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 GEORGE BLAKE.

Miss B. Fletcher, who was associated with The Leader for two years or more and resigned her position with us to accept employment in the Alamo State Bank at San Antonio, has again taken up newspaper work and has purchased the Uvalde Leader-News, which paper she will manage and edit. Miss Fletcher is a lady of rare ability in newspaper work. She is accomplished, versatile and refined, and, above all, she possesses a true Christian character which makes her work on a publication valuable to any city. She is ambitious, industrious and sincere in her work and can and will give to the people of Uvalde a newspaper second to none in that part of the State if given the patronage and support she deserves. We are glad to welcome her back into newspaperdom.

T. E. Bailey, a member of The Leader force since last July, has accepted the management and editorship of the Newcastle Register, and moved to that town with his family. Mr. Bailey is a refined, polished gentleman, an old newspaper man familiar with every branch of the work from inking a Washington hand press to writing a convincing editorial on political issues, a rustler for business and an ambitious, hard worker, who will give to the people of the mining city a newspaper they may justly feel proud of if the citizens of the town and owners of the plant stay with him and give him the encouragement and assistance he should have.

MEAT MARKET

I have moved my Meat Market to the old Miller shop and am now ready to serve you with the choicest of meats every day. My market is sanitary in every respect and I solicit not only my old friends and customers who know the value of my stuff, but the new people of the town who desire the best meat on the market to give me a trial. I handle only the best. Order one of my beef or pork roasts today.

JOE ANDRUS.

Notice of School Trustee Election
 Notice is hereby given that on the first Saturday in April, said Saturday being April 3, an election will be held in every Common School District in each district, and also one County Trustee in Precincts Nos. 2, 3 and 4.
 R. G. HALLAM,
 President Co. Board Trustees.

ELECTION NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF YOUNG
 Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in April, 1920, the same being the 6th day of April, 1920, there will be held in the City Hall in the town of Graham in Young County, Texas, an election for the purpose of electing a City Secretary and Treasurer for said city for the term of two years and also for the purpose of electing two aldermen for ward No. 1 and two aldermen for ward No. 2 for the term of two years. All persons who are qualified voters under the laws of the State of Texas and who reside within the City of Graham are entitled to vote at said election and all persons residing East of the center of Elm Street will cast their vote for one City Secretary and for two aldermen in Ward No. 1, and all persons residing West of the center of Elm Street will cast their vote for one City Secretary and one alderman in Ward 2.
 W. M. Matthews is hereby appointed as judge of said election and he will appoint such other judges and clerks as may be necessary to hold the same.
 Witness my hand this 7th day of March, 1920.

W. A. MORRIS,
 Mayor.
 T. E. WALLACE,
 City Secretary.



A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE

Is a dangerous thing if it make a man believe that any old policy means means insurance. All the policies read practically the same in blank form—it's when properly filled out and signed that they give full protection.

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An Ordinance providing for the submission to Voters of the City of Graham of the Question: "Shall a Commission be Chosen to Frame a New Charter?" at a Special Election to be Held for the Purpose and Providing that a Charter Commission be Elected at said Election. Whereas it having been determined by official census that the City of Graham has a population of more than 5,000; and Whereas, this Council deems it advisable and to the best interest of the said city that a new charter be adopted; now, therefore, by unanimous vote,

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Graham that there shall be submitted to the voters of the said City, at a special election held for the purpose, the following question: "Shall a Commission be Chosen to Frame a New Charter?" That said special election shall be held on the 15th day of April, 1920, which is not less than thirty, nor more than ninety days after the passage of this Ordinance;

That the ballot containing such question shall provide for the election from the city at large of a charter commission of not less than fifteen members; That notice of said election be published in The Graham Leader, a newspaper published in the City of Graham as provided by law. Said election shall be held at the City Hall and the following named persons are hereby managers of said election: W. M. Matthews, F. M. Burkett, A. C. Anderson, G. D. Hinson. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections. A copy of this Ordinance signed by the Mayor of said City, shall serve as proper notice of said election, and the Mayor is directed to cause publication of said notice to be made for at least twenty days prior to the late of said election.

W. A. MORRIS, Mayor.
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EXCELSIOR LITERARY SOCIETY

Motto: "Aim high."

The Excelsior Literary Society met Wednesday, March 24th, at 4:15 in the high school auditorium in its regular session. The Society was called to order by the president, Frank Horton. Each member then answered roll call and the minutes of the last meeting were then read and approved.

The Society then decided that they would obtain a bulletin board and place the program for each meeting on it and then everybody would know who was on the program. As this was the day for electing officers, the following were elected: President, D. Lacy Mayes; vice president, John Slater; secretary, Rudelle Seddon; sergeant-at-arms, John Barron; critic, Frances Bowron; sponsor, Miss Phillips; reporter, Bessie Mayes.

These officers are to take charge at the next meeting and hold their office until school is out.

There being no other business the following program was given.

Debate: Resolved, That a man should be in possession of an oil well before he proposes marriage to a young lady. Affirmative: Virginia Caudill, Rudelle Seddon; negative: Lois Cook, John Slater.

The judges, Miss Phillips, Ina Mae Price and Raymond Burnett decided in favor of the negative.

The program for next week, March 31, was then read, which is: Violin Solo—Irene Perrin. Reading—Lucile Cook. Vocal Solo—Frances Bowron. Reading—Alice Franklin. Piano Solo—Ruby Lee Edens. The president then made his farewell address, after which the Society adjourned.

REPORTER.

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FISH CREEK

Well, as I have not been at Murray for some four weeks, I am not well posted on the community happenings. Since our last report there have been some changing around.

Miss Jewell Donnel has returned from Fort Worth.

Miss Maggie Bruce, of Murray, has accepted a position with R. F. Short & Co. dry goods store at Graham, where she will be pleased to meet her many friends.

R. G. Taylor has moved to Graham and Tom and Jesse Dixon now have charge of the Street farm.

This beautiful Sunday evening we had the pleasure of attending church at Indian Mound, my old home and meeting quite a number of my old friends and neighbors. Things certainly have changed there in the last four years. Some have sold their homes and gone to other places and some are married away and quite a new citizenship has taken their places.

Wheat and oats are looking good around the Mound.

Well, Mr. Editor, as I am no longer living at Fish Creek perhaps this will be my farewell letter to The Leader. **KID.**

CEDAR CREEK

We are having nice weather now, but dry and everything is needing rain. Wheat and oats are growing, but not like they would with plenty of moisture in the ground.

Most of the farmers here are planting corn, gardening, etc.

Judge Funderburk, of Eastland, and Attorney Seale, of Breckenridge, spent a couple of days in this community on business.

Arch Newby is remodeling his residence and making quite a comfortable residence of it.

The T. P. Coal and Oil Co. tore down the derrick at the Barron well in this community and moved it to Alex Stringer's place near the Fox Hollow school house.

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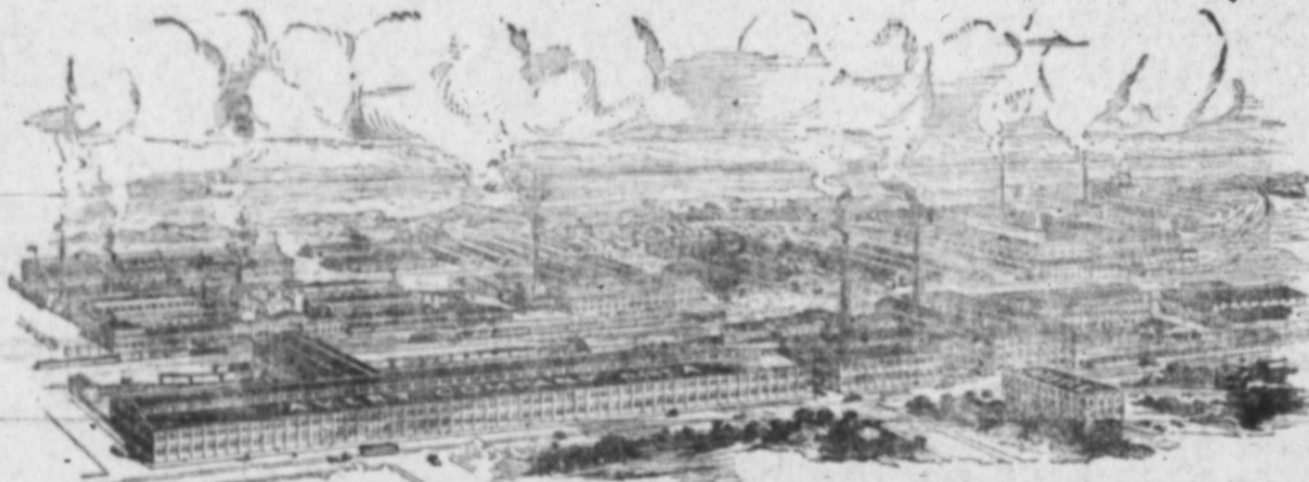
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PLANTING SEED EXCHANGE

Edgar H. Kemp, County Agent.

In spite of the crops made in Young county last year there is considerable demand for planting seed of various sorts. It is not necessary to go out of the county for seed, however, as a large number of farmers have quantities of excellent seed which are thoroughly acclimated to Young county, and which are for sale at just as reasonable a figure as imported seed. In order to get those wishing to buy in touch with those having seed for sale, I would be glad to have all farmers having seed to communicate with me, also those wishing to buy. An approximate price list is quoted herewith: Red Top Cane, \$5.00 per cwt. Amber Can \$5.00 per cwt. Spur Feterita, (not threshed) 6.00 Shrook Kafir, (not threshed) \$6.00. Hegairi \$6.00. per cwt. Surecropper Corn \$3.50 bu. June Corn \$3.50 bu. Rowden Cotton Seed \$3.00 bu. Mebane Cotton Seed \$2.50 bu. Soudan Grass Seed \$12.50 cwt. Big German Millet \$6.00 cwt. White Wonder Millet \$6.00 cwt.

It is my intention not to actually handle the seed, but to see that the buyer is put in touch with those having what he wants. I shall be glad to test any seed submitted me for germination, at any time. I will endeavor to assist in locating good seed of any varieties than those listed.

AUTOMOBILE ANNOUNCEMENT

I have secured the agency in Young and Stephens counties for the Auburn Beauty Six and have cars for immediate delivery. Phone or see S. POWER for demonstration. Ind Phone 164. 301p

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ESTRAY NOTICE

Reported by H. S. McCready, Commissioner Precinct No. 2, Young County, Texas, and left with Mr. Harrison, Graham ranch, on Clear Fork, about 12 miles S. W. from the City of Graham, the following described stock, viz:

One red Durham 2-year-old heifer with horns, unbranded, unmarked. The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 10th day of (L. S.) March, 1920.

C. W. HINSON, Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

SALE ON WORK SHOES

We offer a big lot of Men's Work Shoes, worth \$6.00 to \$7.50, at 4.95. Another lot on sale at 4.45.

STREET & CO.

Miss Bernice Groves, who is attending C. I. A. at Denison, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groves.

MEN'S WORK SHOES \$4.95

See these bargains now on sale at STREET & CO.

One two-year-old black horse mule has been in my pasture three months. Call at Leader office. 31-2p

Just received a car of fresh Dairy Feed.—LOUIS BOWER, Ind Phone 9-M

See the Graham Tire Service Co. two doors north of postoffice, for all kinds of tire work. Give us a trial. All work guaranteed. We fix 'em.—RAGLAND & SMITH

Judge W. P. Stinson visited his farm at Elliasville Tuesday. He says the derrick is completed on his place and he believes they will spud in by the first of next week.

Letter Files at The Leader office.

PADGETT CASES DISMISSED

Graham, Texas, March 22, 1920. Editor Leader:

Last week you published an order of the Commissioner's Court authorizing the recording of the Report of the Board of Pardons Advisers in the case of E. W. Fry, and also a portion of the fifth page of said Report. Your readers noticed that "a number of substantial citizens" promised to pay back to the county "in the neighborhood of seven thousand dollars;" but you will see from the following order that eleven thousand six hundred and thirty (\$11,630.00) dollars was paid back. There's a reason for this difference. The order of the Court follows:

JANUARY 30th, 1920

Be it remembered that on this the 30th day of January, 1920, there came on to be held a special term of the Commissioners' Court of Young County, pursuant to call of Hon. W. P. Stinson, the County Judge of said County, said call being made for the purpose of holding a conference with Jno. C. Kay and P. A. Martin of Wichita Falls, Texas, the attorneys of the County in certain suits pending in the courts against I. B. Padgett et al. Present W. P. Stinson, County Judge, W. C. Burns, H. S. McCready, Sam Bird, W. H. Reeves, the County Commissioners of the County, Mal Wallace, Sheriff, and C. W. Hinson, Clerk.

The following proceeding were had to-wit: Attorneys P. A. Martin, Jno. C. Kay and C. F. Marshall stated to the Court that cash had been paid to said attorneys to cover the full amount of the judgment rendered by the District Court of Clay county in the first case tried, and that there had been deposited with Mr. Kay one of the said attorneys, the sum of \$11,630.00, which said amount if accepted by said Court, was to be applied as follows: on costs advanced by I. B. Padgett, the sum of \$406.00; on attorneys fees owing to P. A. Martin and Jno. C. Kay the sum of \$500.00 each, the balance to be placed in the Road and Bridge Fund of this County. It was the further proposition of the parties paying off this judgment, that the second suit filed against Padgett and his bondsmen and pending in the District Court of Clay county, Texas, be dismissed.

The Court, after hearing said proposition and fully understanding the same, and after full discussion, on motion, unanimously decided to accept said proposition.

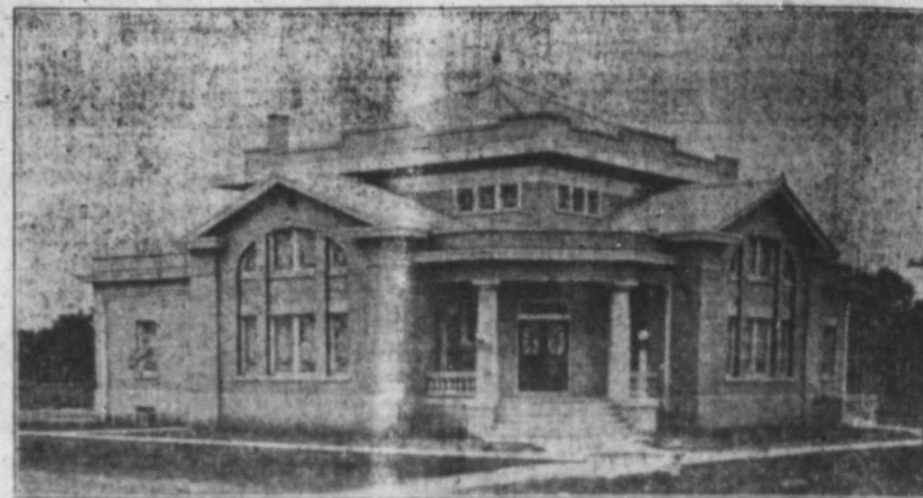
It is therefore ordered by the Court that said attorneys pay to the County Treasurer of Young County the aforesaid sum of \$11,630.00; that the Clerk of this Court issue to I. B. Padgett a warrant for the sum of \$406.00, being the amount of costs shown to have been paid by him; and to the Clerk of the District Court of Clay county, Texas, a warrant for the sum of \$519.00, being the amount of Court costs unpaid and charged to said Padgett. It is further ordered that Jno. C. Kay and P. A. Martin attorneys, having fully performed their services as per their appointment and employment of record on the minutes of this Court, be allowed the sum of \$500.00 each and that warrants issue for the same. So ordered.

W. P. STINSON, County Judge.

Johnson & Nehls are completing a handsome brick and tile garage on North Elm street near the depot.

All kinds of Feed handled and delivered by R. L. SHEPARD—Phone Ind. 62.

Rev. S. D. Baugh, of Weatherford, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. Will Babb. He is contemplating moving here with his family in the near future.



The First Christian Church and its pastor, J. E. Evans, extend you a cordial welcome to the following services:—

Bible School at	10:00 a. m.	Prayer-meeting Wednes-
Communion at	11:00 "	day at 7:30 p. m.
Preaching Service	11:15 "	Mission Study First Thurs-
Junior C. E. at	3:00 p. m.	day each month 3:00 p. m.
Senior C. E. at	6:15 "	Good Singing at all services
Preaching at	7:15 "	An hour of devotion and fellowship will help you.

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50 young men for the Royal Baraca Class next Sunday at First Baptist Church. A real live class for live young men. If you come once you'll come again.

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We have gone through our stock of Men's Work Shoes and taken out all broken lots of shoes, all sizes, worth from \$6.00 to \$7.50, and put them on our bargain counters at sale price of

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S. B. Street & Co.

LOST—On or near square, Silver Coin Purse with the letter M engraved in Old English on it. Please leave at Leader office. 31c

The rig for the Graham Oil Syndicate has been completed and drilling is expected to begin by Saturday or Sunday.

HEREFORD BULLS FOR SALE
One and two years old. Pure breeds \$100.00; registered \$150.00 to \$400.00
31-4c R. J. JOHNSON, Newcastle, Texas.

John Gay, who suffered a severe attack of influenza and pneumonia two weeks ago, is recovering and is now able to sit up part of the time.

Davenport for sale.—MRS JULIA BAYNES.

Miss Edna Phillips, teacher in expression in the Graham schools, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Dallas.

A new complete line of Aluminium Ware will be found at SNODDY & SON.

Kent Cooper, who has been attending the State University at Austin since September, is spending a few days at home with his parents.

We "Knock the Spots."—THE IDEAL CLEANERS; phone S. W. 73; Ind. 65-J. 30thc

NOTICE IN PROBATE No. 348

Estate of G. W. Hoffman, deceased, Mrs. M. A. Hoffman, Executrix. To all persons interested in the Estate of G. W. Hoffman, deceased: Public notice is hereby given that in the above styled cause the Will of G. W. Hoffman was ordered to be probated and recorded and such order duly entered in the minutes, but the Will was not in fact spread on the Minutes of the Court.

Application has been filed by Mrs. M. A. Hoffman, Executrix, to the April Term of this Court for an order for the Record of the Will an nunc pro tunc to correct an omission that was made from accident or mistake. Said motion will be heard at the April Term of the County Court of Young county, Texas, to be held at the Court House in the City of Graham, on the 5th day of April A. D. 1920.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Graham this 17th day of March A. D. 1920.

C. W. HINSON, County Clerk Young County, Texas By PEARL MATTHEWS, Deputy.

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ROOMS FOR RENT—Call 22-M.

D. D. Cusenbary and family spent last Sunday with relatives at Murray.

You will find a complete line of Flower Pots at **SNODDY & SON'S** Room, close-in, for rent.—Call at Leader office. 29-30p

D. G. Vick was here from Fort Worth the first of the week.

PERENNIAL PHLOX for sale.—**MRS. WM. JOHNSON.** 31-3p

J. H. Wright and family, of Yale, Oklahoma, are moving to Graham.

All kinds of hauling.—**R. L. SHEPARD, Ind. Phone 62.** 26

Mrs. S. J. Dinmore, of Olney, was a caller at The Leader office Friday.

For Abstracts of Land Titles see **MARSHALL & KING.** 29c

G. Vanhemert, of Newcastle, was in Graham Monday on business.

You will find a complete line of Flower Pots at **SNODDY & SON'S**

Second-Hand Corn Popper in excellent condition, for sale at a bargain. **E. HEATH, Commerce Hotel** 31-2p

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Jeffery, of Ingle-side ranch, spent the first of the week in the city.

\$4.95, \$4.95, \$4.95, \$4.95
See the Men's Work Shoes on Bargain Counters at **\$4.95**
STREET & CO.

Snowden & McSweeney this week purchased four new rigs from the Douglas Oil Rig Co., which will be erected on their properties at once.

Rev. C. R. Taylor went to Spring Creek last Monday in the interest of the Seventy-Five Million Campaign.

For all kinds of Feed try **LOUIS BOWER, Ind. Phone 9-M.** 25c

J. H. McCann, one of the old timers in these parts, was here from Murray on business yesterday.

All kinds of hauling.—**R. L. SHEPARD, Ind. Phone 62.** 26

Joel Edens and family have moved into their new home on South Oak street, which was recently completed.

RED TOP CANE SEED for sale delivered at Graham at **\$2.50** per bu.—**A. J. BRYAN.** 303p

Riley Gibbs is erecting a modern bungalow on his lots on South Oak street.

We have received a new line of Glass, Granite and Chinaware—**SNODDY & SON.**

Miss Frances Taylor, of Fort Worth, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. John Dowdle.

A new complete line of Aluminum Ware will be found at **SNODDY & SON.** 29c

Mrs. Everett Buchanan is recovering from a very serious spell of sickness.

BROWN LEGHORN EGGS—\$1.00 for 15—**T. D. McAfee, Ind. Phone 210assl.** 32pd.

THE HIGHEST BIDDER
On Monday, March 6th, we will sell to the highest bidder on the public square a brand new Moon Bros. Hack. 28c **NORRIS-JOHNSON HDW. CO.**

FOR TWO YEARS

Los Angeles Woman Lived in Bed and Pillowed Chair Until She Started on Tanlac

"I had to be cared for just like a baby before I began taking Tanlac," said Mrs. Alice Murphy, of 1501 Pennsylvania Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

"Two years ago I had a very severe attack of muscular rheumatism," she continued, "and no one knows the pain and torture I have suffered since. My hands swelled until I could hardly work my fingers and I haven't been able to put on a pair of shoes because my feet were swollen so. I had sharp pains through my back so bad that at times I simply could not keep from screaming. Sometimes I got so dizzy everything seemed to spin around and then I would have sharp pains and a chilly feeling afterwards. I was so helpless that I lived propped up with pillows in a chair or in bed all the time and had to be helped from one place to another.

"I tried every medicine or treatment we could hear of, but it was money thrown away and I got so blue I did not care to live. Then my husband read in the papers about Tanlac and by the time I had taken it four or five days I saw it was helping me. Now, after taking several bottles, I can't praise Tanlac enough. My nerves are so much better I sleep like a child all night long. I am already doing my housework again and it is the first time in two years I have been able to get around at all and wear my shoes."

Tanlac is sold in Graham by Sloan Drug Co., and in Newcastle by Leon Slaughter & Co.

Merle Martin, of Mount Pleasant, was a pleasant caller at The Leader office last Saturday.

We have received a new line of Glass, Granite and Chinaware—**SNODDY & SON.**

Ira Grantham, of Bunker, was in Graham Monday doing business with our merchants.

Millet Seed, re-cleaned, Big German, for sale at 6 cents per pound.—**V. W. WILLIS, Route A.** 29-1p

Mrs. Ada Thomas went out to Tonk Valley last Saturday to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Abstract work promptly and accurately done.—**MARSHALL & KING, Abstracters.** 29c

I. W. Steele, of Cedar Creek, was a pleasant caller at The Leader office Saturday.

We have received a new line of Glass, Granite and Chinaware—**SNODDY & SON.**

Mrs. J. B. Swinford, of Houston, is visiting her mother and other relatives in Tonk Valley.

FOR SALE—One late 1919 Buick Roadster in A1 condition. Equipped with spring bumper, motor meter, and extra casing on rear. Has 3 cord casings on car. If you want a good Buick roadster get this one. Paint in A1 condition. See **R. VOULES.**

EASTER

A quaint and expressive custom was ushered in the usages of peoples of all nations when the Roman Catholics began the ceremonious and beautiful observance of one Sunday in the year as the Resurrection Day of the Christ. This time-old custom is now observed throughout the land with the same air and usages as of old.

THIS DAY IS THE BEGINNING OF A New Era AND A FORMAL ANNOUNCEMENT OF SPRING



YOU WILL NEED A NEW DRESS AND A NEW HAT TO MATCH MAY WE HELP

Our Milliner has just returned from Dallas bringing with her a new stock of patterns and trimmed hats for your inspection and as a filler of your needs.

BUT THERE IS THE QUESTION OF DRESS

On our shelves you will find a complete stock of printed **GEORGETTES, GRAYE DE CAINE, CREPE METEOR, NESSALINES, and TAFFETAS.**

Also a beautiful selection of individual Voile and individual Foulard patterns that will meet your favor.

SPRING

The above dress goods will meet your favor not only in beauty and quality but in price.

1920

We have now a complete stock of the popular tie oxfords in kid, brown and patent. These shoes will be found in all lasts and sizes.

\$12.50 to \$14.00



Ladies Hosiery

We are now showing fancy lace hose in the black and some wonderful numbers in the fancy fiber

\$3.00 to \$7.50

We wish to announce that we have secured the agency for the famous

"Warner" Front-Lace Corset

and are ready to supply your needs

R. Short & Co.

Buy Your Easter Hat Now



Easter will be here in a few days so we suggest that you call at once and select your new hat, if you have not done so.

We have just received a big shipment of GAGE and ELZEE hats for Easter wear.

LET US SHOW YOU THESE HATS

Stylish Coats, Suits, Dresses

The newest style garments are now on display at this store. Many new ones received this week for Easter selling. Call and see them.

S. B. Street & Company

Royal day at A real g men. l come

ME g, Teacher

IN PROBATE

Hoffman, deceased, man, Executrix, interested in the Hoffman, deceased, is hereby given that cause the Will of was ordered to be opened and such order the minutes, but the fact spread on the court. A been filed by Mrs. Executrix, to the is Court for an order of the Will an nunc et an omission that accident or mistake. will be heard at the County Court of Texas, to be held at 5th day of April A.

my hand and seal of n this 17th day of 20.

C. W. HINSON, Young County, Texas THEWES, Deputy.

ARE YOU BUY YOUR HOME

om house with bath, rt house, \$4500.00. om house, 4 lots, in half of court house

real homes in the

R. C. GOODE, Graham, Texas.

LET'S GO

IN UNION THERE IS STRENGTH

UNITED WE STAND, DIVIDED WE FALL

This is just as true today as it was in the days of Thomas Jefferson and Henry Clay, Abraham Lincoln or Theodore Roosevelt, whoever the immortals might have been who uttered the ever remembered phrases.

Why hesitate longer? The Graham Oil Syndicate is going to drill an Oil Well on the Sarah Tankersley forty acres, and will not you feel a lot better in about six months when an original investment of \$100 is worth \$5000, to be able to say I GOT MINE than to have to say I had a chance to help out and get in with that BUNCH when they started.

This is a home proposition. Graham, Newcastle, Olney, Jean, Farmer, South Bend and all of Young County will and is today benefitted by the added development. Every citizen in Young county will benefit by the bringing in of this well

If the citizens of Young County will not help in the development of Young County, why expect outsiders to do so. There is OIL IN YOUNG COUNTY. THE GRAHAM OIL SYNDICATE expect to get some of it. Come in. Help us get oil. Be a booster for Young County. You know the officers. You know where the lease is. Don't be sorry. The rig timbers, furnished by Walter Douglas, a Young county man, is on the ground. Bill Tullos, a Young county contractor, with a Younty county crew, begins Monday morning to erect the derrick. Drilling will start immediately. You get a quick play for your money.

Yes it is a gamble, but it is a fifty to one shot, and who won't gamble, at least a little, at those odds. If you are an issuer and not a wasser, a booster and not a knocker. If you believe in Young county let's go

The Graham Oil Syndicate

GRAHAM, TEXAS

Capital Stock, \$60,000

• Par Value, \$100 (Non-Assessable)

Officers:

JOE JOHNSON, President
For twelve years a Farmer and
Stockman in Young county.

R. G. HALLAM, Vice-President
Vice-Pres. Guaranty State Bank.
Grain and Cotton Dealer.

D. E. STIMSON, Trustee
Investments.

APPLICATION BLANK

GRAHAM OIL SYNDICATE,
GRAHAM, TEXAS.

Please enter my subscription for shares at \$100.00 per share. It is agreed and understood that each and every share of this purchase covers the proportion of all present and future holdings of the Company.

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Name

Address

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Proprietor Dolman House.
Director Guaranty State Bank.

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Drop in and let me explain this proposition to help you
own and pay for your home.

If you have Real Estate that you want to sell—City
Property or Country—list it with me.

If you expect to buy Property in or near Graham, see
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I am in the market to handle Real Estate of any descrip-
tion and will appreciate a share of your business.

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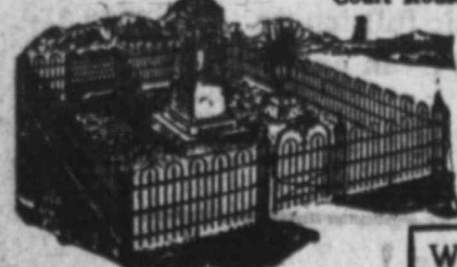
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GRAHAM, TEXAS

Automobile Notice!

Ask to take a ride the
**NEW ALLEN—43-4; or in the
BRISCO—24-4**

I also have Several Bargains
in Second-hand Cars
FRED STEWART

TYPIFIED SPIRIT OF FRANCE

Elderly Peasant Woman Proud That
She Had Given Three Sons to
Her Beloved Country.

"While I was in France several other
boys and I were taking a Sunday after-
noon hike and as we approached a lit-
tle village we overtook a poor peas-
ant woman, whose back was bent with
toll and care, whose hair was gray
with years of suffering, slowly hob-
bling along carrying a heavy pair of
wooden shoes on her feet and pushing
a wheelbarrow loaded with little pieces
of wood that she had spent hours in
gathering," says the "Flying Parson,"
Lieut. Belvin W. Maynard, in his ar-
ticle, "The Thrill of High Adventure,"
in Boys' Life. "One of the boys offered
to push the wheelbarrow for her, but
she, being so unaccustomed to such fa-
vors, looked at him in astonishment as
though she thought he wished to steal
her wood.

"Soon she was convinced he was
friendly and allowed him to push her
wheelbarrow for her. The expression
of joy and happiness that beamed
through the wrinkles of her careworn
face I shall never forget. She insisted
that we go to her home with her. We
did, and there found an humble little
stone building, unattractive, unfinished,
and with no modern conveniences to
add to its comforts. Seated in this
cold, damp little hut she told us of
real sacrifice. Although its floor was
stone, its stove, which was the fire-
place, its table, and its beds were all
in one room, it was a home, and with-
in its walls had been born and reared
three stalwart and brave sons of
France, who had given their lives for
their country. This poor woman—I
thought she must be poor—was happy
and proud. Proud that she had given
three sons to the cause of France. To
her they could not have been born for
a more noble cause. She would not
have had them die otherwise. Was
she poor? Far from it. With such
a spirit no one can be poor."

Grammar and Washing.

"But Mrs. Wissinger," spoke up one
of the young women teachers, "if you
were to take in washing, you would
get \$6 a day, as against we teachers'
\$5," and again there was laughter.

We should think, remarks the Port-
land Oregonian, there would also have
been consternation, if the other guides
of the young mind and guardians of
good English who heard the remark
were not wholly off duty. The para-
graph is from the Oregonian's report
of a meeting at Milwaukie, Ore., be-
tween the school board and the public
school teachers.

It is interesting and very pleasing
to note that Milwaukie washerwoman
get \$6 per day. It is somewhat above
the scale, we hear, in other places,
though there was an interesting story
in the papers the other day about the
modern washerwoman's practice of go-
ing to work in her automobile.

But what we started out to say was
that the particular school teacher
quoted would do better, far better, on
several accounts, to take up washing
where no questions will be asked about
her grammar. Or has the wicked re-
porter put words in her mouth that
she did not use?

Thought Cape Ann Greenland.
Cape Ann, which furnished a bleak
and barren haven for adventurous ex-
plorers, was settled temporarily only
three years after the Mayflower ar-
rived at Plymouth. Some evidence in-
dicates that Thorwald's "Cape of the
Cross," which he thought to be a pro-
jection of Greenland, was the bleak
Cape Ann. Capt. John Smith landed
on what is now Cape Ann, and called it
Tragabiganda in honor of a Turk-
ish Pocahontas who did not risk her
head, but who fed him while he was a
prisoner. Captain Smith explored the
coast within two decades before the
Pilgrims came.

Reports like that of Captain Smith
"angling with a hook, and crossing the
sweet air from isle to isle" attracted
many English fishing vessels. How-
ever, the early settlers seem to have
sought their subsistence largely
through agriculture. It was not until
1700 that the northeast corner of
Massachusetts became identified par-
ticularly with fishing.

Enjoyed Long Life.

They grow 'em long and hardy in
the village of Shifnal, which claims the
longevity record for England.

Headstones in a churchyard are
cited, the two star exhibits being the
stones of William Wakley, "aged one
hundred and twenty-four and upward,"
and Mary, wife of Joseph Kates, aged
one hundred and twenty-seven, who
married a third husband at ninety-
two.

Wakley lived in the reigns of eight
kings and queens.

Playing Safe.

Mr. Hardface—No, dear; I can't kiss
you here; it's too light.

Miss Manchester—But you kissed
me on this very spot last night, un-
der the electric light.

Mr. Hardface—True; but this is day-
light, and some one might get a snap-
shot of me with a concealed camera.

Tough Willie.

"So you've been fighting again, Wil-
lie?"

"Sure. You don't suppose I could
get an eye like this attendin' Sunday
school, do you?"

Like String.

Wilson—You can say what you like
about Goodfellowe, but he's as straight
as a piece of string.

Walters—Yes, and just as easily
broke.

Locate Your Future

HOME

In a Section that Will Increase in Value. Buy
Your Lot Now and Build Before
the Spring Rush

Corbett Addition

AND

Summit Heights

TWO PRETTY RESIDENTIAL SECTIONS ON THE EAST SIDE

CORBETT ADDITION LOTS

Are 50x156, situated at
the foot of Twin Mountain,
just one block north and
east of the High School
building. It has all the
conveniences of the city
and the air is pure and free
from the taint of the city
streets and traffic. It is the
ideal spot for a HOME.

Let me show
you over these
two Additions,
then take your
choice. You can
make no mis-
take in locating
your home in
either.

SUMMIT HEIGHTS LOTS

Are 50x156 and located
one block east of the Corbett
Addition, on the Mineral
Wells, Fort Worth and
Dallas highway. Summit
Heights has a high elevation
overlooking the city, com-
manding a picturesque
view. Buy your Lots here,
build your HOME and save
rent.

J. T. VAUGHAN

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

No. 703

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Young County—Greeting:

Frank Kingham, Guardian of the
Estate of Myrtle Stickney, Orbie
Stickney, Nettie Stickney and Frankie
Stickney, minors, having filed in our
County Court his Final Account of
the condition of the Estate of said
above named minors together with an
application to be discharged from
said guardianship.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-
ED, that by publication of this writ
for Twenty Days in a Newspaper
regularly published in the County of
Young, you give due notice to all
persons interested in the Account of
Final Settlement of said Estate, to
file their objections thereto, if any
they have, on or before the April
Term, 1920, of said County Court,
commencing and to be holden at the
Court House of said County, in the
City of Graham, on the 5th day in
April A. D. 1920, when said Account
and Application will be considered
by said Court.

Witness C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the
County Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and seal of
said Court, at my office in

(L. S.) Graham, this 26th day of

February A. D. 1920.

C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young County,
Texas.

A True Copy, I certify:
M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff.

BIGGER BETTER THAN EVER

Graham Sanitary Market

Owing to the fact that I was forced to discontinue my
business for a short time, I am now located in my new quar-
ters better fixed than before to take care of my increasing
business. I am doubling my refrigerating, so can take care
of all kinds of orders.

I am giving special attention to the oil trade.

I guarantee you the best at reasonable prices.

I am here to stay and not overcharge you.

I handle all kinds of Meats and Poultry.

Try Will's Famous Chili.

TRY ME ONCE AND YOU WILL ALWAYS COME BACK

OUR MOTTO: EFFICIENT SERVICE TELLS

W. M. MILLER, Prop.

FOR RENT—Nice business houses
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YOUNG COUNTY REALTY CO.,
Guaranty State Bank Bldg.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—From
our prize winning Barred Plymouth
Rocks, \$3.00 for 15; 30 for \$5.00.—
G. F. COLLINS, Phone 136. 30-2p

ALL FOR THE BEST

Mr. Goslington Philosophizes on Human Ills.

Finally Comes to the Very Wise Conclusion That Many Seeming Misfortunes Are Really Blessings in Disguise.

"Glimmerby, my friend Glimmerby," said Mr. Goslington, "propounds the theory that both poverty and worry are conducive to longevity, and I think there is something in that. I am not so sure about the worry, and yet I think even that may be true! I can see, for instance, that if a man worried hard enough he would keep himself lean and so escape the ill-effects of obesity; but that poverty tends to lengthen life I have no doubt whatever.

"The man who is poor, as we most of us are, has to work for a living. Surely it is in work that we are most blessed; and if we have work to do in which we are interested, that appeals to us, then are we fortunate indeed; we find a pleasure in labor and a joy in accomplishment; and it makes me smile to think how in such work we forget our worries entirely.

"So we don't really need to consider whether worry is a life prolonger or not; all we want to lengthen our days is to be poor, poor enough so that we have to work and keep plugging; but I do wonder that Glimmerby did not mention along with poverty and worry, as among the things that might tend to prolong life, our physical ailments.

"Some years ago a friend of mine began to lose weight and he kept on in that way until he had lost 25 pounds. Then he consulted a doctor. It was something that could be checked, controlled and perhaps entirely cured if the patient would follow faithfully the prescribed treatment; and then he was told that the general benefits he would derive from the treatment were such that his life might be prolonged to a greater limit than it would have reached if he had never had this ailment at all.

"I might add that this friend has now recovered several of his lost pounds, he is feeling very chipper and cheerful and he fully expects to live to be a very old man.

"The fact is that many things that we may look at, when they come upon us, as drawbacks are in reality blessings in disguise."

All Alike.

Lady Astor, the American M. P., told in London the other day a story about an anti-suffragist.

"Anti-suffragists are all alike," she said. "Once I was canvassing for signatures to a petition about Lord Milner, the viceroy to India at that time. When I called on Mr. Boggs, the grocer, he read the petition carefully and then said:

"Who is this here Milner, ma'am?"
"Our India viceroy," said I.
"Who's a viceroy?" said Mr. Boggs.

"A pro-consul, you know." And I explained Lord Milner's position in detail.

"Mr. Boggs, satisfied, dipped his pen in the ink; then he looked anxiously at the paper.

"You're not lettin' the women sign this, are you?" he said.

"Oh, no, indeed," said I.
"That's right," said Mr. Boggs, as he slowly traced his signature. "That's right, ma'am. Women don't know nothin' about these things."

Radium Economy.

The use of radium on a large scale therapeutically involves danger of loss, and this factor has been a big one in inducing hospitals and clinics with a grain or more of the element in use to utilize radium emanation instead of applicators containing the radium itself. There has been installed in a Pittsburgh laboratory an elegant and useful apparatus for the collection, purification and tubing of radium emanation obtained from a salt of the element. It differs from earlier apparatus in that liquid air is replaced by chemical means of purifying the emanation, which are felt to be more reliable.

Airplanes for Salesmen.

A Sydney (New South Wales) business firm engaged in the manufacture of rubber is equipping its commercial travelers with an airplane. This is the first of three to be similarly employed by the firm. Miss Dorothy Perdrisus made a trip with the "bagman-pilot," Lieut. J. H. Butler. It is stated that Australia imports annually \$6,000,000 worth of rubber goods. By their aerial deliveries this firm expects to get a greater share of this business.

All But That.

"I can make any boast that my husband can make," said the equal rights lady, who was making a speech.
"All right," said a man in the audience; "go ahead and do it. I just heard your husband say that he was a mass of few words."

As a Liniment.

"I got some alleged liquor, but I'm afraid to drink it."
"Going to throw it away?"
"Naw; I'm gonna take a chance on using it to rub with."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

EASY TO WIN CO-OPERATION

Main Thing to Remember is That One Must Earn What One Expects to Receive.

Getting on with others is a matter of co-operation.

If you expect co-operation you must give co-operation—judiciously, systematically and with good will.

You can win co-operation from a person when you help him to do what he wants to do.

Everybody has desires which are worthy and deserving of promotion. Study the desires of the person whose co-operation you wish to win and then idealize the ways by which you can aid him to realize those desires.

It all comes back to a matter of service—to what Emerson called the law of compensation and what one teacher of New Thought calls the law of giving and receiving. In the language of salesmanship the way to sell yourself to anyone is through the principle of service. "What will you have?" quoth God; "pay for it and take it—Nothing venture nothing have—Thou shalt be paid for what thou hast done; no more, no less."

In more homely language you must earn what you get in the way of friendship, favors and co-operation of any kind just as you must earn anything else worth while. And by the way, to habitually take what you do not earn, what you do not give a fair equivalent for in one way or another, is to sap the vitality of your own character and unfit yourself for a place among men and women who are not parasites.

If you are a salaried worker and want to earn more money there is only one legitimate way in which you can do it (assuming that no other employer will give you the increased pay), and that is by giving more efficient, co-operative service. This service may take the form of carrying out instructions from others or of acting on your own responsibility; in either case the object is to efficiently help your employer to realize his ideals for the business.

You cannot throw into the business machinery the monkey wrench of indifference, or positive objection to the ideals of your employer and his ways of realizing them, and expect to get your pay raised therefor. Neither can you, by such a course, render relations more pleasant and agreeable and win the co-operation which you desire in the way of increased appreciation as evidenced by a fatter pay envelope.—William E. Towne in Nautilus.

Omsk Once Cossack Center.

Feodor Dostoevsky, the Russian Dickens, wrote his famous novel, "Crime and Punishment," out of his experiences with criminals at Omsk, which was for a time the seat of government of the regime of Admiral Kolchak. In this work Dostoevsky pictures a future Russian people freed from bonds of force, but united by ties of mutual trust and kindness.

Omsk, under the Russian monarchy, was the crossroad of the routes to Central Russia, Orenburg and Turkestan. It lies along the trans-Siberian railway, running from Moscow to Vladivostok, a 5,385-mile journey. It was founded about 200 years ago and is approximately of the size of Birmingham, Ala. or Paterson, N. J.

Omsk was long a Cossack center. In the principal square stands the church of St. Nicholas, in which hangs a banner reputed to have been that of Yermak, a Cossack bandit of the Volga, who turned over the vast domain of Siberia to Ivan the Terrible, with the result that Yermak procured his own restoration to Moscow court favor.

Remarkable Feat of Juggling.

An Indian juggler's remarkable feat is described by a writer in the Wide World Magazine. A slim young native, accompanied by a gray-haired assistant, appeared carrying a couple of large baskets, from the first of which was produced a big python, which the young native proceeded to "charm" with his pipe. The juggler took the basket containing the python, placed it upon a large cloth, the four corners of which he knotted together with a strong, thin rope. At the end of this rope were affixed two little hollow-tender cups, which he placed over his eyeballs in such a way that a vacuum was created. He then shut his eyes so that the lids were outside the cups.

The two sides of the rope were then passed over his ears and, rising from his squatting position, he lifted the basket containing the snake by the grip of his eyeballs and the suction on his eyeballs alone. The writer says he has never heard of the feat being performed before or since.

Just a Reminder.

"The Grabcoins are spending the winter in Florida," remarked Mrs. Dubwatte, who was glancing over the society pages.

"Well, what is that to us?" asked Mr. Dubwatte, fretfully. "We can't afford to spend the winter in Florida."

"Probably not," answered Mrs. Dubwatte, with an air of resignation. "I just thought I'd call your attention to the fact that it is still being done."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Strange Character.

"How about Glibwitz?"
"In what respect?"
"His mentality?"
"Oh, I wouldn't go so far as to say Glibwitz' mind is a perfect blank, but I've never heard him express an opinion on the League of Nations, and he has no plan for unscrambling the railroads."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

WATCH YOUR STEP

Nothing Lost by Keeping in Mind "Safety First."

Government Bulletin Lists Varieties of Accidents in Industries That Might Easily Be Avoided by the Exercise of Care.

Electric signs, blink the slogan, "Be Careful," around the big mills. From mother's apron strings to the latest newspaper the voices of safety first call "Be Careful."

Now comes the United States labor department and tells how many ways you can get hurt by falling. There are three kinds of falling: (1) Falling from a high place to the level; (2) falling from the level into a place below level; (3) falling while walking or standing on the level.

In the first classification we find all kinds of high places to fall from. In the card indexes of the safety engineers they have records of people falling from benches, boxes, chairs, tables, bridges, dams and docks, cranes, elevators, derricks, hoists—elevated bins, pockets, tanks (falls from but not falls into)—buildings in construction or demolition—floors—ladders, scaffolds, staging—boilers, engines, machines—poles, trees, roofs, runways, balconies, platforms, gangplanks, stairs and steps, tramways, trestles, windows, walls and wall openings.

Ladders, by the way, are the worst and trickiest of all. More falls from ladders than from any other high spots are recorded. As the safety engineers classify ladder falls: (1) You hit the ground because the ladder broke or a step in the ladder went to pieces under your foot; (2) either you slipped and twisted or the ladder slipped and twisted; (3) somebody or something knocked you off the ladder; (4) or how it all happened was a mystery.

Getting into Class B, where the fall is from the level into territory not on the level, people fall into excavations, pits, shafts, bins, vats, floor openings, man-holes. If standing or moving on the level you slip or stumble, you get into Class C. A stumble, however, may be caused by fixed objects or loose objects. A sleeping dog or a hunk of pig iron may trip up the feet that do not respectfully elevate.

The number of falling objects that knock people down and get their names into the accident records are collapsing buildings, walls, scaffolds, stagings, chutes, conveyors, slides, stacked, stored or piled-up material. Also racks, shelves, machines, work benches, temporary floors, trees, ditch and trench cave-ins, mine and quarry coal, rock and ore.

Experiences with "injuries due to scuffling, larking or horseplay" are noted in the federal labor department bulletin by Commissioner George Kingston of the workmen's compensation board of Ontario, Can. A railway porter wrenched his foot but was denied compensation because he "was larking with two young ladies" and showing them how nifty he was at jumping trains. Claims were allowed "where a Chinaman employed in a factory was the innocent victim of horseplay—blown up by hose; where a man had been teased by another workman suddenly turned in revenge and hit an innocent party; where a man about to punch the time clock was hit from behind by another workman, injured man innocent of any horseplay."

All of which gives us a hunch as to what the electric signs mean blinking late at night and early morning, "Be Careful."

His One Consolation.

One of the best of many good stories in "As a Tale That is Told," Rev. F. W. Macdonald's book of reminiscences, concerns a theological argument he once overheard between two Scottish cattle drovers.

One belonged to the Free Church of Scotland the other to the United Presbyterians, known for short as the "U. P.'s."

"From belittling each other's churches (says the author) they descended to personalities, and finally the U. P. man roundly denounced his opponent and all his ancestors, winding up with:

"Your father was a thief, and your mother was a witch."
"Maybe they was," replied the other. "Maybe they was. But they wasn't U. P.'s!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Where He Would Begin.

"I have made up my mind that I should like to devote the remainder of my life to serving my fellow men," said the man of wealth.

"Fine idea," said one of his friends. "I presume you will now start out to help the poor and devote yourself to charitable service."
"No, that isn't my thought exactly. I had an idea I should like to start my public life in the United States senate."

Willing to Learn.

"I see where a college professor advertises for a job that will pay him a living wage."

"Does he say what he can do?"
"No; but he says if somebody will give him a chance he will forget that he studied abroad and got a string of 'degre'es.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Legal Wisdom.

Young Lawyer—If our case falls, what would you suggest?
Old Man—If it does, you don't acquit; try, try again.

April 4th is EASTER

The bells of Easter will soon be ringing their messages of gladness, and in fitting commemoration every one will throw off their Lenten raiment and clothe themselves in the bright new colors of Spring.

And our store reflects this gladness and radiance through every department—a galaxy of new, clean merchandise, combining the latest in Style, Fabric and Shade. You certainly cannot afford to "look shabby" on Easter Morn when the exceptional values we are offering you are so easily within your reach.

We feature Women's Suits, Coats and Dresses from the well-known Bischof & Co., of Cincinnati. Every woman in Graham and vicinity is acquainted with the fact that no higher grade garments can be found anywhere than those designed and tailored by Bischof & Company.



Your New Suit

You will see an endless note of variety in this showing of new Spring Suits. Some owe their youthfulness to straight lines—and distinction to the nicety of detail. Others are in Eton, Bolero, Bouffant and Ripple effects. In one characteristic alone is their uniformity—the excellence of workmanship.

Up to \$129.00

Spring Coats

A distinguishing feature of the popular priced Spring Coats this season is the uncommon style. Regardless of the price, Bischof designers have provided sprightly, yet highly refined styles for every occasion, for general utility wear, for street wear, for evening wear. Wonderfully new collars and cuffs, belted or plain, loose or flaring. Prices are

\$28.00 to \$45.00

Dresses

None newer, none smarter—unfolding one by one fashions that vie with each other for charm and usefulness. Some are fashioned on long slender lines, giving new expressions to the Tunic and Chemise. Others are quaintly draped or puffed on the side, for there is a new silhouette called Bouffant, which made much of the side effects. The new note in sleeves is freedom—and so some sleeves stop short above the elbow while others go their full length. Fabrics are soft and lustrous as Satin and Charmeuse or crisp and fresh as Taffetas. All the Spring shades and colors are here.

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Hats! Hats! Hats!

A visit to our Millinery Department will be well worth while. If you have not already secured that new Easter Bonnet do not put it off any longer. Introducing the latest creations, this Pre-Easter display will appeal to every one who realizes the importance of the really smart hat. The newest developments in the fashions of Hats finds representation here. Among our late arrivals you will find smart little turbans. Then too there are wider brim models in a mixed sized variety of colors and designs.

Madam, come in at once and let us show you that new, stylish Hat that becomes you so well. It will be a pleasure to help you select something that pleases you in every respect regardless of how exacting your demand may be.

Emerson says, "The sense of being well dressed gives a feeling of inward tranquility," so don't delay longer in visiting our Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Departments.



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