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BESSIE NIX RECOVERING FROM BURNS

Miss Bessie Nix, who was seriously burned by a lamp explosion a week ago Saturday, is improving right along at the family home in the west part of the city.

Miss Nix is an operator at the local telephone exchange and was lighting a lamp about dark Saturday night when the explosion occurred. It seems that some one must have turned the wick down into the lamp during the day and she failed to notice it. When she touched the match to the burner the oil in the lamp caught fire and she at once realized what had happened. With rare presence of mind she started to throw it out at the door but it hit on something as she threw it and bursted, throwing oil all over her. Her clothing was ignited and the flames enveloped her. She ran back inside the building and to a bed where the night operator sleeps and rolled up in the quilts, thus smothering the flames, but not

FARMERS' DAY.

Low Rates and Interesting Program Have Been Arranged.

Mr. Barrett, president of the National Farmers' Union, will be one of the principal speakers at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas on Wednesday, October 22nd. Mr. L. M. Rhodes of Tennessee will also talk on the problems of the farmers. A program of unusual interest has been arranged and the lowest rates of the Fair will be on Farmers' Day.

The Fair is a good place for the farmers to meet, extend and renew acquaintances and to exchange experiences in agricultural work. The Farmers' Union and Texas Farm Life Commission will keep open house during the Fair and all farmers are invited to make their headquarters home while attending the Fair.

The farmers can get more out of the Fair than any other class of people. The Fair has many educational advantages to the farmer, while to the city man it is largely an entertainment. The exhibits in the agricultural, implement and machinery departments will bring together in easy comparison the latest and most improved farm machinery and implements and points of merit will be demonstrated so that a farmer can select those best adapted to his needs. The Fair will also afford many facilities for economy as competitive prices can be secured and models most serviceable selected.

There is much to be learned from the livestock exhibits. The droves of blooded animals on exhibition remind us of the value of improving our livestock and bring us face to face with unanswerable arguments in favor of better grades. The farmer knows all this, but he needs to be reminded.

The Fair should be made to accurately reflect the agricultural achievements of the State and all farmers should co-operate in making the exhibits creditable and worthy of the reputation of the greatest agricultural state in the Union. An exhibition and comparison of the most perfect specimens of products profitably farmed for the market is educational and inspiring and excites interest and study and affords many practical lessons in agriculture by giving high ideals of practical value. Inquiry into the methods of production will reflect credit upon our colleges, universities and agricultural departments of state and nation.

Notice of Enlargement CHANGE OF LOCATION NEXT WEEK

We take a pardonable pride in calling the attention of the citizens of Slaton to the fact that our business has out-grown our present store building and we are now preparing to occupy the Two Brick Buildings next door to the Red Cross Pharmacy, where we will be better prepared than ever to take care of your business in a manner pleasing to you, as well as carry a larger stock to select from--and consequent lower prices. If you are not already a patron of the Sanitary we want to meet you when we get moved and show you Slaton's Finest Store.

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before she was severely burned on the right arm from the shoulder the the tips of her fingers. Parties who ran to her assistance found her wrapped in the quilts and medical aid was immediately summoned. It was found that the skin was burned off in places on her arm and it was necessary to remove portions that were burned to such an extent that it would not heal.

She had a narrow escape but is getting along the nicest kind now with no indications of serious results.

At the Methodist church Sunday October 12, preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Devoted Attachment to the Church. At night, a lecture: Subject, The Preacher. 1st, What is he? 2nd, Who is he? 3rd, Why is he? Special music at this hour. JOS. P. CALLAWAY, P. C.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic, The Sympathy of Jesus.

Organ voluntary.

The Lord's Prayer in concert.

Scripture reading, John 11:31-36. Leader, Mrs. Blanton.

Bible contest.

Psalms 24, by Leader.

Quartette, Messrs. Shankle, Olive, Blanton and Florence.

Paper, The Intellectual Quality of Sympathy, Dr. Hutchinson.

Reading, Francis Adams.

Paper, The Trustworthiness of Sympathy, Mrs. Talley.

Talk on Sympathy of Jesus, Rev. Calloway.

Duet, Mrs. Spetter and Vyola Talley.

Closing Song, Mizpah benediction.

For sale at once, or trade, a high grade walnut case piano, brand new. Easy terms. M. M. Gamble.

W. H. M. S.

Monday, Oct. 13, Mexico.

Scripture, Meditation on God's Word, Gen. 6:9 and Micah 7:6-13.

Sentence prayers.

Down in the Mines, Mrs. Adams.

Through our Schools in Mexico, Mrs. Edwards.

A Glimpse at Mexican House-keeping, Mrs. Spetter.

Prayer.

Mrs. Stewart, mother of J. C. Stewart, who has been visiting here this summer, returned to her home in Louisiana last week.

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HEAVY RAIN HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A heavy rain fell here Wednesday night for about an hour, almost an inch of water falling in that time, and hail stones fell for a few minutes although not in large quantity.

Quite an electrical and hail storm passed to the north of here and it is reported that considerable damage was done at Lubbock, Hale Center, Plainview, Amarillo and other intermediate points, however these reports are not substantiated at the time this is being put in type.

The electrical display was the most severe that has been seen on the Plains and while it did not extend this far south it was watched with much interest by a large number of Slaton citizens as it passed to the north.

Mrs. L. P. Loomis and children left Tuesday for Stratford, Texas, to visit the children's grandparents, and return home with Mr. Loomis about Dec. 1st when he will assume charge of the Slatonite.

CONTROL OF BIG CORPORATIONS.

Ex-President Roosevelt Outlines Policy of a Square Deal.

Theodore Roosevelt in a recent article appearing in the "Outlook," on "The Living Wage and the Living Rate," presents in a very forceful manner, both sides of the railroad question. We have long heard many of our public officials discuss only one side--that of the people--and it will be news to many who have been following the public discussions, to learn that there are really two sides to the question.

The views of Mr. Roosevelt, who has been considered a radical in railroad legislation, are especially interesting and instructive to Texas at this time when our transportation affairs are in an inflammatory condition. The ex-president said in part:

"It must be a cardinal principle in dealing with honestly-built and wisely-managed railways that the investor, the shareholder, is just as much entitled to protection as is the wage worker, the shipper or the representative of the general public. Unless the investor finds that he is to get a fair return on his money, he will not invest, and in such case not only will no new railways be built, but existing railways will not be able to repair the waste, the wear and tear to which they are subject, and will not be able to make needed improvements. All governmental action, whether by the legislature or the executive, should be conditioned upon keeping in view this fact.

"Unless the corporation makes money--that is unless business men are prosperous--there will be no money to give in proper wages for the wage worker, there will be no money with which to provide for his protection and to insure him against loss and damage and no money wherewith to render proper service to the customers and to the public as a whole.

"It is just as much the duty of the Commission to permit rates to be raised when the raise is justifiable as to require them to be lowered if the lowering is justifiable.

"The control should not be hostile to the corporation; it should merely be hostile to any misconduct on the part of the corporation, and it should protect the corporation against misconduct aimed at it exactly as it protects others from misconduct committed by it."

STOP, LOOK, LISTEN!



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The Slit-the-Slit--The Newest of Long Skirt Slashes.

Old Stolen Bust Is Found



In the cellar of the house occupied by Charles Nemphos, a Greek confectioner of Hampden, a suburb of Baltimore, the police unearthed recently this bust of a female child. It is a piece of Greek sculpture which was stolen from the National Museum of Athens about fifteen years ago, and is said to be some 3,000 years old. How and where Nemphos got hold of the almost priceless work is still a mystery to the police.

MILLION BARRELS OF FOREIGN FLOUR IS SOLD IN TEXAS ANNUALLY.

Texas Millers Heavy Purchasers of Oklahoma and Kansas Wheat.

Industry Susceptible to Marvelous Development.

The flour mills of Texas constitute one of the most important industries in the State. According to the Federal census report of 1910, we have 238 mills, employing 1,899 people and representing an investment of \$13,219,000. The industry has shown an increase of 118 mills and an increase of investment during the past decade of \$9,236,000 and now ranks third among our industries as to capital and second in value of its output.

We have a flour milling capacity of 7,800,000 barrels annually. The average consumption per capita is about one barrel per annum or approximately 4,000,000 barrels, leaving 3,800,000 barrels to seek an export market. A few mills not able to enter the export trade have been compelled to shut down for want of a market, although a million barrels of foreign flour are sold in Texas each year. The patronage of home industry would open these mills and give employment to 500 people and increase the demand for wheat raised by the Texas farmers.

The miller is perhaps the only manufacturer in Texas that has outgrown the raw material produced on our farms. We produced last year

11,025,000 bushels of wheat which is 25,000,000 below the annual capacity of the mills. The Texas millers are heavy purchasers of Oklahoma and Kansas wheat. A number of the Texas mills have built up an extensive export trade with Central America, Cuba, Porto Rico, and quite a few of them go to England and the Continent with a considerable bulk of their output.

The opening of the Panama canal will enlarge the marketing zone of the Texas output and call for an increase in the area of our wheat fields, but both the farmer and the miller need the friendship of the consumer in building up our flour industry.

SILO DEMONSTRATION PLANT.

These Modern Agencies in Agriculture Will Compete at the Dallas Fair.

There will be assembled at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 18th to Nov. 2nd, some of the most powerful agencies and most able advocates of agriculture in modern times, but none will exceed the silo in importance to the farm. It will present some of the most convincing arguments and most forceful reasons in favor of diversification, livestock, cereals, milo maize, etc., that the farmers of Texas have ever heard.

The silo is the greatest economist of the age and it has made many valuable contributions to the prosperity of the farmer. It teaches thrift, enterprise and economy and is a most competent exponent of progressive agriculture. It has proved an educator of unusual ability and a most competent workman.

Its influence is uplifting and glides like an angel of mercy through fields where drouths and pestilence prevail, delivering products from blight and destruction, and its habitat is the rescue home of the delinquent crops. It is nature's most able assistant in maturing vegetation and is man's best friend. It will multiply the value of the crop after harvest, preserve and unite the food value of the plant and will turn waste into profit.

It will require the assistance of a silo or some kindred agency to make our cereal and forage crops equally as profitable as cotton raising. The soil and climate of Texas are naturally adapted to cotton, and the State as a whole can never hope to lead in cereals unless their value can be increased by artificial means on their journey from the harvest field to the market. The silo is a manufacturing plant built on the farm and enables the farmer to get the profits of both producer and manufacturer.

There will be on exhibition at the Dallas Fair Grounds every make of silo now in use and silo demonstration work will be one of the leading educational features of the Fair. The process is entertaining and the various types of silos will be on competitive trial where their good points can be readily determined by the farmers present. Twelve acres of sorghum raised on the Fair Grounds will be used in the demonstration work.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Subject, The State and its Service to God.

Scripture, Romans 13: 1-7, Mr. Petty.

Song; prayer.

Roll Call, responded to with Current Events.

Bible Contest.

Song.

Leader, Mr. Florence.

Paper, The State as an instrument of Order and Peace, Mr. Stewart.

Duet, Mesdames Blanton and Wallace.

Paper, The State as an instrument of Enlightenment, Prof. Faulkner.

Reading, Frances Hoffman.

Paper, The State as an instrument of Liberty, Mr. Baldwin.

Paper, If the State is such a factor in Liberty, in Peace, in enlightenment, why not in Religion? Mr. Young.

Mizpah Benediction.

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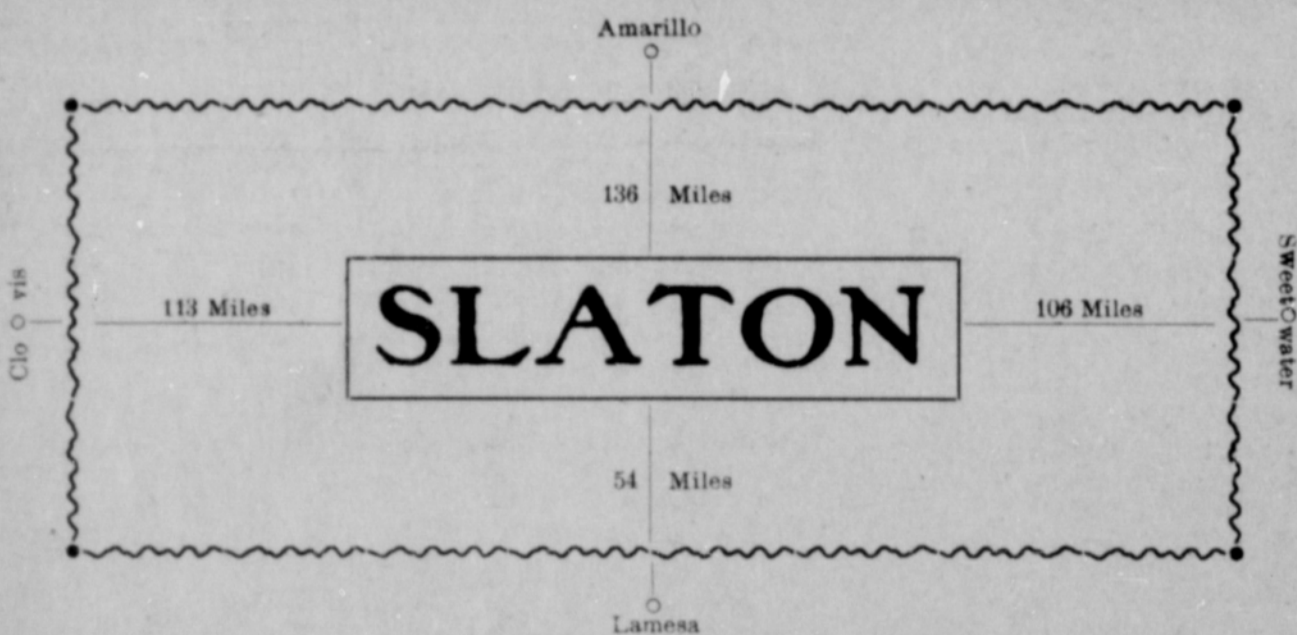
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Ancient Indian Treaty Tree



This great chestnut tree at Philipse Manor, near New York, is being carefully preserved, though it is dying, for under it was made the last treaty between the whites and the native Indians. It is said, too, that in its shade Washington Irving wrote "The Headless Horseman." The tree is more than twenty feet in circumference at its base and before long will be covered with trailing vines.

THE TEXAS STEER

A Record of Progress Made by the Cattle Industry.

Like the Indian, the longhorn steer has been compelled to give way to civilization and he is now used principally in staging moving picture plays, as the star performer in wild west shows and posing before the camera for picture card souvenirs.

Our endless ranges have been cut up into innumerable small stock farms, the cattle barons have given way to farmers and quality has taken the place of quantity in the livestock industry of the state.

The market demands quality and the Texas steer has shown his ability to master the world's markets and his products fill the nation's larder.

Texas cattle have advanced more rapidly in value than those of any other state in the Union during the past twenty years. The federal census reports show that we had 8,011,195 head in 1890 valued at \$75,227,582 or \$9.40 per head, and in 1910 we had 7,139,400 head valued at \$138,957,404 or a value of \$19.46 each. We show a decrease of 871,795 in number and an increase in value of \$10.06 per head. On January 1st, 1913, we had 12,527,000 head of livestock in the state classifying as follows: Cattle 6,056,000, horses 1,181,000, mules 724,000, hogs 2,493,000, sheep and goats 2,073,000. We have four head of livestock per capita. We have more cattle than any other state in the Union and take first rank in the number of mules. The value of our livestock production per annum approximates \$148,000,000 and the value of meat consumed \$150,000,000, leaving a net deficit of \$2,000,000. The principal loss is on hogs. We consume \$24,000,000 more of pork than we produce, and in leather we suffer a loss of \$17,000,000, although we show a gain of \$28,000,000 in cattle.

The cowboy has been pushed back across the plains. Royal blood has entered the veins of the Texas steer and a marvelous transformation has taken place in the cattle industry of the state. We now have the best grade of cattle in the world and select stock from our farms and ranches will be on exhibition at the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, November 22-28.

ACTS ON THE LIVER

Dodson's Liver Tone Livens Up the Liver—is More Than a Mere Laxative

Calomel was for many years the only known medicine that would stimulate the liver. But calomel is often dangerous, and people are not to be blamed for being afraid of it.

Within the last few years many medicines have been put out to be used instead of calomel, but

POULTRY ATTRACTION

Chickens That Have Cackled and Crowed in the Presence of Kings Will be Shown at Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show.

Roosters that have crowed in the presence of kings and hens that have pecked at the judges' of poultry shows on both continents, will be exhibited at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show, November 22-28.

Every year the blooded hens and high-browed roosters from all over the world assemble at the show, chatter about the premiums, cackle and crow over the blue ribbons, return to the barnyard boasting of their triumphs and spread the fame of the Stock Show throughout the length and breadth of the land.

The hen will be one of the leading attractions of the show and she is a splendid entertainer. Her form is exquisitely molded in all shapes and sizes from the ornamental to the useful. Her attire is the pink of perfection and her form and color are of latest design. In utility she is without an equal in the Texas barnyard. Her cackle is as musical as the clink of gold dollars, she buys the baby new dresses, keeps the family in groceries and pays off farm mortgages. She has put on a shell game that has driven the fakers from the fair grounds in shame and she has netted the housewife millions of dollars.

For years she has maintained her supremacy as a star performer and this year she will put on a show that will rival all previous exhibits. In giving the largest returns on the amount invested, she takes sweep-stakes. The markets of the world are clamoring for the Texas steer; the packers are loudly calling for more hogs; the sheep boasts of the demand for its fibre, but they must all bow down before the Texas hen. She lays three times her value per annum, raises annually a brood of chickens worth ten times her value and then lays down her life to appease human hunger.

The poultry industry in Texas has reached mammoth proportions. During the past year the total production, including eggs, approximated \$25,000,000. The egg output alone was worth \$18,000,000. We have approximately 25,000,000 domestic fowls. We have more turkeys and geese than any other state in the Union.

their effect is on the bowels—not on the liver. The Red Cross Pharmacy says that the only real liver medicine to actually take the place of calomel is Dodson's Liver Tone, a mild, harmless, vegetable liquid that the Red Cross Pharmacy recommended to take the place of calomel, and which gives prompt relief in cases of constipation, biliousness and sluggish liver.

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Tone. You can be sure that you are getting Dodson's by asking at this store if they are giving you the medicine they personally guarantee to refund money on if unsatisfactory.



TEXAS MINERALS.

Exhibits at the Dallas Fair to Be Instructive.

The Texas coal fields have long attracted the attention of Uncle Sam and he has given the world many glowing accounts of their possibilities in his geological reports, but the best evidence of value is the product taken from the mine.

There will be on display at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 18th to Nov. 2nd, exhibits of the more important products.

Practically every mineral known to the geological world is found in Texas, and we produce thirteen minerals in commercial quantities. According to the United States Geological Survey, the mine value of our available coal supply exceeds the Census Bureau valuation of all the farms of the United States, including their equipment, by ten billion dollars and is worth fifty times the value of the world's cotton crop of 1912.

The first mineral production of record in Texas was in 1882 and since that time products valued at \$227,000,000 have been taken from our mines and wells. The mine value of the output for 1912 was \$20,827,712.

The important mineral products in the order of their mine value are as follows: Petroleum, \$8,901,000; coal and lignite, \$3,273,288; clay products, \$2,660,000; natural gas, \$1,404,000; asphalt, \$786,785; stone, \$588,777; gypsum, \$491,685, and salt, \$300,000.

According to the report of the Bureau of Economic Geology and Technology of the University of Texas, we have 10,000 square miles of Texas land containing workable coal and it will take 15,000 years to exhaust our present supply at the current rate of mining. We rank 20th with other states in production. Our coal mines furnish employment to 5,350 men for 226 days in the year. We have 45 coal and lignite mines and the annual average production per mine is 44,000 tons.

We have one of the largest petroleum areas in the United States. Our oil fields cover 400,000 square miles of territory. Texas petroleum and its products enter every market in the world. We export 136,224,625 gallons of crude and refined oil annually and their export value is \$6,500,000 dollars.

The mineral exhibits will portray many opportunities for investment and will be one of the most instructive departments of the Fair.

NATIVE LIFE IN THE CONGO

Native agriculture in the Congo is of the most rudimentary type. A piece of bush adjacent to the village is selected, and the smaller trees and tangle of vegetation cut down and left to dry, after which they are burnt. Manioc, bananas and plantains are then planted after a perfunctory hoeing of the surface ground. Nature does the rest, says British Consul Lamont in a report. Rotation of crops, manuring and deep cultivation have no place in the farming regime, and what labor is required is usually pro-

vided by the women. The only industries prosecuted by the native resulting in the production of exportable products are those of rubber and gum copal collecting, palm oil manufacture and hunting, which has for its objective the ivory of the elephant. His methods in all of these are of the crudest, as is also the method of extracting the oil from the palm fruit crude and wasteful, the valuable inner nut being invariably thrown aside and wasted. Equally indiscriminate is his chase of the elephant; he traps or spears regardless of whether it is young or old, male or female, of commercial value or not.

City Directory and Railway Guide.

CHURCHES.

METHODIST CHURCH.

J. P. Calloway, Pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. J. I. Mabry, Superintendent
Preaching services every second and fourth Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Womans' Missionary Society meets every Monday afternoon at three o'clock.
Union Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everyone welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

J. R. Balch, Pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m. J. W. Patterson, Superintendent.
Preaching services every first and third Sundays in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday at 3 o'clock p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Word, Pastor
Preaching every fourth Sunday in the month at 11 o'clock a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.

SLATON COMMERCIAL CLUB.

R. J. Murray, president; R. C. Edgell, secretary. Club meets every Thursday evening at 8.00 o'clock at the McRea Hall on Texas avenue.

INDEPENDENT ORDER ODD FELLOWS.

Slaton Lodge meets every Friday night at 7.30 o'clock in the MacRea hall. L. P. Loomis, Secretary. R. C. Edgell, N. G.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Slaton Camp 2871 W. G. W. meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in each month at MacRea Hall. J. T. Bellomy, C. C., J. M. Simmons, Clerk.

WOODMEN CIRCLE.

Slaton Grove Woodmen Circle No. 1320 meets on second and fourth Thursday evenings each month at 3.30 o'clock in the MacRea hall. Visitors cordially welcomed. Mrs. Ida Bellomy, Guardian. Mrs. Carrie Blackwell, Clerk.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.—Santa Fe South Plains Lines

SOUTH BOUND.	
No. 27, Arrives from Amarillo	2:30 p. m.
" " Departs for Sweetwater	2:55 p. m.
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 28, Arrives from Sweetwater	10:40 a. m.
" " Departs for Amarillo	11:05 p. m.
AMARILLO LOCAL.	
No. 93, Arrives from Amarillo	5:15 p. m.
No. 94, Departs for Amarillo	6:00 a. m.
LAMESA LOCAL.	
No. 893, Departs for Lamesa	3:20 p. m.
No. 894, Arrives from Lamesa	11:30 a. m.



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FOOD THAT IS FORBIDDEN

No race possesses so many laws relating to the consumption of food as do the Jews. Shakespeare make Shylock say, "I will buy with you, sell with you, walk with you, and so following; but I will not eat with you, drink with you, nor pray with you," and the trait of being very particular as to what food they eat is still characteristic of the present-day Jews.

The large number of these Mosalic laws with regard to the eating of food is somewhat unconventional and disconcerting to modern Hebrews, but more than 90 per cent, of the Children of Israel still stringently adhere to all the dietary laws that Moses ever made.

Animals not slain by a ritual slaughterer, called a shochat, must not be eaten by Jews; neither are animals without parted hoofs or cloven feet, or who do not chew the cud, consumed as food by Jews. The pig is not eaten by them because it does not conform with all the above essentials.

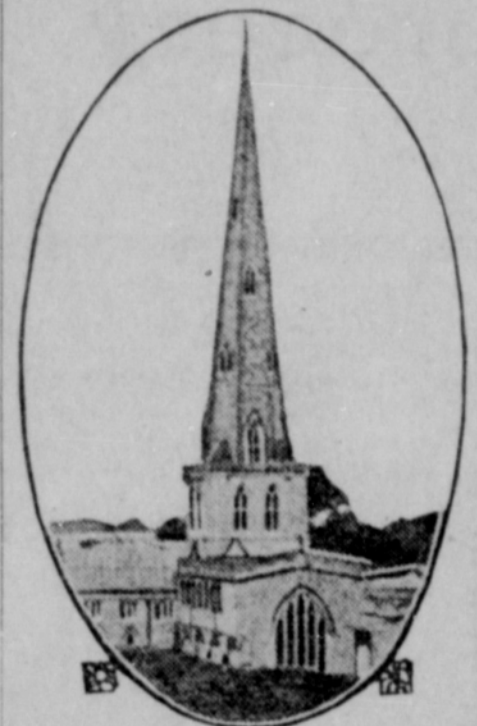
Only fish with scales and fins are permitted to be eaten according to the Law of Moses. Hence oysters, crabs, shrimps and lobsters are not eaten by Jews.

It is very peculiar to note that a Jew must not partake of milk or anything possessing the essence of milk until four hours have elapsed after eating meat or anything connected with meat—i. e., meat pies, sausages, etc. This law, as written in the Old Testament, is very different, for Exodus xxiii, 19, says: "Thou shalt not seethe a kid in his mother's milk;" but the Jewish tradition has ordained that the mixing of meat and milk should be prohibited.

Only a very few birds, amongst which is the dove, are allowed for Jewish food.

Modern physicians have corroborated the boast of the Jews that they are very healthy because of their dietary laws, but it seems very strange to other people that a whole race should abhor good old bacon and ham.

BEAUTIFUL CHURCH IN PERIL



Ashbourne church, in Derbyshire, one of the most beautiful in England and visited by thousands of tourists every year, after withstanding the wear and tear of centuries, is pronounced by architectural experts to be in danger of collapsing. This church, known as "the Pride of the Peak," has many interesting associations. Boswell and Johnson have worshipped there, the former described it as "one of the largest and most luminous churches that I have seen in any town of the same size." Its tuneful peal inspired Moore to write "Those Evening Bells," and George Elliot made Ashbourne "that pretty town within sight of the blue hills," the Oakburne of "Adam Bede," and referred to the church as "the finest mere parish church in the kingdom."

NATIONALISM AND FEET

National characteristics are appar-

ently impressed upon every part of the body; even the feet are found to vary with the nationality. The French foot is narrow and long. The Spanish foot is small, and elegantly curved—thanks to its Moorish blood—corresponding to the Castilian's pride of being "high in the instep." The Arab's foot is proverbial for its high arch. The Koran says that a stream of water can run under the true Arab's foot without touching it. The foot of the Scotch is high and thick, says the Family Doctor, that of the Irish flat and square, the English short and fleshy. When Athens was in her zenith the Grecian foot was the most perfectly formed and exactly proportioned of any of the human race. Swedes, Norwegians and Germans have the largest feet, Americans the smallest.

NEW SECT IN AN OLD TEMPLE



A sect called the "Sons of Men," said to be of Tibetan origin, has been worshipping since 1906 in the prehistoric stone-circle of Stonehenge, England, generally believed to be a temple of the sun. This fact is thought by some archaeologists to corroborate the solar temple hypothesis of Sir Norman Lockyer, the day of the summer solstice having been chosen by the new sect to pay their homage to the great luminary. The pilgrims to this ancient temple are mostly Hindus, Arabians and Persians and their sect is increasing rapidly in numbers.

MIDNIGHT SUN OF NORWAY



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