

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER

FOURTEENTH YEAR

Successor to
HANSFORD HEADLIGHT

Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, July 21, 1922

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Diversify

Hard times and dry years always find the prudent farmer with more than one source of income. The wheat farmer might make a crop and he might not. The man who is successful is the man who takes the safe and surer method, and has

FOUR SOURCES OF INCOME

6 Milk Cows

6 Brood Sows

100 Hens

and one money crop

He is the man who has money in the bank, and who does not have all his property covered by mortgages. He is the man who comes through the hard times without sleepless nights and prematurely gray hair.

First National Bank of SPEARMAN

A Big Time at Plemons

On Friday and Saturday, August 18 and 19, Plemons will celebrate in the good, old fashioned way. And leaders of the Reporter who are acquainted with those good people down that way know what that means. They will barbecue several head of their fine fat cattle, of course, will have riding and roping and races; cat roping, bull-dogging and all the sports that go with the modern rodeo. They will also have dancing, baseball games and various other amusements. When Plemons celebrates she celebrates. There is nothing left undone and there is nothing short about the entertainment or welcome accorded the stranger within their gates. We are going down and "take in" this celebration—both days—because we know it will be worth while.

We have 100 per cent pure paints and oils. Let us prove it. Panhandle Lumber Company.

Fire was discovered in a box car in the Santa Fe yards early Tuesday morning, but it was extinguished by water from a locomotive standing nearby, before serious damage was done.

Transfer by August 1

All parents who expect to patronize the Spearman Schools next term should attend to the matter of having their children in the scholastic age transferred before August. Information and blanks will be furnished by A. H. Storrs, County Sup't.

Good roast beef, 8 cents per pound. You can afford to eat meat at this price. Star Meat Market. 29tf

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbanks are happy over the arrival of a fine boy at their home on Saturday morning, July 15.

Miss Ceelle Dowdy returned Monday from Canyon where she has been the past six weeks attending the West Texas State Normal College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winder were in from their home 12 miles west Tuesday morning. Mr. Winder will hold the election Saturday and took out the supplies.

L. J. Johnson was here from Oslo Tuesday looking after business matters. He is the judge of election for his precinct and took out the election supplies.

C. H. North and son Glen came from Guyton Monday to meet Mrs. North, who came in on the Spearman branch from a visit with relatives at Alva. Mr. North is a jeweler and watch maker.

George B. Lucas of Austin was here several days last week, looking after business matters. Mr. Lucas owns a large body of land in Hutchinson county, 200 acres of which is in cultivation, and he was looking after the crop and a renter for another year.

Miss Julia Frye of Grosvenor and Miss Alma Lowe of Colorado City are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowe of Hansford. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams, who have also been visiting the Lowe family, returned this week to their home in Brownwood.

The Sing Song at the Methodist church Sunday night was well attended and a great interest taken. Quite a number of young folk of the Holt community were present. Mrs. A. B. Blaise charmed the audience with two selections which were highly appreciated. Mrs. Blaise has kindly consented to sing another solo at church next Sunday morning, and those who miss her singing miss a rare treat.

A. F. BARKLEY'S Insurance Agency

We insure grain CUT or UN-CUT, THRESHED or UN-THRESHED, in the SHOCKS, STACKS or ricks, on your premises, against fire and lightning.

A match or cigarette carelessly dropped in your field may mean the loss of your entire grain crop.

A stroke of lightning may mean the loss of several stacks of grain. Rates are reasonable for this class of insurance. Phone us and we will come to see you.

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SPEARMAN

We Serve

Sun Shine Ice Cream

at our Fountain. If you appreciate really good cream, TRY IT.

Hale Drug Company

The Rexall Store

SPEARMAN

ATTENTION!

We Are Strong Here.

All violators of the law—bootleggers, gamblers, high-jackers, hot check artists—you are advised to discontinue your ways, get you an honest job and become a respectable citizen.

Heed this warning. If you fail retribution will certainly follow, swift and severe. The Palo Duro Klan Realm of Spearman has been duly organized and is working under proper authority and a large membership.

The membership is composed only of the best citizens, who are for law and order. Their aim is to make Spearman a respectable place in which to live.

(Paid Adv.) KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN.

RURAL ROUTE PROPOSED

Citizens living east, southeast and south of Spearman a few weeks ago signed a petition asking the authorities that a rural mail route be established out of Spearman and running as follows: Beginning at the post office in Spearman, thence 9 miles east, 9 miles south, 9 miles west, 3 miles north, 3 miles west and 6 miles north to the place of beginning. The route would be thirty-five miles in length and would serve a well settled and prosperous country. The petitioners are very hopeful of success in securing rural mail delivery and it will be a fine thing for them. To have the mail delivered every day at every farm house in the country is the purpose and intention of the postal department, but a certain number of patrons is required before a route can be established. Another proposed route will run up the Palo Duro from Spearman, and there is also much talk of the proposed Star route from this point to Amarillo.

They're Here

If there exists in the mind of anyone any doubt about the existence of a Ku Klux Klan in Spearman, that doubt will be removed by a perusal of a notice from the Klan printed elsewhere in this issue. This drastic action of Klansmen is doubtless brought about by the presence in Spearman of several personages of unsavory reputation during the past few days. A business man recently had quite an unpleasant experience with a character who has given much trouble at Perryton and was under arrest here at one time for bootlegging; bad checks have been too numerous and other infringements of law' order and decency are reported. Spearman will not be a rendezvous for crooks.

Header Team Narrowly Escape

A team of six mules, hitched to a header, narrowly escaped being burned to death on the Fred McRee farm, 20 miles west of Spearman Wednesday afternoon. The fire which was of unknown origin, started in the header and burned all the canvas and several of the rollers. The team was unhitched and taken from the fire only by heroic work on the part of the driver. Fortunately a large stubble breaking outfit was working nearby and the manager ran his plows in a circle around the fire, which checked it before any great amount of grain was destroyed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louie Coate on Wednesday, July 19, a daughter.

One triple-disc John Deere plow for sale or will trade for a cut-away. See or phone Johnnie Close.

Home rendered, lard, fresh and pure, 15 cents per pound at the Star Meat Market. 29tf

Misses Ione and Tella White of Stratford stopped on their way to Perryton to visit with Lucile Malze of this city last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller, who have been visiting relatives here were accompanied by Fred Brandt to Amarillo where they took the train for their home at Chapel Hill.

Allen King arrived Wednesday from Canyon for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. King. Allen will finish his course at the West Texas State Normal at Canyon in six weeks, and will return there early next week.

The Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. Pirtle Wednesday for the regular Bible lesson which was led by Mrs. A. F. Barkley. During the business meeting arrangements were made to have lunch down town on Saturday, and also ice cream the night of the afternoon.

BECAUSE—THEREFORE

Because, S. M. N. Marrs has lived close to the heart of educational progress in Texas;

Because, his life history is intimately interwoven with the history of school legislation in Texas;

Because, his record of service as country teacher, state examiner, city superintendent, normal director, Chief Supervisor of Texas High Schools, First Assistant State Superintendent, inspires confidence;

Because, his personal integrity and professional ability are acknowledged by all;

Therefore, he is worthy of the high honor of being made State Superintendent of Public Instruction;

Therefore he deserves the support of parents, teachers, and all citizens interested in the welfare of the children of Texas;

Therefore, he merits the allegiance of leaders working for sound administration of governmental affairs;

Therefore, S. M. N. Marrs should be elected State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Therefore, he is endorsed by our superintendent, Mr. Clark and practically all school people throughout the state.

Elect a school man on his school record.

THE ELECTION

Tomorrow, Saturday, July 22, is Democratic Primary Election day. Every voter in the county should go to the polls and vote for those candidates whom they believe best fitted for the position to which they aspire. Do not go to the marking of your ballot in a haphazard way. There is danger in mutilating the same and a poorly marked ballot causes tired election clerks untold misery. Study your ballot and vote your honest sentiments.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Dennis at their home nine miles southwest of town, on Sunday, July 16, a fine son.

Since July 1 the two Star mail routes out of Spearman have had new carriers. They are Vernon Alexander on the Spearman-Guyton route and Murl Jackson on the Spearman-Plemons route. These boys are delivering the goods in great shape and the patrons seem to be well pleased with the service.

A. M. Wilbanks Jr., was here from Perryton Wednesday, this being his first trip away from home since his near fatal automobile accident of several weeks ago. Bogus says he will turn all corners in low from here on out. He says Mrs. Wilbanks who was also in the wreck, is recovering nicely and will soon be up and around again.

Rev. W. E. Hand who has just returned from Ft. Worth where he has been attending the summer school at the Seminary for the past month, was here Wednesday looking after church affairs, accompanied by his little son Clyde. After conducting prayer meeting Wednesday night at the Methodist church, Rev. Hand called a conference of the Baptist church.

Prof. and Mrs. Price and their little daughter Ruth Estelle, who came through Spearman on their way to Perryton Monday, stopped and visited a while with their old friends, the Pirtles. Mr. Price has been superintendent of the schools of Matador for the past three years and will take charge of the schools of Perryton this fall. Mr. Price is a fine, "peppy" school man and Mrs. Price an accomplished musician, and we are sure that Perryton is very fortunate in securing these folks who will add so much to the citizenship of their town. Mr. and Mrs. Price have promised to come back to Spearman in the near future for a visit.

Building Your Character



The name of the bank with which you do business is one of the best references you can give.

A checking account stands for modern business methods, available liquid funds.

Not only does a bank account yield you monetary returns, but it returns also a dividend in good reputation.

MAKE THIS BANK YOUR BEST SERVANT

Guaranty State Bank SPEARMAN, TEX.

Gave Dinner to Friends

M. Major entertained a number of his friends with a dinner at the Palo Duro hotel on last Sunday. Doc says he wanted to see this bunch get together again and thought this was the best way to bring about the meeting. The guests all enjoyed the dinner and visit immensely.

Good steak, 15 cents per pound at the Star Meat Market. 29tf

Tire and rim was picked up on road leading southwest of Spearman. Owner may recover same by calling at the Reporter office.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Hart are happy over the arrival of a fine daughter at their home, on last Sunday afternoon, July 16.

A new sign on the front of the McLain and McLain real estate office, across the street from the Reporter shop, is another mighty pretty piece of work by Jim Tower, local sign writer.

C. Givens and two sons were guests of old-time friends at Spearman the first of the week. They were on their return trip to their home at Alpine, Texas, from a visit with relatives at St. Louis.

Max and Miss Jeffie Lackey went to Dalhart last week with their sister Miss Inez, who will receive treatment at the Trans-Canadian sanitarium. Miss Inez has been in ill health for several months and her many friends sincerely hope that the treatment at Dalhart will be beneficial.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dreesen and son Edward, of Post, and Mrs. H. D. Edwards and daughter Henry-Etta of Oglesby, stopped here several days this week for a visit with Jim and Wayman Edwards and family and old-time friends. The party was enroute to the mountains for a thirty day vacation.

Miss Wanda Wilbanks was called from her work at the Wisley hospital at Wichita to care for her brother, A. M. Wilbanks Jr. and Mrs. Wilbanks of Perryton, who were recently injured in an automobile accident. The injured parties are doing nicely and Miss Wanda spent the week end at the home of her parents in Spearman, intending to take quite a vacation, but was notified to report for duty at Wichita on Thursday.

Old Timers Here

J. C. Hancock and family arrived from Prairie Grove, Arkansas, the first of the week and are visiting with relatives and old time friends in the Spearman country. The Reporter has believed all along that Jess and his estimable family would return to Hansford county to reside, and we have not yet given up hope. They are Panhandle people and we can hardly picture them as satisfied citizens of Arkansas. They would help out wonderfully in school work in Spearman and the Reporter would like to see them return here to make their home.

Miss Beatrice Gibner has accepted a position with the Blake Dry Goods Company.

Miss Edna Roberts has returned to her home at Lieb, after a several week's visit at the Lackey home, five miles southwest of town.

Mrs. M. J. Stedje, Mike Johnson of Iowa and Nels Lund of Denver were in the city Tuesday, looking after business connected with the Stedje estate. Mrs. Stedje's home is in the Oslo settlement.

Fly Chaser and DIP

Don't let the flies worry your work stock and milk cows. Use Hess' Fly Chaser and Dip and get more work out of the horses and more milk from the cows.

We have an attractive price on dip. Bring your can and get the benefit.

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The best line of Farm and Ranch land ever offered in this section of the country and on terms never offered before. Business lots, residence lots and acreage. We have just what you want.

J. R. COLLARD

Write for information

SPEARMAN, TEXAS

YOUR HARVEST SUPPLIES

TO-DAY the wheat farmer is confronted with the complicated task of getting together the harvest supplies. We are experienced in this work and understand the needs of the farmer. We have anticipated his wants and are prepared to fill every order that comes our way. Come in and let us help you through this busy season by supplying you needs at the least trouble and expense.

GROCERIES, WORK CLOTHING

TWINE, PITCHFORKS, COAL, HARNESS, OILS, GASOLINE, AUTOMOBILE CASINGS AND TUBES

are among the commodities most needed at the harvest season and which we are prepared to supply in unlimited quantities.

... We are Making Special Prices on the Harvest Bills ...

The Spearman Equity Exchange

PHONES: GRAIN, 40
GROCERIES 27

SPEARMAN

Miscellaneous Bargains

One Thresher Belt, 150 ft. long; will sell worth the money.

One Cletrac Tractor. This tractor will pull your combine, plows or anything about the farm.

One standard wagon box.

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ORAN KELLY, EDITOR-MANAGER
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The three candidates for the legislature from this the 124th representative district, Judge J. L. Jennings of Canadian, Judge R. T. Correll of Perryton and Judge Lawrence Ashby of Dalhart, met at Spearman Monday night and each made a speech on Main street, setting forth their views on various proposed legislation, and soliciting the support of the voters present. The candidates made good speeches and entertained the crowd in a pleasing manner for more than two hours. This was the only public speaking we have had during the campaign, and owing to the extremely hot weather and the busy harvest season the attendance was small. The Reporter believes that the 124th district will be well represented at Austin

no matter which of these three men is elected. They are fine fellows and well qualified to take a place in the state's law making body.

Yes, Its Hot

Its hot enough for us, and we don't know when in thunder its going to rain, so don't mention it any more. People who suffer most from heat are those who have formed the habit of continually talking about the weather. Earthly mortals have nothing to do with the arrangement of the weather, and should not talk about it so much. The weather, like Boston, is a sort of state of mind. Quit thinking about being hot and you will cool off several degrees.

FOR SALE CHEAP

Beds
Springs
Mattresses

See W. H. Crawford,
at D. C. D. Dining Room

P. P. C. of C. Elects Secretary

At a meeting of the directors of the Panhandle Plains Chamber of Commerce held last week, W. N. Blanton was elected secretary.

Mr. Blanton recently came to Amarillo to act as secretary of the newly organized Junior Chamber of Commerce and that association agreed to allow him to devote a portion of his time to the work of the Panhandle-Plains organization. He is said to be one of the best commercial secretaries in the State and both chambers will undoubtedly accomplish much good for Amarillo and the Plains under his direction. B. E. Finley, of Pampa, is President of the Panhandle-Plains Chamber and Hamlin Palmer is the traffic manager and with the selection of Mr. Blanton as secretary, the organization is once more equipped officially and ready for an aggressive campaign.

George Ryan, field director, has announced that the Chamber is free from debt and that twenty-five counties have joined the movement. It is expected that the remaining 13 will fall in line now that the body is functioning again.—Amarillo Daily News.

Mrs. Dacus Improving

Frank Dacus returned last Sunday from Liberal, Kansas, where Mrs. Dacus was taken several weeks ago for treatment at a sanitarium. Frank reports Mrs. Dacus improving nicely, after undergoing the second operation. The many friends of the family will be glad to learn of her complete restoration to health and return home.

Death of M. J. Stedje

M. J. Stedje, a well known Norwegian farmer of the Oslo settlement died at a sanitarium in Liberal on Tuesday, July 11, and was buried at the Oslo cemetery the following Thursday. Mr. Stedje has been in ill health for some time. He leaves a faithful wife and five fine boys and girls, ranging in age from 1 to 14 years, to mourn his loss. Deceased was a splendid citizen and his passing away will be keenly felt by neighbors and friends.

Need to raise money on the Farm? We have plenty of money—always ready on good loans. Inspect from here, no waiting.
FARMERS NATIONAL BANK,
Texhema, Oklahoma

Opposes Guarantees

The chautauqua recently closed here in Clarendon after a very pleasing series of programs which ranked much higher than their former offerings, but the people did not sign their guaranteed contract for next year. The News points this out with the view of showing that there was no kick on the quality of programs presented, but rather to reiterate the declaration often made in these columns that the contract offered by the chautauqua people is not in accord with good old Americanism in that the party of the first part takes no risk whatever. There is not another business in the country that demands and receives a guarantee and our contention is that the chautauqua should come to us solely of its merits. If they win, well and good; if they lose they will be having an experience common to other businesses. The News notices that other towns of the Panhandle are taking the same attitude and when the movement is general enough the chautauqua people will readjust their contracts and do business like anybody else in the glorious republic. Let us no longer be the cats-paw to pull the chestnuts from the embers for somebody else.—Clarendon News.

Read the Reporter.

Do You Awake Tired and Weak?

Know the Joy of Restful Sleep by Taking Ironized Yeast

Do you arise in the morning as unrefreshed as when you retired? Are body, brain and nerves all run down? This terrible weakness which afflicts so many may be blamed on the lack of vitamins and iron in modern foods. Supply these invigorating elements by taking two pleasant tablets of Ironized Yeast three times a day. Everyone knows that yeast is a wonderful builder of strength and energy. But Ironized Yeast embodies a new secret process, known as "ironization," which enables the yeast to produce its results twice as quickly. It tones up the great vital organs, soothes the worn-out nerves and makes you feel like a new person. Get Ironized Yeast today and take a new lease on life, or to try it entirely free, simply mail postcard for Famous 3-Day Trial Treatment. Address Ironized Yeast Co., Dept. 96, Atlanta, Ga. Ironized Yeast is recommended and guaranteed by all good druggists.

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Fire Insurance---YES!

My companies promptly paid in full the \$2000.00 policy on the B. V. Andrews building.

Remember the following old-line, standard companies:

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C. D. WORKS.

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To Car and Tractor Owners

We are expert in the repair of Magnetos, Generators, Starting, Lighting and Ignition Systems on all makes of cars and farm Lighting systems, and carry in stock repairs for same.

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Sell and Install Radio Telephone Equipment

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J. W. JORDAN, Prop.

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Farmers:

Bring us your Blacksmith work. We have a well-equipped shop and workmen who know the business.

Wagon Work. Acetylene Welding

AUTOMOBILE REPAIR WORK

The Auto Service Co.

W. E. MIZAR, Prop.

On Elevator Row

SPEARMAN



Prices on G & J Passenger Car Tires and Tubes, effective May 8th, are not subject to war-tax, the war-tax having been included.

\$10.90

THE G & J 30 x 3 1/2 "G" Tread at \$10.90 has cured more people of tire dicking than anything that has happened in the past five years.

When you find a tire value like this you're done with shopping around.

This \$10.90 price establishes a new record for tire economy in this community.



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HARDWARE CO.

We recommend G & J Tires and Tubes

Uncommon Sense

By JOHN BLAKE

CANNOT HOARD TIME

IN A certain time you can make a certain amount of money. You can put the money away for years later, but you can't put the time away.

Money, called by the economists frozen labor, might also be called frozen time.

But time is more than money. It can be turned into many things that can be stored away—education, cultivated taste, pleasant and profitable memories. But time itself you cannot hoard. You must use it as it passes, or it is gone forever.

Time spent in recreation is not wasted, unless you spend more than a due allowance for recreation.

But time spent in absolute idleness, or in activities that are worse than idle, is sheer criminal waste.

If you could go back over your life and gather back the hours that have never been improved, you would still have enough time to do great things.

But those hours are gone. You can only, as Shakespeare says, "regret your dear time's waste" and resolve to waste less of it in the future.

Many men whose time had never been turned to account until they were past forty have still had enough left to accomplish great things in the world.

But these are the most sincere mourners for the years that might have been utilized.

If you will begin today to bear in mind that time cannot be hoarded, and if every hour of it is converted into something that can be hoarded, you may lay the foundation for a fortune. You will certainly lay the foundation for happiness by and by.

Count your hours, and allot each one to some task or to some profitable recreation. See that none of them slip by. They are as water through a mill, which if sent over the wheel creates valuable energy, but which spilled over the dam is gone forever.

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Mother's Cook Book

"A fig tree looking on a fig tree becometh fruitful," says the Arabian proverb. And so it is with children; their first instructor is example.

EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

NOW is the time to go forth and pluck the early watercress, the wholesome dandelion, the dock and poke, the new shoots of milkweed and marsh marigold or cowslips, all giving the needed zest to the food of spring.

Fresh Dandelion Salad.

Those who appreciate the value of the tender bleached heart of dandelion like it with a bit of salt without any dressing. For a salad the bleached leaves are best, but the tender green shoots, cut and mixed with a small green onion and served with French dressing is a salad not to be despised. Cut the dandelion close to the root, with all the tender green buds. Wash carefully and slice the root from the base, buds and tender leaves for an inch above the root. These use for a fresh salad; the rest of the leaves may be cooked for greens. Another addition to this salad is a thinly sliced tomato, which adds a bit of acid and softens the bitter of the dandelion. Using mayonnaise on the fresh green dandelion is another appetizing method of serving it.

Cooked Dandelion Salad.

Cook the greens until tender, which will take two hours or more unless the greens are very young, then serve with the following salad dressing: Rub a small bowl with a cut clove of garlic, add one-half of a teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of paprika, two tablespoonfuls of orange juice and four to five tablespoonfuls of olive oil. Whip this dressing until it is creamy, then serve on the cooked dandelions.

Pigweed or Lamb's Quarter.

This is a good wholesome green and common enough to be generally well known as a weed, but not well known as a good food. Pull it up by the roots and strip off the green leaves, as the stalk is generally too tough to serve. Cook with pork or corned beef and serve hot.

Purslane is another good green, which grows in profusion. Pick the leaves and stalks, shake well and wash, then cook as any other greens. Horseradish, plantain and dandelion cooked together make a good flavored combination. Yellow dock when young and tender is good.

Cowslips are delicious when well cooked and seasoned. They are easy to clean and do not shrink as do the dandelions when cooking. A half peck of tender dandelion greens will shrink when cooked to a small vegetable dish.

Mustard is grown for a green and makes a most tasty dish. The wild mustard is good, but the leaves are much smaller than those of the plant called Chinese mustard. A few leaves of the mustard cut in bits and added to the dish of lettuce improves it.

Watercress at this season is in its prime, fresh and green. It grows along the banks of brooks. One should use care in picking it where there is no fear of sewage contamination.

Nellie Maxwell
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Mother—Johnny, why on earth are you crying?
Johnny—Bill and I disagreed on a certain point so we arbitrated it.

WITH RESERVATIONS



His Mother—Bobbie, you have been very naughty after promising to obey me strictly.
Bobbie—That's nothin'. You once promised to obey dad.

WILL REVERSE IT LATER



Teacher—Helen, can you tell me the difference between "to like and to love"?
Helen—Yes. I like my mamma, but I love chocolate.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Reporter is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held on July 22, 1922

For Representative in the Legislature from the 124th District,

J. L. JENNINGS
of Canadian.

R. T. CORRELL
of Perryton

For District Attorney, 31st Judicial District

J. A. HOLMES
of Miami

E. J. PINKENS
of Canadian

HANSFORD COUNTY

For County Judge,

A. H. STORRS
A. E. TOWNSEND
LEE BLACK
C. D. WORKS

For Sheriff and Tax Collector

A. RICHARDSON
J. H. DAVIS
S. H. BAILE
EDGAR L. BIRD

For County and District Clerk

KEESEE C. NESBITT

For Tax Assessor,

C. W. KING
R. W. THOMPSON
J. A. RILEY
MRS. PEARL S. HAYS

For County Treasurer,

MRS. J. H. BUCHANAN
For Commissioner Precinct No. 3
R. E. BROOKS

HUTCHINSON COUNTY

Subject to will of the voters at the election in November.

For County Judge

W. R. GOODWIN
H. W. PITTS

For Sheriff and Tax Collector,

A. L. TERRY
JOE OWNBEY

For Tax Assessor

S. B. LASATER
TOM BARALSON

Wheat Farmers

We have one 22-45 horse power engine and a 32 inch Altman-Taylor separator, which we will trade or will sell on easy terms. This rig has been used only 22 days and is as good as new. Also, one brand new 24 inch Wallace separator.

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J. W. Jordan, Manager,
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East Side Main

SPEARMAN

That Home-Baked Flavor

We used to think it was impossible to catch that elusive flavor that characterizes home baking—but we have captured it at last in both bread and pastries.

Our Bread has taken the place of home-baked bread in many households in this town and our business is growing—the just reward of natural goodness and superior service.

Let us bake the bread for your Sunday dinner and also deliver one of our delicious Pies—flavored JUST RIGHT.

City Bakery

Chas. E. Reynolds

Phone 23

The Prices are certainly Low Enough

For \$25 and \$30 you can buy a splendid suit made to your own measure from sound quality pure wool fabrics and tailored in a manner that will more than satisfy you!

We have qualities too at \$35 and \$40—and our super-grades at \$50 are a revelation in fine tailoring.

Cleaning .. Pressing

Your old suit made to look new for \$1.50.

Ladies' work a specialty.

All work called for and delivered.

Sid Clark

Phone No. 86

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LIST THE WHEAT GROUND

The volunteer wheat comes up quickly and with a

John Deere Ridge Buster

you can have your wheat ground in prime condition for early seeding. If you have never used a Ridge Buster, try one. They are the greatest success of any machine for raising wheat on the plains. I have one on hand now. Come in and see it.



THE NEW RIDGE BUSTER

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Hardware Implements

Spearman Texas

COAL

We are closing out a 100-ton lot of coal at the remarkably low price of

\$10.00 PER TON

if purchaser takes as much as three tons. You will be glad to get this coal at \$15 per ton before the spring of '23.

WE PAY THE TOP PRICE FOR WHEAT

BOLIN-HALL GRAIN

Jack Thomas Manager

CO.

Spearman Texas

WHEAT FARMERS

We pay the highest market price for all kinds of grain.

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- Scott Bros.

Have You a Bad Back?

Are you lame every morning? Do you drag through the day with a steady, nagging backache—waking find you "all played out"? Probably your kidneys are to blame. Hurry, worry, lack of rest and a heavy diet, all tend to weaken the kidneys. Your back gives out; you feel depressed and suffer headaches, dizziness and kidney irregularities. Don't go from bad to worse. Use **Doan's Kidney Pills**. Thousands recommend them. Ask your neighbor!

An Oklahoma Case

F. T. Robinson, 1221 E. 3rd St., Tulsa, Okla., says: "My kidneys got out of order every time the weather became damp and cold. The least chill goes to my kidneys. I had pains across the small of my back and my kidneys acted too freely. The secretions were changeable in color. Doan's Kidney Pills never failed to give me prompt relief."

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Henry is a thrifty suitor, and the whole family of his "girl" know so, too. Occasionally the brothers wish to twit him about his thriftiness, but their sister has forbidden them doing so, and they have to keep still.

But the other night too good a chance came for Knight to miss it. It was raining, and Henry drove his car into the garage, and entering the house, said: "I don't know of a sound that is more musical to me than the rain pattering on the roof."

"It surely is some contrast to the noise of the gasoline sizzling over your motor," one of the brothers flashed back, "and a more comforting one, too."

Just So.

"Why were you exceeding the speed limit?"

"Judge, I was taking a visiting friend to the station."

"Guess I can't fine you, then. We are told to speed the parting guest."—Judge.

"O Happy Day" sang the laundress as she hung the snowy wash on the line. It was a "happy day" because she used Red Cross Ball Blue.—Advertisement.

Fresh-Air College.

All resident students at the University of Arizona are obliged to sleep in the open air on porches. The fraternity houses have similar sleeping arrangements.

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of **CASTORIA**, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the

Signature of **Chas. H. Fletcher**
In Use for Over 30 Years.
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In 1950.

"I saw a pedestrian on the road yesterday."

"What! A live one?"—Life.

Why is most of the bread cast upon the waters stale?

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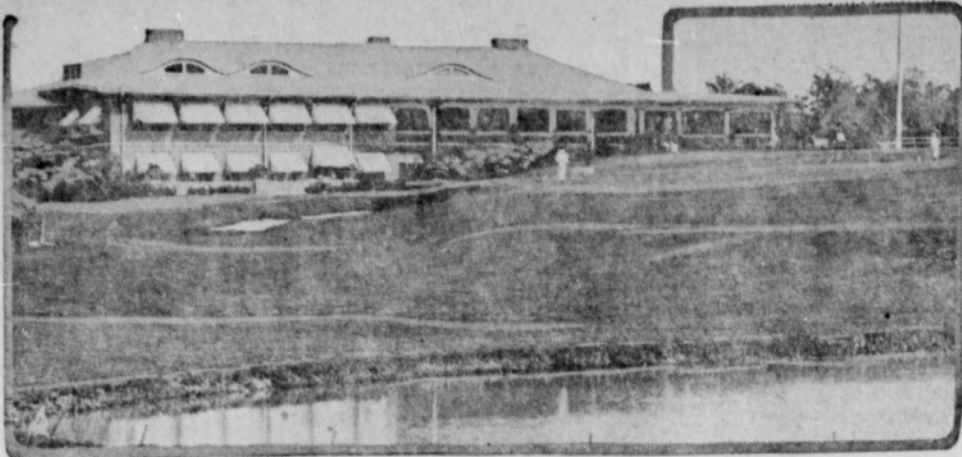
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Scene of the National Open Golf Championship



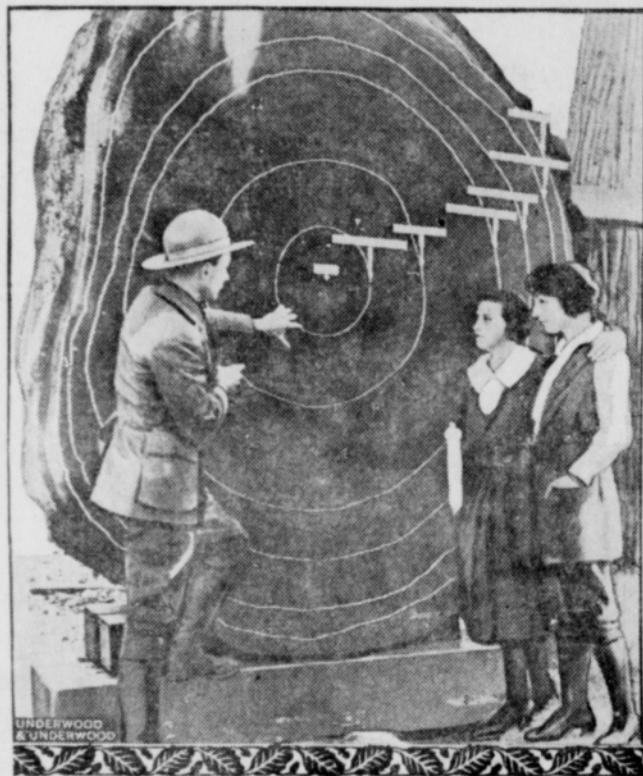
View of the clubhouse and part of the grounds of the Skokie Country club at Glencoe, a suburb of Chicago, the scene of the national open golf championship tournament participated in by several hundred of the best players of this country and Great Britain, as well as by some from other lands.

There Are No Drinks Behind This Post Office Bar



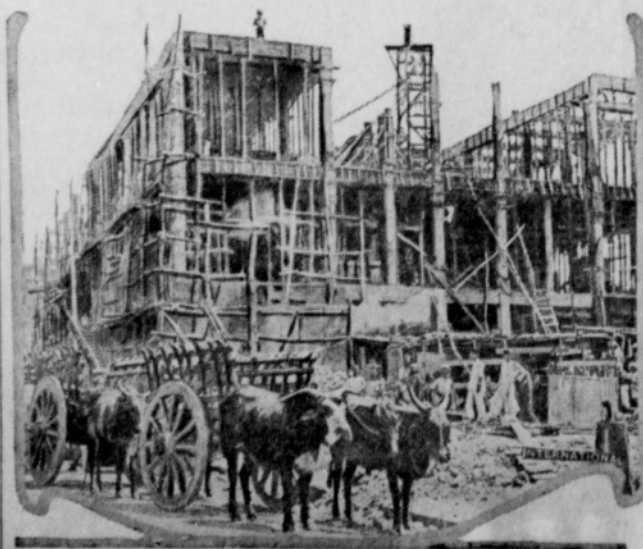
The new bar in the Washington city post office, quite different from the kind abolished by Mr. Volstead, is designed to sit on or lean against in lieu of standing constantly for eight hours while sorting mail. The rail is being tried as an experiment and if it proves successful will be installed in all large post offices.

History Recorded in Tree's Rings



This is the butt of the giant sequoia of Yosemite National park which came to an end in the prime of its life when it was felled by a storm in 1919. At that time it was only 900 years old. Some trees in Yosemite are between 3,000 and 4,000 years old. For the benefit of visitors, the park naturalist, Ansel F. Hall, has measured off on the trunk the rings which mark the years when the Battle of Hastings was fought, America was discovered, and the Declaration of Independence signed, as well as other epochal years. The space between the thumb and forefinger measures the span of the human life.

Concrete Buildings for Bombay



A view of one of the modern concrete buildings being erected in Bombay. When completed, these iron-beamed stone structures will stand in the oldest city here, so wanted.

OPENING RAINIER PARK



Gov. Louis F. Hart of the state of Washington helping clear the roads at the Rainier National park near Seattle, at the opening of that park. A snow battle in June was the feature of the opening, all hands joining in the fun.

TRAP FOR DRY AGENTS



Miss Edna O'Dea of the prohibition office, bureau of internal revenue, photographed with a large bear trap which was captured by Federal Prohibition Agent D. J. Gant near Etowah, Ga. The trap was set near a still to catch the first prohibition agent who came around.

Family Did Full War Duty.

Joseph Jacobson, a former service man of the United States army, since falling in an army airplane at Towers, France, in May, 1918, has been in ten hospitals, four since the first of this year. Seven Jacobson brothers served in the World war, and were contenders for the championship for the largest number of a single family in the service.

Highway Improvement

FEDERAL HELP STRENGTHENS

Much More Accomplished for Country Than Simply Provide Funds for Construction.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Federal aid has done a great deal more for the country than simply to provide funds for road construction, according to the bureau of public roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. One of the most far-reaching results has been its influence in placing the greater part of the highway work of the country in the hands of experienced engineers of state highway departments.

In 1915, prior to the federal-aid act, 70 per cent of the road work was done by agencies other than state highway departments, most of it by county officials. Such a system was bound to be wasteful. Overhead costs were high, engineers were not always employed, systems to serve the best interests of the state as a whole were not developed, and the opportunities for corruption were greater.

With the passage of the federal-aid act of 1916 and the insistence of the



A Modern Implement for Smoothing Dirt Roads.

government upon the construction of federal-aid roads under the supervision of state departments, existing state highway departments were enlarged and strengthened, and in 17 states adequate departments have been created where there had been none or the existing one was not properly equipped to perform necessary functions.

With adequate departments the work has been shifted to their control until at the present time they supervise more than 60 per cent of the road work. This assures to the taxpayer the services of engineers trained in road work, a centralized authority responsible for the expenditure of funds, and a far-sighted plan of development and financing.

COMPILING COST OF PAVING

Figures Secured by Bureau of Public Roads Cover 68,000,000 Yards of Work.

Average costs per square yard of various types of paving for country roads have been compiled by the bureau of public roads, United States Department of Agriculture. The figures cover 68,000,000 square yards of paving constructed with federal aid in all parts of the United States during the period of 1916-21. The costs per square yard are as follows: Sand-clay, 18 cents; gravel, 46 cents; plain and surface-treated macadam, 95 cents; bituminous macadam, \$2.10; bituminous concrete, \$2.50; plain cement concrete, \$2.57; reinforced-cement concrete, \$2.74; and brick, \$4.10.

These figures cover only the cost of the paving; they do not include the cost of grading, and officials point out that it must not be assumed that roads of the several types can be constructed in any locality at these figures. For example, the cost of bituminous concrete varied from \$1.70 in the New England states to \$3.13 in the group of states including Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi and Alabama. In one group of states the cost of brick dropped to \$2.40. Costs of constructing these types in the various groups of states have been compiled and can be obtained from the bureau.

HELPS TO SUSTAIN PRICES

One of the Big Factors is Construction of Good Roads Planned for the Coming Year.

One of the factors that will help to sustain farm prices is the large amount of road building planned for this year. The government will spend a larger sum for this purpose than ever before, and states and counties will co-operate to the extent of their financial abilities.

Money for Good Roads.

In Washington a bill authorizing \$140,000,000 for good roads for the next two years was recently passed in the house by a vote of 239 to 31. The measure provides that \$50,000,000 shall be available by June 30, 1923, and \$75,000,000 by June 30, 1924.

Good Roads in Quebec.

During 1921 the province of Quebec constructed 416 miles of good roads. More than 4,000 miles of highway are now being kept in perfect repair in Quebec province.

JAMES P. HUMPHREYS, well-known automobile man of Hebron, Md., who declares he believes Tanlac is the best thing to overcome stomach trouble and run-down condition. States it completely restored his health.



"I believe in giving everything its due and I want to say right now I just can't praise Tanlac too highly for what it has done in my case," declared James P. Humphreys, proprietor of the Hebron Motor Co., Hebron, Md.

"For three years or more I suffered from indigestion. After eating I would bloat terribly with gas and my heart would palpitate until it interfered with my breathing. I was habitually constipated and my nerves were all upset. My sleep was unsteady, I got up mornings all tired out, and I was only a shadow of my former self."

"Well, Tanlac has given me a keen appetite, stomach trouble has disappeared, my nerves have steadied down, and I have gained several pounds. Tanlac, to my mind, is the best thing ever sold for stomach trouble and run-down condition."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

Part of a Collection.

"Just a moment," interrupted the defendant's lawyer. "You say you despise this man you are suing for \$50,000, yet you bring his alleged love letters into court carefully tied up with a pink ribbon."

"There is no sentiment in that," replied the fair plaintiff, haughtily. "I merely used a pink ribbon to distinguish his from the others."

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" " players \$365—\$12.50 "
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Reliable used pianos \$65.00 to \$250. Only 6% simple interest on payments. Write Adams Music Co., Wichita, Kansas, for descriptions and pictures.—Advertisement.

Her Achievement.

"My wife got after a blue racer with a hatchet out in the yard yesterday," related Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "After going twice around the track, as it were, she ketchered her foot in a mess of baling wire and fell and sprained her arm; if she didn't break it outright. But, by cripes, she shore cut off that there snake's head as she went down!"—Kansas City Star.

WAS A BROKEN-DOWN WOMAN

Then I Began Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicines

Donaldsonville, La.—"I write with pleasure to praise your medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—which has done so much to restore my health. I was a broken-down woman until my husband brought me a bottle of your Vegetable Compound and one of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine. I had been having pains every month and at intervals between, was weak and seemed to be smothering at times, but in a week I felt like another woman. I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. It did me a lot of good too. I cannot praise your medicines too much and will be more than glad to recommend them to any woman who is suffering from female troubles. You may print my testimonial, as it is true."

—Mrs. T. A. LANDRY, 612 Miss. St., Donaldsonville, La.

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LIVE STOCK NEWS

DECLINE IN HORSE RAISING

Decrease Since 1915 of About 60 Per Cent in Number of Stallions in Service.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

If comparative figures from 14 of the leading horse-producing states can be taken as showing the tendency in all parts of the country, there has been a decrease since 1915 of about 60 per cent in the number of stallions in service in the United States. Grades, cross-breeds and scrubs have been falling behind at a greater rate than the purebreds, the latter decreasing a little less than 50 per cent. These statements are based upon a report, "Stallion Enrollment as Related to the Horse-Breeding Situation," just compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture from reports from 18 to 24 states having stallion-enrollment laws.

There has been a decrease in the total number of stallions and jacks every year since 1915, but the date of decline slackened somewhat in 1921. Fourteen states having an enrollment of 46,121 stallions in 1915, had only 18,092 in 1921, a decrease of 60.8 per cent. Of the stallions in 18 states in 1921, 74.2 per cent were purebred. In 1915, only 60 per cent were registered sires. As the numbers decrease the quality improves. Farmers are finding that it pays to raise only good horses and mules.

The number of stallions of the light breeds has been decreasing more rapidly than the number of draft stallions. The total of jacks has been increasing gradually until the last year, when there was a slight decrease. There has been a striking increase in the actual number of purebreds. The change in the ratio of jacks to stallions is a fairly accurate measure of the popularity of the mule. Twenty-nine per cent of the total number of stallions and jacks enrolled for public service in 15 states in 1921 were jacks, while in 10 states in 1915 only 9.3 per cent were jacks.

Several states have recently enacted enrollment legislation that should lead to further improvement of breeding stock and the general run of work

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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LESSON FOR JULY 23


DANIEL IN THE DEN OF LIONS

LESSON TEXT—Daniel 6:1-28.
GOLDEN TEXT—Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions.—Heb. 11:33.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Jer. 25; Dan. 3; Acts 12:1-19; 23:12-35; Heb. 11:22-40.
PRIMARY TOPIC—God Takes Care of Daniel.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Daniel in the Den of Lions.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Daniel's Heroic Faith.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Trials and Triumphs of Faith.

- Daniel the Prime Minister of the Medo-Persian Empire (vv. 1-3).**
Sterling worth brought him to the front and kept him there. The new king was keen to discern his worth and to give it recognition.
- An Occasion Sought Against Daniel (vv. 4-9).**
11. The reason for (v. 4). No doubt that which prompted this effort was their envy and jealousy. The presence of envy always shows inferiority. It is hard for the human heart to forgive those who excel.
2. Failure of (v. 4). Daniel's official record was blameless. They could not even find an error. Envy is still in the world. Those who excel in any line are sure to suffer in some way for their excellencies.
- The wicked plot (vv. 5-9).**
They trumped up a charge on the ground of his foreign religion. They were not careful about their method, just so their end was attained. When surrounded by such hatred only the fear of God can save. Everyone needs that help daily. In spite of Daniel's loyalty the decree was signed by the king which would put him into the den of lions.
- Daniel's Noble Confession (vv. 10-13).**
Though Daniel knew that the wicked decree was signed he knelt before God as usual. Note the silence of heroism. Weak men bluster; strong men have little to say.
1. He continued his usual habit (v. 10). Regular habitual prayer is essential to right life. Habit has an important bearing upon life and especially upon our religious life. He knew that the civil law had absolutely nothing to do with his religion. God's law is first. When the laws of earth conflict with God's laws there is but one thing to do. Laws forbidding to read the Bible, to pray, or to meet to worship God, have no authority over men.
2. Daniel reported to the king (vv. 11-13). These wicked men watched to find out as to whether Daniel would pray before his God, and when they found that he continued his worship of the true God they went to the king and reported that Daniel disregarded his decree.
- The Foolish Decree Executed (vv. 14-17).**
1. The king displeased with himself (v. 14). He labored till the going down of the sun to deliver Daniel. He was conscious that he had been entrapped.
2. The king helpless (v. 15). The proud ruler found that he was a slave.
3. Daniel cast into the den of lions (v. 16). The king's parting word to Daniel was a poor, feeble excuse for his guilty conscience.
4. The Double Seal (v. 17). This double act shows that one rascal will not trust another.
5. Daniel Delivered (vv. 18-23).
1. Note the contrast between the night spent in the lion's den and the one in the palace. In the palace there was no sleep, no mirth. Daniel's quiet is as a picture of the safety and peace which are the portion of those who trust God and do His will.
2. The king's question in the morning (v. 20).
3. Daniel's answer (v. 22). God's angel has done many wonderful works. The early Christians despised bonds, stripes and death.
4. Daniel delivered (v. 23). No manner of hurt was found because he believed in his God.
6. **The Doom of His Accusers (v. 24).**
They were cast into the den of lions and before they even came to the bottom of the den their bones were broken in pieces. This is an example of retributive justice. Daniel's enemies go into the same trap which they prepared for him.
7. **Darius' Decree (vv. 25-27).**
Men were to tremble and fear before Daniel's God. As to whether Darius had a change of heart we do not know.
8. **Daniel's Prosperity (v. 28).**
Daniel goes higher into the kingdom and continues in his place of honor even though dynasties change.

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If a man believes all a woman says—but, of course, he doesn't, so that settles it.

USE TRACTOR ON TRIP TO CANADA

Party of Settlers From United States on Way to the Land of Big Crops.

Settlers on their way to and through Canada do not always rely on the railroads for transportation. Here, for instance, is a photograph of a

carry themselves and their families to the country of their choice. Such settlers are bound to succeed. Some of them go two or three hundred miles inland, and select their homes in the park districts of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Others purchase improved and unimproved farms in the more thickly settled districts in the southerly and central parts of these provinces. Wherever they may go, they are certain to secure land of certain possibilities. They will see grain crops of high value, wheat that will produce from 20 to 40 bushels per acre, oats giving high yields, barley a certain producer, and grass and fodder in quantity and quality that



party from one of the northern states on the way to their new home near Lake Winnipegosis, Manitoba. They were a sturdy, self-reliant lot and carried with them a full complement of farm machinery. With the tractor outfit they intended to commence rather extensive operations this spring on the land which their scouts had already inspected and reported on favorably as to its productiveness.

At almost every point on the Canadian border where there are located means for admitting settlers, the reports are that it is almost a daily occurrence to admit settlers from states as far off as Texas who have adopted the automobile as a means to

will satisfy them that the cattle and stock raising possibilities are fully as good as they have been told.

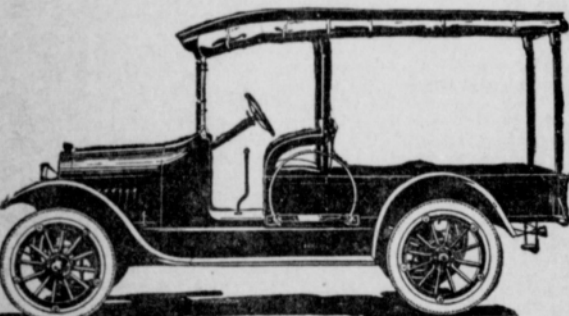
The reports from all parts of Western Canada at the present time fully bear out the most optimistic expectations and hopes of the early days of seeding. Evidence of the splendid growth of this year is the fact that alfalfa was cut on the 15th of June and yielded nearly two tons to the acre.

Corn planted on the 23rd of May, on the 5th of June was showing several inches about the ground, and making glad the heart of the farmer who had built his silo, which he hoped to fill in the latter days of August.—Advertisement.

Ah, Yes!
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stock. Pennsylvania and Indiana now permit the use of only purebred stallions and jacks for public service. They also disqualify stallions and jacks that are unsound or of such inferior type or conformation that they may prove a detriment to the horse-breeding interests of these states. Michigan, also, has passed a similar law that will become operative January 1, 1923.

A copy of the complete report on stallion enrollment may be obtained by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

BALANCED FEEDS MAKE MEAT

With Suitable Rations and Careful Supervision Farmer Should Make Hogs Pay.

There is no place on the farm where it will pay the farmer for keeping his weather-eye peeled, and his think-tank active, as when he is feeding his domestic animals. Balanced rations will help to turn coarse feeds into high-priced meat products, but along with balanced rations must go balanced personal supervision. With both, the farmer who can't make money raising hogs in these days has something to learn.

GIVE PIGS PLENTY EXERCISE

Animals Given Pasture Range and Plenty of Exercise Will Be Sturdy and Healthy.

Pigs that are shut in small, dry yards do not do as well as those that have pasture range. A pig that has plenty of exercise may not be quite as fat as his shut-in relative but he will invariably be much sturdier and healthier.

Lack of Protein

The lack of protein causes animals to shed their hair late in the spring, and causes them to fatten slowly during the early pasture season. The feeding of straw likewise causes this condition.

Good Mixture for Lambs.

Lambs should begin to nibble at grain when about two weeks of age. A good mixture is ground corn two parts, crushed oats two parts, linseed meal one part, wheat bran one part.

current will be directly proportional to the voice or music to be transmitted.

What Is It Worth to Change a Tire?



On the road changing a tire is not an especially pleasant task. The dust or mud, the grease and grime, the tedious delay—all are things we like to avoid. But the time to think about these things is when you buy the tire—not after the blow-out occurs. For some tires blow out much more easily than others. Outward appearance counts for little. It is the material in the tire and the construction of it that determines its strength. Goodyear recognizes these facts and all Goodyear Tires are made of long staple cotton. Take the 30 x 3 1/2 Cross Rib Clincher Tire here illustrated, for example. It is made of Arizona cotton, the fibres of which average 1 1/2 inches long. Many 30 x 3 1/2 clincher tires are made of short staple cotton from 1/2 inch to 1 1/4 inches long. This means less strength and greater danger of blow-outs—more tire troubles. Yet this high grade guaranteed Goodyear Tire costs only \$10.95. You can buy some tires for even less than this but none with the fine materials and construction of this one. Can you afford to take a chance on more frequent tire troubles for the sake of the slightly lower price of cheaper tires?

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Gus—Wonderful how nature provides for the needs of mankind, isn't it?
Cholly—Yes, indeed! For instance, what could be more convenient than ears to hook one's spectacles on?

MOBILLOIL—The best by test. Full line of these popular oils just received. All grades in stock now. HAGAN OIL COMPANY, Near the Spearman Equity.

Read the Reporter.

Little Things That Count

By HUBERT RAY

Hall hated Sanders. He hated him with all the intensity of a man who is compelled to spend a winter in the sole company of his best friend. They were exploring the coast of North America, and they had spent four sunless months together in the snow igloo.

Four months of darkness in the snow hut, while eternal blizzards raged outside, only once relieved by the visit of a band of Eskimos, dwarf savages who had fingered their knives, muttered in their animal language at the strangers, and then decided that their few possessions were not worth the risk of an attack.

Sanders hated Hall too, but not so much as Hall hated Sanders. They glibbed at each other incessantly. Hall hated Sanders' hoarding of his few scraps of tobacco, he hated the way he cleaned his pipe after his daily smoke; he hated him for shaving, for breathing, for being in existence at all.

And it was all irrational, born of loneliness and darkness. Hall had sense enough to see that, but it did not diminish his hatred. He might even have killed him, only he knew that alone he could not face the finish of the Arctic winter.

The worst quarrel of all occurred one night when Sanders, having finished his pipe, began searching in the hut.

"For heaven's sake keep quiet and lie down!" Hall growled. "Haven't I enough of you all day, without being disturbed and kept awake all night?" "I want my pipe-cleaner," Sanders snorted. "It's gone, and it's my belief you've hidden it out of spite!"

"You lie!" shouted Hall, and out of the depths of his mind a bitter thought was born. "Guess you wouldn't worry so much about your pipe-cleaner if you know what I know," he taunted him.

"You know a lot! Well, spit it out, spit it out!" yelled Sanders.

Hall sneered. "Say, Sanders, you left your wife in Urica, didn't you?" he asked. "Staying with her mother, waiting for hubby to come home, wasn't she?"

"Well?" Sanders' tone was like a whip-lash.

"Well, she isn't. She's staying at Seattle, waiting for me!" Hall yelled.

Sanders said never a word. He lay down and began breathing hard. Hall was alarmed for a moment, but after a while Sanders' regular breathing showed that he had fallen asleep. Hall chuckled.

"Got him on the raw!" he soliloquized. "I guess I've got the whip hand of him now!"

He nodded at the seal-oil lamp. It was hot in the igloo. He was drowsing, falling asleep, when suddenly he felt two hands upon his throat.

He leaped up, to see Sanders peering into his face, with murder in his eyes. And then a struggle for life began.

They fought all round the hut, with all the fury of two mortal foes. It seemed as if the battle lasted hours. Both men were in prime condition, both filled with hatred for each other. Again and again the light seemed on the point of ending, and always it was renewed.

At last Hall realized that he was winning. He dealt Sanders a stunning blow that knocked him through the wall of the hut. He followed him, grappled with him in the bitter cold outside, got his hands round his throat, and heard Sanders choking out his last gasps. Not even then was his hate satisfied.

"It's true what I told you, Sanders," he hissed in his ear. "She's waiting for me. And you'll never live to return to America. I'm going to finish you now!"

He could see Sanders' face clearly in the slow Arctic dawn. He saw the protruding eyes, the lips moving convulsively. And then—of a sudden his hands fell to his sides. Reason returned.

For over the horizon peered the thin edge of the returning sun.

He grasped Sanders by the shoulders. "Sanders! Get up, old man! I've been mad—so have you. Look!" he shouted, pointing toward the lunary. Sanders arose unsteadily, faced the sun's rim, and suddenly put out his hand.

"We've been fools, Hall," he said. "Fools? Devils! Sanders, listen to me! I swear that was a lie out of the whole cloth, what I was telling you. Why, I've lain awake night after night for weeks thinking how I could hurt you most. I was mad when I said that. I've never set eyes on your wife in my life. No need to have attacked me."

"That wasn't why I attacked you, Hall," said Sanders sheepishly.

"What? What the dickens—?"

"I thought you'd hidden my pipe-cleaner out of spite," Sanders confessed.

"Your pipe-cleaner? Why? Why, there it is, caught in your coat!" cried Hall, pointing.

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To avoid arrogance, which corrodes the man and estranges his fellows.

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

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Few things are impracticable in themselves; and it is for want of application, rather than of means, that men fail of success.—Rochefoucauld.

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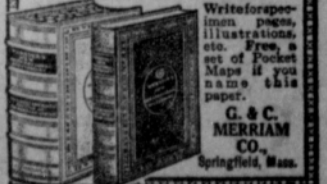
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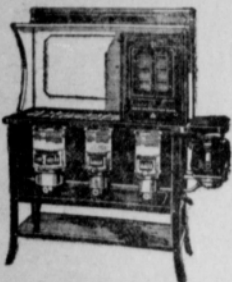


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RADIO

THINGS BEGINNERS
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Explanation of Terms Used in
Radio and of Its Basic
Principles.

Due to the great interest taken in radio since broadcasting stations have been started, many radio terms are seen and heard that may be unfamiliar to the novice. Some of the most commonly used terms are explained and defined below.

Like light, heat and sound, radio energy is propagated in the form of a wave motion. Every one is familiar with the wave motion set up on the surface of a still body of water by the dropping of a stone into it.

Every time a point on the surface of the waves goes through a complete set of motions and starts to repeat those motions the wave is said to have gone through a cycle.

The number of complete cycles gone through per second is the frequency.

The human ear is responsive to sound frequencies up to a few thousand cycles per second but is not capable of responding to the higher frequencies encountered in radio. Arbitrarily a frequency of less than 10,000 cycles has been called an audible frequency—one which can be heard—and frequencies above 10,000 cycles, radio or inaudible frequencies—because they cannot be heard by the human ear.

The particular type of wave which propagates radio energy is an electro-magnetic wave. All of us have seen bits of iron and steel attracted by the little toy magnets made up in the form of horseshoes. This attraction of the magnet for the bits of iron and steel showed the existence of a magnetic

The high-frequency current is known as the carrier-wave and its function is to radiate into space in the form of electro-magnetic waves and by its variation in amplitude carry with it the variation in the tone at the transmitting station.

It is the frequency of the carrier-wave that determines the wave-length on which a radiophone station is transmitted. By experiment it has been found that electro-magnetic waves travel at the same velocity that light waves travel, that is, 186,000 miles per second. Wave-length is the distance between any two similar points on two successive waves; for example, the distance from crest to crest of any two successive waves in the same direction, measured in meters, a unit of length equal approximately to one and one-tenth yards. Converting 186,000 miles to meters, the equivalent is 300,000,000 meters. The length of an electro-magnetic wave is equal then to 300,000,000 divided by the frequency. Suppose a station was transmitting on a wave-length of 360 meters. The frequency of the carrier-wave would be approximately 835,000 cycles.

Just as a violinist tunes his instrument, that is, makes a certain string emit a note of higher or lower pitch, or, technically speaking, a sound wave of higher or lower frequency, by adjusting the tension on the string, so may the electrical constants of the antenna circuit of a radiophone transmitter be changed in order to have the station emit a carrier-wave of a different frequency.

If a tuning fork having a natural period corresponding to middle C be placed near a violinist who is playing, the fork will vibrate when the musician plays middle C, but all other times it will remain quiescent. This phenomenon of the tuning fork vibrating whenever the musician plays the corresponding note on the violin is known as mechanical resonance. If a radio receiver be adjusted so that electrically its natural period of vibration will be 835,000 cycles (360 meters wave-length) every time a station transmits on a wave-length of 360 meters, current will be set up in the receiver by



Amateur Radio Operators Erecting Aerial on the Roof.

field about the tips of the magnet and this same kind of a field propagates the electro-magnetic force, except that unlike the toy magnet, its power comes off in the form of wavy motions. This electro-magnetic force propagates radio energy in all directions.

The medium that transmits the electro-magnetic waves is the same medium that transmits light—the ether. This medium is supposed to fill all space, even that occupied by fluids and solids. Little is known about its properties.

In radio it is more common to speak of wave length than frequency. The wave length of any wave motion is the distance between any two successive crests in the same direction. The wave length depends upon the frequency. If the frequency is high the wave length is short. On the other hand if the frequency is low the wave length is long. Numerically the wave length is equal to the distance traveled by the wave in one second divided by the frequency. Suppose, for example, that it were desired to know the wave length of an electro-magnetic wave having a frequency of 835,000 cycles. Electro-magnetic waves travel at the same speed as do light waves, that is, 186,000 miles per second. Dividing the 186,000 by 835,000 the wave length would be .223 miles or 360 yards. In radio work it is measured in meters. A meter is equal to approximately 1.1 yards. Converting 360 yards into meters the wave length would be 366 divided by 1.1 or 360 meters. This is the wave length on which KDKA operates. It also means that the electro-magnetic waves sent out from this station have a frequency of 835,000 cycles.

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

In a radiophone transmitter there are two requirements that must be fulfilled. First, there must be a source of high-frequency current, say, between 15,000 and 1,500,000 cycles so connected to an antenna and ground system that energy in the form of electro-magnetic waves will be radiated. Second, there must be some method of controlling this high-frequency current or modulating it so that the variations in the amplitude of the high-frequency current will be directly proportional to the voice or music to be transmitted.

electrical resonance. Stations transmitting on any wave-length other than 360 meters will not cause a current to be set up in the receiver.

The portion of a radio receiver that changes the wave-length at which it is electrically resonant is called a tuner. Suppose that "A" station transmits on a wave-length of 200 meters and "B" on a wave-length of 360 meters. By adjusting the tuner until the constants of the receiver make it electrically resonant to a 200-meter wave or a 360-meter wave, either of the two stations can be picked up, but both stations cannot be picked up simultaneously. This is the reason that more than one transmitter can be operating at one time and yet only one can be heard on a receiver without interference from the others.

The other necessary part of a radio receiver is the detector. The function of this portion of the receiver is to utilize the small currents in the tuner that are set up by a transmitting station and make them audible through the medium of a telephone receiver. If the telephone receiver were connected directly to the tuner the high-frequency current would not operate the diaphragm of the receiver and even if the diaphragm were set in motion it would be too fast a motion to be picked up by the human ear.

In a simple receiver the detector usually consists of two pieces of mineral in contact or a piece of mineral in contact with a metallic spring. Either combination is known as a crystal detector. A detector of this type is nothing more than a rectifier; that is, when an alternating current is applied at the terminals the current is allowed to flow only in one direction.

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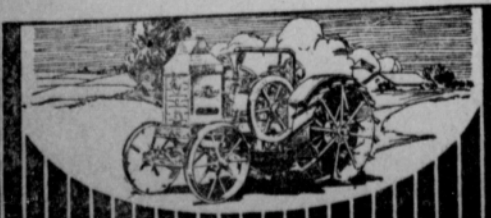
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How a "Three-Electrode" Is Connected in a Simple Radio Receiving Circuit.

Obviously working the tube at a point on the upper bend of knee of the characteristic curve would produce the same symmetrical changes in the plate circuit by symmetrical changes in the grid potential as it will if the tube is worked at the lower end of

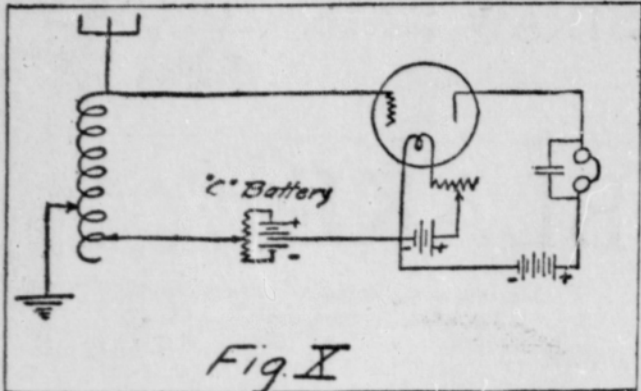


Fig. X

knee of the curve. However, the alternating current applied to the grid would now produce a large decrease and a small increase of the plate current, the reverse of that shown in Fig. 9. The objection to working the tube on the upper bend of knee of the curve is that when no potential is applied to the grid a relatively large

plate circuit current and the tube would not function as a detector.

Fig. 10 shows how a three-electrode vacuum tube is connected in a simple radio receiving circuit. The "B" battery furnishing the necessary plate potential is connected with its positive side through the phones to the plate. The filament is heated to the required temperature by the battery "A." The incoming radio frequency alternating current is applied to the grid and the negative side of the filament through the "C" battery. By connecting the negative side of the filament to the midpoint of the "C" battery a positive potential can be applied to the grid by moving the slider on the "C" battery potentiometer up, or the grid can be made negative with respect to the filament by moving the slider on the "C" battery potentiometer down.

In practice a "C" battery is not used to force a three-electrode vacuum tube to function as a detector.

Hard to Find a Plot

By CLARA DELAFIELD

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"May, you keep out of Daddy's room! Jim, don't slide down those banisters, you'll disturb Daddy. He's trying to think of a plot for his new novel."

Cardwell, whose last book, "The Woman at Bay," had run into a hundred thousand, was trying desperately hard. For six weeks he had not written a line. He had exhausted every plot in his repertoire. The future stretched before him, blank, emotionless. There were no more plots in the world. There was nothing to write about. Starvation faced him and his family, for plots were his meat and drink, clothing, rent, taxes and the upkeep of a limousine and a two-seater—not to mention tobacco.

His wife came in and Cardwell looked up in resignation.

"I'm so sorry to disturb you, dear," she said, "but Mary's given notice, and I don't know what we're going to do."

"How's that?" asked Cardwell.

"Why, it appears that two years ago she was engaged to a young man named Simpson, who joined a lion-hunting party in East Africa. He was supposed to have been eaten by a lion, but now it turns out that he was rescued from the lion's jaws by friendly natives, who took him to their village. They were attacked by hostile tribes, who took Simpson a captive and worshiped him as a god till he managed to get down to the coast. He got a job on a ship bound for Boston, but she was just away, and he lived for months on an uninhabited island, eating nothing but turtle's eggs, till he was taken off by an airplane that touched there on its way to the Antarctic. He joined the expedition and has just returned."

"Well, see if you can get another girl," said Cardwell, frowning.

But a few minutes later he heard the voice of Mrs. Biggs, the greatest bore in the village, talking to his wife at the door. In a few minutes his wife came in again.

"I am so sorry to disturb you, dear," she said, "but what do you think has happened? You know Mr. James, the grocer? Well, he's inherited fifty thousand dollars!"

"How's that?" asked Cardwell.

"Why, it appears that when he was a young man he and a friend were rivals for a girl in Stockport. She married him secretly—it's just come out—and then her parents whisked her away and he never knew where she had gone to. She was shown a forged letter saying that he had died in a fire, and remained true to him all these years. Last month she was taken ill and came down here to see the old town before she died, and she found that Mr. James had been alive all the time. She would not make her self known to him, because she knew the hand of death was upon her, but she left him all her fortune. Isn't it sad, darling?"

"Dreadful," said Cardwell, "but such things will happen, you know."

No, the plot would not come. Cardwell put on his hat and went down the village street to get his hair cut. The barber's shop was closed.

"You looking for Mr. Hinckes, Mr. Cardwell?" asked Mrs. Casablanca, whose husband kept the fruit store next door. "He's gone."

"Gone?" asked Cardwell.

"Yes, gone for good. What do you suppose has happened? It appears that his real name's Montgomery, and his father's a banker up Boston way, and worth millions. Well, Mr. Hinckes was exchanged in his cradle by a jealous nurse, and her son was brought up as young Montgomery, and broke his father's heart last year by becoming boss of a lumber camp instead of settling down to office work. And now the nurse has confessed, and they've traced Mr. Hinckes, and he's gone to Boston to take his rightful place. Isn't it strange, Mr. Cardwell?"

"It is strange," said Cardwell, "but such things do really happen."

On his way home a cry of distress reached his ears. Hurrying round the bend of the road, he saw Miss Entham, the squire's daughter, trying to rise. He hurried to her—his wife had always wanted to know the Enthams.

"I'm afraid I've sprained my ankle," moaned the girl. "I was in too great a hurry to carry these dainties to poor old Mrs. Jones." She indicated some calves' feet jelly and doughnuts in the gutter.

Cardwell raised the girl in his brawny arms and carried her to his home, twenty feet distant. Declining to come in, he slouched sullenly homeward.

"Nice girl," he thought. "If I weren't married . . . well, I dunno. Oh, shucks! I'll have to learn to keep my mind off things, or I'll never hit on a plot for my next novel."

Too Much of a Good Thing.

A certain professor confided to a friend that he had been very happy, when after years of wooing, the lady of his choice had said "yes."

"But why did you break the engagement so soon after?" asked the friend.

"It was she who dissolved it."

"Really? How did that happen?"

"It was due to my absent-mindedness. When a few days later I called at her home, I again asked her to marry me."—Harper's Magazine.

Drawing a Distinction.

"Do you think it's wrong to gamble?"

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"First—Successful results have been obtained so far only with audio bulbs. Crystal sets receive the signals, but for some reason they are very weak and indistinct.

"Second—No set should be used on this system without air or oil filled condensers, placed in series with either the antenna circuit or the ground circuit—preferably in the antenna circuit.

"Third—A fuse not heavier than one-half ampere should be used in series and just ahead of the antenna connection.

"Fourth—An ordinary separate detachment plug—i. e., one with two blades connecting the two separate halves of the plug—is used. Only one wire is run from this plug, the other binding screw left undisturbed. This single conductor wire should be long enough to reach from a handy electric light socket to the table where the instrument is located and should terminate in the fuse mentioned above. In case an externally connected condenser is used, the circuit should be run from the fuse to the condenser and from the condenser to the antenna binding post of the receiving set.

"In sets where the condenser is built into the instrument the connection from the fuse is run directly to the antenna binding post. All other connections should be exactly the same as for conventional overhead aerial receiving.

"Screw the attachment plug into the electric light socket and tune as usual. In case no signals are received reverse the blades in the attachment plug by simply pulling the attachment

plug apart and turning the lower half half-way around.

"Caution—Under no consideration should the connection from the electric light socket be brought directly into contact with the ground connection, or fuses will be blown in the house circuit and the whole house left without light. Operators should also be careful about making contact themselves bodily with the electric light wire and ground at the same time, in order to avoid shock."

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