of county-courts-at-law in all about 400 judges.

And the work of creating more courts goes merrily ahead.

Technicalities? Our system is so filled with them that the administration of justice and equity becomes more and more difficult, and the cost of litigation more and more expensive.

Each session of the legislature cutters up the statutes with new litigation-breeding enactments, incubating myriads of new technicalities that, later, are to defeat or obstruct the process of justice and equity in the courts; to add heavily to the rapidly mounting cost of maintaining and operating the courts; to increase the flood of litigation; to swell the exactions of the fee system, and to bleed the taxpayers and litigants more and more as complications multiply.

The farmers and business men who sit in our legislatures have not done this. As laymen, they have merely complied with the requests and deferred to the advice of their lawyer colleagues. Nor has this sinister development in our judicial system, including the litigiousness engendered among the people, been the work of the outstanding members of the bar. We have seen these year after year in the annual sessions of the bar association protesting against modern tendencies and urging salutary reforms, but such reforms are usually defeated in the legislature.

What will be the result of this later dispensation of additional courts? Only more litigation, more technicalities, more fees, more costs and greater difficulties for justice.

We wonder if the virtue, integrity, dignity, intelligence, power and patriotism of the great bar of Texas are not equal to the task of reforming present conditions? If so, it is about time for the leaders of the profession to step into the breach and reform these most discreditable conditions.

### SPRING

Before we speak of spring itself we wish to say that spring fever, which is going to be quite common during the next month or two, is not explained in the same way by all the psychologists and physicians, but without regard to what these learned folk say the people who get it will heartily agree that it is a very real and not exactly an unpleasant thing.

Some writers tell us that it is nothing but a lethargic drowsiness, caused by the poisons accumulated during the physical inaction of winter. We can help nature to eliminate these poisons by taking long walks, breathing deeply of the fragrant spring air or starting to hoe the garden.

There is reason to believe, however, that spring fever is not entirely physical. There is a good deal of the psychic in it, also. It is partly psychic insofar as it is a reaction from winter.

The contrast between the first warm weather and the cold of winter unconsciously reminds us of the sluggishness of the tropics, home of our prehistoric ancestors. Or perhaps spring fever is an inheritance from the times when the cave man, after a long and monotonous of winter in his den, strolled out to bask lazily in the warm spring sunlight.

Agreeable as the gentle lassitude of spring fever often is, we must not surrender ourselves to it too readily, for there is more work to be done in the spring than perhaps in any other season, the man who abandons himself to spring fever will not do his share of it.

With this warning emphasized, permit us to observe that the delights of spring cannot easily be exaggerated. It is then that sap starts rising in the trees. Grass sprouts green. Plant life buds. Chirping birds pause on their way north. The bear leaves his pit. Timber wolves stop running in packs and mate. That is spring—the sunrise of a new period of life. The barnyard gardener stirs. Farmer whistles in the fields. Golf bug smacks his lips. Fisherman goes over his tackle. Small boys swarm with marbles, baseballs and kites.

Spring is the time to take a new lease on life, to get a fresh start. Fill your lungs with fresh air and go to it. The best thing about spring is that it is a prelude to another round of intense human activity. Except, of course, for the gentleman who has spring fever 365 days in the year.

### A SOLOMON AND A DANIEL

The emancipation of husbands has become a topic of increasing concern in recent years. Every dog, it is argued, has his day. The subject of the sanctity of a husband's trousers pockets have vexed the world, if not since the day trousers were invented, at least since the first day man had anything to keep in the pockets of them. Usage somehow has strengthened the wife in the belief that violation of that sanctuary of private means was warranted and even meritorious and, paralleling the history of trousers and pockets, is the story of man's grief and anger when he discovered, as he so frequently did, the spiciation that had disturbed the reposeful calm of night.

Well, it is still changing. There is it appears, balm in Gilead. Justice, residing in the breast of a New York magistrate named O'Neill; potential martyrdom exalting a hero named Tony Alessio; these have combined to settle the issue, source of so much poignant suffering and humiliation.

The case is simple. Serafina, his wife, explored Tony's pockets while he slumbered, and gleaned his change. Tony later snatched it back again. Serafina sued Tony. Brave magistrate O'Neill decided that Tony's recovery of his cash was not larceny since Serafina had come into possession of it by the route of the midnight search. To rebuke for all time such prying exploitation of an unconscious husband, Tony is set free without a stain on his character and with his money in his pocket once more.

Husbands, take heart! And give honor to Tony Alessio, apostle and the inviolability of the trousers pocket, and to Magistrate O'Neill, a Solomon and Daniel rolled into one.

### BILLS: THE POPULAR AND UNPOPULAR

It is an old trick of legislatures to pass appropriation bills and then quietly agree to vote down the revenue bills which must produce the money out of which the appropriations are to be made. However, in doing so, they are in the large majority of cases merely carrying out the wishes of the people back home, and it is for this purpose that they were elected.

We have a situation of this sort in Texas at this time. For some months now it has been stated, with little argument to the contrary, that the more liberal support of our schools is imperative. But now that the time for making good of this sentiment has arrived a great hue and cry has been raised against every bill that seeks to increase the revenue of the state. The same people who were so ardently in favor of better schools are fighting every revenue bill that would in any way change the existing tax basis, which by the way puts the heaviest burden on the landowner.—The Progressive Farmer.

### LOOKING INTO THE FUTURE

The radio craze creates a shortage of top-floor rooms in Boston hotels. Traveling salesmen are carrying radio outfits in their trunks, they want a top-floor room for stringing arias. It's a good thing we do not build for permanence in America. As the radio develops, favorable conditions for its operation will have a lot to do with making rented properties attractive. Not many years until families, looking about for a place to rent, will be inquiring about landing and garage facilities for their flying flivvers.

About the only thing an upper birth has room for is improvement.

### THE RURAL CREDITS BILL

From the Houston Chronicle.

As might have been expected the rural credits bill, passed a few days ago by congress, has aroused very considerable discussion, and not a few find many defects in it, but as outlined, it appears that it will serve a useful purpose.

The necessity for the bill has been well expressed in the phrase that the farmer needs loans longer than the short loans of the merchant and manufacturer, and shorter than the long-time land mortgage.

The farmer needs a loan long enough for him to plant and harvest his crop without having to pay exorbitant interest, and an even more pressing need is for credit that will enable him to hold his crops when prices are low.

A year or two ago the Federal Reserve Banks called in millions of loans and in turn the city banks called on the country banks and the country banks called on the farmers, with the result that farm products were rushed on the market in quantities far beyond the demand, and, of course, prices fell like a plummet and financial ruin to many followed.

Had the law just passed been in force such conditions would not have arisen.

Some of the leading financial journals of New York bitterly criticize the measure and attribute it to fear of the farmer vote by congressmen; but it is time for moneyed men in New York and all kinds of men everywhere to learn that the farmer not only needs legislation that will enable him to borrow money at the same rate as anybody else, but that he deserves such assistance at the hands of congress.

He supports congress and the banks and the merchants and the manufacturers and everybody else; yet if he asks for an even break and a fair show at the hands of congress his demands are ridiculed by many financiers, who have no hesitation in asking congress or the secretary of the treasury to put millions of the people's money in the hands of the larger cities, whenever financial stringency takes place.

The Federal Farm Loan Bank has proved a beneficent financial agency, and there is no reason why the rural credits bill should not likewise serve a helpful purpose.

### THE WAR OBSTRUCTORS

From the Houston Post.

Senator Borah is still perturbed over the fate of the war obstructors who are serving time in Federal prisons. He is unable to understand why they should be kept there. "It is one of the mysteries of government," he is quoted as saying in a speech in New York in behalf of a general amnesty.

Let us suppose, for a moment, that the United States had not won the war. Assume, for an instant, that imperial Germany had triumphed and had led upon America for the cost of the war. Suppose German legions were now in America to collect tribute, as French legions are now in Germany seizing property to satisfy reparation claims.

Had this come to pass, those who obstructed the country's preparations for war would have had a share in the German victory. Their disloyalty to the country would have stood out so plainly that even Senator Borah perhaps would have been able to discern it. The only reason that it did not come to pass is because the loyal American people, of whatever extraction, stood together in war preparation and put down the enemies of America, both in and out of the country.

The fact that men endeavored to obstruct our plans for war only by words of mouth does not make them less guilty. At a time when propaganda was a vital blow in war-making, speech hostile to the country was capable of being as harmful, or even more so in some instances, than overt acts.

To meet this situation, a development in the modern conduct of war, the government enacted certain laws against sedition. Those in prison have been convicted of violating these laws, designed for the nation's protection. After those laws were passed, it was duty of every citizen to obey them. The principle of free speech does not apply in cases of violation of laws made for the national defense in wartime.

Senator Borah is badly mistaken if he imagines that he is voicing popular sentiment in demanding that these prisoners be turned loose in a body. The people are perfectly willing for the president to look into the cases individually and to extend clemency where it is shown that justice has been done, but they are not yet ready to repudiate what they stood for in the war, but they are not yet ready to repudiate what they stood for in the war, nor to break faith with the loyal soldiers who met the enemy at the front while these treacherous enemies at home menaced their safety and victory with their seditious propaganda, and the only effect of the senator's continued agitation of the subject is to encourage a lot of rick-

les in the country do persist in their hostility toward the American government.

It is true, the war is over, and the president might release the war obstructors without any particular danger to the country, but the principle has not changed.

Many a man feels annoyance because his ancestors did not do more for him.

There are few good auto drivers because few persons can do foot work and headwork at the same time.

We wish they'd build these political fences strong enough to keep the bull in.

Another Egyptian characteristic that would help the world just now is sand.

Suspicion is just a private conviction that you would act that way if you were in his place.

It was never necessary to walk three miles for a peck of oats to coax old Dobbin to complete the trip.

Those who failed to drain their water pipes Saturday, Sunday and Monday nights made fine business for the plumber.

### Cosmopolitan New York

New York each year becomes more of a foreign city. With considerably more than half of its population foreign-born or of foreign parentage, and with fully a third of its residents Jewish, it is fast acquiring many habits and customs that are distinctly not American, although in all the various groups of nationalities in the metropolis systematic efforts toward Americanization are being made.

The principal society at work to this end is called "America's Making." It is headed by Dr. John Houston Finley, formerly president of City college and widely known in educational circles. At a carnival this society gave at the Hotel Astor the other evening there were groups of 36 different nationalities, all in native dress—and all of them were New Yorkers.

### His Own "Double"

Few modern statesmen are the subject of so many good stories as M. Clemenceau, who is eighty-one. Here is one of the latest:

The other day he went round the street markets of Paris testing prices, following his usual habit of seeing things for himself. Asking an old woman at one of the stalls the price of some carrots, he was told 60 centimes.

"They are too dear," he protested. "I will give you fifty."

The woman looked at him a minute, perhaps to see if it was worth while haggling, and then said:

"Very well, you shall have them for fifty, because, my little old man, you resemble our good M. Clemenceau."

### Keep Tight Rein on Emotions

The emotionally uncontrolled not merely tend to an impractical impulsiveness. The storms of emotion which continually sweep through them cause them to see facts in a distorted way, clouding their judgment, and thus deceiving them into conclusions which may be the reverse of sound.

"An angry man," as the proverb tersely puts it, "cannot see straight." As with anger, so with the other emotions. To give them free rein is to yield all hope of winning a place among the effectively practical, the sensibly efficient, the success-winners.—H. Addington Bruce in the Chicago Daily News.

### Don't "Kid" Yourself in Battery Buying

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### PAVING MATERIAL USED IN VARIOUS CITIES

Mr. L. I. Muller, Nacogdoches, Texas; Dear Sir—Your letter of March 3 addressed to the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Dallas, Texas, has been referred to me for reply.

Dallas, Texas, March 8, 1923. I presume the information you desire is the method used for the payment of paving in the City of Dallas. In the City of Dallas the property owners pay the cost of all paving, curb and gutter and sub-grade excavation in front of their property; the City of Dallas pays cash for the intersections of streets and extra excavation, also all underground work.

The assessment against the property is paid one-sixth cash, thirty days after completion of the pavement; one-sixth each year for five years. Deferred payments bear interest at the rate of seven percent.

For the past six years the majority of pavements laid in the City of Dallas has been Warrenite bitulithic and Uvalde rock asphalt. If you desire any further information I will be glad to furnish it.

Yours truly,  
G. D. Fairtrace,  
City Engineer.

### THE CHEMIST'S DAY

Nearly 40 years ago Comte de Chardonnay, Frenchman, discovered how to make artificial silk from nitric acid and cellulose.

Today a textile man claims that a third of the "silk" we wear is synthetic, the artificial kind. One's as good as the other, on the average, depending on the purpose.

What's happening in the silk industry will happen in other industries. The chemist will rule the future, producing even synthetic foods. If your boy wants to study chemistry, encourage him. There's no greater field.

Wives are told by a lecturer to feed their mates prunes and lettuce to tame them, on the theory, probably, that the mates may be regarded as tamed if those articles of diet satisfy them.

"President braves jungle to play golf," says a headline. It isn't right for a president to take such risks, even for recreation.

### APPLEBY SCHOOL NEWS

We finished planting our flower bed several days ago, but hope the seeds will not come up for some time yet, as it is so cold they would die.

Charlie Blake and Buran Hill are absent today (Monday) on account of bad weather.

We have finished our history textbook and are taking lots outside work and outline. We hope to make up for lost time in the next few weeks.

Everyone in attendance at the singing convention reported a most enjoyable time and lots of dinner both days. The weather prevented lots of people from coming that would have come had it been pretty weather.

We had several good singers present, among them Messrs. V. O. Stamps, Elliott, Nipper, McWhorton, Partin brothers, Tarbuton, Robertson, Courtney, Hooper, Payne, and Finnans, and many more.

The house was too crowded for comfort.

Miss Beatrice Patterson of Garrison is visiting friends of this place.

Mrs. Lavina Bruce, Mr. Lonnie Bruce and Miss Clifford Bruce of Lufkin attended the convention.

Laborer Skeeters has a light case of the mumps.

Our geometry class is progressing nicely. We've learned to "circle a square." (The square of town.)

Mr. Howard Prince, who has been in school at Sherman, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Prince, at Gumbo.

Miss Thelma Watson spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Charlie Blake.

Miss Georgia Montgomery and Mr. Howard Prince were school visitors Tuesday morning.

Miss Rose Denman is back in school after being absent several days.

The ninth grade entertained in chapel Friday morning.

The seventh grade entertained in chapel Tuesday morning. We have changed from entertaining three times a week to just twice—Tuesdays and Fridays.

Misses Leila Burke and Vera Burnard Burrows of Nacogdoches spent the week-end with their friend, Miss Leta Muckleroy, to attend the singing convention.

"U. S. fiscal outlay cut, says G. O. P."—headline. Both the fiscal outlay. How about the taxes?

## Auction Sale

Mules and Horses

Every Saturday

at 1 o'clock

MAIN ENTRANCE

Come Through

BRANCH-PATTON GROCERY STORE—Ask There

Last and latest report is that I sell whopple-jawed mules that can't eat corn. Also reported that the banks will not lend you money if you buy from me—

ASK ALL THE BANKS

Every one must suit you better than your money paid or it will be refunded. Will have two more carloads in Saturday.

## F. W. TUCKER

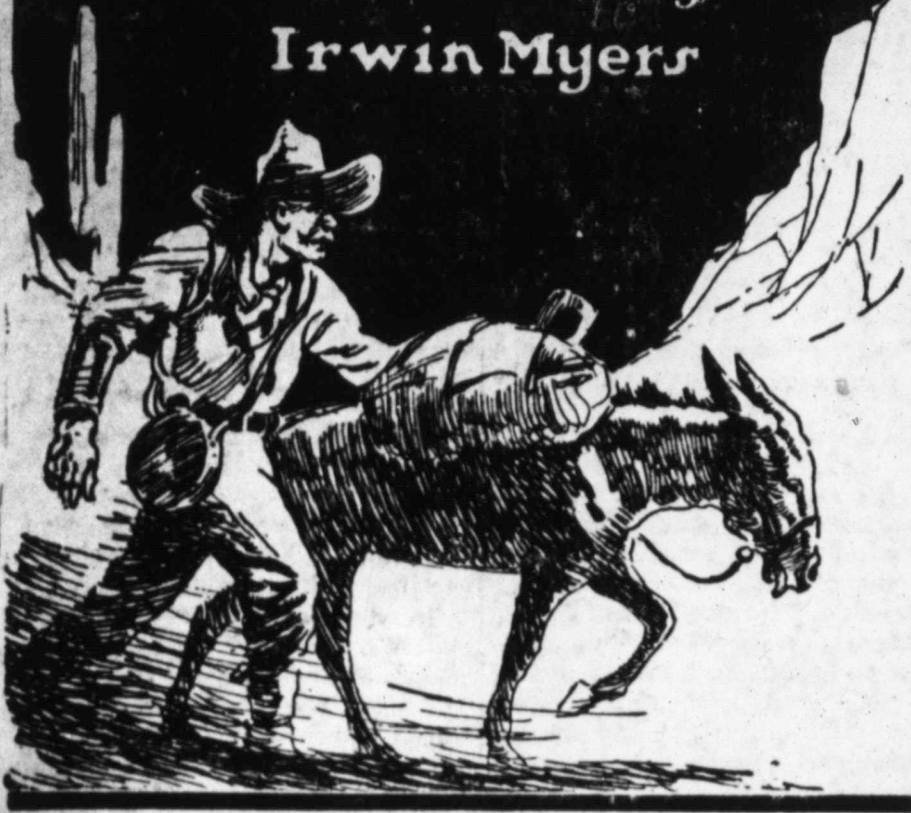
THE MAN WHO HAS THROWN A PANIC INTO HIGH PRICED MULES IN NACOGDOCHES COME AND SEE ME



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Illustrations by  
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**H**ERE is romance that is alive with action and so real that no severe tax is placed upon the reader's credulity. Whether or not the incidents and human participants were taken from life, it is a certainty that such things have happened, and such people have figured in the history of the Southwest, particularly that portion forming the borderland of Mexico.

The hardihood and courage of settlers and rangers, the cruelty of bandits and guerrillas; the craft, mysticism and guile of Yaqui and Papago Indians are elements in a wonderfully stirring tale. Added to these are the lure of gold and a tender love story, while pervading it all is the fascination of the ever mysterious desert.

**It Is a New Serial Story Starting In The Weekly Sentinel Next Week**

## THE BEST PAVING

Mr. Louis I. Muller of this city, who like everyone else here, is deeply interested in the pending paving project, and as a matter of personal information wrote a number of letters to persons whose opinions might carry weight, asking for a frank expression as to the conclusions resulting from actual experience in paving matter. The Sentinel, like Mr. Muller, has no interest in the concerns bidding on the proposed paving contract for Nacogdoches except the laying of our streets with the best and most enduring material.

The following letter from Col. Louis J. Wortham will be read with interest, and others equally worthy of consideration will follow:

Mr. L. I. Muller, Nacogdoches Grocery Company, Nacogdoches, Texas:

Dear Sir—I have your letter of the 9th inst.

Frankly, my opinion, which is not that of an expert, would be cast in favor of bitulithic pavement. This city, as most other cities, has every variety of pavement known to street and highway building, but in this, as in other cities, bitulithic seems to stand the wear and tear incident to traffic better than the others. There are many kinds of pavement cheaper, but I hold that a cheap pavement is the most expensive and unsatisfactory pavement known to the business. If business care is observed in making contracts with a solvent company, like the company that is laying bitulithic, to observe plans and specifications under the directions of a competent city engineer for the maintenance of the street, as I have said, my own opinion is that bitulithic would better serve the purpose than any other form of pavement.

Very truly yours,  
Louis J. Wortham.

Now it is said that the accomplishments of the arms conference are likely to be made a partisan issue. Not much is required to make a partisan issue.

The demand for American participation in world affairs is the product of "a befogged international intellectuality or an hysterically perverted imagination," says H. Johnson. All of which is the product of a hopelessly provincial mentality.

## PAVING MATERIAL

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
Paris, Texas, March 13, 1923.

Mr. L. I. Muller, Nacogdoches, Tex.  
Dear Sir—We have your letter of the 3d inst., inquiring for the different street improvements in Paris. In reply, will say that we have tried all kinds of pavement here, including brick, bitulithic, rock asphalt, asphaltic concrete and wood block, but for the past several years we have laid nothing but bitulithic, which has proven most satisfactory by far than any of the others.

For instance, Church street here, has been laid for thirteen or fourteen years and has never cost the city anything for repairs, and the city has had to resurface some of the others with bitulithic. The fact is the bitulithic people are so well established that they spare no expenses or pains in keep up their work and sustaining their reputation.

I do not believe that anything but bitulithic would receive serious consideration from our City Government. If there is any definite or specific information you desire, I will be pleased to get it for you at any time.

Yours very truly,  
N. H. Ragland,  
Secretary, Chamber of Commerce.

## QUOTING THE DECLARATION

The contention is advanced by certain radicals that the Declaration of Independence warrants revolution. So it does, against tyranny. But it does not warrant any man in lifting his hand against the American flag.

Evolution of rights and government is one thing and revolution is another. Changes in law and institutions by orderly methods may be properly urged, but changes by violence are irreconcilable with the basic ideas of American institutions. It is in the majority's power to effect such changes as it may desire and to prevent changes of which it disapproves.

The devil is said to have a fondness for quoting Scripture, but this does not give his acts scriptural authority. Similarly, radicalism's newly developed penchant for quoting the Declaration of Independence does not color revolutionary words and deeds with right.

If only the fly would go to Hollywood to appear on the screen.

## COULD CLAP HER HANDS FOR VERY JOY, SHE SAYS

ANOTHER HOUSTON WOMAN IS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER RESTORATION OF HEALTH BY TAKING STELLA VITAE TREATMENT.

"I could clap my hands in very joy for the grand relief I have experienced through taking this Stella Vitae Treatment," said Mrs. F. E. Chavez, of 1601 Holly street, Houston, Texas, the other day.

"Why, I was about as miserable a woman as you ever saw before I began taking Stella Vitae; and now I am as happy as the day is long and bless the day I heard of this wonderful treatment.

"It seemed to me that everything was the matter with me. My head ached at times like it would split wide open and I had the most awful pains around my stomach that griped me so I felt I just couldn't stand it another minute. And that misery in my back seemed like it would never let up and give me any peace. Even my lower limbs ached at times till I could hardly get about. My toes did not agree with me and soured on my stomach causing me much distress, I would get so nervous at times I could hardly stand anything.

"My experience with Stella Vitae has been most satisfactory. Soon after starting on it I began to improve and now I am feeling better in every way than I have in a long time. It is just the thing for female troubles and all suffering women should try it."

Note—Stella Vitae may be obtained from any druggist and is sold upon the positive guarantee that the purchase price will be refunded if it fails to bring relief.

## FEATURE OF K. T. MEETING

One of the chief interests of the seventieth grand convolve of the Grand Cimmendery, Knights Templar, of Texas, to be held at Dallas on April 3-5, is the competitive drills of teams of local commanderies and the school of instruction that will follow the drills, which will feature the opening day. Two distinguished Sir Knights from other states will be with Grand Commander H. B. Anderson in the reviewing stand, Grand Master Leonidas P. Newby, of Knightstown, Indiana, grand master of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar of the United States, and Col. Hoisington of Newton, Kansas, national chairman of the Committees on Templar instructions; also past grand commander Frank C. Jones of Houston, a member of that committee.

Seven teams competed last year at Fort Worth from San Antonio, Fort Worth, Waco, Dallas, Vernon, Oak Cliff (Dallas), and Wichita Falls. Three participated in the national drills at New Orleans, from San Antonio, Fort Worth and Dallas. This is the first time Texas teams had entered a national meet, and they made an excellent showing. Many additional teams will enter the competition at Dallas this spring. This keen competition will draw large crowds of Sir Knights and interested friends to Dallas to witness the field work on April 3d.

Pipe organ recitals, trained choirs, bands, orchestras and soloists will provide music throughout the convolve that will be a memorable musical treat. The spectacular Templar parade, with its white plumed uniforms and its military precision, with band after band in the line, will march through the streets three thousand strong.

These features, together with barbecue, lectures, drives, reception and dance, organ recitals, band concerts, radio program will make the three-day one round of pleasure for every Sir Knight and lady in attendance, aside from the usual business sessions, which assume added importance and proportions each year with the steady growth of the order. The attendance will be one-third larger than at any previous convolve.

## PROSPEROUS AMERICANS

Nearly 24 billion dollars was the total income of the Americans who made more than \$1,000 a year in 1920. This just about matches the national debt. It compares with about 16 billion dollars in 1918, war-boom year. The figure for 1920 is rather amazing compared with 1918, since the last half of 1920 was a slump period.

Few of us realize the enormous wealth and earning power of our nation. The income of all the American people for about six months would cancel our entire national debt. That's not much of a mortgage on the future, after all.

Just let the average citizen get the idea that bootlegging is conducted by a hardhearted trust, and he'll yell his head off.

# Easter Opening Sale

Begins Saturday, March 24th

## Spring Dresses

100 new Spring Dresses especially purchased to supplement our big stock for this big event.

A splendid assortment of dresses made of excellent quality of Canton Crepe, Taffeta and Crepe de Chine.

Every new style note is charmingly expressed—gracefully draped effects, new tucked and pleated styles, new sleeves and collar ideas in all spring colors.

From \$13.95 up



## SPRING HATS

WOMEN—MISSES—CHILDREN

A big stock of extremely smart creations in the most attractive and popular spring time colors. Don't fail to visit our millinery department. You will find bargains especially purchased for this occasion.

Ladies' Hats .....\$3.95 up  
Misses' Hats .....\$2.48 up  
Children's Hats .....98c up



## In the Piece Goods Department

RATINE—The leader of stylish material for spring. Also famous for wonderful wearing quality, making it doubly attractive for the conservative shopper. In our stock you will find just what you want in color, quality and price. Prices range from .29c to \$1.95  
Stay Fast Suiting, fast colors .....35c & 49c  
Geisha Crepe for Dresses .....35c  
Japanese Crepe .....39c  
Dress Gingham, 32 in. wide, fine quality .....35c

Dress Gingham, 32 in. extra good quality, fast colors .....25c  
Dress Gingham, 21 in. wide in check, block and plaid patterns, worth 20c yard, Sale .....15c  
36 in. Percale, fast colors, regular 35c values, Special .....15c  
Sheeting, 36 in. wide .....15c  
Long Cloth, 20c value .....16 1-2c  
Nainsook, 25c value .....19c  
Nainsook, 29c value .....25c

## Easter Suits

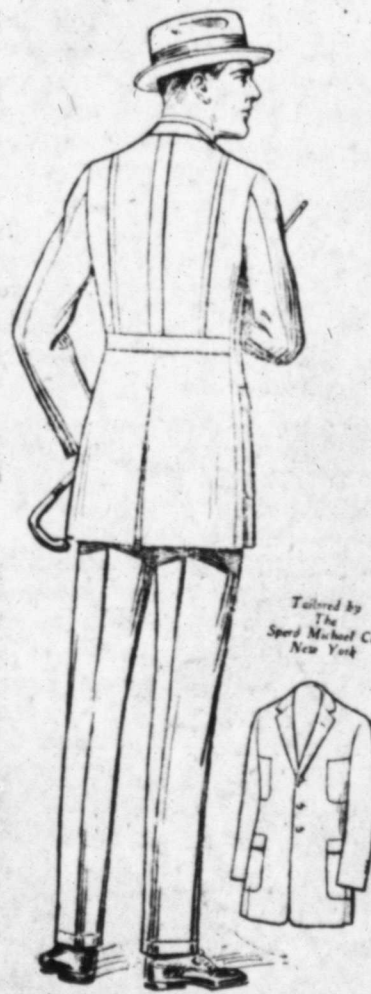
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## LOVELY ENTERTAINMENT

Miss Ines Franklin beautifully entertained a few of her friends at her home Friday. Progressive contests were the main function of the evening.

The yellow color scheme was daintily carried out with flowers of the season and crepe paper.

A written menu contest was passed to each couple. The prize awarded was a box of chocolates.

Delicious refreshments conveying the color scheme were served. Everyone present had a very enjoyable evening. A Guest.

## CENTRAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Mrs. Newton Teacher  
FIFTH GRADE—Dovie Crawford, Jane Stripling, Marian Orba Newton, Clara Belle Buchanan, Leigh Tucker, Maxine Brewer, Martha Thomason, Dorothy McClain, Margaret Wilson, Sidney Orton, Verna Mae Blanton.

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Haltem Friday evening celebrating St. Patrick's day with St. Patrick colors very much in evidence.

Miss Norvel Earl at the piano added materially to the happiness of the guests, while Misses Dora Grant and Grace Hale gave quite a number of interesting readings.

At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served and each guest departed with a grateful heart to the hostess for a happy evening. A Guest.

That hot water bag which had a temperature of 114 is probably waiting for a vaudeville or movie engagement.

It is about time for that old Russian-German-Turkish alliance to be dragged forth again.

## MISS DONEGAN ENTERTAINS

Miss Mary Jane Donegan entertained with a bridge luncheon at her home on North street Saturday morning. The house was decorated with pink carnations. At 10 o'clock the guests began to arrive and progressive bridge was enjoyed. The hostess presented Miss Rose Jordan with a lovely guest towel for high score. At 1 o'clock delicious refreshments were served in three courses.

The guests were Miss Eleanor Atkinson, Louise Dow, Golda Mullins, Rose Jordan, Loraine Weaver, Pauline Buckner, Alice Gintz, Tommie Woolsey, Ruth Middlebrook, Patsy Tucker and Carter Matthews.

Will Hays, having reformed the movies, is reported to be about to come back in time to save politics.

The postal service is in bad shape, and putting a new boy in charge every 90 days isn't helping it any.



## HAIR STAYS COMBED, GLOSSY, WELL-GROOMED

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Even stubborn, unruly or shampooed hair stays combed all day in any style you like. "Hair-Groom" is a dignified combing cream which gives that natural gloss and well-groomed effect to your hair—that final touch to good dress both in business and on social occasions.

Millions use greaseless, stainless "Hair-Groom" because it does not show on the hair. It is absorbed by the scalp, therefore the hair remains soft and pliable and so natural that no one can possibly tell you used it. Not sticky or smelly.

## GASOLINE EXPLOSION CAUSES SAD DISASTER

Henderson Times.

George Ines, living 8 miles south of town, lies at the point of death today (Monday) from burns sustained by the old story of gasoline explosion.

On Thursday night Mr. Ines went to his neighbor, Claude Holland, to borrow some gasoline for his car so he could come to town Friday. The gas was being drawn from Mr. Holland's car by means of a tube. The bucket into which it was flowing was on the running board of the car, and Mr. Ines was standing by with a lantern swinging on his arm. He carelessly spilled some gas on his hands, which was immediately ignited by the lantern. In a moment more the bucket was ignited and then all was aflame. In attempting to remove the flaming bucket from the car fender, Mr. Ines became saturated with it, and under the excitement broken and ran down the road. By the time help reached him, his clothing was almost burned from his body.

Mr. Holland sustained painful burns about the hands, but nothing serious. The automobile was burned up, also the barn, and several tons of fertilizer.

At this writing (Monday evening) Mr. Ines is still alive, but physicians and friends who attend him have no hope of his recovery.

## FROM EVERY LAND

Do you know just what your telephone is made of? A statement by the Western Electric Company, the largest maker of telephones in the world, gives the following interesting facts: "It is astonishing, but true, that the gold mines of Alaska, the asphalt lakes of Trinidad and the silk worms of China helped form your telephone. Cotton, silver, iron, copper, wool, mica, tin, zinc, coal, shellac, lead, flax, aluminum, platinum and rubber are other materials."

## STORM'S DEADLY WORK

Memphis, Tenn., March 16.—Eight persons were killed and 50 or more injured in a storm which wrecked the village of Savage, Tate county, Miss., late yesterday and swept through portions of Panola and Quitman counties, according to word received here today. John Kerr, a merchant of Savage, died today at Crenshaw, where he had been taken for medical attention, according to the telegraph operator at Crenshaw, who brought the first definite news of the storm. Three others, a man named Chambers, his wife and son, were drowned when they were blown into the Coldwater river. Four negroes were reported killed on plantations near Lambert, Miss.

## MAY CALL NEW GRAND JURY

New Orleans, La., March 16.—The state may move to obtain a new grand jury in Morehouse parish and make a second attempt to obtain indictments on murder charges against those believed to be responsible for the death of Watt Daniel and T. F. Richards, according to Assistant Attorney General Walmesley. Keen disappointment was expressed by Mr. Walmesley when informed that no indictments were returned by the grand jury in its report yesterday. It was indicated that the attorney general's office probably would file information against more than two score individuals who, he said had been linked with the Morehouse parish crimes on minor charges.

## OFFICER SUSPENDED

Fort Worth, Texas, March 16.—Chester Regan, a city detective, today received notice from Chief of Police Lee of his suspension following an allegation that he had beaten C. W. Edwards of Lott, Falls county, Monday. Edwards had been taken to police headquarters for investigation.

## T. E. RHODES GOES TO REST AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Garrison News, 16th.

After three years of continuous bad health, and after a long siege lasting for several weeks, during which time he was entirely bedridden, death came as a happy release Sunday morning to T. E. Rhodes.

The end came at the family home where he had lived for many years and found him surrounded by his wife, Mrs. Ophelia Rhodes, and several of his children. Following is, we believe, a complete list of the children who survive to mourn the passing of the kindly Christian father, whose tender care and wise counsels had made life's pathway easy for them for so many years:

Mesdames A. E. Chance, Bronson; O. M. Gibbs, Eagle Pass; C. C. Cookinbo, Freeport; Dan Hambrick, Garrison; Misses Clara and Annie Rhodes, Garrison; J. T. Rhodes, Freeport; and Taylor and Pierce Rhodes, Garrison.

Mr. Rhodes, who was a few days past 66 years old at his death was a native of Tennessee, but came to Texas as a lad and had made Garrison his home for some 30 years. He was widely known and greatly liked and respected throughout this section, and many friends joined with the family in caring for the aged man during the last few weeks in which he lingered and suffered death on earth.

This is a case where practically the entire home community join with the home circle in grief at the passing of a good citizen and a loyal friend.

## APPLEBY SCHOOL NOTES

The eighth grade entertained Friday afternoon instead of Friday morning with a very interesting program. There were several visitors present. Mrs. Blake, Mrs. W. Tillery, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. McElwain, and Miss Stubblefield.

The Garrison "Hi" School brought their minstrel to Appleby Friday night. The Appleby school got ten per cent of the proceeds.

Miss Yates' room entertained in chapel Monday morning with a very interesting program.

The seventh grade regrets the loss of two pupils, Roddy Brewer and Jack Harrin.

The other day Raymond Wicker went to the picture show. As he began eating peanuts in the theatre the movie usher came around and said: "Look here, you can't eat peanuts in here."

Raymond: "Yes I can, young fellow, but I could do a ho' lot's better if you'd turn on a little light."

Miss Pounds, our primary teacher, has her room decorated so pretty that we all enjoy visiting it.

The school has been planting flowers and setting out shade trees in the past few days and we're not done yet. Each grade set out a tree and named it.

Novella Stokes, a seventh grade student, was seriously hurt last week. She fell off of a truck.

Misses Lilas Samuels, Elsie Broadbeck, Gold, Pounds, and Mr. George Samuels and Jewel Slay motored to Nacogdoches Friday evening to see the show. They enjoyed themselves immensely.

Beulah and Annie Love Hill were absent from school Wednesday.

Mrs. Yates spent the week-end with home folks in Nacogdoches and came back Sunday.

Miss Pounds went to the Wortham farm last Sunday on horseback. We are sure she enjoyed the ride.

The District Singing Convention begins Friday night at the Baptist church and continues Saturday and Saturday night and Sunday. There will be several different quartettes there. Everybody is invited.

## ESCAPED—RECAPTURED

San Angelo, Texas, March 16.—Howard county's only prisoners, Robert Grimes of Victoria and Wichita Falls and Hugh Davis of Hamlin, are being returned to Big Spring, where they escaped late Wednesday. Grimes is charged with forgery and Davis with making whiskey. Grimes was captured at a local railroad station this morning. Davis, who was captured Thursday at Sterling, declared Grimes forced him at the point of a pistol to escape, and then robbed and deserted him at a Sterling hotel, according to officers.

## LET LEFT-HANDED CHILD REMAIN SO, DOCTOR'S ADVICE

Boston, Mass., March 16.—Changing a left-handed child into a right-handed one, as is done in many public schools, is apt to have a bad effect upon the child's eyesight, Dr. Charles Sheard, of Southbridge, said on an address at the convention of the New England Optometric Association.

"Ninety-five percent of the race have a dominant eye, just as they have a dominant hand," he asserted. "It is a curious phenomenon that the dominance of the eye follows the dominance of the hand."

## CORNS Lift Off with Fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly!

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

## THREE HELD TODAY IN CANADIAN MURDER CASE

Canadian, Texas, March 16.—Three men were held today pending further investigation of the death of Noah Samples, 72, a Panhandle cattleman, though no formal charges were filed. The three men are William Mohler, his brother and Jess Latham, an uncle, all of Oklahoma. Physicians and undertakers who examined the body declared they believed Samples was hanged or choked.

## CONVENES—ADJOURNS

Austin, Texas, March 15.—The legislature adjourned its special session at 11 o'clock this morning, one hour after convening. This is believed to have established a record for the shortest session. No bills were introduced and no work undertaken. The house voted to adjourn, adopting the Patman resolution to that effect by a vote of 70 to 43. The senate adopted the resolution by a viva voce vote. Senator Lewis of Grimes county expressed strong opposition to adjournment. Senator McMillan of Grayson county was elected president pro tem, for the time it was in session today. Senator Witt of Waco was elected president pro tem ad interim just before adjournment. Twenty-eight senators and 114 representatives were present. The same officers were appointed by both houses for the special session. Governor Neff's proclamation calling the session was read.

## MITCHELL ON TRIAL

Waco, Texas, March 15.—Roy Mitchell, negro, went to trial today charged with the murder of W. E. Holt in January. Rangers and county peace officers are on guard. Arthur Postel, negro, a brother-in-law of Mitchell, was charged with perjury in a complaint. The charge is an aftermath of Postel's appearance before the grand jury. Postel was charged by complaint with the murder of Holt and Mrs. Ethel Denecamp, but no action was taken by the grand jury, since the alleged statements of Mitchell do not incriminate anyone else.

## ALLEGED MURDERER CAUGHT AFTER THREE-DAY CHASE

Hillsboro, Texas, March 16.—After a search by a posse of three days, Leroy Harris, negro, was arrested last night in Limestone county charged with the killing of Wylie Smithson, a tenant farmer, near Bynum. Tuesday night the negro was taken to jail in another county, officers said. According to a report to the officers after the killing, Smithson upbraided the negro farm hand for failure to bring seed corn to the field for planting.

## INGROWN TOE NAIL

Turns Out Itself

A noted authority says that a few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward over night.

"Outgro" is a harmless, antiseptic manufactured for chiropodists. However, anyone can buy from the drug store a tiny bottle containing directions.

## STATE WILL PROSECUTE ALLEGED KLAN OUTRAGES

New Orleans, March 17.—"It is the present intention of the State of Louisiana to file bills of information and proceed with the prosecution of those against whom it has evidence in the Morehouse parish Ku Klux Klan outrages."

That is the announcement of Attorney General A. V. Cocco, who reached New Orleans yesterday from Bastrop, learning en route of the action of the Morehouse parish grand jury, which, in a 10-day secret session, has examined scores of witnesses and the huge mass of sworn testimony of the January open hearing at Bastrop, in which the blame for a year and a half of terrorism, threats, abductions, flappings and deportations, culminating in the kidnaping, torture, mutilation and murder of F. Watt Daniel and Thomas F. Richards, was laid squarely at the door of the black-hooded, night-riding "wrecking crew" of the Morehouse Ku Klux Klan.

"We are naturally disappointed because I believed and was confident that the state of Louisiana had made out good cases," said Attorney General Cocco, "but this action by the grand jury does not end the matter by any means. It is the present intention of the State of Louisiana to file bills of information and proceed with the prosecution of those against whom it has evidence in the Morehouse parish Ku Klux Klan outrages."

## FRENCH TROOPS KILLED WHEN TRAINS COLLIDE

Berlin, March 17.—A report from Friemersheim, a Rhine town near Duisburg, says 40 soldiers were killed and many injured when a French troop train collided with a freight. The impact was so violent that several coaches telescoped.

## THREE AMATEURS IN TWO YEARS

In the space of two years the nation has seen the one government department with which its daily life is in closest contact change its general manager three times, and not one of those three general managers had any experience to recommend him for the job.

Will Hays was wholly a politician; Hubert Work was a politician and doctor until April 7, 1921, when for eleven months he served as first assistant postmaster general. Now is a politician, with a background of active journalism. These three men, since March 4, 1921, have been called, in succession, to administer the post office department of the United States, one of the largest business enterprises in the world and one of daily concern to every inhabitant of the country.

The revenue and expenditures of the postal department hover approximately at the half-billion mark, and every citizen who bought a penny stamp contributed to the revenue and every citizen who pays a cent of taxes is a partner in the expenditure. As Mr. Hays impressively remarked: "The postoffice department is pre-eminent by the peoples' agency. It tenders its services at all times to everyone, without exception, who chooses to use them and upon the same terms and with the same guaranty of faithfulness. Every business, religious, educational, political and social interest depends upon it for its development and expression beyond the limits of the provincial. As it is essentially the service of the people, our policy is to enlist their interest in its largest usefulness and greatest efficiency."

Having discovered this between March 4 and November 15, 1921, the next step in "our policy" was for Mr. Hays to desert the service for a larger salary elsewhere, and thus leave the position open for Dr. Work, who had precisely one month less experience in the department. Dr. Work, in turn, throws it up for that splendid political plum that makes every Westerner's mouth water, the department of the interior. This leaves an opening for a lame duck, and Senator New, who ceased to be a senator on March 4, becomes postmaster general and, for the first time, will stand on the employee side of the postoffice counter.

There is probably nothing so cynical in public life as this open trading of a position of such vital import to the public. The complacency with which it is done suggests nothing short of contempt for the interest of the people who see this tremendous service the plaything of politics. It is time this practice was stopped and if nothing could arouse the public to a sense of the seamy side of politics in government business it is this spectacle of three amateurs in two years entrusted with the postoffice department.

## OIL PRICE CLIMBING

Houston, Texas, March 15.—The Humble Oil & Refining Company announced an increase in the price of Gulf Coast crude oil from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per barrel.

# IF BILIOUS, SICK! TAKE NO CALOMEL

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Straightens You Up Better Than Salivating, Dangerous Calomel and Doesn't Upset You—Don't Lose a Day's Work—Read Guarantee

You're bilious! Your liver is sluggish! You feel lazy, dizzy and all knocked out. Your head is dull, your tongue is coated; breath bad; stomach sour and bowels constipated. But don't take salivating calomel. It makes you sick, you may lose a day's work.

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you a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working; you'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children.

## MISS NEAL HONORED BY HOME TOWN PEOPLE

Carthage, Texas, March 15.—Banks and business houses closed Wednesday morning, and the citizens from all over Panola county turned out at Carthage to welcome home Miss Margie Neal from Austin. The occasion was an expression of public appreciation to Miss Neal for her efforts at Austin in interest of the Panola county carbon black bill.

Miss Neal was conducted from the train by an escort of decorated automobiles to the public square, where speeches were made by ex-Mayor T. J. Wooten, County Agent D. M. Foster, S. S. Baker, Mrs. C. C. Comer in behalf of the Carthage women, and Mrs. R. E. Gray of Mitchell in behalf of the county federation of women's clubs.

Miss Neal is prominently known in state political and newspaper circles, having served as a member of the state democratic executive committee and a delegate-at-large to the national democratic convention at San Francisco, and as former publisher of the East Texas Register. At present Miss Neal is a member of the state board of normal regents.

## ROY MITCHELL CASE MAY GO TO THE JURY TODAY

Waco, Texas, March 17.—The case of Roy Mitchell, negro, charged with the murder of W. E. Holt, is expected to go to the jury today. The defense began its testimony yesterday after the state rested. Counsel announced they had only three more witnesses to examine before Mitchell testified in his own behalf. The testimony and arguments are expected to be completed today.

## AFTER TRAIN ROBBERS

Tacoma, Wash., March 17.—Sheriff Tom Desmond rushed two automobile loads of deputy sheriffs to South Prairie, 26 miles from here, today when he received information that a train had been robbed there.

## MUNICIPAL PLANTS COST MORE TO OPERATE

Analysis of the operating costs of privately owned and municipal plants in Indiana as made from official reports of the companies filed with the utilities commission of that state show that municipal plants are operated at higher costs. Out of every \$100 of revenue received by the electric utilities those privately owned spend \$63.93 for operating expenses, whereas municipally owned utilities spend \$73.44. Municipally owned utilities do not pay taxes, this being an added burden to the citizens of the cities thus served. But the privately owned utilities operated at less cost than municipal plants even after paying the taxes imposed upon them.

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# LADY GOT SO WEAK COULD SCARCELY STAND

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"SOME TIME AGO," says Mrs. Buena McFarland, of R. F. D. 2, Bostic, N. C., "I suffered a great deal with weakness common to women. I had bearing-down pains, my sides and back hurt, and my limbs drew. I would get so weak in my knees I could scarcely stand."

"I was very nervous, and could not rest. I didn't feel like eating. I grew thin, and did not have ambition for anything."

"I had been trying other remedies . . . but did not get any better."

"Some one told us of Cardui, and what it was recommended for. I also

took a Ladies Birthday Almanac and read of a case something like mine. I told my husband to get it and I would try it.

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Thousands of other women have written, to tell of the beneficial results obtained by taking Cardui, and to recommend it to others.

Cardui has stood the test of extensive use, for more than forty years, in the treatment of troubles common to women. Try it.

## GRAND JURY REPORT

The Grand Jury adjourned Thursday afternoon for the term, submitting the following report to Judge Guinn.

Hon. L. D. Guinn, District Judge: We, the Grand Jury assembled for the February term, 1923, of District Court, beg to submit this, our final report:

At our first session, we served 12 days and at our second and last session have served 4 days. We have returned 16 felony indictments and 27 misdemeanor indictments and in addition have secured sufficient evidence to warrant indictments in 17 misdemeanors. These last named 17 misdemeanor cases have been referred to the county attorney with instructions to file complaints in the Justice Court having jurisdiction. We have handled these last 17 cases as stated above in order to save some expense to the county.

We find general conditions and conduct in the county reasonably good, but as a "shining" exception, we point out that the whiskey or "shiny" traffic remains in such serious condition that warrants and calls for the keen interest of every good, law abiding citizen.

We have examined the jail and the older members of our body say that it is in "about as good condition as common" but we respectfully point out that this building—the closets, beds and bed coverings in particular—is not as sanitary as we think same should be.

By the above report you will note that we have handled many misdemeanor cases—many times the number that a Grand Jury should be forced to handle—and at great expense to the county. In connection with this part of our report, we wish to plainly say and frankly that "we think this was made necessary by failure of some peace officers to perform their sworn duty."

We beg to be finally excused.  
T. A. Hargis,  
R. E. DeLoney,  
Carl Monk,  
R. T. Bentley,  
J. L. Hargis,  
F. E. Thrash,  
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Judge J. F. Perritte and Mrs. B. E. Emmons left Saturday noon for Dallas to attend the meeting of the grand lodge of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Texas, Judge Perritte representing the local lodge of Odd Fellows and Mrs. Emmons the Rebekahs.

Miss Maggie Muller resigned her position as bookkeeper for the Ford Service Station in this city and left Wednesday for Houston, having secured a desirable place with the Horton-Smith Piano Company, 910 Capitol Avenue. Her many friends in Nacogdoches wish her a full measure of success in her new work.

Arch T. Jordan and Miss Lydia Stripling, two prominent residents of the Martinsville community, were married in the clerk's office at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon by County Judge A. T. Russell. The Sentinel joins in congratulations and good-wishes.

Five cases charging attempts to tamper with jurors in the Lee McKnight case have been filed against defendant's brother, Walter McKnight, and fines of \$500 in each were assessed against him by Judge Guinn in district court Monday. The judge imposed the maximum penalty.

J. D. Caswell, representing Sherwin-Williams Company, was here on business Thursday. Mr. Caswell's home is at Marshall, which, he states, after Nacogdoches, is the best town in East Texas. Mr. Caswell has been calling on our dealers about every 30 days for the past 6 years. He confessed to a strong liking for the Stone Fort city and predicts a brighter future for her.

Miss Lella Mast entertained Wednesday night with a Shamrock party in honor of her sister, Miss Rosalie Mast, who left for school Thursday. Spring blossoms were attractively arranged in baskets throughout the rooms. The color scheme of shamrock was cleverly carried out in the refreshment course which was served at the conclusion of the games.

# Wonder Wine

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Chaney B. Hunter, says she was weak and run down, had no energy, suffered almost constant pains and had no APPETITE, also her digestion was so poor that what she did eat did her no good and she got thinner and thinner until she only weighed 38 pounds and now feels good all the time, and commenced improving about a week after starting this tonic.

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## OIL SUPERVISOR HERE

Mr. W. F. Arnold, supervisor of the Oil & Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas, is here to visit the oil field in his official capacity. Mr. Arnold was literally "born and raised" in the oil game. His father, Fred Arnold, came from Bradford, Pa., to the Nacogdoches field in 1873, as a result of stories reaching that place about the finding of shallow oil here. The son does not know how long his father remained here, or what developments, if any, he undertook, but does recall hearing his father talk about an oil field at Nacogdoches, Texas, where the wells were only from three to four hundred feet deep.

After his visit here in 1875, the elder Arnold took his family to Galicia, one of the greatest oil fields in Europe, and it was here the son was born. From the Galicia fields in Europe the elder Arnold brought his family to California, where, as a 12-year-old lad, W. F. Arnold "got into the oil game."

Mr. Arnold plans to hold a meeting while here with all the operators and drillers in the shallow field. This meeting will likely be held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms within the next day or so.

Through the courtesy of Mr. C. C. Chappell of the Yuba Oil Company, Mr. Arnold was able to spend Thursday night at Mr. Chappell's camp in the oil field. He will spend Friday inspecting the field.

When the bowels are costive the waste matter ferments, producing a gaseous condition that is disagreeable. To remove the impurities quickly a dose of Herbine is needed. It does the work thoroughly and pleasantly. Price, 60c. Sold by Swift Bros. & Smith.

During the absence of all the members of the family Friday, the apartments occupied by Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ezelle in Houston were visited by a fire which destroyed all the contents, valued at \$5,000, on which there was insurance of \$2,500. The origin of the fire is unknown. Miss Jennie June Harris, who is making her home with her sister, Mrs. Ezelle, lost every article of her wearing apparel and other possessions, leaving her with only the clothing she had on at the time of the visitation. Much sympathy is expressed here for these friends in their misfortune.

It was reported that all tomato plants in cold frames in this section were killed by the freeze of Sunday night, and much damage was inflicted upon the fruit crop. It was a disastrous visitation.

If you belch up a bitter-tasting liquid, suffer from heartburn and sour stomach, you need the tonic properties of Herbine. It is a purifying and strengthening medicine for the stomach, liver and bowels. Price 60c Sold by Swift Bros. & Smith.

A. L. Harris, traveling salesman for the Olive & Myers Mfg. Co., Dallas, was calling on our dealers yesterday. Mr. Harris has been "making" Nacogdoches for 18 years. He says it is one of the very best towns on his "circuit," and predicts that when our paving program is completed, many outsiders will be attracted to our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mettauer of Chireno were in the city Friday. Mrs. Mettauer was en route to Dallas and to Denton, for a visit with her daughter, who is a student at the C. I. A. Mrs. Mettauer plans to take her daughter on a vacation trip of several days. Mr. Mettauer, who is one of the county's best farmers, reports farming operations well advanced in his community.

CATTLE WANTED—If you have fat cattle for sale, see me at Star Market.  
9-3d2w Douglas Patton.

## INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

The Nacogdoches County interscholastic meet will be held at Nacogdoches Saturday and Saturday evening, April 7th. All the schools of this county are invited to take part in these contests. Have a contestant in all the events, if possible, and help to stimulate interest in this feature of school work. Competent judges will be secured to officiate. Begin your preparation now and remember the date.

C. F. WELLBORN,  
General Director.  
Garrison, Texas.

LUMBER HAULERS WANTED—At Spears' Mill, one mile east of Nat. Good roads (in good weather), good price and steady haul. 15-2w

SMALL FARM FOR RENT—Thirty acres 6 1-2 miles south of Nacogdoches, on shares of one-third and one-fourth; near Decoy, on railroad; good water, good garden; seven acres already flat-broke; some little fence to repair. Time yet to plant crop. See or write JAMES SULLIVAN, Decoy, Texas. 15-2w

The forfeiture ordered by Judge Guinn on the bond of Joe Nettles, charged with liquor law violations, was set aside Wednesday and the sheriff instructed to take him to Houston and turn him over to the federal authorities. Nettles moved some time ago from this county to Houston, at which place he was arrested and brought here for trial. He failed to answer when his case was called, hence the bond forfeiture.

Watch your children for symptoms of worms. They undermine the health and breed sickness. Use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels worms and restores health and vigor. Price 35c. Sold by Swift Bros. & Smith.

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Mr. C. C. Lacy, who recently purchased the Redland Drug Store, has arranged to move his stock to Joaquin and establish himself there, the building he is to occupy has not been entirely completed, which will delay the move for a few days. Mr. Lacy stated to a Sentinel man that he had done a very good business here, but things it would be to his advantage to make the change of location. We regret to see him leave, but hope he will meet with much success in his new home.

Cold settled in the muscles of the neck, arms or shoulder makes every movement painful. Use Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves the pain and relaxes the muscles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by Swift Bros. & Smith.

The car stolen from Mrs. Henry Millard Saturday night at the Methodist church was located in Shreveport, whither the thieves took it, and Deputy Sheriff Booth went up Wednesday to reclaim the property.

## WHY MOTHERS WORRY

There is a critical period in a young girl's life. If she is healthy, nature takes care of her and she experiences no discomfort; but if she is weak and worn out, because of neglect, she may become a wreck. The real mother will watch and guard her daughter at this crisis. She knows that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a medicine adapted to the weaknesses of women, is just what is needed to build up a young girl's strength, prevent a collapse and restore her to health. It has helped thousands. Liquid or tablets. Send 10c for trial pkg. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.



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Mrs. E. L. Newton of Tyler was a Sunday visitor in the city.

Mrs. R. B. Collier of Carthage was registered at the Redland Hotel Sunday.

W. E. McMillin of Rayburn was a business visitor in the city Sunday, a guest at the Redland Hotel.

John Rodisill, who is attending Rice Institute, Houston, is in the city for a visit with homefolks.

Mr. Carr, an enterprising young gentleman of Waco, was a "business" visitor in the city Sunday.

Attorney Culberson Denman returned Sunday from a very pleasant social visit in San Antonio.

W. H. Brown of the National Lumber & Tie Company, made a business trip to Jacksonville Friday.

Miss Rosalie Mast left Thursday for San Marcos, where she will enter school for the spring term.

Mrs. J. W. Mast left Thursday for Laredo, where she will visit her son, C. A. Mast, and other relatives.

Mrs. Sybil Martin of Lufkin is visiting in the city, a guest of Mrs. J. A. Martin for a few days.

Mr. James Sullivan, one of the Sentinel's good Decoy friends, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. S. Adams, who had been quite ill of the flu, was reported somewhat improved Thursday morning.

Mr. T. E. Fall, one of the leading farmers of the Melrose community, was a business visitor in the city Friday morning.

Captain J. C. Blake of the local military company and Principal R. E. Price of the high school motored to Rusk Friday night to attend an interscholastic league meeting.

Ollie Pike and Miss Ruby Mills of the Needmore community were married in the county clerk's office here Friday afternoon at 2:30 by Judge Frank Houston.

Mrs. J. F. Summers has gone to San Antonio for a visit with the family of her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Hauser. She was accompanied as far as Houston by her son, Burk, who was returning to A. & M. after a few days' visit with homefolks.

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L. A. Moss, merchant of Chireno, was here Tuesday on business.

L. C. Jacobs, prominent business man of Etoile, was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

Sheriff Watts of Angelina county was here Wednesday as a witness in a bootlegging case.

The case of Janie Blount, colored, charged with murder, which was to have been tried at this term of court, was continued by agreement.

J. O. Booker, C. C. Matthews, W. S. Aston, W. O. Seale, R. B. Cozart and others were up today from Lufkin attending court, and also W. P. Rutland of Diboll.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Hatch of Lexington, Ky., left for home Monday after a two-months visit here with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hatch.

Miss Willie Gramling, music instructor in Alexander College, Jacksonville, returned to her duties Tuesday after a visit of several days with homefolks.

Eastman Kodaks at Stripling, Haselwood & Co.'s—\$1.50 to \$50.00. 21-3w.

Mrs. Karle Wilson Baker left Monday for Houston in response to an invitation from the Y. W. C. A. of that city to give a reading Tuesday night before the Axon Club.

Mr. J. W. Ireson, clerk of the Woodmen of the World at Beaumont, was in the city Tuesday to attend the big meeting and banquet of the local camp Tuesday night and also to visit with his mother, Mrs. A. B. Ireson.

A fire in the home of E. H. Powers, South Fredonia street at 10:30 Monday night did considerable damage to his household equipment. The volunteer fire boys turned out in full force and prevented a more serious visitation.

Oscar Turner of Greenville, representing a manufacturing chemical company of Atlanta and Dallas, was in the city Wednesday interesting our business men as to their needs for calcium arsenate for this season.

"Black Bird" illuminated alarm clock at Stripling, Haselwood & Co. for \$2.50. 21-3w

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Miss Bessie Adams of Nacogdoches, who has been visiting relatives in the city, left today for Moscow to spend several days with her parents.—Lufkin News, 20th.

J. B. Jackson, representing the R. B. George Machinery Company of Houston, spent Tuesday in our city. Mr. Jackson conducted a tractor demonstration out on the Logansport road for the benefit of our commissioners court.

Crosby Newton has returned for a vacation from his work as telegraph operator in Kansas and Oklahoma for the Katy Railroad. Crosby is developing into a most satisfactory telegrapher and railroader, and we predict a successful career for him in his chosen vocation.

### PEACH BLOSSOMS AND BOLL WEEVILS

From the Dallas News. The winter now ending had already won the distinction of being the mildest that most of us were able to recall, and now it adds a cubit to its name by producing the coldest March day that is disclosed by records that run back a good many years. This particular feat will not be hailed by the fruit and vegetable growers. The freeze has wasted many gardens and played havoc with the hope of a big fruit crop over a large area of the state, though the likelihood is that most peach trees had not wakened sufficiently to be seriously hurt. But as an offset to that loss, we are promised a heavy reduction in the boll weevil infestation this year. The promise is a plausible one. It is not unlikely that the week of warm days that immediately preceded the freeze enticed a great percentage of the weevils out of their winter quarters and so exposed them to the full rigors of the blast that has signalized the winter. If that should prove true, the freeze has done us more good than harm. A tenth of our cotton crop is worth more than the whole of our fruit crop. And then, too, it is not likely that we have lost the whole of our fruit crop.

About the only thing an upper berth and the early spring suits comfortable is a good heavy overcoat.

A new treaty ought to be written in which the United States will agree to tie up Harvey if the British will quiet Balfour.

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## KINSMAN OF LORD PRAISES TANLAC

Roberts Declares it Restored Him to Health After Months of Suffering

"I don't wonder that so many people are praising Tanlac for restoring their health, because it has done the same thing for me and I feel duty-bound to tell others," is the statement made the other day by William Stanley Roberts, 715 Locust street, Kansas City, Mo., traveling representative of the Forbes Seed Company, Newark, N. J. Mr. Roberts is a native of Southampton, England, and a kinsman of the late Lord Roberts, famous British soldier.

"Gas, heartburn, coreness and shortness of breath after eating caused me much hardship. I lost my appetite completely, was going down in weight and terrific headaches, pains in my back and biliousness helped make my miseries about all I could stand.

"But the Tanlac treatment put me in such fine trim I can now easily withstand the wear and tear of constant traveling, haven't a sign of indigestion, sleep soundly and have a mountain of energy. I believe Tanlac is the best medicine made."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Over 35-million bottles sold.

We are overstocked on Johnson Grass seed. Come and get it at \$12 a hundred. Stripling, Haselwood & Co. 21-3w.

### MRS. MARTHA COUNCILL

Mrs. Martha Councill, whose illness has been noted in these columns, died at 5:45 Tuesday morning, it being the 81st anniversary of her birth.

She was one of the oldest residents of the community, having spent practically all her life here, and was greatly beloved by all who knew her. During her long illness she received the affectionate ministrations of her neighbors, who did everything possible to alleviate her sufferings.

Mrs. Councill's husband, Mr. J. C. Councill, died several years ago. She is survived by two sons, W. P. of Shreveport and L. G. of Lufkin, and to the remaining members of the family the sympathy of our people are given.

Funeral services were held at the Catholic church at 9:30 Wednesday morning by Rev. Father Daly, the pastor, followed by interment in the Catholic burying ground in Oak Grove cemetery.

A good woman has gone from us. The active pallbearers selected were Oscar Matthews, Louis Muller, Pat Murphey, Thos. E. Baker, Luther Swift and Adlai Mast.

Honorary pallbearers: I. L. Sturdevant, Charles Hoya, John Schmidt and John P. Davidson.

E. E. Mellon, the genial salesman for the F. W. Heitman Company of Houston, was calling on our dealers Wednesday. Mellon has a smile all his own. His face is always welcomed on our streets. In the thirteen years he has been calling on our dealers he has formed many friendships as well as business acquaintances.

90-day Velvet Beans. Plant them and have fat stock. \$3.50 a bushel. Home grown. Stripling, Haselwood & Co. 21-3w

Messrs. J. A. McCoy and L. D. O'Bryan, experienced oilmen of Houston, were in the city Wednesday. They visited the oil fields in the afternoon in company with General Jacob Wolters, who is spending a few days on his lease in the southern portion of the proven area. If Messrs. McCoy and O'Brien are pleased with what they find down in the "Golden Triangle" they will likely begin some sort of developments.

Editor G. E. Watford of the Lufkin News was in the city Tuesday and favored the Sentinel with a pleasant fraternal call. The News is one of the best small-town dailies in this state, and the people of Lufkin are showing their appreciation of a good thing by according it a most gratifying patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Weybright and daughter arrived Saturday from their home in Dayton, Ohio, for a visit of a month or more with the family of Mr. Weybright's sister, Mrs. J. M. Miller. They are very much pleased with this section and are especially delighted that they came when they did, thus avoiding the frigid weather which visited their home country and caused so much suffering and damage.

The case of Elwood Hall, charged with murder, was continued for the 11th Wednesday in district court. The charge involved the alleged killing of a Mexican near Swift some time ago.

The most difficult place to balance a budget is on the point of a bayonet.

## The Modern Woman

**SHE** is a business woman. She makes 80 per cent of all purchases made in retail stores. She is an astute clever buyer. She runs her household strictly on a business basis.

She is constantly in touch with the stores and their offerings. Through the advertising she knows the lowest prices, the best qualities and the newest commodities. Long before she leaves the house for a shopping trip, she knows exactly what she wants, where to get it and how much to pay.

She buys merchandise of established reputation. If it's clothing, she knows how well it should wear and what the style should be. If it's a musical instrument, she know what to expect in tone and workmanship. If it's a vacuum cleaner, she knows what kind of service it should give.

Ask her and she will tell you it pays to read the advertisements.

It will pay you too. It will save your time, money and effort. It will help you dress better, eat better, sleep better and live better.

It's a good habit to read the advertisements.  
It's a profitable habit, too.

### PROGRESS OF THE NEGRO

By E. E. Burkhalter.

The enslaving of the American negro was at its height less than a hundred years ago. Between the years of 1850 and 1860 the number brought from Africa was 70,000, the largest recorded in any decade. Negro slaves thus brought to America were untamed blacks of the Dark Continent, and yet they were the people who after the long struggle between the North and the South were emancipated to the number of 4,000,000 men, women and children. Prior to 1860 there were some "freedmen", and some slaves had been given a little schooling, but for the most part these 4,000,000 people had no schooling, and were without property of any kind. Today we number 3,500,000 agricultural workers; 1,700,000 mechanical workers; 1,318,000 domestic and personal workers; 850,000 employers in trade and transportation; 100,000 professional men and women, 2,000,000 housekeepers and 3,000,000 children in school. Today we own 600,000 homes, including 300,000 farms, covering 21,000,000 acres of land. On the 1,000,000 farms we operated in 1920 we produced about one-third of the South's agricultural output of \$4,650,000.

We have built up 45,000 separate business enterprises based upon our wonderful purchasing power and our one billion dollars of total wealth. Figures show that three-fourths of all the negroes are at work.

We have 43,000 houses of worship, worth in the aggregate of \$85,000,000, and nearly one-half of all the men, women and children in the race are on the church roll. For the support of these churches we set aside annually from our hard earnings \$75,000,000. In a generation we have paid \$70,000,000 toward our own education. Our literacy has risen from 10 percent in 1860 to 80 percent in 1920.

Nevertheless, the negro in this country is living in far from ideal conditions. While he has come from the situation of slavery days, he has by no means risen as far as he can or as he will. Those individuals of the race who have excelled in various walks of life only prove the inherent possibilities of the negro! They point the path for other millions of the race.

Slowly, but surely, philosophy has been moving away from the various forms of dualism, until it now proclaims a unifying element in the universe, into which all forces are being

caught up and knit into one complete whole. Behind the forces of nature there is a supreme force; behind the lives of the universe there is a supreme life; and these blend into a complete and perfect personality, whom Christians call GOD. Such seems to be the decided tendency of science and philosophy.

### BOOSTERS ELECT OFFICERS

The Booster Club held their regular meeting Monday night at the Lockey Tea Room. W. D. Burk made the five minute talk and his subject was "Co-Operation." It was fine.

The new officers elected Monday night were W. D. Burk, president; D. D. Giles, vice president; Robert Monk, secretary and treasurer.

Boosters.

**PAT MURPHEY'S BIRTHDAY**  
Saturday, March 17, was St. Patrick's Day. It also was Pat Murphey's birthday and in keeping with the day the color scheme of green and white was in evidence in the dining room, where Mrs. Murphey served dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake to the nearby neighbors and intimate friends of Mr. Murphey. The center of the table was attractively adorned with a huge bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Every one there wished Mr. Murphey many more happy birthdays. A Guest.

Most of the gardens in this vicinity must be replanted, the freezes of the past three nights have "nipped" everything that has grown above ground. Fruit of all varieties that had budded or bloomed was also injured.



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