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WHISKEY DOESN'T CAUSE ALL TROUBLE

London April 10.—Dr. Benard Hollander, lecturing to the members of the Ethnological Society, at the galleries of the Royal Society of British Artists, on "The Problem of Degeneration" said some people stated that poverty, degeneration and insanity were largely due to "drink" ignoring the two obvious facts that insanity was on the increase and drinking was not.

"If men drink less nowadays," continued Dr. Hollander, "women seem to drink more; especially among the upper classes. Hotel life and restaurant parties have accustomed them to it. Inebriety in women not only give rise to much domestic unhappiness but unfortunately, with women drink and immorality are closely connected."

Dr. Hollander advocates a system of national examination at the age of 20 so that registration and supervision of the unfit could be secured

PRISONERS WAIL AS PRISONER TALKS

Viterbo April 13.—Today's session of the trial of the thirty-six members of the Camorra was occupied throughout with the cross examination of Ascrittoire, at the conclusion of which an adjournment was taken until after Easter.

Ascrittoire said in substance: "During the investigation of the murders I was forced to withdraw my evidence against De Angelis and Amedeo, the carabinieri, and the judges prosecuted me for calumny and kept me in jail for nearly four years. Thus they made a martyr not only of me, but of my poor mother, who in the eighty-third year of her life is crying her eyes out." Ascrittoire's reference to his mother drew a chorus of wails from the prisoners' pen.

See those new hats at Mrs. Stewarts.



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A brass washboard, if a good one, gives the best service and costs less, service considered, than any other board.

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TWENTY-FIVE WOMEN ARE CAPTURED

El Paso, April 10.—Eighty-three wounded and several prisoners taken by the federals at Casas Grandes, were brought into Juarez today. The wounded lay prone in box cars.

The escort brought two field pieces and two rapid fire guns.

Gen. Eugia Lis, recently ordered to proceed with his force from Casas Grandes to Chihuahua, is reported to have started.

Twenty five "soldas," or women camp followers, who had become separated from their husbands in the federal ranks, were arrested at Juarez today. They walked from Chihuahua, 150 miles, pushing a hand car that bore their meager belongings. Where bridges were out they forded the streams, carrying the hand car.

United States citizens report a force of 400 insurgents at San Ingale, opposite Fort Hancock, east of El Paso. The appearance of this force has revived fears of an attack on Juarez. Dispatches from Culcan, the capital of Sinaloa declares two engagements have taken place near Mejele and that a number of wounded federals have been brought

VOTE FOR THE SCHOOL BONDS

By voting for the school bond tax you show that you are willing to make an investment in dollars and cents in the boys and girls. "These are they" on whom the responsibilities of life and the duties of government are to fall in the next generation. But some old fellow says "I went to school in a log school house and sat on a split log bench." That may be true, but at that time your father had just converted his sword into a plow share and the south was just emerging from the greatest devastation known to modern times. Your father did the best he could for you. You owe much to your children. This is a day of "Split log drags" but the day of the split log school desk is past.

See "The Redemption of Man"

to Culcan in ox carts. Couriers from Agua Jito, near Mojolo, brought in reports of an engagement in which it was said forty insurgents were killed by the federal artillery. Only 150 federal troops are left to guard Culcan and Governor Bedo has been directed to maintain a defensive attitude.

STUDY CLUB ORGANIZED FIRST OF THIS WEEK

Quite a number of ladies met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Linquist to organize a study club. The following officers were elected, Mrs. J. E. Linquist Pres. Miss Adams Vice Pres. Mrs. G. C. Webster Sec. Mrs. Wilbur Wright Tres. Mrs. Linquist Critic. Our course of study will be American Literature. We enjoyed the following pieces very much. Instrumental Solo Miss Davis, Instrumental Solo Mrs. W. Y. Henson. Instrumental Solo Mrs. Linquist, Violin Solo Mrs. Linquist.

The Hostess, assisted by Miss Davis served a refreshing course of iced grape juice and cake.

We spent a most pleasant afternoon. We meet with Mrs. Wilbur Wright April 20.

The members are Mesdames, Wagner, Wright, Bond, Butler, Henson, Croft, Webster, McKelvin, Holbrook and Linquist, Misses Davis, Adams, Jessie Adams, Hall and Robertson.

ONLY SURVIVOR OF FT. SUMPTER

New York, April 13.—Today the fiftieth anniversary of the firing on Fort Sumpter, has a unique meaning for Roger Atkinson Pryor of this city. He is the sole survivor of either force engaged in that battle. Two days before the fateful 12th, Pryor then known as the "eloquent young tribune of Virginia," made a fiery speech from the balcony of the Mills house in Charleston Va. when his native state, like the rest of the border states, was holding back from secession.

"Strike one blow and Virginia will secede in an hour by the clock" young Pryor told the cheering crowds, and without delay General Beauregard sent an ultimatum to Maj. Robert Anderson.

Major Anderson rejected the ultimatum and Pryor was one of the men who carried the word back to Beauregard. The news was taken to Johnson, at the mouth of Charleston bay.

Capt. George S. James was in command there. He offered to Pryor the privilege of firing the shot that was to them the only possible answer. Pryor declined, declaring Virginia was still in the Union, and Captain James opened the engagement.

Three days later Lincoln issued his call for troops. Pryor later rose to a brigadier general in the Confederate arms, and a number of the Confederate congress.

General Pryor is 83 years old. He has been a resident of New York since 1865 and for twenty years was a distinguished member of the bar here, retiring from active practice to a seat on the state supreme court bench. He retired to private life in 1892.

SPRING IS HERE AND BUSINESS IS GOOD

Spring time is here, Docile Ann. The grass is green, the trees are in leaf, wheat and oats show an almost marvelously luxuriant growth and many of our progressive farmers have some feed up to a good stand and looking good; some cotton planted. Another refreshing shower has fallen since our last issue and there is an abundant season in the ground. Our farmers are happy and there is an optimistic sentiment exhibited in our business circles. Our good prospects create confidence and this makes for better business and trade conditions.

These are signs of Spring and prosperity but a better and surer sign, an index to the conditions of any country which is indisputable is that evidence by this and recent issues of this paper. The newspaper reflects the true condition of our merchants, business and our people. In this issue are advertisements of our banks and merchants which are bids for the patronage of our people and which show the mutual interest and co-operative efforts of a progressive class.

Our merchants have been conducting an honest and conscientious campaign for the extension of Cross Plains' trade territory and an interview with any of them or notice of the people who are here from a distance trading will demonstrate the results of their efforts. They have bought new and complete stocks for cash and having reduced their expenses to a minimum are making prices which will continue to make impossible the competition of merchants in larger cities and will make Cross Plains the trading center for everyman within our territory.

The Review asks you to read their offerings, look at their goods and compare their prices with stores elsewhere and then buy where your dollar will do the most good.

This place will be your home and every dollar spent with your home people will continue to work in your home community for our mutual progress.

With Mrs. W. E. Butler as their hostess the W. R. C. spent one of their most pleasant afternoons, good fortune at progressive rock gave Miss Georgia Davis high score. After six enjoyable games were played the guests remained seated at their respective tables for the fruit salad course.

Mrs. Garrett substituted for Mrs. Walton Wagner and Misses Davis and Robertson were new members.

I shall be pleased to meet you at Mrs. Charles Carter's April 20, 1911 Sec. W. R. C.

Last Saturday morning Miss Weberneck and Price Pully were married at the home of Miss Weberneck's sister, Mrs. Lange. J. M. Harlow performed the ceremony.

JURY LIST FOR COUNTY COURT

GRAND JURY

J. C. Gray, C. S. Boyles, F. S. Vouchette, J. W. McEachern, H. R. Kendrick, Jno Atwood, T. M. Slaughter, J. T. Stewart, Ed. Davis J. M. Cooper, S. C. Barr, J. M. Jones, C. T. Hutchison, Will Cutbirth, W. P. Ledbetter, J. L. Holland.

Petit Jury First Week.

H. L. Breeding, J. W. Williams, J. B. Swan, W. P. Miller, J. C. Blankinship, W. H. Bryant, A. W. Howell, J. M. Reynolds, S. R. Cade, J. R. Reed, W. P. Graves, J. P. Johnson, B. E. Higgins, J. H. Causey, J. E. Tatum, Pink Barr, H. J. Austin, Sam Young, O. D. Pruitt, John Odell, A. C. Hunt, L. T. Anderson, J. C. Hargraves, C. B. McGee, T. W. Gary, J. F. Dyer, John Lilly, O. D. Morrow, F. L. Martin, C. C. Seale, J. B. Ellis, D. P. Carter, Ira Montgomery, E. R. Beck, J. T. Lovelless, L. J. Kelly.

Petit Jury Second Week

J. E. Dunway, Alex Ogilvy, W. B. Varner, W. J. Busby, W. L. Pierce R. B. Fries, Y. M. Lyons, H. L. Harris, M. M. Clements, S. L. Cannon, A. R. Kelton, T. M. Grant C. L. Stallings, T. E. Mitchell, J. A. Moore, P. P. Bond, Paul Ramsey Henry Jones, Jr. E. W. Bowen, W. C. Rouse, L. L. Moss, T. H. Dix, W. T. Austin, J. R. Davis, W. H. Miller J. L. Cavanaugh, S. A. Barton, F. B. McGee, W. C. Adams, V. H. Cowan, Graham Meyers, J. Q. Mitchell, J. M. Childers, W. D. Jones, A. C. Skiles, J. R. Kennard.

M TYSON MOVES TO CALIFORNIA

From Santa Anna News. M. Tyson and family left yesterday for Southern California, which place they will make their home.

Mr. Tyson came to Santa Anna nearly twenty years ago, from Hope Arkansas, where he had been connected with a large mercantile establishment.

Santa Anna at the time of his arrival was a town of less than half its present size. He at once engaged in the mercantile business and later established a bank. He has been prominently identified with the growth of the town ever since and his going is a loss to the community.

He led in the campaign to incorporate the Santa Anna Independent school district and immediately after the incorporation was elected as chairman of the board of directors of the school. Under his able management the school took rank as one of the leading high schools of the state and a building was erected that would do credit to a much larger town than this. The children of the town and surrounding country owe him much for his untiring work in their behalf.

Mr. Tyson organized the cemetery association and has helped in every effort made for the moral, civic and educational advancement of the town. He was the leading spirit in the building and management of the Christian church and always gave liberally to charitable causes.

M. Tyson is a brother of our fellow townsman Dr. John Tyson.

Sumna Harris of Arkansas, is visiting his brother, Tom Harris this week.

Our New Spring Line

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CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS.

A town can have no better recommendation than a modern, well equipped school building, and in this day of educational progress it is almost a disgrace to be without one. Let it be hoped that the people of Cross Plains will show a spirit of educational progress as well as commercial progress in the coming school bond election.

INGERSOLL'S OPINION OF NAPOLEON

"A little while ago I stood by the grave of old Napoleon—A magnificent tomb of guilt and gold, fit almost for a deity dead—and gazed upon the sarcophagus of rare and nameless marble, where rest at last the ashes of that restless man. I leaned over the balustrade and thought about the career of the greatest soldier of the modern world I saw him walking upon the banks of the Seine, contemplating suicide.

I saw him putting down the mob in the streets of Paris. I saw him at the head of the army in Italy. I saw him crossing the bridge at Lodi with the tri-color in his hand. I saw him in Egypt, in the shadows of the pyramids, I saw him conquer the Alps and mingle the eagles of France with the eagles of the crags. I saw him at Marengo, at Ulm and the Austerlitz. I saw him in Russia, when the infantry of the snow and the calvary of the wild blase scattered his legions like winter's withered leaves. I saw him in Leipzig in defeat and disaster, driven by a million bayonets back upon Paris—clutched like a wild beast, banished to Elba. I saw him escape and retake an empire by the force of his genius. I saw him upon the frightful field of Waterloo, where chance and fate combined to wreck the fortunes of their former king. And I saw him at St. Helena, with his hands crossed behind him, gazing out upon the sad and solemn sea. I thought of the widows and orphans he had made, of the tears that had been shed for his glory and of the only woman who ever loved him, pushed from his heart by the cold hand of ambition. And I said I would rather have been a French peasant and worn wooden shoes; I would rather have lived in a hut, with a vine growing purple in the amorous kisses of the autumn sun; I would rather have been that poor peasant, with my wife by my side knitting as the day died out of the sky, with my children upon my knees and their arms about me; I would rather have been this man and gone down to the

tongueless silence of the dreamless dust than to have been that imperial persorption of force and murder, known as Napoleon the Great."

With reference to the school bond election you sometimes hear it said that we are taxed to death already. It may be true that taxes are higher than they were a few years ago but that fact should not blind one to his own best interest. A good brick school building in Cross Plains will add a great deal more to the value of the property than the tax will amount to.

Every live business man has to carry the dead weight of a few mossbacks who refuse to separate themselves from a nickle for the general welfare of the town and community. But should the live man refuse to carry this weight, every town and community would become the haunt of mossbacks. It has been thus since the beginning of time and will remain so until the end. If Noah had listened to the bellyachers, tightwad and human parasites there would have been no Ark. Keep on boosting and thanking God that you're still alive and forget the man refuses to keep his town alive by contributing his share towards bringing trade, building churches and school houses, and contributing to those in distress. Every town and community has three characters, and like small pox they have to be put up with.—Garland News.

There have been too many apologies offered for the small town, the community that is not so large but that all of its people know each other. Such places have been belittled and ridiculed, but certainly always by those who cannot appreciate the sweetest, truest and fullest meaning of life.

The small community may be a little world unto itself. Its horizon may end off where the cotton fields begin on the south, with the fair grounds on the west, the school-house on the north and the railroad on the east, but surely its affairs are as important and as vitally interesting as those of the great city, where humanity consists of meaningless atoms, and the sweet responsive chords of hearts beating in unison never vibrate.

There may never be the whirl of happening events in the small community, but the least incident that may occur to any one of its mysterious human lives is not unworthy of notice. None of its characters are too lowly to fill in some niche. Its fellow beings hold that tolerance towards each other which exists among members of one family, and there is a dormant patriotism in the hearts of its truest citizenship which only needs some outside influence to warm into being.

The zest departs from so many pleasures when a man ceases to identify himself with some certain community, and it is only of the smaller places that he really can feel himself a part. Those of a small place share their pleasures and their sorrows together. Family names have a significance. Houses are homes. The very trees and fences have about them an atmosphere of reminiscence.

The big places may have larger stores, wider streets, busier crowds, but humanity is the same the world over, and humanity is at its best where acquaintance and kinship is possible. And when the brief span of years has passed, we would prefer to have the slow, sombre procession wind down some quiet village street, and to have the grasses above the grave blown by the breezes that are fresh from the open fields.

Washington D. C. April 13.—The census bureau, today announced the population of 14 Texas towns having a population under 5,000 as follows:

Ballinger, 3,536, Sweetwater 4,175 Colorado City, 1,840, Kerrville, 1,843, Pecos City, 1,856, Big Springs 4,125, Midland 2,192, Miles 1,302, Brady 2,600, Winters 1,347, Belton 4,164, Brenham 4,718, Bryan 4,132 Yoakum 4,657, San Angelo's population, including precinct No. 1, is given at 12,435.—Ex.

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B. L. Boydston, one of the most successful merchants in Callahan county has decided to open a house in Cross Plains. He has secured a house in the Powell block, on Main street, and will be ready for business as soon as he can get his fixtures in, which will be about 20 or 30 days. He will carry a full line of everything found in a General Mercantile Establishment. We welcome Mr. Boydston, because he is a Booster for his town, and a first class business man.

Mr. Savage, of Santa Anna is in town this week in the interest of the Home Benefit Association.

For Sale or Trade.—A Newcomb fly shuttle loom. "The weavers delight." Call on or write Mrs. F. E. Henderson Coleman Texas Box 552.

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A. J. Mathis, J. P.

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Cross Plains, Texas,



Tessie Tesreau has pitched himself into a job with the New York Giants, according to the following in the New York World:

"With the odor of the Carolina pines still dilating his nostrils and bringing with it a thought of the bears left unskilled in the Ozarks, Big Jeff Tesreau was a happy man as the Giants' special pulled into Norfolk this morning. In three innings of a beautiful exhibition of twirling at Greenboro he had shown McGraw enough to assure himself a job on the regular team and a whole summer's [redacted] the white lights of Broadway [redacted] as much as admitted [redacted] engaged a good pitcher in [redacted] near catcher from the mount [redacted] that his name would go [redacted] the pay roll of hopefuls [redacted] in their haunches for a while [redacted] men are expected to bring honors and scalps to the Polo Grounds in yeats to come.

There may be some players who are skeptical about the speed of this g'ant mountaineer, but among the number is not Arthur Devlin. The veteran third baseman is nursing a swollen cheek and a purple eye as the result of colliding with one of Tesreau's off slants during the warm up preceding the game.

The whole team has been interested in the work of Tesreau for a week or more, and when he began whizzing them into Robinson's mitt yesterday several players got behind the catcher to see what the bruin gette had in the way of new stuff. Devlin was in the foreground, and when Robbic called for a fast one, Devlin forgot to loon. The ball took a shoot over Robbic's shoulder and with a blow like a triphammer, struck Delvin squarely in the face. He reeled and fell, but recovered in a few minutes and managed to play out the game.

Arthur now wears a badly swollen face and points to it as prima facie evidence of the bear trappers speed.

Muskogee is getting experience all right. The team has been hammered from pillar to post over Texas for ten days, beginning in Houston and ending in Dallas.

Houston, Galveston, Waco, Fort Worth and Dallas have enjoyed splendid batting practice at the expense of Hamm, Kedney and McCabe. Bowers is the only twirler on East's list who seems able to stem the tide, but he can't work every day.

The score in Dallas Saturday was 10 to 2. The Giants made a total of fifteen safeties off Hamm and McCabe.

Hunter Hill may not get into the game at all this year. Old wounds and sickness, coupled with the fact that he has several promising youngsters in the line for the shortstop job may keep the Buffaloes' manager on the bench.

Aleck Dupree, at one time the idol of Fort Worth fandom, has signed with the Cleburne club in the Texas-Oklahoma League. He is listed as a third baseman and not as a pitcher. Dupree performed in the South Atlantic last season.

Mrs. Moor at Mrs. Joe Baum's does all kinds of hair work, bring your combings and have it made into switches and puffs.

Don't let the one-crop idea get such a strong hold upon your mind. You may find that it is not the best. Plant something besides cotton. Try peanuts, a few fattening hogs will add greatly to your enjoyment and decrease your running expenses.

If you want to borrow money on land, see L. L. Blackburn at Baird.

For Sale or Trade—An up-to-date J. I. Case Steam threshing outfit. See A. Ogilvy Cross Plains Texas.

OH! YOU HAREM SKIRT

Philadelphia, April 10.—Dr. Moses Stearn, many times candidate for mayor of Philadelphia economical crusader and Hebrew philosopher, sees in the harem skirt the moral uplift of the entire human race, the physical betterment of womanhood and the rebuced cost of living.

The model woman of the new era, he declares will wear the jupe colotte sandals instead of shoes, suspenders and will eschew corsets. She will wear her hair cropped close for hygienic reasons and will taboo all jewelry.

Sumpped up in his own language Dr. Stearn says;

"No woman ought to wear a corset. She should wear a harem skirt and suspenders. Let the women wear fewer clothes and there will be fewer divorces. Pants only cost \$2, dresses cost a fortune. Here is a reduction in the cost of living. Harem skirts will make women healthier and they will be prettier.

"Women should wear their hair cropped close and they will have more brains "

If you want to borrow money on land, see L. L. Blackburn at Baird.

Every boy that is old enough to do farm work should have a plat of land to cultivate in whatever crop he prefers and the proceees to use as he desires. Start your boy upon an independent and profitable career by giving him an opportunity on the farm. He may become a better farmer than his father, but that should be to your credit.—Farm and Ranch.

INTRODUCE HER TO NAT GOODWIN

Louisville, April 10.—Mrs. Elizabeth Heasley Maxon Smith Baumgardner, whose age is variously estimated by those who know her best at from 70 to 83 years and who only last October obtained a divorce from U. G. Baumgardner after a brief honeymoon, followed by spicy depositions, last night confirmed the report she was to marry again—the fourth time. Her fortune is estimated at from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000.

Mrs. Smith, as she calls herself, said she was to marry Carl Neumeyr of this city, government revenue employe in Pittsburg some time within the next two weeks. She said she did not know the exact day or hour.

When reporters called on Mrs. Smith last night, she informed them there was a man in the parlor other than her fiance, who wanted to marry her.

"I don't know how to break the news to him," she said laughingly. "Carl and I have been engaged five months. He is a dear boy and is not marrying me for my money, either. He really loves me."

Mrs. Smith became Mrs. Baumgardner, the wife of a local dairy lunch employe, in Washington in June 1909. Just at the conclusion of the ceremony there was a deafening crash of thunder. The eclo had not died away when the bride is said to have ejaculated:

"Heaven has sealed our union." A few months later she gave Baumgardner a check for \$15,000 when she obtained her divorce.

Little Erwin, in answer to his question, had been told that God made him. At his bath the next morning his mother saw Edwin examining his skin closely and looking at his arms and legs and trying to get a glimpse of his back in the glass.

Finally he said: "Say mamma, God made a good job not to leave any seams."

See those new hats at Mrs. Stewarts.

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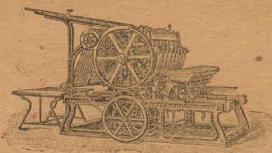
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WORSE THAN A PESKY BOOK AGENT
Book agents are noted for activity but Commissioner Mulkey gives the palm to life insurance agents and the palm among them the one who tackled him Friday.
The man had been sentenced by Judge Shropshire for too great a jubilation and faced a term in city prison. The wife came to the commissioner and interceded. With the consent of Judge Shropshire he decided to release the man and called him to his office for the purpose.

Profuse in his regrets for what he had done and equally profuse for the future the man created a favorable impression.
"I told him to go," said commissioner Mulkey. "He lingered as though he wished to thank me—and what do you think he did? He asked me if he could write me some insurance. I gave him two minutes to get out or go back to jail."
—Ft. Worth Star Telegram.

"PREACH IT FROM THE HOUSE-TOPS"

Preaching from the top of a telephone post, T. J. Sullivan, who drove into Fort Worth in a canvas covered wagon carrying religious quotations, predicted the end of the world before a large crowd that gathered on South Main street near Magnolia, until the police took him in charge.

"I have had a revelation," he declared to Police Commissioner Mulkey, "the latter days are here and I must preach to the people about them."

"I am a christian," returned Commissioner Mulkey "and in this land every man can worship as his conscience directs, but in these latter days he has to do it in a proper manner and he can't do it from a telephone pole."

The man, who is accompanied by his wife and four children, agreed to accept the advice of the police, leave Fort Worth to its fate with the short warning that had been issued and start back in his wagon to Minnesota the place they had started from.

He had climbed to the top of a telephone pole by means of the iron stirrups placed on the poles for the convenience of the linemen—Star Telegram.

MRS. BROOKS WON'T LIVE WITH HUSBAND

The separation of Judge T. M. Brooks and his wife Mrs. Lizzie Brooks, acquitted Friday of the charge of murdering Mrs. Mary Binford will be permanent.

This is the statement of B. S. Nebhut, brother of Mrs. Brooks, and her constant attendant through the trial this week.

I know that many people may say that the separation testified to on the trial was merely to gain some legal advantage," Mr. Nebhut said Saturday, "but I can say with positive knowledge that my sister and Judge Brooks never will live together again. In fact she has told me that she would not let him come on the place."

"Will Mrs. Brooks sue for a divorce?" Mr. Nebhut was asked.

"I can't say," he replied. "She has no plans at present except to rest for a while from the ordeal she has passed through, and to try to recover her health, which has broken terribly since the trouble began."

J. S. Waller, one of the prosperous Dressy Country farmers was in town Monday and renewed his subscription to the Review. Mr. Waller says everything looks mighty good around Dressy, and crop prospects are better than ever before.

A PARENT'S DUTY TO THE CHILD

Some parents think that their highest duty towards their children has been performed when they feed and clothe them well, give them a literary education and keep them in good health. These requisitions are very essential duties, which ought not to be neglected. But there is still another that is of really more importance and just as obligatory. A child's moral and spiritual training is the highest duty a parent has in its growth. The physical body must be fed and clothed, the mind trained in the business walks of life, but its greatest usefulness in this life as well as its eternal salvation in the life beyond, depends upon the moral and religious training. A child without moral stamina can never accomplish the most good from any effort it can make. We believe in education, of all kinds, but if the right kind of principle is not instilled into the minds and hearts of the young, the highest education is unavailing, and it were better that the child be reared in ignorance. Education without principle opens up more avenues of evil, and one is better facilitated for accomplishing his wrong doings than when ignorant. Therefore upon the parents rests a responsibility that every one should understand. To the home belongs this training. Parents can not expect the school teachers to do this. While it is the duty of the teacher, too, to instill into the minds and hearts of the pupils ennobling and high-minded principles as far as he can, yet a teacher's duties are so many and varied that this particular training can not be given the specific attention that it ought to have and can be had from the parents.
This is not meant for a sermon, but merely a passing thought on a parent's duty to his children, occasioned by seeing some small boys in company with some others of evil reputation, and hearing the dirty and vile words used in their general conversation.

A REVIVAL

The head line of this article is the desire of the writers heart, and ought to be the desire and prayer of every redeemed soul under Heaven. There is not anyone in this country who does not see the appalling need a great revival in Cross Plains, and if the people of God will do their duty we will have a great and glorious meeting. This meeting is going to call for the best there is in all of us, and fondly expect every one of God's people to do all they can. Anyone who wants to do something for the lost shall have a chance. All around us are lost people, and it is enough to bring us to our knees in humble prayer to see the condition of our Lords cure. If you do not do your duty in this meeting your soul will be pierced with many sorrows, I appeal to the people one and all, saint and sinner to arise in one solid body with purpose of heart and say, "We will serve and honor our God," we'll lay aside the cares of life for a few days and join your pastor and fellow townsman in a great soul winning campaign. If you let this meeting go by and these opportunities pass and do not make use of them you will incur the wrath of God upon you. Oh my brethren help me pray, give me your warm and hearty co-operation to raise the Christian banner high to wave triumphantly over Cross Plains.

Gods Clarion calls come to all of us and says: "Arise Oh Zion and put on thy beautiful garment;" I most earnestly and prayerfully invite all of the unsaved to attend every service. Don't fail to come. "The Lord has come and calleth for the"
"They that wait on the Lord shall renew their strength,"
This meeting will begin Sat night before the 4th Sunday, April 23, at Baptist Church. In prayer.
L. S. Smith.

GIVE THE YOUNG MAN A CHANCE

There is an editor at McGregor whose writings ring true. He publishes the Mirror and his slogan is "Give the Young Man a Chance." The Times Herald is in harmony with the music of the slogan. Always give the young man a chance like-wise the young woman. The editor at McGregor says; "We often see instances where older men will endeavor to discourage and make light of the young man, and for no reason than that he is a young man and probably not well grounded in the ways of the world by past experience. Such men should think before they cast a damper over the aspiration of a young man. The time is coming when these young men must fall into harness and take up the work in your hands. Are you encouraging them to qualify for the work, or are you placing stumbling blocks in their way? Encouragement is a tonic, and will do more to cause them to work early and late to make good than all the knocking and criticism that you can hear upon them. If the young man is working toward a given end and you see his heart is in the work, give him some leverage. If he is of the right material he will be anxious to take your counsel and advice, and yet should he depart from it do not fall out with him. He may have some individuality of his own, and it may develop, then he will reach the same end that you had in view, yet by another route. The enthusiasm of the young man when directed in the right path is the main stay of any enterprise. Encourage him to develop his philosophical spirit and you will live to see the day when he will be a pride to your heart." The Times Herald endorses every word of the above. It is for the young men, the young women and all should be started in the right direction. Wisdom is not a matter of age. There are wise heads on young shoulders. There is nothing like the enthusiasm and the ambition of youth. Go read history, and you will agree with the Times Herald and this man at McGregor.—Dallas Times Herald.

Easter is coming, See my new line of hats and ladies wear. Mrs. Stewart.

Civic pride means working for the good of your town, and working for the good of your town means doing your purchasing here.

NOTICE—There will be an old time Sacred Harp singing at Rising Star 5th Sunday in this month. Every body is invited to attend. Especially it is desired to have all the old Sacred Harp singers there.
E. P. Elkins Cross Plains Tex.

The kind of wife every man is looking for is one who can fry steak with one hand, powder her nose with the other, rock the cradle with her foot and accompany herself on the piano.

See those new hats at the Mercantile. Best quality and the latest styles.

An Irishman, on meeting a friend all bandaged up and with his arm in a sling, cried out; "Hello, Pat, what is wrong wid yez?"
"Oh," said Pat, "nothing at all to spake of; I've only been enjoying myself at a wedding. It happened this way, Mike: There was an individual at the wedding who was very officious and putting his nose into everything that was going on. So I says to him, 'who are you?' and he says to me 'sure, I'm the best man,' I replied, 'be jabbers we'll see about the same.' So I took off my coat, and he took off his, and after we had a most enjoyable fight, by the powers, Mike, it turned out that he was the best man."
Ideas.

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Preaching every first Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Also preaching Saturday night before. Sunday School 10 o'clock a. m. Everybody invited. Rev. E. C. Austin will preach every fourth Sunday at 11 o'clock.
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Epworth League.
Meets every Sunday afternoon at 3.30 p. m. Mrs. Mabel Bond, Pres., Miss Georgia Davis, Sec. J. A. Hollers, Third V. Pres.

Presbyterian Church.
Preaching Saturday night before Third Sunday at 8 p. m. Third Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 p. m.
Rev. Shell, Pastor.

Baptist Church.
Preaching every 2 & 4 Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. and the Saturday before at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
Rev. Smith, P. C.

Lodge Directory
I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 171.
Meets every Friday night at 8:30 at the I. O. O. F. Hall over the Review office, Cross Plains, Tex.
Drew I. Hill, Sec.

W. O. W. Camp No. 778.
Meets every Saturday night before the first and third Sundays, at W. O. W. Hall, over J. A. Tucker's Restaurant, Cross Plains, Tex.
E. T. Bond, Clerk.

M. W. A. Camp No. 12357.
Meets on Saturday night before 2 & 4 Sun. at I. O. O. F. Hall, Cross Plains, Tex.
M. C. Baum, Clerk.

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T. R. Barnett, of Dallas will preach at the Christian church Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody invited.

J. E. Harrell of Brownwood, was in town this week. Mr. Harrell is an old timer in this country and owns a ranch in Brown County.

J. G. Adams, of Mena Arkansas, lectured on state-wide prohibition at the Methodist church Tuesday and Wednesday night.

Sank Colvin of Burkett, was in town this week.

Will McGowan of Big Springs, is here on business.

Joe Pyle of Crosscut, was in town this week.

E. G. Morris is in Stephens county visiting relatives.

Mrs. Will Head died last week. She was buried at Camp Colorado.

Dr. Rumph is building a nice, modern residence an East 8th street

Mr. Jones, of Dressy, was in town on business Thursday.

Andy Hudson has opened a meat market on West 8th street.

The Racket Store, in keeping with its spirit of progressiveness has installed a National Cash Register, Mr. Adkisson has used a National for quite a while, and says it gives perfect satisfaction.

A card from Dr. Nelson at Chicago, states he is having the time of his life.

The Central Market has put on a green and red delivery wagon, and will be glad to deliver your orders for meat.

Ac. Willis, one of the prosperous citizens of Crosscut, was in town Friday.

Work on the Fowell block is progressing nicely. When finished this will be the nicest block of buildings in the county, or the whole country, for that matter.

Mr. Boyles, of Baird, was in town this week.

Capt. Head, of the Texas Central was in town last week.

Mr. T. L. Allison, formerly of the Matador Messenger, is now with the Review. Mr. Allison is an artistic manipulator of the "leadens messengers" and we are now prepared to do your job work in first class shape.

J. P. Walker has started a dairy just west of town, and will be glad to deliver you fresh milk and butter every morning.

Last Thursday morning, Uncle Ed. Barr died at the home of his son Pink Barr. Deceased was 59 years old, and was the father of six boys, Charley, John, Sam, Pink, Ches and Jim and one daughter, Mrs. Jim Harlow.

We haven't time this week to give a complete history of his life, but we will do so next week. Uncle Ed was one of the old timers in the Cross Plains country and leaves a host of friends to mourn his death.

Cross Brothers have bought a steam threshing outfit, and will be ready for this season's grain crop. They bought this for the Dressy neighborhood, and will operate it there.

Wm. Davis now has charge of the Review's circulation. He will call on all the subscribers, and any favors shown him will be appreciated by

Yours Truly.

The Racket Store has just received a shipment of wrought steel screen door and window hangers.

Every thing needed for hanging screen doors and windows at the Racket Store.

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Petit Jury First Week.

H. L. Breeding, J. W. Williams, J. B. Swan, W. P. Miller, J. C. Blankinship, W. H. Bryant, A. W. Howell, J. M. Reynolds, S. R. Cade, J. R. Reed, W. P. Graves, J. P. Johnson, B. E. Higgins, J. H. Causey, J. E. Tatum, Pink Barr, H. J. Austin, Sam Young, O. D. Pruitt, John Odell, A. C. Hunt, L. T. Anderson, J. C. Hargraves, C. B. McGee, T. W. Gary, J. F. Dyer, John Lilly, O. D. Morrow, F. L. Martin, C. C. Seale, J. B. Ellis, D. P. Carter, Ira Montgomery, E. R. Beck, J. T. Lovelless, L. J. Kelly,

Petit Jury Second Week

J. E. Dunaway, Alex Ogilvy, W. B. Varner, W. J. Busby, W. L. Pierce R. B. Forbes, Y. M. Lyons, H. L. Harris, M. B. M. Clements, S. L. Cannon, A. R. Kelton, T. M. Grant C. L. Stallings, T. E. Mitchell, J. A. Moore, P. P. Bond, Paul Ramsey Henry Jones, Jr. E. W. Bowen, W. C. Rouse, L. L. Moss, T. H. Dix, W. T. Austin, J. R. Davis, W. H. Miller J. L. Cavanaugh, S. A. Barton, F. B. McGee, W. C. Adams, V. H. Cowan, Grahnm Meyers, J. Q. Mitchell, J. M. Childers, W. D. Jones, A. C. Skiles, J. R. Kennard,

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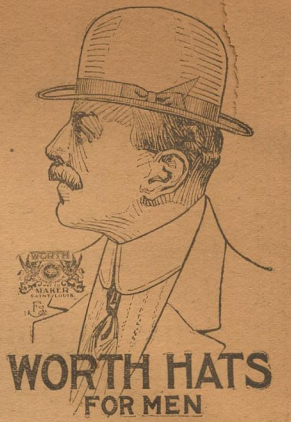
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Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Lula D. McQueen by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 42nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 42nd Judicial District, to appear at the regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Baird, Texas, on the Second Monday in May A. D. 1911, the same being the 8th day of May A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of March A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1074, wherein I. Q. McQueen is plaintiff, and Lula D. McQueen is defendant and said petition alleging.

That the residence of the defendant is unknown, and that plaintiff is a actual bonafied inhabitant of the state of Texas, and has resided in Callahan County for more than one year next preceeding the filing of this suit.

That on or about the ninth day of June, 1899, plaintiff and defendant were legally married in Brown County, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife in said Brown County, Texas, until on or about the 16th day of January 1909 when defendant, voluntarily without cause or consent of plaintiff, abandoned the said plaintiff.

That plaintiff and defendant, during the time that they lived and cohabited together, had three children born to them to-wit; Laura, a girl about ten years of age, Blanche, a girl about seven years of age and Fred, a boy, four years of age.

That during all of said time plaintiff conducted himself with propriety, and always treated his said wife with kindness and forbearance, but that defendant, disregarding the solemnity of her marriage vows and her obligations to treat plaintiff with kindness and attention, treated plaintiff and his children very cruelly by abandoning them for the purpose of living in adultery with one George Norman.

That defendant in the spring of 1909 left Brown County in company with her said paramour and about one year afterwards sent back for her household goods and had said goods sent her under an assumed name. Said defendant took with her her little boy Fred but left in Brown County, Texas, her two little girls Laura and Blanche.

At defendants cruel and outrageous treatment towards plaintiff as herein alleged renders their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. That said marriage still exists.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited in terms of law to answer this petition, and that he have judgement that the marriage between him and defendant be dissolved and that plaintiff have the custody, control and education of said children, Laura and Blanche.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have before said Court, as it's aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have excuted the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Baird, Texas this the 22nd day of March A. d. 1911.

J. R. Black, Clerk.
District Court, Callahan County.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Callahan County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. Baker by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice's Court of Precinct No 1 Callahan County

to be holden at Baird in said Callahan County, on the 28th day of May A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of February A. D. 1910, in n suit numbered on the docket of said Court No 836, where in E. M. Wristen and J. U. Johnson composing the firm of Wristen & Joheson are Plaintiffs and J. H. Baker and W. J. Baker are defendants, and the nature of plaintiff's demand being in substance as follows; Suit upon a promissory note executed by J. H. Baker and W. J. Baker bearing date of Feb. 26th, 1908, due and payable to Wristen & Johnson: at Baird Texas, Nov. 1st 1908 bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date and providing for ten per cent attorney's fees on the principal and interest if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection

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

Witness, J. J. Hendrix, Justice of the Peace for Precinct No 1 Callahan County.

Given under my official signature at office in Baird Texas, this the 29th day of March A. D. 1911.

J. J. Hendrix Justice of the Peace Precinct No 1 Callahan County, Texas.

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John Hembree,
Cearlie Neeb,

W. A. Hall, precinct Chairman,
John Hembree, Secretary.

The Muskrat.

While the muskrat, because of its valuable skin, has never been classed with some other rodents, as vermin, yet there are comparatively few of our Northern gourmets who have come to know it as a table delicacy, far superior to any squirrel and to many Southern palates the peer of the diamond back terrapin. The muskrat bears an unhappy suffix; one cannot contemplate the eatieg of any "rat" with feeling of unalloyed delight. Then, too, being a destructive little tunneler in embankments it makes a nuisance of itself and must be trapped.

At a formal hunt club banquet in Baltimore recently the piece de resistance was muskrat. An exquisite ragout of it was given the palm over canvas back and terrapin by men of epicurean tastes, and the question was gravely debated of re-christening the "rat." That is, of reviving its inoffensive Indian name of "musquash" or even substituting on menus the popular local name of "marsh rabbit." If this is done in Northern homes and hotels there is little doubt that a new and delicious food will find its way to our markets

The muskrat or musquash is one of the cleanliest of edible animals; the very antithesis of the filthy domesticated fowl and unspeakable hog. It lives upon nutritious roots and deliberately washes these before eating them. There is nothing whatever to be alleged against it save the harm it does in its subterranean ex-

plorations for food. The business of trapping it is spreading rapidly, and already constitutes an industry of respectable proportions in our Eastern tidewater states, But most of the trappers have been seeking the fur of the muskrat only; it is now eminently probable that a large reward awaits them in the toothsome flesh of the musquash.—Philadelphia Press.

ROOK

The Wednesday Rook Club had an open session Tuesday evening 11'th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bond we were greeted by the Hostess then presented to Mrs. Webster who passed dainty score cards the hand work of Mrs. Carter Mrs. Wright then showed them to their respective tables. The house was beautifully decorated in Roses and ever greens. Five tables followed the merry games of Rook through several progressions. The Hostess who acted as score keeper announced Mr. and Mrs. Webster as having led in the number of games won at the close of several most interesting games we were served to delicious ice cream and cake at a late hour we bid our Host and Hostess Good night after assuring them of a most delightful evening and hoping we may spend many more pleasant evenings with the W. R. C. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Henson Mr. and Mrs. Luther Liles, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner. Mr. and Mrs. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Linquist, and Messers Taylor Bond and Carson.

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