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tion. Templeton is very unpre

tentious in his demeanor, but a

good representative. one who

has been right there when measures of importance were before the House, and not un

here to represent the district in

which he resides, and firmly be-

President Wilson

in his inspired war message to the people said: "It is evident to every thinking man that our industries, on the farm, in the shipyard, in the mines, in the factories, must be made more prolific and more efficient."

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America must show the world that a war built on the principles of righteousness and freedom need not impoverish the people or stop the wheels of industry.

America will prove that prosperity can go hand in hand with war when waged with clear headed intelligence.

The American people will continue to need food and clothing. They will not give up the luxuries of life. They will continue to buy motor cars and stocks. Theatres and baseball and other amusements will go on.

Let us take as our slogan and spread this slogan everywhere, for our own good, for the country's good, for the world's good-

Keep Business Going As Usual

Ozark Trail Military Highway

lieves in giving publicity to The News is in receipt of a letter from Col. W. H. Harvey, in of a newspaper man but who I have been informed that his which that gentleman quotes an informant to the effect that Mcrely supported Cates Publi- optics have turned toward the Lean has fallen down on its part of the Ozark Trail, thereby Bill because he firmly be Senate, and very likely he will spoiling the chances of the northern route. We are pleased to tell the gentleman that such is not the case.



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he LaGrange Journal, in it's frequently is heard on the floor. e of May third, in reviewing The fact that his heighth is far work done by the legisla below the average in no wise has the following to say affects his judgment. He is our representative, R. L. leton, of Wellington:

member of the House who matters which affect the public.

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in the measure, was be an inspirant for the honor Templeton of Wellington of Senator. With the knowl bill with profound satisfac- to the upper house.

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W. L. HAYNES

McLean has had two attacks of inthusiasm which manifested west". He remained with edge of the man a possession of themselves in attempts to vote bonds for road improvement, but s throughout the Battle, mine, I can freely express the both attempts failed. They then tried a special tax issue and it witnessed the passage of hope constituents will send him was successful. Therefore the improvement of the Ozark Trail route through Gray county was made possible and work to that end is now in progress.

> In this connection we wish to say for the benefit of those who are not inclined to attach any importance to the Ozark Trail that there has been a resolution introduced by Senator Owen of Oklahoma in the national congress that would indicate the intention of that body to make a military road of this route. The resolution is as follows

Whereas, the Ozark Trails Association is promoting a well TANK OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PR wilt and well graded road from St. Louis to New Mexico, using he competitive system by which two or more roads for this disance of one thousand two hundred miles is now being rapidly nade, the one selected to be determined by the inspection of the officers of the Ozar'z Trails Aassociation; such inspection to begin June first and closing about June twenty-fifth, and the decision announced at a convention to assemble at Amarillo, Texas, June Iwenty-Seventh, twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth; and

Whereas, this can become an important military highway to reach the Mexican border by its continuation from it's western end to El Paso; therefore be it

Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress Assembled, that it is he sense of Congress that co-operation with the Ozark Trails Association in the inspection and selection of the route from St. Louis to New Mexico is important and further co operation and quick action on the part of national goverment in the construction of said road on to El Paso or some other point on the Mexican border is of like importance, and the National High way Department is instructed to send a competent man to accompany the officers of the Ozark Trails Association in the inspection and selection of the route from St. Louis to New Mexico and to further co-operate with said association in the routing and construction of this road to the mexican line and to report what action is neccessary for Congress to take in this matter."

The foregoing resolution has passed Congress and the association has been notified that a goverment man will accompany them on the inspection tour, which practially assures us that goverment aid will be forthcoming in finally completing and perfecting the route which is selected, making of it a road of the first class.

In view of this fact and the further fact that, the northern route is the most logical and direct one, we be lieve that our roads should be put in order at once so that we might succesfully ompete for the location.

I WUTK.

Morgan

Percheon and Morgan Stallion, 7 years old, will make the season 10 miles north of town on the Langley place.

George Cook

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Arthur Poncelett

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used on such farms. In the improve-ment of sanitary conditions around Any system of stable ventilation reeasy to keep clean.

some features which are different from | cow in each stall. other good stables, some of which are well liked by everyone who has tried East, dairymen are particular not to them out.

tral air duct to admit fresh air. Over this air duct is placed a wooden walk, built of 2 by 4 cross pieces, with the boards nailed on lengthwise. This leaves an opening between the 2 by 4 cross pieces for the entrance of air into the stable directly in front of the ows' noses.

According to the principle of warmair circulation, this arrangement is theoretically correct. Air is admitted in the center of the room that is property proportioned and close enough built to prevent the influence of outside air currents. The cold air from outside is heated by the lungs and the body warmth of the cows. Warm air will rise to the ceiling and spread in every direction. As it loads up with impurities, and as its temperature is reduced, the air becomes heavier. As it reaches the outer walls it descends and is drawn through the outlet flues from near the floor behind the cows. Practical stable ventilation must be

tudied for each building separately. What will work out in one stable would be useless in another, because of some peculiarity in the structure.

This center horizontal air duct is worth a trial. Being made of concrete, it may be kept perfectly clean, and, being open, it is less of a harbor for rats and mice than some of the wall air ducts that are placed in sta-The important development of dairy bles. This center walk is made in

farming during the last decade is very sections, so it may be lifted up and forcefully indicated by the changes rested against the front of the manger which have occurred in the stables while the stable is being swept with a

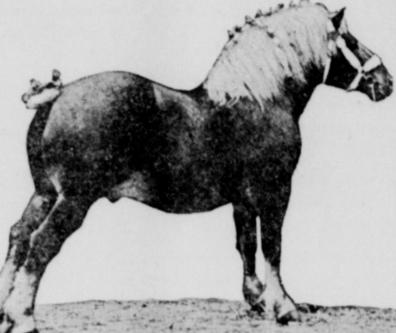
such stables, one thing at a time has quires a temperature above 50 debeen found wanting until the dairy grees F, to keep air in circulation. A stable has come strongly into the at- temperature above 50 may be maintention of farm-building architects, tained in a good stable in zero weather ventilating experts and equipment en- by packing the cows close enough togineers causing it to be given a thor- gether. This is, of course, likely to ough overhauling and redesigning. lead to the old argument about the Several types have been established, amount of air space required for aniall of which aim to accomplish prac- mais, and this is a subject that has tically the same thing. Primarily, the never been settled to the satisfaction animals must be furnished the best of dairymen. But good cowmen like possible conditions in which to live to have the air changed whether there and, secondarily, the building must be is much or little to change. These men make their stable ceiling low and This is an Easter cow stable. It has are particular to have a good-sized

In building these stables in the leave any ledges to hold dust. They Where the winters are cold, as they use inside ceiling without beading and are where dairying has been conducted they paint the ceiling in such a way as to the best advantage, a stable really to fill the cracks so far as possible, so should be built for warmth in winter the ceiling is smooth and airtight. For and clean, airy coolness in summer. the same reason there are no window This design sometimes is fitted with stools. There are no unnecessary pro-

SYMPTOMS OF DISORDERS AMONG HORSES

(Prepared by the United States Depart- in fever, the skin becomes dry; the mant of Agriculture.)

The condition of a sick horse is hair has a harsh feel that is quite different from the condition observed in shown to a certain extent by the ap- health, and from the fact of its being pearance of the mucous membranes. so dry the individual hairs do not ad-For example, when the animal is ane- here to one another, they stand apart, mic as a result of disease or of inap- and the animal has what is known as propriate feed the mucous membranes "a staring coat." When, during a become pale. This change in the mu- fever, sweating occurs, it is usually an cous membranes can be seen most read- Indication that the crisis is passed ily in the lining of the eyelids and in Sometimes sweating is an indication of the lining of the nostril. Paleness pain. A horse with lockjaw or azomeans weak circulation or poor blood. turia sweats profusely. Horses sweat Increased redness occurs in painful freely when there is a serious impediconditions, excitement and following ment to respiration; they sweat under severe exertion. In fevers there is an excitement and, of course, from the increased redness in the mucous mem- well-known physiological causes of heat brane, and this continues so long as and work. Local sweating, or sweating the fever lasts. In some diseases red of a restricted area of the body, de spots or streaks form in the mucous notes some kind of nerve interference. membrane. This usually indicates an Swellings of the skin usually come infectious disease of considerable se- from wounds or other external causes. verity, and occurs in blood poisoning. There are, however, a number of condi-



FINE TYPE OF BELGIAN STALLION.

When the liver is deranged and does | tions in which the swelling of the skin not operate, or when the red-blood cor- is a symptom of a derangement of scles are broken down, as in serious some other part of the body. For exses of influenza, there is a yellowish ample, there is the well-known "stockdiscoloration of the mucous mem- ing" or swelling of the legs about the brane. The mucous membrances be- fetlock joints, in influenza. There is come bluish or blue in any serious dis- the soft swelling of the hind legs that ease of the respiratory tract, as pneu- occurs so often in draft horses when monia, and in heart fallure.

If there is fever the temperature of vious inflammation or from insufficient pests are prevalent. the skin is likely to be increased, heart power. Dropsy of the skin may Sometimes, however, as a result of occur beneath the chest or abdomen poor circulation and irregular distribu- from weak heart or from chronic coltion of the blood, the body may be lection of fluid in the chest or abdowarmer than normal, while the legs men. In anasarca or purpura hemor-

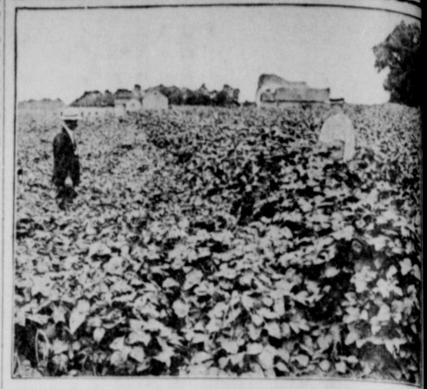


standing still and that comes from pre-

and ears may be cold. When the gen- rhagica large soft swellings appear on any part of the skin, but usually on from three to four feet apart, and from the legs, side of the body, and about two to three pecks of seed per acre

Importance of Wounds.

Wounds of the skin may be of im- are held off the ground in this way, pears, even if not sown. portance in the diagnosis of internal and the stalks keep the cut cowpeas disease. Wounds over the bony promi- loose, so that air is admitted more nences, as the point of the hip, the point readily and the hay is easily cured. one-half bushel of seed per acre. Wh of the shoulder, and the greatest con- Curing cowpeas hay during a rainy grown for hay it is common vexity of the ribs, occur when a horse, season is difficult, and for this reason with oats, the oats being sown i e to stand for a long time and, through continually lying upon his that the cowpeas will be ready to cut in the following February or side, has shut off the circulation to the during the dry weather which is com- after first harrowing the ground. portion of the skin that covers parts of mon in September and October in most the body that carry the greatest weight, parts of the South. The hay should and in this way has caused them to be cut when the pods begin to turn It makes a hay equal to red clover a mortify. Little, round, soft, doughlike yellow, but cutting may be deferred cowpeas in quality.



LEGUMINOUS FORAGE CROPS FOR SOUTH

COWPEAS ON LEFT-SOY BEANS ON RIGHT.

(Prepared by the United States Depart- the seeds are richer in feeding vertices of Agriculture.)

Cowpeas are grown more widely in the cotton region than any other leguminous crop. They are fairly well adapted to all types of soil, when well drained, and they make a good crop for either hay or pasture. Cowpeas are easily grown, and the seed is relatively inexpensive. They may be used to occupy the ground as a regular crop, but are also well adapted as a catch crop for pasturage or for green manure. When well cultivated, they leave the soil in good condition to harrow without plowing for grain or other crops.

There are many varieties of cowpens, which vary considerably in habits of growth and time of ripening. The Whippoorwill and the Groit are vigorou's, upright growers and therefore well adapted for heavy yields of hay. Trailing varieties, like the Black, the Red Ripper, or the Unknown, are good for pasture and to leave on the ground during the winter for soil enrichment. Under each of these three names, however, various different varieties occur in the seed trade. The the same manner as cowpeas, but a Iron and the Brabham are noted for their resistance to wilt and root knot. diseases which frequently occur, and peas and is relished by all farm and they alone should be used where these mais.

Cowpeas may be sown in rows or broadcast. The former method permits of cultivation, requires less seed. and usually gives better yields, while the latter way requires less labor. When sown in rows they should be should be used. Sorghum or corn is sometimes sown with cowpeas to be pedeza will do much to restore the f used for hay or sllage. The cowpeas

planting should be done at such times eral surface of the body becomes cold swellings occur on the skin and may be till later in case of unfavorable weathit is evidence of a chill, or that the scattered freely over the surface of the er. The ordinary mower is the best heart is weak and the animal is on the body when the horse is afflicted with unachine for cutting. When the vines falfa is one of the best crops for urticaria. Similar eruptions, but dis- are thoroughly wilted they should be permanent meadow, and is also tributed less generally, about the size turned with a tedder or pitchfork and able as a pasture plant. Alfalfa nee The skin is moist, to a certain de- of a silver dollar, may occur as a may then remain for 24 hours or so rich, well-drained land having a l before being raked into windrows. The subsoil and containing a good hay should then be put into cocks and of lime. The black prairie region remain there until it is sufficiently Alabama and Mississippi, the cured for hauling to stack or harn. When the weather is especially favor- sippl, and Red rivers, nor able the curing may be done in the Texas, and the region of windrows, thereby saving the labor Grande are all adapted to the of cocking. It it gets wet in the wind- tion of alfalfa. Wherever the row it should be spread out to dry as of limestone origin, or contain

There are many different valletia which vary in time of ripening free days from sowing to the entire gra ing season.

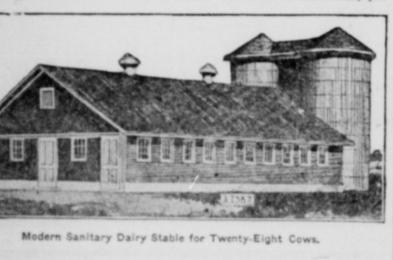
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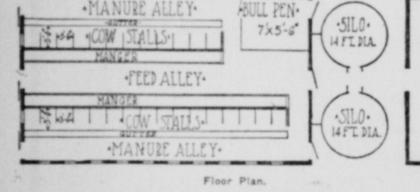
Soy beans, like cowpens, are see broadcast or drilled, but, being en are well suited to culdvation in re-Rows should be placed three or n feet apart, and the seeding should from one and one-half to two p per acre. This quantity of seed sho of course, be increased for broade ing. The seed should be planted deeper than two inches, and as this still a new crop in many place inc tion should be practiced. It is not w to plant soy beans near to woods. rabbits are very fond of the plant. If used for hay, soy benns should cut when the first leaves begin to t vellow; if for seed, the cutting she not be done until the leaves have her ly all fallen. The pods of many var ties shatter easily, and should harvested as soon as ripe and in morning, when pods are wet with de Soy beans are harvested for hay cured with less difficulty. The hay fully as nutritious as that from a

Lespedeza.

Lespedeza is a self-seeding and legume, which is spread over the tire cotton region except on the la sandy soils of Florida. It is uni ally used as late summer pasters but on fertile soils it makes such heavy growth that it is profit harvested for hay. On fields that he become barren and unproductive | tillity of the soil, and comm

Seeding should be done in late w ter or early spring at the rate of ab principal part of the lespedeza plast leaves, the stems being very slend





outside blinds, painted dark green. | jections anywhere on the inside of the This is for the purpose of shutting it stable. The same idea is followed in up dark after the cows are milked in the stall partitions.

the morning in summer. When the In this particular stable the only blinds are shut the stable is so dark support to the ceiling is from the parthat flies will not stay in it. Dairymen lition uprights between the cows have taken lessons from good house- which are comented in the floor and keepers in this respect. Flies will fastened to the ceiling by screws crawl out of a very small crack to get through threaded plates. A loft over a from darkness to light. You can't stable like this is not used for any shut flies out of a cow stable, that is, purpose except as an air space, and you can't shut them all out; but it is the air is changed by having a window possible to shut up a stable like this in each gable. The silos are placed so dark that they will all leave it be- between the stable and storage barn, tween morning and evening milking with room for a feed carrier to pass hours. through; this carrier track extends the

stable is depended upon in summer as

Of course, the cows will carry flies whole length of the cow stable, and in with them when they are stabled in runs far enough into the storage barn the afternoon, and this cannot be to load the litter carrier. avoided very well, However, some The value of this arrangement may New York dairymen have dark pas- be better understood by the study of sageways leading to the stables, where one fact-that north of the forty-seca good many flies are brushed off by ond parallel of latitude there is an form quality of loads of cattle from the attendant as the cows pass in. One average of only six weeks of good pas- the range. The native cattle are not dairyman experimented with station- ture. There are droughts sandwiched so nearly of one type; in fact, they are ary brushes in a dark passageway, in between late spring and early fall which is an attomatic way of brush- frost, so that dairymen are obliged to ing the files off the cows as they enter supply manger feed for ten or eleven the stable.

Easter dairymen usually are well dairymen don't depend on pasture, exsupplied with small hills or banks on cept to have a run for the cows for yards, etc. For this plan, a gently Of course, they want cows to get some sloping bank, falling away towards the picking, and this is necessary to insouth or southeast, is preferable. The duce the cows to travel about. But north is usually protected by a group when it comes to actual feeding, the His long horns, his wild, nervous, of trees or high board fence.

During the last ten years stables well as winter. The storage of slinge Little cellar windows of meager sizes about this change, in lonesome connection have been dis- The old plan of growing solling placed by two sash windows, as care- crops is not carried on to any great fully made and adjusted as the win- extent; labor is too expensive. Silage dows in the house. The system of and alfalfa are better and cheaper. At ventilation in this stable is a combina- the same time, good cows appreciate tion system, with the ceiling openings a feed once a day of green stuff. It that permit the ventilators to carry may be clover, onts, succotash, alfalfa, off the warm air from the top of the or any other good forage crops, but stable in summer.

this feed is given as an appetizer more There may be built-in the concrete than for the actual returns in milk de or in the feed passageway-a cen- rived from it.



Yearling Clydesdale.

verge of collapse

Skin of Healthy Horse.

aair to have a soft, healthy feel. In occur around the mouth and pasterns some chronic diseased conditions and in horsepox.

RANGE CATTLE NOW GIVEN PREFERENCE

Native or Farm-Raised Steer Not So Nearly of One Type in Color and Breed.

The range steer receives the preference now for the feed lot over what is termed the native steer, the farmraised steer of the corn-belt states. This is largely due to the more unimost generally of a mixed breed, mixed colors, mixed sizes and dissimilarity prevails, showing that they are a pickmonths. In fact, some of the best ed-up neighborhood product.

There was a time in the history of cattle feeding when the reverse conwhich to arrange their stables, barn- exercise, fresh air and general health. ditions prevailed. The range steer was looked upon with suspicion by the cattle feeders There was not much in his make-up that pleased the feeder. scared-half-to-death actions and behavior convinced the feeder buyer that have grown in size and dimensions, and the growing of alfalfa have brought he did not care to risk him. It took a few years to break down this pre-

judice, but gradually good reports er western districts where a good quality of beef-bred bulls were used became famous in the demand for their | acid and 10 per cent potash. feeder steers, says Twentleth Century Farmer.

The steady increase in breeding quality of the range cattle generally

ree, at all times in a healthy horse. symptom of dourine, or colt distemper. This moisture is not in the form of a Hard lumps, from which radiate weltperceptible sweat, but it is enough to like swellings of the lymphatics, occur keep the skin pliable and to cause the in glanders, and blisterlike eruptions

> sight of when comparing the range cattle with the steer production of the farms over the central west and eastern states. The range is not in the least mixed with dairy blood, while many of the farm herds are more or less mixed with other than strictly beef breeds. Feeders desire uniformity in their cattle to go into the feed yard, because uniformity in type, color and general make-up presents a more pleasing general appearance to the buyer than dissimilarity in any of its phases. Farm-bred steers will become more plentiful as the farms become more interested in the baby beef industry.

SCARCITY OF POTASH PUZZLING TO FARMER

Expert of Massachusetts Agricultural College Recommends Use as Fertilizer.

Parsnips are a long-season root crop, which occupy the ground until the late fall and sometimes until the following spring. H. F. Thompson, professor of market gardening, Massachusetts Agricultural college, has became more common until the sand recommended for beets and carrots hills cattle of Nebraska and some oth- the use of 1,000 pounds per acre of high-grade fertilizer, analyzing 3 per cent nitrogen, 8 per cent phosphoric

Present wartime conditions prevent the use of the amount of potash recommended, and probably the best advice that may be given is to use as much is a feature that must not be lost potash as can be obtained now.



Lespedeza Hay, Cocks Covered With Canvas.

surface. A convenient device sometimes used for drying cowpea hay may tatoes, or similar crops which m be made with strips or poles six feet early may be prepared easily for the long joined at the top and held four falfa. feet apart at the bottom by means of Fall-sown alfalfa should yield from cross pieces. The rines are piled upon three to five cuttings the follows this rack, which permits the air to cir- segson and average about one ton culate freely among the vines, thus cured hay per acre each cutting. The curing them quickly and satisfactorily is no better hay than sifalfs for with little loss of leaves.

Soy Beans

The soy beau is a comparatively new a valuable feed for working splin crop in this country, but one which has but care should be taken not to fe fast gained favor in the South and it excessively. It affords spil North alike. The soy bean withstands pasturage for hogs, but care must dry weather well, and makes a bay taken not to pasture it too closely m similar in quality to that from con- too iste in the season. Is good peas. It grows erect and holds its pasturing alfalfa is not to be reienves better than cowpeas, but has a mended in the South, as the stand more fibrous stem. Soy beans produce frequently injured, then weeds that tenvier seed yields than cowpeas and and lavade the field.

Alfalfa.

On land where it will suc sections along the Tennes soon as the water has dried from the percentage of lime, alfalfa is sure to succeed. Sandy solls at clay uplands have not proven factory for alfalfa, neither does

thrive in the Gulf-coast regio Many soils not naturally adap alfalfa have been made suitable special treatment, and the acre this crop is increasing very fast as result of the utilization of such at Some wet lands become suited to falfa when thoroughly drained. Las newly drained and many other drained lands commonly need at plication of lime for alfalfa. Fi one to two tons of burnt lime, two three tons of slaked lime, or three four tons of finely ground limesh per acre are good applications.

The seedhed should be thoroug prepared before sowing alfalfa set that is, it should be finely puive well compacted, and free from week Well-cultivated fields of early van ties of cowpeas or soy beans, carly #

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datry, heef cattle, sheep, and yo growing stock of all kinds. It is all

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Western Canada and the 160-Acre Homesteads.

G RUSH NOW ON

is a war like this, they also serve serve effectively who till the fields

It cannot be repeated too often that world needs every ounce of food an produce this year, and that the wers of that food are sure of good When men now of middle age re casting their first ballot, 'dollar est' was the farmer's ideal of pros-Today, we have two-dollar eity. wat, with other grains and meats i vegetables in proportion ; and indiions that any shift from these es is as likely to be up as down. Every acre must work. The farmer a increases his crops is performing tional service, as well as assuring merity for himself. There cannot too much, and unless a united and distent effort is made, there will the enough."-Chicago Journal.

the past has merged into the permainterest of the present. The duty vice, with her red hair, and red lips ters from the most influential Mexi- here." the loyal and patriotic citizen is to anad every effort to bring the great id's War to a satisfactory conclu- shocked. n to assist in all ways the forces at have been fighting at tremendous at has no mark of fortification, no of Brownsville, her attorney. whus that has disregarded all lawsan and divine.

fort ever was made, not only on the upon it. tlefields of Europe, not only on the ined and submarined seas, but in and after ridding himself of dust, in- tank, pierced with loopholes and ripped nt reports by the Government son for his summons. w a great falling off in the amount grain that may be expected from the gorio has confiscated my stock," Alaire dressed in khaki, who rode in the firsterican will bend all his effort they'd actually confiscate it." wards increasing this. He may not hoe, he can drive a team and man- have it pretty straight that he's giv- goat cheeses and coffee from the same thing in the trenches. If he does "I didn't know he'd actually done coaches were crowded; women fanned themselves unceasingly; their men nostrils thin and sensitive, like those aderful manner the man who is cause." ins get one-rent it, buy it-get it. ere is lot of vacant land that will ve ample return for his labor. ented offers are being made to secure e residence of the home-hunter. The ar condition is draining the continent leavoring to meet the rapid depleon of the nation's stores of grain and ther farm products. Western Canada as proven her claim to being the natu- decidedly. al producer of economically grown dstuffs and is endeavoring to overane a world's shortage in necessities by offering her lands, practically free, banyone who will take them and proice. Labor is scarce in Canada, and now being bonused. Good wages are fered and the time a farm hand is frawing pay in 1917, is considered by he Canadian Government, the same as sidence duties on one of the free 160cre farms, that this Government is ing away, in order to settle the fertile prairies and bring about within ew years a half billion annual crop wheat. The most conclusive evidence is wallable to any inquirer, that Western or in federal territory." anada farm lands will produce more wheat of a better quality and at a er Texas is in the United States or has heretofore been known in grainrowing countries. It is no idle statement to say, that yields of fifty bushels to the acre of wheat are grown in Canda; the statement is made in all serimess and is backed up by the letits and affidavits of reliable farmers Western Canada. These farmers are enjoying the same home comforts hat their neighbors to the south parlicipate; they have the same good uses, the same good horses and attle, the same good roads and comunication, as well as the same good cial conditions, and, best of all, they wa their land and what they earn hey own for themselves, being a founfation for greater wealth and indeendence .-- Advertisement.



ligible.

CHAPTER V.

Blaze, in truth, was embarrassed by and Ed-have no bables." the size of his holdings, but he shook his head. "No, I'm too old to go rampagin' after new gods. I ain't got the imagination to raise anything more complicated than a mortgage; but if I was younger. I'd organize myself ap and do away with that Ed Austin. I'd sure help him to an untimely end, and to La Ferla were made with little de- Jose, it seemed, was a rabid Potosista. Now that the United States has then I'd marry them pecan groves, and lay. Owing to the condition of affairs ad with the Allies, the sentiment blooded herds, and drug-store orchards, across the border, Ellsworth had her horse-breaker. "I want you to find She certainly is a heart-breakin' de- thought it well to provide her with let- General Longorio and ask him to come

"Father!" Paloma was deeply more, in order to pave her way toward

in getting a telegram through to Mex-Complete isolation, of course, Alaire ico City-Ellsworth's influence was not the giant power of autocracy, had found to be impossible, even bounded by the Rio Grande. dery is now assured; the union of hough her ranch lay far from the trav- Alaire took Dolores with her, and for great fighting force of the United eled roads and her Mexican guards male escort she selected, after some es navy, its military, its financial were not encouraging to visitors. Busi- deliberation, Jose Sanchez, her horseperation, its full and complete sym- ess inevitably brought her into con- breaker. Benito could not well be hy, will eventually bring about a tact with a considerable number of spared. Sanchez had some force and the first occasion to enlarge upon her ce that will be solid and lasting. people, and of these the one she saw initiative, at least and Alalre had no theme ands, just across the border line, most frequently was Judge Ellsworth reason to doubt his loyalty. The party went to Pueblo by motor. On the fol-

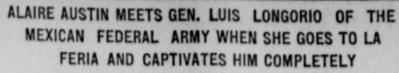
as of defense, welcomes the assist- It was perhaps a week after Ed had lowing day, Alaire secured her passthat the United States is render- left for San Antonio that Alaire felt ports from the federal headquarters he would steal a crucifix." welcomes this new partner into the the need of Elisworth's counsel, and across the Rio Grande, while Jose ata that is battling for a disruption sent for him. Elisworth was a kindly tended to the railroad tickets. On the the forces that breed and beget tyr- man of fifty-five, with a forceful chin second morning after leaving home the y and oppression, and fighting for and a drooping, heavy-lidded eye that party was borne southward into Mexmocratic and free world. What a could either blaze or twinkle. Judge ico. at it will be to see the American Ellsworth knew more than any four The revolution had ravaged most of d the Canadian, with the Stars and men in that part of Texas; information northern Mexico; long rows of rusting pes and the Maple Leaf of Canada had a way of seeking him out. He was trucks and twisted car skeletons beside shapened in one fold and entwined a good lawyer, too, and yet his knowl- the track showed how the railway's their effort to rid the world of an edge of human nature he considered rolling stock had suffered in this parfar more important than law. His ticular vicinity; and as the train penemind was like a full granary, and every | trated farther south temporary trestles There is a necessity for the greatest grain lay where he could put his hand and the charred ruins of station houses

He motored out from Brownsville, struggle. Now and then a steel water rying out on the peaceful fields sisted upon spending the interval be- by cannon balls, showed where some agriculture, the plans so urgently fore dinner in an inspection of Alaire's detachment had made a stand. There nested by those at the head of latest ranch improvements. Not until was a military guard on the train, departments of resources. The dinner was over did he inquire the rea- too-a dozen unkempt soldiers loaded

"It's about La Feria. General Lonop as of recent date, being only a told him. "I was afraid of this very the over 60 per cent, 16 per cent thing, and so I was preparing to bring by making eyes at the women. ss than the average. Every patriotic the stock over. Still-I never thought

"Hasn't Ed done enough to provoke curlous peons; the same noisy huckalder a musket, but he can handle confiscation?" asked the judge. "I sters dealt out enchiladas, tortillas, vice in this way, and assist in a ing money to the rebel junta and tends stretched hands seemed to bear the fa-

"Yes-for a man with interests in federal territory. But Ed always does



Mrs. Alatre Austin, a handsom e young matron, mistress of Las Palmas ranch, gets lost in the Texas desert and after an all-day struggle wanders into the little camp of David Law, a ranger hunting a Mexican murderer. Circumstances force her to stay 24 hours in camp. Law catches his man, kills another, and escorts her nome. "Young Ed." Austin, drunken wastrel, upbraids his wife and makes insinuations concerning the ranger officer. Austin is secretly in league with Mexican rebels. Mrs. Austin starts for La Feria, her ranch in Mexico, to secure damages for cattle confiscated by Mexican federalis.

he lapsed into silence, nodding to him- tory at San Pedro-thirty kilometers to me. I am a woman of affairs, Genself. "Yes, nature mixes her prescrip- from La Feria. Not a prisoner was tions like any druggist. I'm glad you spared, senora."

"Is General Longorio with them?" Alaire inquired quickly. Alaire murmured something unintel-"That is what I came to tell you.

It is believed that he is, for he takes his army with him wherever he goes. He is a great fighten; he has a nose A Journey, and a Dark Man. for it, that man, and he strikes like the lightning - here, there, anywhere." Alalre's preparations for the journey "When the train arrives," she told

"But, senora !" Jose was dum cans in the neighborhood; what is founded, shocked. "He is a great gena settlement of her claim he succeeded eral-"

"Give him this note." Quickly writing a few lines on a page from her notebook, she gave him the scrap of paper, which he carefully placed in his hat; then, shaking his head doubtfully, he left the car.

Flushed with triumph, Dolores took

"You will see what a monster this Longorio is," she declared. "It was like him to steal your beautiful cattle;

"I've heard that," Alaire said gravely. In the course of time the military train came creaking along on the main track and stopped, to the great interest of the south-bound travelers. It was made up of many stock cars crowded with cavalry horses, and penned in with them were the women and the children. The soldiers themselves were clustered thickly upon the car roofs. Far down at the rear of the train was a rickety passenger coach, and toward this Jose Sanchez made his spoke even more eloquently of the way.

There began a noisy interchange of greetings between the occupants of the two trains, and meanwhile the hot sun glared balefully upon the huddled figures on the car tops. A half-hour passed, then occurred a commotion at the forward end of Alalre's coach.

A group of officers climbed aboard, and among them was one who could class coach and occupied themselves be none other than Luis Longorio. As he came down the passageway Alaire identified him without the aid of his insignia, for he stood head and shoulders above his companions and bore himself with an air of authority. He was unusually tall, at least six feet milliar grime of ante-bellum days. The smooth and of a clear, pale, olive tint ; of a blooded horse. Disdain, hauteur, spirit. You are wonderful, superb "

ruby ring, and this interested her queerly. No ordinary man could fittingly have worn such an ornament, yet on the hand of this splendid barbarian it seemed not at all out of keeping.

"Dios !" Longorio continued. "Your ranch has been destroyed; your cattle stolen, ch? We will shot the perpetrators of this outrege at once. Bueno !"

"No, no! I don't want to see anyone punished. I merely want your government to pay me for my cattle." Alaire laughed nervously.

"Ah! But a lady of refinement should never discuss such a miserable business. It is a matter for men."

She endeavored to speak in a brisk, businesslike tone. "Le Feria belongs eral Longorio, and you must talk to me as you would talk to a man. When I heard about this raid I came to look into it---to see you, or whoever is in charge of this district, and to make a claim for damages."

"Valgame Dios! This is amazing." "There is nothing extraordinary about it, that I can see."

"You consider such a woman as yourself ordinary? The men of my country enshrine beauty and worship



it. They do not discuss such things with their women. Now this sordid affair is something for your husband-"

"Mr. Austin's business occupies his time; this is my own concern. I am not the only practical woman in Texas.'

Longorio appeared to Le laboriously digesting this statement. "So!" he hoe, he can drive a team and man-bave it pretty straight that he's giv-ing money to the rebel junta and lend-ge a plow. He will be doing yeoman is money to the rebel junta and lend-the rebel junta and lend-stretched hands seemed to bear the fainto Mexico, where we are fighting and killing each other? Well! That is

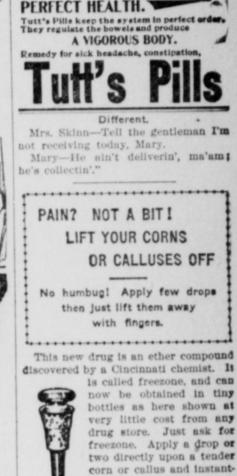
Getting Old Too Fast?

Late in life the body shows signs of wear and often the kidneys weaken first. The back is lame, bent and achy, and the kidney action distressing. This makes people feel older than they are. Don't wait for dropsy, gravel, harden ing of the arteries or Bright's disease. Use a mild kidney stimulant. Try Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands of elderly folks recommend them.



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Japan's efforts to increase the protion of cotton in Formosa so far are been failures.

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the wrong thing, you know." The desire to possess a home, to im-prove it and to prosper, is natural to wery American, and today unprece-stock is mine, not Ed's. I want your help in taking up the matter with farms, were growing up to weeds. Washington.

Ellsworth was pessimistic. "It its foodstuffs and economists are won't do any good, my dear," he said. "You won't be paid for your cattle." "Then I shall go to La Feria."

"No!" The judge shook his head

"I've been there a hundred times, The federals have been more than courteous."

"Longorio has a bad reputation. I strongly advise against your going. You'd better send some man."

Whom can I send?" asked Alaire. "You know my situation."

The judge considered a moment before replying. "I can't go, for I'm busy in court. You could probably accomplish more than anybody else, if Longorlo will listen to reason, and, after all, you are a person of such importance that I dare say you'd be safe. But it will be a hard trip, and you won't know whether you are in rebel

"Well, people here are asking whethwer cost of production per acre than Mexico," Alaire said, lightly. "Some times I hardly know." After a moment she continued : "Since you know everything and everybody, I wonder If you ever met a David Law?"

Ellsworth nodded. "Tell me something about him."

"He asked me the same thing about you. Well, I haven't seen much of Dave since he grew up, he's such a roamer."

by the Guadalupes."

a violent end. I was instrumental in experience. He covered the train from a violent end. I was instrumental in saving what property Frank Law left, end to end, making himself acquaint-saving what property Frank Law left, ed with everyone and bringing to was plain that he was not heading her saving what property Frank Law day of the second bringing to but it didn't last Dave very long. He's Alaire the gossip that he picked up. words in the least As if to shot out a self in frowning meditation.

friend or a client with such faint northbound troop-train was expected. woman wearing an expression of stupraise," said Alaire.

for instance. If you know the pagain those rebels. They had a great vic- rated with a magnificent diamond-and-

of the seats, and the aisles were full of squalling, squabbling children.

down with rifles and bandoliers of car-

tridges, and several officers, neatly

At its frequent stops the train was

besieged by the customary crowd of

As for the country itself, it was dy-



"I Wonder If You Ever Met a David Law?"

Stores were empty, the people were idle. Over all was an atmosphere of decay, and, what was far more signifi-

"He said his parents were murdered cant, the people seemed content. All morning the monotonous journey "Yes. It happened a good hand res, but to Jose Sanchez a red-letter use army confiscated my cattle." Jose brought this intelligence : "Soon pefaction. It was very queer ; it made

"Oh, I don't mean it that way. I'm you will behold the flower of the Mex- Alaire extremely ill at ease, almost like one of Dave's kin, and I've ican army," he told Alaire. "You will redity. I've watched it in the parents Pueblo after destroying a band of ticed that one of his fingers was deco-for instance. If you know the parents three rebels. They had a more that

mpatience, were stamped upon the general's countenance as he pushed evenest teeth. riskly through the crowd, turning his head from side to side in search of

the woman who had summoned him. Not until she rose did he discover Alaire; then he halted; his eyes fixed hemselves upon her with a start of startled amazement.

Ahuire felt herself color faintly, for the man seemed to be scanning her from head to foot, taking in every detall of her face and form, and as he ered. For what seemed a full minute gry eyes she felt an adventurous thrill. Longorlo stood rooted; then the stiffvizored cap was swept from his head; intil Alaire saw the part in his oily, soldiers opposite; the conductor aphe bowed with the grace of a courtier black hair.

"Senora! A thousand apologies for my delay," he said. "Caramba! I did not dream-I did not understand your message." He continued to regard her with that same queer intensity.

"You are General Longorio?" Alaire was surprised to note that her voice quavered uncertainly, and annoyed to feel her face still flushing." "Your obedient servant."

Longorio, with a brusque command, routed out the occupants of the sent ahead, and, reversing the back, took a position facing Alaire. Another order and the men who had accompanied im withdrew up the aisle. There was no mistaking his admiration. He seemed enchanted by her pale beauty. his tone altered as he said: "Senora, her rich, red hair held him fascinated, and with Latin boldness he made his feelings crassly manifest.

"You probably know why I wished friend to our cause?" to see you," Alaire began,

lenial. "It is regarding my ranch, La Feria."

Seeing that the name conveyed noth-"Yes. It happened a good many continued-a trial to Alaire and Dolo-"Ah, yes! Now I understand." The true! We would arrange everything

but it didn't last Dave very long. He and the gossip that he picked up. Words in the least. As if to shut out a envelop her, and its warmth was unright careless in money matters, ways, a fine fellow in some ways-most ways, interreputing accurrent, then the first vision or to escape some dazzling sight, a nde renov in source some diszing sight, I believe, but-" The judge lost him- interruption occurred; then the train he closed his eyes, Alaire wondered "I have never known you to damn a interminable delay it transpired that a turned to Dolores to find that good

Longorio opened his eyes and passed been keenly interested in watching his see thousands of Longorio's veterans, a brown hand across his brow as if been seeing interested in he-traits develop. I'm interested in he-blood. Thus, are plant are plant to brush away perverse fancies that intraits develop. The interested is case, blood. They are returning to Nuevo terfered with his thoughts. Alaire no-

TWORK.

He smiled, showing the whitest and

Such extravagant homage was embarrassing, yet no woman could be wholly displeased by admiration so spontaneous and intense as that which Longorio manifested in every look and word. Alaire knew the susceptibility of Mexican men, and was immune to ordinary flattery; yet there was something exciting about this martial hero's complete captivation. To have charmed him to the point of bewilderment was a unique triumph, and under his hun-While he and Alaire were talking the passengers had returned to their seats; they were shouting good-bys to the proached and informed the general of his train orders.

Longorlo favored him with a slow stare. "You may go when I leave," said he.

"St. senor. But-"

The general untered a sharp exclamation of anger, at which the conductor backed away, expressing by voice and gesture his most hearty approval of the change of plan.

"We mustn't hold the train," Alaire said quickly, "I will arrange to see you in Nuevo Pueblo when I return." Longorio smiled brilliantly and lifted a brown hand. "No, no! I am a selfish man; I refuse to deprive myself of this pleasure. Now about these cattle." He thought for a moment, and there seems to be an unhappy complication in our way and this we must remove. First, may I ask, are you a

"I am an American, but what has Longorio shook his head in vague that to do with my ranch and my cattle? This is something that concerns no one except you and me.' Longorio was plainly flattered by her words, and took no trouble to hide his pleasure. "Ah! If that were only

"Why did you take my cattle?" she demanded, stubbornly.

Alaire is flattered by Longorio's extravagant attentions, but they soon become mighty irksome-as described in the next installment.

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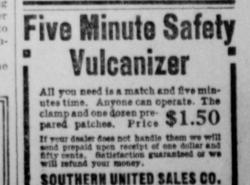
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Visitors from Shamrock.

Under the direction of Mr. Jeff Mankins, the Rebeccah degree team from Shamrock visted the McLean lodge Friday evening of last week and conferred the Rebeccah degree on a class of candidates, composed of the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McClelland, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keasler, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Earp and Misses Eva Biggers, kate and Aderine Ayers.T. J. Turner and Arthur Poncelet.

The degree work and the auxiliary drills by the Shamrok ladies demonstrated a high degree of efficiency in the ritual istic ceremony and the local lodge gave them a sincere vote of thanks for their efforts. Afand cake was enjoyed by those assembled.

The Nation's Supreme Need

The principal business of this country for the immediate future will be war and the peparations neccessary to conduct it on a scale never before known to our people. Vast quantities of supplies of all kinds must be provided. Chief among these is an adequate food supply, a supply not only sufficient for the needs of our people at home but for an immense army and a surplus for the people of Eu rope who are now resorting to extreme measures in an effort to feed their armies and their civilian population.

Under the circumstances it is the patriotic duty of evry one to do all in his power to meet the world's demand ior food. It is not too much to say that the

farmers of America are the decisive element in this world war and no greater service can be rendered than to bring a realization of this fact to the people of every community.

The planting season is at hand and whatever may be done to meet and solve the question of greater food crops this year must be done within the next few weeks

The high prices of the past few months and the urgent of forts of the goverment the last few weeks have had their due effect; economy has been practiced to a degree, and probably our domestic supply of wheat will last until new wheat is milled if we continue to economize. But the growing crop promises 50,000,000 bushels less than the crop of 1916 which we are now eating and 244,000,000 less than ter the closing of the lodge a the crop of 1915. With war updelightful treat of Ice" cream on us the demand for another year will be greater than the demand of the past year. Heretofore we have been sharing our

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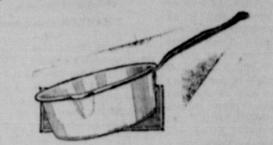
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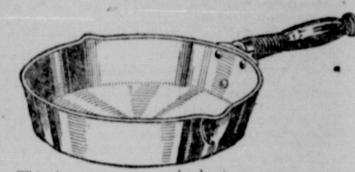
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Dr. Plummer Passes Away.

o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Plummer's health Lad been gradually failing for many months and it was known that he must soon pass out but the and came suddenly and asa com plete surprise to his wife, who was arranging to start with him

for the family home in Peoria. IL. Thursday. The body was prepared for

shipment by the Eakle under aking establishment of Amarilo. No funeral services were held here but the body was ac companied to the train, Thursday by an escort of Masons, of which fraternity Dr. Plummer had been an bonored member for many years. -

"Covered Dish" Dinner.

The Methodist Missionary like himself; that God makes tenth chapters.

There will be no meeting next that his power and malice are Tuesday, it is set aside for local restrained within certain limits work visiting the sick and and controlled by the will of strangers and in any other way God; in a word that he is an enin which we may be about our eny to God and man and uses Master's busines.

meet with our presiden', Mrs. their souls. Cousins. Our Social Committee has arranged a "covered dish" dinner in which each member cited. Our honest advise is not will take part. In the afternoon boat, buy what you Need in a splendid program will be ren- Light Crust. A dectine expredered.

-Supt. Publicity

food with the allies only so far as prices tempted us to sell; Friends were grieved to learn now we must share with them of the sudden death of Dr. J. L. regardless of prices, for they Plummer, which occurred at six are our soldiers, fighting our battles, we can and will maintain ourselves and feed the sol diers of the allies, but to do so. will require strict economy for a ong. long. time.

Auxilliary Notes.

Following is an article presented to the bible class by Mrs. Bogan that we think worth mentioning. It was taken from Cruden's Concordance:

"By collecting the passages where Satan or the Devil is mentioned, it may be observed: That he fell from heaven- with all his company, that by his en vy and malice sin, death and all o her evils came into the world that by the permission of God he exercises a sort of Gover mont in the world over his sub inates, over apostate angels

Society met at the usual hour use of him to prove good men l'aesday, quite a number of and chastise bad ones; that hel members being present. We roves full of rage like a roaring. enjoyed an unusually good lim to tempt, to betray, to delesson from John, ninth and stroy us and to involve us in sin and in wickedness; that his

his utmost endeavers to rob On the fifth Tuesday we will Gol of his glory and men of

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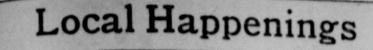
ommunity interest and pride join us together in a business unit and that

ach and every business is dependent one upon the other and that the prosperity of one determines the prosperity of the other therefore, you give us your business and we'll give you our service

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Items of Interest About

Town and County

A number of local Masons athaving gone in honor our fel- sion 10 and 15 cents. ow townsman, Mr. who took the Master's degree.

Blue Belle oll stoves cannot e beat. I sell them. C S Rice.

W A. Hedrick visited friends and relatives in Amarillo the atter part of last week and the first of this.

Special invitation to ladies visit the Post Office confeconerv.

Mrs. A. G. Richardson is atending the Panhandle Press Meeting at Amarillo.

Expecting car flour, meal, bran nd shorts on track Saturday. undy & Biggers.

Ragsdale furnished a Rice. Mrs. plendid entertainment for the enefit of the presbyterian lades. A big crowd was present interesting meeting with Mrs. nd enjoyed the bandsome dis John sparks Tuesday afternoon lay of curios. Something over Mrs. Sparks acting as leader. was added to the fund.

For sale-Ten bushels of Red meeting next week will be with iles north of McLean. 2c

Universal pictures shown at anded the meeting of the the pastime on Tuesday, Friday shamrock masons lodge Satur- and Saturday nights. Admis- hotel. See A. G. Richardson.

If you want a car that can pull the sand, let me show you the Dort. It's the pullers we need

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Back the rediculous price of \$1.25. are entertaining a little daugh ter who arrived on the 16th inst.

A nice line of chocolates at D. N. Massay. the Melrose.

of Ramsdell this morning, a teed. C S Rice. boy

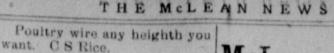
Something new in the stove line-a complete coal range and a complete oil range combined in one-see it at my store. C S supply. Bundy & Biggers.

The baptist ladies held a very One new member was added and

two visitors were present. The op Cane seed. S. B. Fast, 4 Mrs. Ceo. Cash and Mrs. Hamlilton will be leader.

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and crannies were invaded w in this country-not the racers. Magazine (with free pattern), rakes and hoes and the putri ing debris was brought for Woman's world, Home Life and and consined to the trash wag Better Farming, all one year for

> and as a consequence the ta When you buy a Dort you get was completed by ten o'clo your money's worth. Some cars and the town presented a ple you know are half commission ing aspect to the horde of v.

tors who arrived at eleven for The best dollar buggy whip five to look us over. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Adams on the market, they are guaran inaugurated more often as the

> Nice clean parlors for the Ladies at the Melrose.

Walnuts and pecans, limited Let us in the future, take little more pride in our surrou dings. For Sale-Three head of

black mare mules and two horse mules, all gentle, fat and ready for work. At a bargain If sold at once. W. A. Hedrick. died at her home in the (Orders for suits, the well penter neighborhood after cnown A. E. Andesson Tailordays of untold suffering. 1 ing Co., taken at the Post Office

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Fly time will soon be here. ave screen doors and wire. S Rice.

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John B. Vannoy.

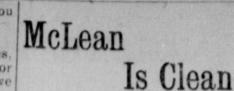
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Studio Opens.

Inquire at News Office.

Saturdays.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT Of the financial condition of the Bank of Alanreed at Alan

reed, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 1st day o May., 1917 published in the McLean News, a newspaper printed and published at McLean, State of Texas, on the 18th day of May., 1917.

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We'll "Show You" how money talks

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Progressive Conservatism

A Bank can be so "hidebound" in its conservatism as to loose its powers of expansion or, it can be so liberal in its policies as to endanger its solvency.

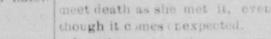
This bank has tried to strike the happy medium a PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATISM, which, combines all the elements of safety, with a policy of liberality without prodigality.

The Citizens State Bank

Of McLean, Texas

(Guarantee Fund Bank)

A Home Bank Owned By Home People



Lou is gone. Never more will we see her sunny face on For a short time, I will make photographs on Tuesdays and earth, but thanks be to our God some day we shall meet again A payment of one half down where troubles and trials, sad will be required before sitting heart aches and partings are no more.

-Mrs. Maud Koons.

Boosters Arrive on Schedule.

ay, Friday and Saturday The big aggregation of business ights. Admission 10 and 15 cts. poosters from Oklahoma City descended upon our town Wed Sheriff Copeland announces hat he has received registranesday at eleven forty five and ion blanks, but has not receiv proceeded to execute a stragetic d information as to how to pro enveloping movement which eed. It might be well to state placed theentire business section ust heae that their is a penent in their hands. Scores of gaily ary penalty attached to the ailure to register as provided arrayed troopers from the varn the conscription act. It is ious interests of the Odaup to you and not the officers. homa Metropolis swarmed the streets and distrubuted badges, peanuts, feathers and good cheer among our entire popu lation who had gathered to bid

> them welcome. At the instance of the Buick and Ford agencies every avail able automobile in town and vi cinity was ranged along each side of Main street, extending from Railroad north and the boosters, led by a splendid band marched between the reception line to the intersection of First street, where they formed for the band concert, speeches, etc. Among the business evangels on this visit was Geo. Wood ward, president of the Western Lumber Company, and formerly a cittzen of McLean, who was busily engaged during the short stay here visiting with his nu-

merous friends.

If you contemplate buying a Catarrh Cannot Be Cured piano, see me, tell me what you want and I'll save you \$50.00 or Wanted-Set of single buggy 75,00 and make small profit. S. H. Bundy.



We'll supply ALL the building mater-als you will need, from a tiny tack to a

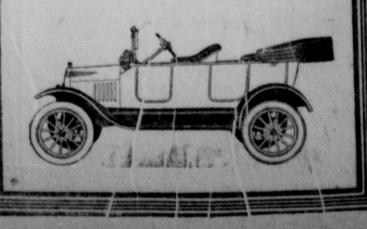
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ALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP! ACTS LIKE DYNAMITE ON LIVER

Guarantee "Dodson's Liver Tone" Will Give You the Best Liver and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had-Doesn't Make You Sick!

stop using calomel! It makes you spoonful and if it doesn't straighten k. Don't lose a day's work. If you you right up and make you feel fine a lazy, sluggish, bilious or consti- and vigorous I want you to go back to ted, listen to me!

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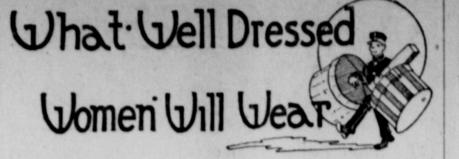
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ug store or dealer and get a 50-cent your children. It is harmless; doesn't ottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a gripe and they like its pleasant taste. -Adv.

THE SHOE THAT HOLDS ITS SHAPE

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THE MCLEANNEWS

Just as we conclude that there is | granted. Millinery for her maids is nothing new that can possibly happen almost the most important item that to summer blouses, along comes an the bride has to consider, outside the attractive surprise and we are forced details of her own costuming.

seems, that designers know how to charming headdresses for the bridesdraw upon to provide us with that va- maid. The choice is not confined to blouses.

to concede that another beautiful nov- The airy, flower-trimmed and softly elty has made its appearance. There feminine styles for midsummer show are inexhaustible reservoirs of ideas, it many developments that promise

Here is a new, midsummer model, braid and tuscan, crepe georgette and

riety which is the spice of life and hats, but their charm is so powerful that chances are in their favor. Hair

made of fine cotton voile, embellished malines, net and flowers go to make

Soo Many Operations The Right Medicine in Many Cases Does Better than the Surgeon's Knife. Tribute to Lydia E. Pink-ham's Vegetable Compound.

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DOCTORS

Doctor Said Operation or Death-But Medicine Cured.

Des Moines, Iowa.—"My husband says I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suf. fered from a serious female trouble and the doctors said I could not live one year without an operation. My husband objected to the operation and had me try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I soon commenced to get better and am now well and able to do my own housework. I can recom-mend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman as a wonderful health restorer."-Mrs. BLANCHE JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines, Iowa Another Operation Avoided.

Richmond, Ind .- "For two years I was so sick and weak from female troubles that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so, my weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, do all kinds of garden work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."-Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.

Of course there are many serious cases that only a surgical operation will relieve. We freely acknowledge this, but the above letters, and many others like them, amply prove that many operations are recommended when medicine in many cases is all that is needed.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

She Had 'Em. udent-What are your terms for lents?	peating. A man-in			
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handed down to posterity his famous prescription for female troubles. Now sold under the name of "Femenina." Price 50c and \$1.00 .- Adv.

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with French tucks. It is cut after the jup the loveliest of midsummer mil-"Harry is very ardent in his profesusual manner of blouses, its seams are linery. There never was a summer ions of devotion, but I am afraid to same time and at the same rate of hemstitched, sleeves plain and roomy when bridesmaids could be more en- trust a lover's devotion."

"That's right. Most of it is only lip service.'

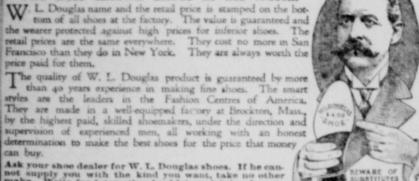
Whenever You Need a General Tonic or the bullhead? Take Grove's

Problem. but it's worth re-Zion City, Ill., sent

snakes, of which Dr. B. F. Jackson, Celebrated Physician, there are abundance on the lake front property, had a fight. One was a gar ter snake and the other a bullhead. Each was three feet long and in their ferocity they seized each other by the tail and proceeded to swallow each other whole. They both started at the speed.

Now the question is, which of these two snakes survived, or rather which one was on the outside by the time the other was swallowed, the garter snake

It took five minutes for the two The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless snakes to swallow each other and they both swallowed each other right to olis News.



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Real success consists in achieving | satisfaction.

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Jan. 7, 1916.

This Kidney Medicine Is

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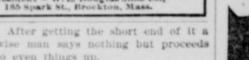
wise man says nothing but proceeds to even things up.

WHY HAVE CHILLS AND FEVER?

About fourteen years ago I commenced pelling Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and during all that time my customers have spoken only words of praise for the medicine for what it accomplishes for them. We are pleased to handle such an excellent preparation and resurd it as an excellent preparation

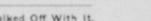
show." "How's that?" "Well, he took

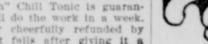
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"Plantation" Chill Tonic is guaran-

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UTMOST REFINEMENT IN SUMMER BLOUSE.

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iar. But just at this point the creator lar, picturesque type that never fails

stores .- Adv.

IT GETS THEM ALL IN END

Belated Speed Germ Manifests Its Presence in Centenarian About to Take First Auto Ride.

Kitty Goetz, one hundred years old. and her brother, Igny Karisch, only ninety-eight, resolved that they would never go to an institution for the aged. True, the wind that had blown the roof weren't going to leave their homes just streets in her nightdress.

Then they heard a purring sound, which grew louder, then seemed to stop just outside their door. They tottered fast was ready?" he asked. out and saw a large, sleek automobile. "I've come to take you for a ride," a

"Say," she demanded. "how fast can hear the words, we get to that place?"-New York "Come on to breakfast !" Tribune.

Quite Satisfied.

At Least This is Deduction of Wyoming Weather Observer From a Very Peculiar Phenonenon.

Scoffers have arisen from time to time to say that United States official weather reports are a joke in so far as they deal with the future ; but their descriptions of the present and past are admittedly serious and accurate. Therefore one must not read in too jovial a frame of mind the report of David Moore, observer at Castle Rock, from their squatter's shanty was Wyo., where they have been having sweeping coldly over the meadows some very cold weather. Mr. Moore near Rosefiale, L. L. where they lived. cites in his report that one night two and they had nothing to eat. But they men stopped at his cabin, and the next morning he tried in vain to call one for that. Spring would be coming soon. of them, who was at the barn, to come Kitty left her nightdress on all day to breakfast. But the man did not to fool the police, for she reckoned come. So the two sat down to breakthey wouldn't take a lady through the fast without him. In about ten minutes the man in the barn strolled into the house.

"Why didn't you call me when break-

"I did," was the answer. That was during the cold snap. A police sergeant announced. "We're thaw hit Castle Rock a few days ago, going to Kings County hospital." Kitty Moore says, and while he was standhad never been in an automobile be- ing in the back door sunning himself. fore, and as she looked at the big tar he was startled by a weird medley of a belated speed germ infected her soul, sounds. By listening closely he could

There was no one in sight. And then he realized why the man had not heard him.

"Are you trying to make a fool of | The voice, his own voice, had frozen me?" "Oh, no. I never try to im- to a post and was thawing out .- Bosprove on nature." ton Transcript.

22 THOUSANDS 20 UPON THOUSANDS OF **HEALTHY BOYS & GIRLS EAT** Grape-Nuts AND CREAM EVERY MORNING BECAUSE WISE MOTHERS KNOW

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The collar is high at the back and A hat with braid crown and double up the Whole System. 50 cents.

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Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds or were they both inside ?-Indianap

Figurative.

Kidd-I have just purchased absolutely the last word in automobiles. Kidder-That so? What are some of its specifications?

Kidd-Twelve-cylinder motor; seven-passenger accommodation, and oneman top.

Do You Neglect Your Machinery?

be well oiled, kept in good condition testinal trouble after the doctors had just as the automobile, steam engine or given her up, and I also recommend his horse or his engine? Yet most peo- found it just as recommended."-Mrs ple do neglect themselves. To clean Oille Wright, 420 W. Pine. the system at least once a week is to

practice preventive measures. You will practice preventive measures. You will escape many ills and clear up the cont-recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Preed tongue, the sallow complexion, the scription. Am proud to say it has dull headache, the lazy liver, if you will been lots of help to me in my girihood take a pleasant laxative made up of and also in the rearing of my family, the May-apple, juice of the leaves of I can recommend it to young wives in aloes, root of jalap, and called Pleasant case of any womanly trouble. It has Pellets. You can obtain at almost any drug store in this country these vege-table pellets in vials for 25c-simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. If not obtainable at your favorite drug store, send \$1.00 to Dr. Pierce

There can be no counterfeit if they Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and M have the Dr. Pierce stamp. Proven will send a large package of tablets of good by 50 years' use.

Weak, Fainty Heart, and Hysterice can be rectified by taking "Renovine" . heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1. ML

The man who trusts in the Lord never has occasion to cancel his membership in a "Don't Worry club."

OKLAHOMA WOMEN

Oklahoma City, Okla .- "I am happy to state that Dr. Pierce's Golden Med! The machinery of the body needs to cal Discovery cured my mother of in-

| send 50 cents for smaller package

Canada's Liberal Offer of Wheat Land to Settlers

is open to you-to every farmer or farmer's son

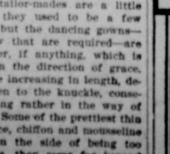
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ENCHANTING BRIDAL MILLINERY.

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FEEL IT THEIR DUTY TO TALK

They Come Forward and Unhesitat. ingly Tell Suffering Humanity What Celebrated Medicine Has Done for Them.

Tis seldom, indeed, that men of prom- prominent men who have publicly ininence, especially men holding high dorsed Tanlac for the good it has done public office, willingly express their in- them, is the name of Hon. Frank V. debtedness publicly to a proprietary Evans, former Mayor of Birmingham, medicine. Many prominent men, how- Mr. Evans is one of the best known ever, including supreme court judges, men in public life in Alabama today, mayors of our leading cities, prominent being at one time editor of one of the state and county officials, bankers, law. South's greatest newspapers, the Biryers, doctors, editors, leading educa- mingham Age-Herald. He was also extors government officials and even min- aminer of public accounts of Alabama. isters of the Gospel have deemed it In telling of the benefits he had detheir duty to come forward and tell rived from Tanlac, Mr. Evans said : the people what Tanlac has done for "For years I suffered with gastritis them.

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Doctor Prescribes It.

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FORMER MAYOR FRANK V. EVANS, OF BIRMINGHAM, ALA., MAKES STRONG STATEMENT.

NE of the latest additions to the O large and rapidly growing list of

and indigestion in the worst form, I These well-known men of affairs was habitually constipated and had have recognized in this medicine a new pains in my shoulders and headache discovery and a scientific triumph in continually. My appetite left me althe medical world. It is a well-known most entirely and everything I would have been given Tantac time and time awful attacks of acute indigestion, palagain and they will continue to be pitation of the heart and smothering given just as often as new tests of its spells. For a long time I would have pewers are made; and it also explains one or more of these spells every night big house. why numbers of the big drug firms of and I would wake out of my restless

"I bought a bottle of Tanlac and to my surprise and gratification I began Dr. J. T. Edwards, of Fayetteville, to feel relief after the first few doses. Ga., one of the best-known members I kept taking the medicine and now my

Tanlac has done me more good than "In my thirty years of actual prac- anything I ever tried. I now wake up

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for my patients almost every day." Ga., is not only one of the best known Professor C. T. Clotfelter, prominent physicians and druggists in the Stateeducator and principal of the High of Georgia, but is also a man of exten-School at Ben Hill, Ga., says: "I was sive property and wide influence, rankin such bad physical condition that I ing as one of the leading citizens of feared I would have to give up my that entire section. He has been in duties. I suffered from rheumatism, the drug business in Winder for 25

Pecently Dr. De LaPerriere wrote: "Our people are much enthused over desire to say that it is the most won- Omaha by Edward P. Smith, an Omaha attorney. The marriage license was Hon. Archie R. Anderson, ex-sheriff derful seller I ever had in this store." of Harris County, Texas, is unques- Other prominent men who have in-

men that ever held office in Texas. He Tenn.; Professor W. A. Wood, of the served the people in this important of- Central Graded Schools, Winder, Ga.;

Real and Foster Father in Fight for Boy

THE MCLEAN NEWS

K ANSAS CITY .- Willie Platz, a tow-haired boy fifteen years old, was ar-rested at Tenth and Oak streets while he was cranking another man's car-and thereby he found a father. Fred E. Roberts stepped from the Y. M.

C. A. building and found the boy apparently about to make off.

"What are you doing?" Roberts filed things, but they never called him nsked.

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The boy seemed confused and was unable to explain, so Roberts called two officers. The boy was taken to police headquarters for investigation. There, in the matron's room, he told an inconsistent story of a man who asked him to start his car while he stepped into a nearby store for a

minute. A bunch of keys to motorcar locks was taken from the pocket of his knee trousers, and he admitted he knew how to run a car, but denied he intended either to steal or to go

joy riding. "Where do you live?" the matron asked.

"I live with Frank Platz, 215 Benton boulevard. But," he added, "he's not my father. I've never seen either my father or mother."

Investigation proved the lad was correct. Fourteen and a half years ago, according to the story told by Mr. Platz, a well-dressed man came to the Platz home late one winter night and engage ! them to keep his baby for two weeks. He never gave his name or his renson, other than that the child's mother and he had disagreed. He paid two weeks' board for the baby and promised to return for it, but he never came,

Willie-that's the name Mr. and Mrs. Platz gave their adopted childfact that these splendid indorsements eat hurt me. Finally I got to having grew both in size and in their affections. They never tried to find his father until a few months ago, when they made some investigations and believed that they had discovered the father living at 3616 Gladstone boulevard. The man's name was John Cavanaugh and they supposed him to be master of the

> A reporter found Cavanaugh was only an employee, the houseman. When told his boy was in custody at police headquarters he exclaimed:

"What! My boy?"

"Yes. Haven't you a son?"

"Yes, I have," Cavanaugh said, "but I have not seen him for more than fourteen years, although I knew where he was."

Cavanaugh, promised to go to juvenile court and help his son, but Mr. Platz said he would do everything in his power to keep possession of the child he had reared, and whom he considers as belonging to him.

Hindoo Will "Load Down" Bride With Jewels

have never seen anything to equal Tan-Tanlac and am recommending it to OMAHA.--A mysterious Hindoo prince with a casket of jewels worth \$1,000,-have as a medicine to produce to produce the second 000-one of the jewels being a priceless pearl necklace-was married in Omaha recently and is now en route to India, his bride and jewels with him.

The casket was so valuable that while its owner was in Omnha it was kept in the vaults of the First National bank, and when the prince, and his wife started for the Orient an attorney stood guard over the treasure all the way to San Francisco.

The prince had become Anglicized, was educated in England, and has taken the English name of Peter E. C. Paul. His home is in the hill country north of Calcutta. The jewels were the beneficial effects of Tanlac and I in Baltimore and were brought to

> issued to Paul and Miss Lu Tesa Widenga of Sloux City, In., and the marriage was performed at the Greek Orthodox church in Omaha by Rev. Gust Harvalis, pastor.

On the trip to San Francisco the jewelry was guarded by Attorney Warren Howard of Omaha, who is in Smith's law office.

When the prince arrived in Omaha he was on a stretcher. He was taken C. C. Cooper, president of the Georgia to the Fontenelle hotel and was given a suite of rooms. Here he denied him-"I had the worst form of indiges- Home Cotton Oil Co., Lawrenceville, self to everyone. When reporters, attracted by the name "Calcutta" on the marriage license books, attempted to see him they were politely and firmly denied admission. A trained nurse met them at the door, smiled, and said, "Good morning. Nothing doing."



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The great pearl collar was the most valuable of the jewels. In addition, there were diamonds, in finger rings, in pins, and in ornaments; and there were rubles and emeralds and a mass of Oriental stones and jewels.

The prince met Miss Widenga in Austin, Tex. The \$1,000,000 worth of jewels was given to the bride immediately after the ceremony, and she was told, it is said, that when she reached India the prince would load her down with jewels.

Near Riot Followed Eating of "Forbidden Fruit"

BOSTON.-Mrs. Levine ate an onion. The other night the meeting of the Malden Mothers' lengue in Preset bell Malden Mothers' league in Bryant hall was converted into a hair-pulling session and almost ended in a riot as a result. As Eve partook of the for-

bidden fruit in the garden so did Mrs. Levine allow a gnawing desire for an onion to cause her to fall from grace In the Mothers' league. For, be it known, the delectable and detectable onion is among the forbidden "fruits"

of the important pickets in the slege of grocers her indiscretion might not have assumed such alarming proportions. But when she publicly confessed that the call of the onion had proved irre-

sistible her apology proved poor balm for the wounded feelings of her dumfounded compatriots.

A commotion followed, during which cries of sympathizers to the effect of, "Have a heart; maybe an onion's her weakness," only served to enrage the feelings of others.

The matter was finally arbitrated along the lines of every woman having a weak moment at least once in her life and of the irresistible qualities of the impressive and fragrant onion.

From now on in Malden, if Willie Jones' breath smells of chions then Jimmy Smith's back yard is closed to him.

Faithful Subway Mule Retires as Pensioner

NEW YORK .-- It isn't at all likely that the public will care a rap, but Dick Croker has gone into and come out of the subway for the last time. He's retired. Dick Croker is the stable name for a bay mule in the contracting outfit of Degnon & Co., He was

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named after the old Tammany boss because he had a constitution of iron and kept plugging away under several administrations.

He was the first mule to engage in subway work, and in so far as it was possible, working as he did in the dark, he has seen all the subways constructed.

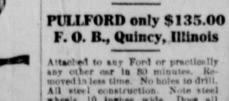
Some time ago M. J. Degnon was informed by Dave Degnon, stable boss, that Dick was due to have a birthday. "How old is he?"

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"Thirty years, by his teeth," replied Dave.

de kick, Tom Platt, quit business s'x years ago. When a mule grows gray the business it is time for him to quit."

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Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution, providing for and rela-ting to the creation of Conservation. Districts.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12. Proposing to amend Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto at the end thereof an other section to be known as Section so, declaring the conservation and preservation of all the natural re-sources of the State of Texas are public rights and duties; providing for the creation of conservation districts, declaring such districts bodies politic and corporate, defining the authority of such districts, and conferring upon the Legislature authority to pass laws with reference thereto; declaring that the Legislature shall have authority generally to legislate for the purpose of conserving the natural resources of the State; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection od said proposed constitutional amendment; making certain provisions for said election and the ballots thereof and the methods thereof ; directing the issuance of the proclamation therefor, prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be

amended by adding thereto at the end thereof another section to be known as Section 59, and which shall read as follows:

Section 50a. The conservation and development of all of the natural resources of this State, including the control, storing, preservation and distribu-tion of its storm and flood waters, the waters of its rivers and streams, for irrigation, power and all other useful purposes, the reclamation and irrigation of its arid, semi-arid and other lands needing irrigation, the reclamation and drainage of its over-flowed lands, and other lands needing drainage, the conservation and development of its fore te, water and hydro-electric power, the navigation of its inland and coastal waters, and the preservation and conservation of all such natural resources of the State are each and all hereby declared public rights and duties; and the Legislature shall pass all such laws as may be appropriate thereto.

(b) There may be created within the State of Texas, or the State may be divided into, such number of conserva tion and reclamation districts as may be determined to be essential to the ac-complishment of the purposes of this amendment to the constitution, which districts shall be governmental ager cies and bodies politic and corporate with such powers of government and with the authority to exercise such rights, privileges and functions concerning the subject matter of this amendment as may be conferred by law

(c) The Legislature shall authorize all such indebtedness as may be necessary to provide all improvements and the maintenance thereof requisite to the may be evidenced by bonds of such conissued under such regulations as omy thorize the levy and collection within ably distributed, as may be necessary for the payment of the interest and the creation of a sinking fund for the payment of such bonds; and also for the maintenance of such districts and im provements, and such indebtedness shall e a lien upon the property assessed for he payment thereof ; provided the Lerstature shall not authorize the issuance of any bonds or provide for any indebtiess against any reclamation district unless such proposition shall first be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters of such district and the proposition adopted. Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held for such purpose on the Third Tuesday in August, A. D. 1917, the same being the 21st day of August, A. D. 1017; At said election the vote shall be by official ballot which shall have printed or written thereon the words "For the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the State of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their gov-ernment and regulation," and also the words "Against the amendment to Arti-cle 16 of the constitution of the State Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their government and regulation." All voters favoring this proposed con-stitutional amendment shall erase the words "Against the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the State of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their givernment regulation," and those opposing it shall erase the words "For the amendment to Article 16 of the constitution of the State of Texas providing for conservation districts, the creation of such districts and their government and regulation," which said erasures shall be made by making a mark with pencil or pen through said words All ballots cast as above provided shall he counted as cast for or against this proposed amendment, and if a majority of the votes shall be for the amendment t shall be declared adopted; if a maority of the votes cast shall be mainst the amendment said amendment shall be lost. All the provisions of the general election laws as amended and in force at the time said election is held shall govern in all respects as to the qualifications of electors, the method of holding such election and in all other respects as far as such election laws can be made applicable. The Governor of this State Sec. 3. is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this State. Sec. 4 The sum of Five Thousand Sec. 4 The sum of Five anousned (\$5,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appro-priated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of such pro-clamation, publication and election. and election. BARTLETT,



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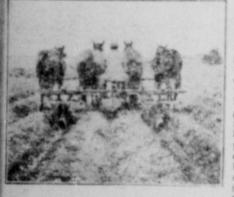
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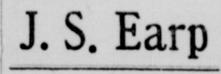
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